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ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF  
GREENWICH,

FOR THE  
Year Ending Mar. 1, 1908



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## Town Warrant.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To C. E. Miller, Constable of the town of Greenwich,*

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of the Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years ; One Library Trustee for two years to fill vacancy. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, and three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year. Also on same ballot, to vote " Yes or No " in answer to the question : Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town ?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To see if the town will accept the list of Jurors as prepared by the Selectmen.

ART. 6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

ART. 7. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, or act in relation thereto.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on taxes after a certain date, and fix the rate.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to build an addition to the town farm barn, or act in relation thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to open a short piece of road from near the residence of Carme C. Thayer to the Dana line.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to close Quabbin Lake to fishing certain days in the week, or act in relation to the same.

ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to observe Memorial Day, or act in relation thereto.

The Polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich, seven days at least, before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon to the town clerk, on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this tenth day of March, A. D. 1908.

EDWARD T. KING,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
WALTER H. GLAZIER,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		



# Report of Town Clerk.

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*Vital statistics for 1907.*

## BIRTHS.

- March 25, George Brown.  
March 28, Jean Louise Warren.  
July 21, Walter Radcliffe Moore.  
August 15, Everett Lawrence Coit.

## MARRIAGES.

- Feb. 9, Edmund L. Towne, of Ware, and  
Carrie M. Simonds, of Greenwich.  
April 15, Carl M. Clifford, of Greenwich, and  
Lucy M. Nye, of Marion.  
July 17, Benjamin W. Dunham, of Holyoke, and  
Bessie Lillian Johnston, of Greenwich.  
August 14, Elmer L. Powers, of Greenwich, and  
Dora B. Harris, of Boston.  
Oct. 8, Raymond Henry Crowther, of Enfield, and  
Helen Abigail Dickinson, of Greenwich.  
Nov. 5, Edward M. Hunter, of Greenwich, and  
Lizzie E. Barlow, of Greenwich.  
Nov. 14, William L. Bacon, of Greenwich, and  
Sarah A. Carlson, of Barre.

## DEATHS.

Jan.	9,	Fannie H. Southworth, 92 years.
Jan.	27,	Mary J. Weston, 81 years.
Jan.	30,	Clark R. Sibley, 61 years.
Feb.	26,	Gertrude F. Brooks, 38 years.
April	28,	Harriet N. Hale, 90 years.
July	14,	Julia E. Johnson, 67 years.
Dec.	22,	Charles William Newland, 88 years.

## NON RESIDENTS.

May	8,	Joseph Merriam Harrington, of Prescott, 78 years.
Dec.	28,	Lucy G. Trask, of Templeton, 62 years.

## NON RESIDENTS INTERRED IN GREENWICH IN 1907.

Feb.	5,	Miriam Emily Upton, 84 years.
Sept.	16,	Sarah Emily Strickland, 72 years.
Oct.	21,	John Thresher, 84 years.

WARREN P. SLOAN, *Town Clerk.*

## STATE AID REPORT.

Zenas W. Tolman,	1 month,	\$ 6.00
Charles Johnston,	12 "	72.00
Francis Foley,	12 "	48.00
Laurinda Foley,	12 "	48.00
Mary F. Winter,	12 "	48.00
Ira L. Jones,	13 "	52.00
Leroy Beals,	5 "	20.00
Nathan A. Beals,	4 "	16.00
James E. White,	3 "	12.00
Alfred P. Clifford,	3 "	12.00
		<hr/> \$ 334.00

## MILITARY AID.

Zenas W. Tolman.	\$ 144.00
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## SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

F. P. Hall, goods for Zenas W. Tolman,	\$ 16.35
Town of Westfield, Mrs. Hiram Caswell,	17.00
W. H. Glazier, account of Mrs. Hiram Caswell,	2.25
	<hr/> \$ 35.60

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00
Paid Miss Helen I. Nevins,	\$ 100.00

## TREE WARDEN.

Appropriation,	\$ 50.00
Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	\$ 50.00

## PATHING SNOW.

Wm. R. Carrick,	\$ 15.70	
Geo. H. Joslyn,	14.85	
Geo. E. Nevins,	19.08	
O. D. Sheldon,	2.70	
Wm. Simmons,	4.05	
Austin Hunter,	4.65	
	<hr/>	\$ 61.03

## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Appropriation,	\$ 50.00	
Drawn from money left by Topliff Estate,	40.00	
Received from Wilkinson fund,	15.00	
"    "    Shumway fund,	5.00	
"    "    Warner fund,	5.00	
"    "    Mary Walker fund,	4.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 119.25
Paid for labor and manure,	\$ 109.25	
"    "    care of flowers,	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 119.25

Fifty dollars of this money spent on lot bought of Mr. Twible.

E. H. ROOT,	}	<i>Cemetery Commissioners.</i>
G. E. NEVINS,		
J. E. LITCH,		

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation,		\$ 600.00
Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	\$ 125.00	
E. T. King, man and teams,	211.50	
A. Root,	41.00	
E. O. Tewell,	18.00	
N. Caswell,	6.00	

Paid James T. Clark,	\$ 60.00	
John James,	15.25	
Frank Rogers,	6.00	
Ed. Woods,	3.00	
Ed. Woods, posts and railings,	5.52	
Frank Hall, plow points,	1.00	
W. P. Sloan, supplies,	6.20	
E. A. Moore, drills and blacksmithing,	11.30	
Two scythes,	1.50	
W. H. Walker, man and team,	4.00	
Man,	.75	
Lumber,	3.00	
W. R. King,	1.50	
E. T. King, lumber,	6.62	
Thomas S. Severance,	4.50	
		\$ 531.64

GEORGE E. NEVINS. *Supt. of Streets.*

STATE ROAD.

Paid G. E. Nevins, 38 days @ \$ 2.50,	\$ 95.00	
James T. Clark, 27 days,	47.25	
Mr. Marcy, 14 days,	42.00	
S. E. Vaughn, 28 days,	49.00	
J. D. James, 37 days,	64.75	
Willis Johnson, 19 days,	33.25	
E. T. King, man and team, 31 days,	124.00	
E. T. King, man and two teams,	3.50	
Mr. Beals, five teams,	7.50	
John Robinson & Co., dynamite and caps,	7.30	
E. A. Moore, blacksmith,	13.53	
F. P. Hall, powder and fuse,	7.00	
W. H. Giffin, cement,	.70	
E. T. King, stone boats,	5.00	
		\$ 499.78
Received from state,	\$ 496.00	
Balance from town,	3.78	
		\$ 499.78

## EXPENSES OF FOREST FIRES.

Walter H. Glazier. Fire Warden.	\$ 7.41	
Edward M. Hunter. " "	3.20	
	—	\$ 10.61

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## REPAIRS ON TOWN HALL.

Paint for outside,	\$ 23.16	
Blinds, glass and trimmings,	12.56	
Maple flooring and freight,	66.72	
Paint, oil and varnish for inside,	9.34	
Paper, moulding and freight,	18.02	
Other materials,	17.25	
Labor.	95.05	
	—	\$ 242.08

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## MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

Paid E. H. Mahony, for 100 chairs,	\$ 46.96	
E. T. King, expense to Gardner,	2.91	
E. T. King, freight and cartage,	3.00	
W. H. Glazier, expense to Gardner,	2.91	
	—	\$ 55.78
Paid W. P. Sloan, services as town clerk,	\$ 25.00	
" " " justice of peace,	5.00	
" " " registrar of voters,	5.00	
" " " rec. births, marriages and deaths,	6.50	
" " " stationery, money paid out etc.,	12.75	
	—	\$ 54.25

## Contingent Account.

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Paid Athol Transcript, printing ballots,	\$ 7.50
Lewis H. Blackmer, printing town reports,	30.23
E. H. Root, three burials,	9.00
E. T. King, expense to Springfield, Walker Est.,	3.00
W. H. Glazier, " " " "	3.00
Walker Bros., sawing,	13.21
H. M. Dolbeane, assessors and dog blanks,	3.80
Tax Collector's book,	.75
Making copy of valuation for state,	10.00
A. O. Parker, storing scraper,	2.25
C. E. Miller, constable,	3.00
E. M. Hunter, cutting and drawing logs,	19.05
A. A. Snow, water rent,	4.00
Edgar W. Coit, teller at one meeting,	1.50
N. A. Beals, teller at two meetings,	3.00
Wm. S. Douglass, teller at one meeting,	1.50
Oscar A. King, teller at one meeting,	1.50
W. R. Carrick, teller at one meeting,	1.50
W. R. Carrick, moderator,	2.50
Elmer L. Powers, constable,	3.00
Elmer L. Powers, janitor of hall,	5.00
Frank A. Thayer, repairs on library,	7.07
Frank P. Hall, for goods and money paid,	20.58
David M. Hunter, meat inspector,	4.50
Frank P. Hall, treasurer,	30.00

Paid E. T. King, selectman, overseer of poor, assessor,	\$ 60.00
W. H. Glazier, " " " "	60.00
E. M. Hunter, " " " "	60.00
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	\$ 370.44
Total amount of orders drawn,	\$ 2,608.46

EDWARD T. KING,	} <i>Selectmen</i>
WALTER H. GLAZIER,	
EDWARD M. HUNTER,	
	<i>of</i>
	<i>Greenwich.</i>

William H. Giffin, *Auditor.*



# List of Jurors for 1908

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*As prepared by the Selectmen, Feb. 28, 1908.*

Howard H. Dickinson,	Merchant
Edgar W. Coit,	Farmer
John Powers,	"
Edward T. King,	Lumber Dealer
Clarence E. Miller,	Mill Hand
Albert L. Root,	Farmer

EDWARD T. KING,	} <i>Selectmen</i>	
WALTER H. GLAZIER,		of
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		<i>Greenwich.</i>

# Report of Overseers of Poor.

*For the year ending March 1, 1908.*

## EXPENSE AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME.

Mercy Hospital, care of Geo. Clifford,	\$ 12.00	
Operation, " "	5.00	
W. B. Segur, M. D. med. att. Mrs. H. M. Lyman,	17.50	
	---	\$ 34.50

## EXPENSES AT COOLEY HOME.

Paid F. M. Thresher, salary to April 1, 1907,	\$ 50.00	
" " " " Feb. 1, 1908,	250.00	
" " " goods for Cooley Home,	11.45	
" " " 10 pigs,	32.00	
" " " 3 calves,	4.50	
" " " hens,	17.10	
" " " harrow,	13.50	
" " " rake,	12.50	
H. H. Dickinson, groceries and supplies,	158.95	
" " " grain,	4.33	
F. L. Parker, "	265.06	
F. P. Hall, store bill,	3.68	
New Salem Creamery Co., butter,	42.29	
W. R. King, meat,	6.63	
J. M. Vaughn, "	2.31	
E. T. King, "	13.00	
" " " fertilizer,	24.00	

Paid F. H. Vaughn, fertilizer,	\$ 4.65
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill,	1.50
E. L. Powers, " "	4.20
T. Severance, plowing,	9.60
C. F. Dyer, " "	2.50
J. L. Hamilton, labor,	56.25
G. Severance, " "	2.00
Geo. E. Smith, labor 18 $\frac{2}{3}$ days,	51.34
" " " 75 lbs. nails,	3.00
" " " hardware,	4.15
E. T. King, lumber,	17.45
E. T. King, cow,	52.50
F. M. Thresher, clothing for Nettie Upton,	14.40
" " " " " Z. W. Tolman,	1.45
Expense of clothing for Charles W. Newland,	2.15
W. B. Segur, M. D., " " "	19.50
E. H. Root, coffin, " " "	20.00
" " " box, " " "	5.00
" " " undertakers work, " "	3.00
" " " burial, Charles W. Newland,	3.00
Rev. C. Thayer, services, " " "	3.00
W. H. Glazier, railroad expenses, " "	2.40
E. M. Hunter, " " "	2.10
D. Stone & Son, Ins. on Cooley Home Bldgs.,	18.13
	————— \$ 1,214.57

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INCOME AT COOLEY HOME.

Cream,	\$ 409.68
Pork,	146.30
Veal,	82.00
Eggs,	60.03
Poultry,	12.84
Potatoes and turnips,	14.65
James E. White, board,	62.60
Zenas Tolman, board,	176.00
	————— \$ 964.10
Net expense at Cooley Home,	250.47

## INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME.

One horse.	\$ 200.00
Eight cows.	270.00
One calf.	12.00
Six swine.	55.00
Forty-four fowls,	33.00
Ten tons english hay.	175.00
Two tons stock hay and fodder.	20.00
Grain.	65.00
Potatoes.	40.00
Provisions.	20.00
Farming tools.	140.00
Furniture.	60.00
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	\$ 1,090.00
Number of inmates for the year.	1
Number of weeks.	92

EDWARD M. HUNTER,	} Overseers of Poor.
WALTER H. GLAZIER,	
EDWARD T. KING,	

William H. Giffin. *Auditor.*

# Assessors' Report.

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Exempted Property,	
Congregational church,	\$ 3,100.00
Independent Liberal church,	2,050.00

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES.

Total valuation,	\$ 252,442.00
Total value of real estate,	192,500.00
Total value of personal estate,	59,942.00
Number of polls assessed,	129
Tax on each poll,	\$ 2.00
Total tax for state, county, and town purposes,	3,590.24

RATE OF TAXATION, \$ 13.20 PER THOUSAND.

Total number of persons assessed,	245
Total number of persons assessed on property,	216
Total number of persons assessed on poll tax only,	29
Number of horses assessed,	155
Number of cows assessed,	338
Number of neat cattle assessed,	69
Number of swine assessed,	63
Number of fowls           “	1,750
Number of dwelling houses assessed,	130
Number of acres of land       “	11,513
Town grant and note,	\$ 2,865.00
State tax,	320.00
County tax,	360.71
Overlaysings,	44.53

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Assessors</i>
EDWARD T. KING,		<i>of</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		<i>Greenwich.</i>

## Treasurer's Report.

*Statements of Receipts and Expenditures, for the year ending  
March 1, 1908.*

1907.	<i>Dr.</i>	
To cash in treasury to new account,		\$ 1,207.67
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, acct. of Zenas Tolman board,		176.00
To cash received from A. E. Johnson, ( Justice Johnson Cemetery Fund. )		200.00
To cash received from Athol Savings Bank, ( borrowed )		1,500.00
		----- \$ 3,083.67
To cash received from City of Marlboro, acct. of E. C. Magrath,		\$ 18.50
To cash received from A. E. Walker, for Chas. S. Record, Cemetery Fund,		50.00
To cash received from School Committee, mon- ey refunded from J. S. Hammet Co.,		6.00
To cash received from Commonwealth, compen- sation of inspection of animals,		7.50
To cash received from School Committee, State reimbursement of School Supt.,		138.89
		----- \$ 220.89
To cash received from Commonwealth, Corpo- ration tax,		\$ 3.77

To cash received from Commonwealth. National Bank tax.	\$ 74.49	
To cash received from Commonwealth. State aid,	250.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth. High School tuition.	250.10	
To cash received from Commonwealth. State Highway loan.	496.00	
To cash received from rent of Wilcox House.	28.00	
	—————	\$ 1,102.36
To cash received from Overseers of Poor. account of J. E. White, board.	\$ 45.00	
To cash received from Louis A. Pratt. ribbon bill refunded and supplies sold,	2.28	
To cash received from Edwin H. Banister. dog fund refunded.	83.64	
To cash received from Ware Savings Bank. Cemetery fund income,	29.25	
	—————	\$ 160.17
To cash received from Commonwealth. income from Mass. School fund.	\$ 500.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth. burial of paupers.	15.00	
To cash received from School Committee. for sale of water closet.	3.00	
To cash received from School Committee. High School tuition from Geo. B. Walker.	36.00	
To cash received from Overseers of poor. acct. of Cooley Home.	743.10	
To cash received from W. R. King. collector of taxes for 1905.	815.00	
	—————	\$ 2,112.10
To cash received from W. R. King. collector of taxes for 1906.	\$ 905.46	
To cash received from W. R. King. collector of taxes for 1907.	1,807.24	

To cash received from School Committee, for supplies sold,	\$ 3.37	
To cash received from Commonwealth. Corporation tax,	50.57	
	—————	\$ 2,766.64
Total,		\$ 9,445.83

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By paid Athol Savings Bank, int. on notes,	\$ 107.75	
By deposited in Ware Savings Bank, Justice Johnson cemetery fund,	200.00	
By paid Athol Savings Bank note,	1,200.00	
By deposited in Ware Savings Bank, Charles S. Record Cemetery fund,	50.00	
By paid Athol Savings Bank note,	500.00	
	—————	\$ 2,057.75
By paid Edwin H. Banister, county tax,	360.71	
Commonwealth, state tax,	320.00	
Orders of Selectmen to date,	2,608.46	
Orders of Overseers of Poor to date,	1,249.07	
Orders of School Committee to date,	2,135.55	
	—————	\$ 6,673.79
By paid Assessor's certificate of tax, abatement for 1905,	\$ 47.87	
Assessor's certificate of tax, abatement for 1906,	381.00	
By cash in treasury to balance account,	285.42	
	—————	\$ 714.29
Total,		\$ 9,445.83

## TRUST FUNDS FOR ACCOUNT CEMETERY.

## CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

Rindge fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	\$ 10.25
Expended —	Available \$ 10.25
Wilkinson fund, \$ 300.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	30.87
Expended \$ 15.00,	Available 15.87



Shumway fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	\$ 13.84
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available \$ 8.84
Spooner fund, \$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	7.24
Expended —	Available 7.24
Warner fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	15.51
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available 10.51
Mary Walker fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	10.87
Expended \$ 4.25,	Available 6.62
Chas. Powers fund, \$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	5.90
Expended —	Available 5.90
Rebecca Spooner fund, \$ 82.65, interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	10.82
Expended —	Available 10.82
Merrick Tourtelotte fund, \$ 25.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1908,	4.24
Expended —	Available 4.24
Emelia Topliff fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1908,	10.40
Expended —	Available 10.40
Justice Johnson fund, \$ 200.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1908,	6.04
Expended —	Available 6.04
Chas. Record fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1908,	.50
Expended —	Available .50

### PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND.

IN HANDS OF TOWN TREASURER.

Rebecca Spooner Fund,	\$ 500.00
Interest to Jan. 1, 1908,	20.20

### LIABILITIES.

One note due Oct. 1, 1908, Tourtelotte Bridge Loan,	\$ 500.00
One note due May 3, 1908,	1,500.00
Total,	\$ 2,000.00

### ASSETS.

Amount due on taxes, 1905,	\$ 135.00
Amount due on taxes, 1906,	555.00
Amount due on taxes, 1907,	1,783.00

Amount due from Commonwealth, military aid,	\$ 72.00
Amount due from Commonwealth, state aid,	334.00
Cash in treasury.	285.42
( One hundred ten dollars of cash in treasury is part of Topliff legacy for improvement of cemetery. )	
Total.	<hr/> \$ 3,164.42

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL, *Treasurer.*

Wm. H. Giffin, *Auditor.*

# Annual Report

OF THE

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

Greenwich, Mass.



For the year ending Mar. 7, 1908.

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### Organization, 1907—1908.

E. H. ROOT, CHAIRMAN,	-	-	-	-	Term expires, 1908.
C. B. COIT,	-	-	-	-	Term expires, 1909.
W. R. CARRICK, Sec'y,	-	-	-	-	Term expires, 1910.

### Superintendent of Schools.

LOUIS A. PRATT.

*To the Citizens of Greenwich :*

We submit our annual report, together with the report of the Superintendent of Schools and the Supervisor of Music and Drawing.

# Financial Statement.

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## RECEIVED FROM STATE.

Income State School fund,	\$ 500.00	
Balance on hand,	236.67	
Reimbursement, Superintendents salary,	138.89	
	<hr/>	\$ 875.56
Paid from same,		854.80
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Unexpended balance,		\$ 20.76
Received from Town,	\$ 950.00	
Reimbursement High School tuition,	250.10	
High School tuition, from George Walker,	36.00	
Interest on Sabin school fund,	30.00	
Money refunded by J. L. Hammett Co.,	6.00	
Supplies sold,	4.12	
Sale of out building,	3.00	
Money refunded by L. A. Pratt,	1.53	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,280.75
Paid from same,		\$ 1,280.75

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## TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Edith Leland,	\$ 396.00
Agnes Burnham,	176.00
Fanny Watson,	132.00

Elizabeth Carpenter,	\$ 88.00	
Music and Drawing,	210.00	
	-----	\$ 1,002.00

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CONVEYING PUPILS.

E. H. Root,	\$ 224.00	
George Loux,	126.00	
George Dickinson,	108.00	
E. L. Powers,	75.00	
Antony Januszajtis,	5.00	
	-----	\$ 538.00
High School tuition,	\$ 231.20	
Superintendent's salary,	157.89	
"    incidental expenses,	13.00	
Wood,	62.65	
School Committee's salaries,	40.00	
Care of rooms,	36.85	
Supplies,	30.41	
Repairs,	8.97	
Water rent and repairs on pipe,	7.50	
Postage, freight and express charges,	2.08	
Taking census,	5.00	
	-----	\$ 595.55
Total,		\$ 2,135.55

# Report of Superintendent of Schools.

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*To the School Committee :*

The fourth annual report of the Superintendent of schools is herewith submitted. It is the sixth of this department under district supervision. The customary tabulated statement for the school year, 1906-7 is supplemented by the statistics to February, 1908. Your attention is also invited to the school calendar, and the reports of the Supervisor of Drawing and Vocal Music. I trust that the entire report may prove of interest not only to you, but also to the body of intelligent, public-spirited citizens, of whom you are the chosen representatives.

According to the calculations based on years of observation of American urban and rural schools, it has been estimated that twenty per cent of the teachers of the average community have to be replaced each year. The factors entering into this migratory process are sickness, change of occupation, incompetence, marriage, and professional advancement, the last of which is the greatest in this town, as in many another, and must be reckoned with always as a forceful economic factor in school systems which offer only annual tenure of office to school workers.

At the close of the last summer vacation, sixty-seven per cent of the teachers in this town resigned. At the village school, Mrs. F. Agnes Burnham of Shelburne Falls succeeded Miss Watson, but resigned in December and Miss Elizabeth D. Carpenter of Westerly, R. I., was engaged to succeed her. After three years of faithful service, Miss Traver resigned as supervisor of drawing and vocal music in the schools of this superin-

tendency union, and Mrs. Lucy A. Gatchell who had substituted for her in 1905 was appointed to the position.

Too much praise cannot be given our conscientious teachers for the efforts they have put forth and the work they have accomplished. Their readiness to receive suggestions and act upon the same, deserves hearty commendation. The live teacher creates a living spirit in the school room. The quick, active spirit, the helpful teacher, the one who is alive to the various conditions and temperaments of those under her care, will have that influence which produces a broader view of life among her pupils and inspires them to become men and women who will understand their proper relation to society. We need men and women to-day who see things in their right relations, and nowhere can this be more thoroughly taught than in the school room. The book teacher, the teacher without sympathy, the teacher who cares more for the subject to be taught than for what she sees in the pupil, the one who has no aim except what she sees in the subject, — such a teacher can exert no permanent influence of highest value. The teacher must keep in touch with the young life around her, must know its thinking, its ways of attack, must be alert and ready to meet this life at every turn, and to help these growing boys and girls to find themselves and to become useful members of society. To do this, requires of a teacher a broad preparation and constant effort to keep abreast of things not only in her profession, but also in the life of the community as well as in the activities of the world at large. We must have such teachers in our schools else the community is not getting the results which it ought to expect. Are we alive to what these results should be? Does the community fully comprehend what it expects? To make good schools, to keep good teachers ( and good schools cannot be maintained without good teachers ) — this means ample remuneration. At all times the school is the mirror which reflects the teacher as she is.

On Thursday evening, June 6, 1907, union exercises of graduation from the ninth grade, were held in Farmer's Hall, at

the village. The class parts were as follows :

- Essay, " Birds, " Ila Mae Miller,
- Essay, " Naval Warfare, " Frank Root,
- Essay, " Our Nation, " Mamie Janus.

The purpose of the usual exhibit of school work at the graduation exercises is to give the people an accurate idea of the ordinary work of the schools, and mere show work is always discouraged. With this fundamental purpose in mind, the teachers are advised to save some of the daily work of their pupils, emphasizing variety of their accomplishment, rather than perfection of detail. It is expected that the zeal and intelligence of our teachers may lead them to bring to the attention of the community many salient features of what our schools are doing for the boys and girls, and of what the boys and girls are doing for their teachers.

The state law now requires every town to establish a system of medical inspection in its schools. The law is very general in its terms and it is probably an advantage that its terms are not more specific. Without sufficient experience as a basis for legislation, a more specific state law might impose hardships upon some towns, while being insufficiently drastic to compel adequate inspection in other places. Dr. Myron H. Davis of Hardwick, and Dr. Willard B. Segar of Enfield are the medical inspectors for the schools of this town, and the results of their work will be tabulated and forwarded by the superintendent to the state board of Education. The special appropriation required for this purpose should be large enough to provide for inspection worthy of the name. Too little spent for the object may prove to be wasted. On the other hand, in view of the experimental nature of the work, the appropriation may properly be less than the town will gladly make when medical inspection shall have demonstrated its usefulness. If the medical inspectors, aided by the teachers acting under their direction, succeed every year in saving one young life or in averting the spread of one contagious disease, the town will not count it a hardship to



contribute a few dollars toward a result so beneficial and humane.

Under a system formulated by the State Board of health, the sight and hearing tests have been given in the schools of this town. The result of these tests is shown below:

Number of pupils examined,	51
“ found defective in eyesight,	9
“ “ “ “ hearing,	3
“ of parents or guardians notified,	9

The following form of notice is sent in the most serious cases of defect;

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
NOTICE TO PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

In accordance with chapter 502 of the acts of 1906, you are hereby notified that the school examination of ..... shows that there is some trouble with the <sup>ears</sup><sub>eyes</sub> which needs competent medical advice. Please attend to this at once.

..... Teacher.  
..... 190 .

A full description of these tests is not possible within the limits of this report. It is sufficient to notice that they do not require expert knowledge on the part of the teachers who make them, and that the teachers are to make no effort to write prescriptions for the relief of pupils who suffer from defective vision or hearing. The tests are simple but are sufficiently accurate to determine the fact of defects. With this discovery, followed by prompt notice to the parents of the afflicted children, the responsibility of the teacher ceases. Great good is likely to result from the operation of the statute which imposes upon every town the duty of making these tests.

One of the fundamental aims in modern education is the development of the child in a way to fit him to live happily and profitably in the community — to develop his social efficiency. The times are distinctly practical, and the instruction and training in the schools must be such that the needs and demands of an ever expanding social requirement shall be met. The importance of manual training as part of public school work is becoming generally recognized and in the larger towns some form of manual training is required by law. The chief factor in leading the people to see the need of training the hands of children in the schools is the difficulty giving that training elsewhere. Home life to-day is so complex that neither father nor mother, as a rule, has time to teach the child how to use his hands, and so this duty like many other duties that formerly received the attention of parents, must now be delegated to the schools or it will not receive any adequate attention. Much of the initial work in the departments of sloyd, knife work, metal working, basketry, sewing, leather working, etc., spring as natural corollaries from the industrial and mechanical drawing now required to be done in the grammar grades of the schools. The subject is rapidly becoming established in the public confidence and its scope is being constantly enlarged as its beneficent influence is seen and appreciated.

All citizens who see further than the surface of things, agree with President Eliot when he says, "The function of the public schools remains by far the most important municipal function in our country." Such citizens are therefore interested in matters affecting the schools, and I trust may read this report. The closest inspection of the schools themselves in actual session is earnestly invited.

I wish to thank the teachers for their helpfulness in the activities of the past year, commending their loyal service to the children of the community, to the parents and to all who are interested in the schools. The hearty cooperation of all my associates is again gratefully acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS A. PRATT, *Supt. of Schools.*

# School Calendar.

1908	M.	T.	W.	T.	F.	1909	M.	T.	W.	T.	F.
March		31				Holiday recess, 2 weeks.					
			1	2	3	January	4	5	6	7	8
	6	7	8	9	10		11	12	13	14	15
	13	14	15	16	17		18	19	20	21	22
April	20	21	22	23	24		25	26	27	28	29
	27	28	29	30		February	1	2	3	4	5
					1		8	9	10	11	12
	4	5	6	7	8		15	16	17	18	19
May	11	12	13	14	15			23	24	25	26
	18	19	20	21	22	March	1	2	3	4	5
	25	26	27	28	29	Spring vacation, 2 weeks.					
	1	2	3	4	5		22	23	24	25	26
June	8	9	10	11	12		29	30	31		
	15	16	17	18	19					1	2
Summer vacation, 11 weeks.						April	5	6	7	8	9
September		8	9	10	11		12	13	14	15	16
	14	15	16	17	18			20	21	22	23
	21	22	23	24	25		26	27	28	29	30
	28	29	30				3	4	5	6	7
				1	2	May	10	11	12	13	14
October	5	6	7	8	9		17	18	19	20	21
	12	13	14	15	16		24	25	26	27	28
	19	20	21	22	23		31				
	26	27	28	29	30			1	2	3	4
November	2	3	4	5	6	June	7	8	9	10	11
	9	10	11	12	13	Summer vacation, 12 weeks.					
	16	17	18	19	20						
	23	24	25								
	30										
		1	2	3	4						
December	7	8	9	10	11						
	14	15	16	17	18	Figures indicate school days.					

# STATISTICS

Schools	Teachers	Appointed	Educated	Number of weeks	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Tardiness	Dismissals	Truancy	Corporal Punishment	Visits by	
											Superintendent	Supervisor of Music, Drawing
Plain	Edith L. Leland	Sep. 1906	No. Adams	Nor'l	36	27.94	107	15	3	5	13	33
Village	Fannie Watson	Sep. 1906	Westfield	Normal	36	25.69	59	13	0	20	15	34
				total		53.63	166	28	3	25	28	67
Plain	Edith L. Leland	Sep. 1906	No. Adams	Nor'l	20	27.00	31	3	0	2	6	20
Village	{ F. A. Burnham E. D. Carpenter }	Sep. 1907 Jan. 1908	Conway High Alfred University	16 4 }		22.21	152	10	0	2	9	18
				total		49.21	183	13	0	4	15	38

Sept. 1907 to Feb. 1908, Sept. 1906 to June 1907

# Report of Supervisor of Vocal Music.

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*To the Superintendent of Schools :*

The music study for the year has been continued on the principles of the Weaver method of sight reading.

To become able to read a new song at sight, with good tone quality and appropriate expression, has been the ideal held before the pupils.

Much individual work has been required, both oral and written, thus aiding the teacher and supervisor in learning the strong and weak points of each pupil and where to build up and strengthen by patient effort. Pleasing tone quality has been sought in individual and chorus work.

To train a child to love good music is a very important part of the work.

Rote songs have been given primary grades with careful training in rendering and expression. Grammar grades find their songs in the Music Readers. More supplementary material could be used to good advantage in both classes.

The large schools, with so many grades under one teacher and necessarily short time allotted to music, make it hard to gain the best results. But in spite of these difficulties, the schools have made good progress.

Thanks are due those teachers whose patient and conscientious efforts have helped to bring these gratifying results.

I appreciate also the interest and helpfulness of the School Officials and all those whose kindly thought and words help to bring success.

Respectfully,  
LUCY A. GATCHELL.

## Report of Supervisor of Drawing.

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*To the Superintendent of Schools :*

I submit a report of the art work for this year. The plan for the years study is as follows : September and October are devoted to the study of Fall growths, flowers, fruits and vegetables. November and December give opportunity for design and constructive work, appropriate to the season, including Christmas gifts. January and February a study is made of type forms and objects based upon them, involving foreshortening and perspective. March and April, pose printing and design, completing the year by further nature study through May and June.

In general the pupils are thoroughly interested in art study and with the cooperation and faithful efforts of the teachers, very good results have been attained.

Mention may be made of the visit in November by Mr. Burnham, the State Supervisor of Drawing, and his commendation of the work done in the several schools.

Heartly thanks are due the teachers and school officers for their helpfulness and interest in this branch of the school work.

Respectfully,

LUCY A. GATCHELL.

# Report of Trustees of Free Public Library.

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Number of days Library has been open,	52
books given out,	2063
magazines given out,	492
books purchased,	63
books donated,	39
public documents added,	11
magazines subscribed for,	6
magazines donated,	3
Whole number of volumes,	2118
Circulating department,	1953
Public documents,	165

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Cash in Treasurer's hands Feb. 23, 1907,	\$ 30.37	
Appropriation,	100.00	
Received from Bailey fund,	8.08	
sale of catalogs,	.45	
fines,	1.20	
	—————	\$ 140.10

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid for books,	\$ 53.81
magazines,	9.00
freight and express,	1.07

Paid for transportation,	\$ 12.75	
sundries,	1.08	
librarian,	30.00	
Cash in treasurer's hands,	32.39	
	————	\$ 140.10

## LIBRARY FUND.

Stephen P. Bailey fund, \$ 200.00 in Ware Bank.

WM. S. DOUGLAS,	}	<i>Trustees.</i>
E. P. S. ALDEN,		
WM. H. WALKER,		
AMELIA M. ROOT,		
MRS. DAVID KEBBE,		
HELEN I. NEVINS,		

HELEN I. NEVINS, *Librarian and Treasurer.*



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# Assessors' Valuation List

AND

## Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

## GREENWICH,

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1, 1909.

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BELCHERTOWN, MASS.:  
PRESS OF L. H. BLACKMER,  
1909.

*To the Citizens of Greenwich.*

Your Assessors submit the following as their report of the valuation and taxes for the year 1908 :—

**SOLDIERS' EXEMPTION.**—Chapter 315, Acts of 1906. Upon request, exempts soldiers and sailors who served in the Civil War, and who received an honorable discharge therefrom, from the payment of a poll tax, and such soldiers or sailors, their wives or widows, provided the combined property of the husband and wife, or the property of the widow, does not exceed in value \$ 5000 are exempted from taxation to the amount of \$ 1000, but not more than \$ 1000 shall be exempted in any one family.

*Mass  
Cities*

## Valuation and Taxes.

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It was voted at a town meeting held March, 1908, the following regulation for collecting the taxes :

All taxes shall become due on September 1st.

That six per cent per annum be added to all taxes not paid on or before October 1st, until they are paid.

That a legal course be taken to collect all taxes not paid February 1st, 1909.

State tax,	\$ 440.00
County tax,	392.86
Town grant and note,	3,500.00
Overlayings upon all taxes,	120.93
Rate of taxation per \$ 1000,	16.00

### PROPERTY EXEMPTED FROM TAXATION.

Congregational Church,	\$ 3,100
Independent Liberal Church,	2,050
Soldiers' exemption,	6,925
Women worth less than \$ 1,000,	2,675
Amos Doubleday.	475

EXPLANATORY : In following pages " o. p. " means other personal.

Names.	Valuation.	Total.	Tax.
Alden Ezra P. S. & Son.	2 horses 150, 14 cows 420, 1 yearling 15, 585. 2 houses 400, 1 barn 300, corn and carriage house 50, farm 60a 750, 1500.	2085	33.36
Alden Ezra P. S.	Poll.		2.00
Alden Fred E. B.	Poll.		2.00
Abbott Earnest W.	Poll, 1 horse 50, 900 pigeons 600, 70 fowls 35, 685. 1 house 200, barn 100, cottage 100, 5 hen houses 250, farm 110a 500, 1150.	1835	31.36
Beecher Daniel.	Poll.		2.00
Brooks Burt V.	Poll, house 200, barn 75, farm 20a 150, 425.	425	8.80
Billings Thomas.	Poll, 3 cows 75, 2 swine 15, 90. House 150, barn 50, farm 36a 300, 500.	590	11.44
Billings Joseph.	Poll, 2 horses 75, 9 cows 200, 275. House 200, barn 125, farm 20a 150, Hannum lot 24a 100, Haskell lot 60a 600, Sears lot 30a 250, Weston Fuller lot 32a 250, 1675.	1950	33.20
Barlow Francis N.	Poll, 2 horses 150, 9 cows 270, 2 two yr. 25, 120 fowls 60, 505. House 300, barn 200, 2 hen-houses 100, farm 80a 1000, 1600.	2105	35.68
Barlow George.	Poll.		2.00
Bishop Est. Wm. H.	Stock in trade 4700, o. p. 6480, 11180. House 700, barn 200, house lot 3½a 200, Leonard lot 12a 50, 1150.	12330	197.28
Beals Nathan A.	Poll. Horse 75, cow 25, 100. House 250, 2 barns 150, farm 40a 400, 800. ( Under soldiers law, Ex. )		2.00
Beals Leroy.	Colt 100, house 70, Morgan lot 10a 100, 170. ( under soldier's law, Ex. )		
Blackmer Mrs. A. H.	House 550, barn 200, farm 25a 250, 1000.	1000	16.00
Brown Robert.	Poll, horse 60, colt 150, 5 cows 150, 1 swine 15, 375. House 100, barn 250, hen house 25, farm 107a 350, 725.	1100	19.60
Bacon Edwin A.	Poll.		2.00
Bacon John.	Poll, cow 25, house 100, barn 25, house lot 1a 50, 175.	200	5.20
Bacon Herbert.	Poll.		2.00
Carrick Wm. R.	Poll, 3 horses 175, 7 cows 175, 1 yearling 10, 70 fowls 35, 395.		



Names.	Valuation.	Total.	Tax.
House 300, barn 100, farm 75a 400, 800.		1195	21.12
Churchill Fred W. Poll.			2.00
Churchill Fred A. W. Poll.			2.00
Churchill Mrs. Francis B. 2 horses 150, 6 cows 180, 1 two yr. 20, 2 swine 10, 20 fowls 10, 370. House 250, barn 250, farm 200a 1000, 1500.		1870	29.92
Caswell Mylon E. Poll, horse 75, 2 cows 60, 135. House 750, barn 100, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, 900.		1035	18.56
Cutter Daniel S. Poll, o. p. 100, meadow lot 36a 360.		460	9.36
Clark Horace. Poll.			2.00
Clark Mrs. Naomi E. 3 horses 200, 12 cows 360, 5 yearlings 75, o. p. 50, 685. House 350, barn 450, store-house 100, farm 80a 950, Shaw lot 23a 250, Amos Clark farm 100a 600, 2700.		3385	54.16
Clifford Albert P. Horse 25. ( Under soldiers' law, Ex. )			
Clifford Ruthurford A. Poll.			2.00
Clifford Mrs. A. J. Cottage 300, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, 400.		400	6.40
Clifford Miss A. Bernice. Lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.		75	1.20
Clifford Mrs. Effie. House 50, house lot 10a 50. Ex.			
Clark James T. Horse 35, cow 20, 55. House 100, barn 50, farm 20a 100, 250. ( Under soldiers' law, Ex. )			
Comee Mrs. Etta. House 475, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 25. Ex.			
Coit Chas. B. Poll, 2 horses 125, 9 cows 270, 1 yearling 15, 410. House 750, barn 200, Alden house 200, Alden barn 150, wagon house 50, house lot 1a 50, farm 50a 550, Pierce lot 30a 1000, Earle lot 4a 50, 3000.		3410	56.56
Coit Edgar W. Poll, o. p. 30.		30	2.48
Chapman Gilbert A. Poll, horse 25, cow 30, yearling 10, o. p. 1000, 1065. House 150, barn 150, farm 95a 300, swamp lot 12a 15, 615.		1680	28.88
Cheese Factory. Factory 650, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, 700.		700	11.20
Chamberlin Mrs. Augusta. House 2000, house lot $\frac{3}{8}$ a 100.		2100	33.60
Drinkwater Chas. A. Poll, 2 horses 150, 3 cows 90, 1 yearling 15, 220 fowls 110, o. p. 30,			

Names.	Valuation.	Total.	Tax.
395. 2 houses 300, barn 100, 6 hen houses 150, farm 200a 650, 1200.		1595	27.52
Douglas Wm. S. Poll, horse 75, 2 cows 50, o. p. 25, 150. House 750, barn 300, shop 100, farm 50a 750, 1900.		2050	34.80
Duncan Mrs. Mary J. House 600, barn 150, house lot ¼a 50, 800. ( Under soldiers' law. Ex. )			
Doubleday Amos. House 150, barn 75, farm 27a 250, 475. Ex.			
Dyer Chas. F. Poll, horse 75, 8 cows 240, 315.		315	7.04
Douglas Miss C. C. House 650, barn 150, house lot 1a 100, 900.		900	14.40
Dickinson Rev. Geo. L. Poll, horse 50, 3 cows 75, 1 two yr. 20, 145. House 200, barn 175, hen house 100, farm 100a 525, 1000.		1145	20.32
Dickinson Howard H. Poll, stock in trade 1000, 2 horses 75, -1075.		1075	19.20
Dunham Benj. W. Poll, store 800, store site ½a 100, 900.		900	16.40
Drinkwater Miss Charlotte V. 3 horses 225, 7 cows 210, 3 yearlings 45, 2 swine 10, 70 fowls 35, o. p. 25, 550. House 400, barn 200, hen house 25, wood house 75, school building 300, Sanborn Cottage 6000, farm 55a 200, Spooner meadow 10a 125, Ox Bow 7a 75, Sears farm 100a 400, 7800.		8350	133.60
Edson Fred L. Poll.			2.00
Edson Mrs. Carrie. Horse 25, cow 25, 1 two yr. 15, 1 yearling 10, 75. House 200, barn 150, farm 84a 500, plain lot 25a 50, 900. Ex. 500.		475	7.60
Estey Brothers. Wood lot 50a 700.		700	11.20
Ellery Silas H. Poll, stock in trade 500, 3 horses 225, 2 swine 15, o. p. 250, 990. Hotel house 1500, barn 500, farm 11a 500, 2500.		3490	57.84
Fewell Edgar O. Poll, 1 horse 50, 2 cows 60, 110.		110	3.76
Felton Webster F. Poll, 2 horses 175, house 150, barn 250, hen house & shed 50, farm 65a 550, Pomeroy lot 16a 300, 1300.		1475	25.60
Foley Francis F. House 350, barn 125, farm 12a 225, plain lot 8a 150, 850. ( Under soldiers' law, Ex. )			
Foley Fred F. Poll.			2.00
Gray Adonijah L. Poll, 2 horses 100, 13 cows			

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	390, 2 swine 10, 500. House 200, barn 350, ice & corn house 75, farm 100a 1175, 1800.	2300	38.80
Gould Mrs. Eliza.	House 450, barn 150, office building 50, house lot 2a 200, 850. Ex. 500.	350	5.60
Gibbs Geo. T.	Poll.		2.00
Glazier Walter H.	Poll, horse 50, 4 cows 105, 44 fowls 22, o. p. 25, 182. House 300, barn 200, hen house 50, farm 150a 1200, 1750.	1932	32.91
Giffin Wm. H.	Poll, stock in trade 1500, horse 50, 1550. House 750, barn 100, shop 50, Bacon house 50, Hoyt house 600, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 75, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, Woods lot 8a 200, 1925.	3475	57.60
Gamwell Geo. M.	Poll, house 400, barn 50, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, 500.	500	10.00
Graves Roy S.	Poll, o. p. 150.	150	4.40
Gelling Wm. A.	Poll.		2.00
Harris Clarence B.	Poll.		2.00
Hunter Austin.	Poll, 4 horses 300, 28 cows 770. 4 yearlings 80, 1 swine 15, 85 fowls 40, o. p. 40, 1245. 2 houses 750, 2 barns 700, wagon house 50, hen house 25, farm 265a 4200, plain lot 7a 100, Northam lot 50a 250, Bond lot 12a 150, swamp lot 13a 25.	7495	121.92
Hunter Edward M.	Poll, Manley lot 30a 300, Pomeroy lot 12a 100, old grove lot 25a 100.	500	10.00
Hunter David M.	Poll.		2.00
Hunter Henry E.	Poll.		2.00
Hunter Harry E.	Poll.		2.00
Hunter Geo. L.	Poll, horse 50, 2 cows 50, 1 yearling 20, 2 swine 15, 50 fowls 25, 160. House 200, barn 250, farm 40a 500, Ayers pasture 10a 150, Phipps lot 15a 150, 1250.	1410	24.56
Haskell Mrs. E. P.	House 350, barn 50, house lot 2a 200, 600. ( under soldier's law, Ex. )		
Hall Frank P.	Poll, stock in trade 3000, 2 horses 200, o. p. 50, 3250. Store and tenement 2400, store site $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, 2500.	5750	94.00
Howe Newell E.	Poll, house 100, barn 100, farm 115a 450, 650.	650	12.40
Harrington Clinton P.	Poll, 3 horses 250, o.p. 25, 275. House 300, barn 150, 2 sheds 50, farm 30a 300, Whitcomb lot 2a 25, Double-day lot 14a 300, Tourtelotte lot 27a 300, Hemmingway lot 10a 75, Howard lot 46a		

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500, Sturtevant lot 48a 500, spring lot 15a 75, plain lot 15a 75, Shaw lot 2a 25, Estey farm 50a 500, 3175.		3450	57.20
Harrington Robert. Poll, o. p. 2500.		2500	42.00
Harris Mrs. M. S. Horse 40, cow 20, 60.		60	.96
Jones Chas. L. Poll.			2.00
Jones Mrs. Elizabeth M. House 250, 2 barns 400, hen house 50, farm 50a 550.		1250	20.00
Januszajtis Anthony. Poll, machinery 50, 2 horses 75, 7 cows 175, 1 two yr. 15, 2 yearlings 25, 4 swine 50, o. p. 25, 395. House 200, barn 250, shed 25, farm 155a 800, Lincoln farm 100a 450, 1725.		2120	35.92
Johnston Henry D. Poll, stock in trade 500, cow 30, horse 75, 350 fowls 175, 225 pigeons 150, o. p. 75, 1005. House 400, barn 200, hen houses 200, store house 200, house lot 4a 210, Spooner lot 14a 150, 1350.		2355	39.68
Johnson Est. of Mrs. Julia. House 250, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25.		275	4.40
Jones Wm. H. Poll.			2.00
Jones Mrs. Wm. H. 90 fowls 45, house 275, barn 100, hen house 50, house lot 2a 125.		550	9.52
Johnson Willis. Poll.			2.00
Kelley Mrs. & Misses. 1 horse 50, 5 cows 125, 175. House 800, barn 400, house lot 4a 200, Towne lot 30a 300, 1700.		1875	30.00
Kelley Lillian. Cottage 200, Douglas lot 21a 600, Walker lot 30a 250, 1050.		1050	16.80
Kelley Nellie. Plain lot 18a 250.		250	4.00
King Willis R. Poll, stock in trade 50, horse 75, o. p. 25.		150	4.40
King Edward T. Poll, stock in trade 800, machinery 100, 12 horses 1000, 14 cows 300, 2 yearlings 30, 6 swine 60, o. p. 100, 2390. Farm barn 150, store house 25, Wheeler house 400, Wheeler barn 100, Wheeler shop 325, Powers house 1100, Powers barn 100, Clifford house 200, Clifford barn 200, farm 33a 300, Wheeler farm 17a 500, shop site $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, Powers house lot 15a 150, Clifford house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, Douglas lot 54a 250, Haskell lot 4a 35, Davis lot 2a 25, Russel lot 16a 150, old school lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, Ayers, Fewell & Brookslots 60a 300, Abbot lot 12a 300, Alden lot 33a 300, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, 5035.		7425	120.80

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King Mrs. Jane.	House 250, house lot 1a 25, 275. Ex.		
King Mrs. C. H.	House 350, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, 400. Ex.		
King Alfred.	Poll, horse 40, 2 cows 50, yearling 15, 105. House 300, barn 100, farm 56a 350, 750.	855	15.68
King John H.	Poll.		2.00
King Arthur.	Poll.		2.00
Lincoln John V.	Poll, 1 horse 100, 5 cows 150, 4 yearlings 50, 300. House 200, barn 200, farm 38a 400, Sly lot 10a 75, Bruce lot 40a 250, old farm lot 10a 50, Sturtevant lot 31a 200. 1375.	1675	28.80
Leonard Chas. E.	Poll, cow 25, house 150, barn 50, farm 40a 300, 500.	525	10.40
Litch Joseph.	Poll, horse 75, cow 25.	100	3.60
Litch Mrs. Ella.	House 250, barn 100, store house 50, farm 20a 300.	700	11.20
Loux Geo. B.	Poll, 2 horses 150, 8 cows 200, 6 two yr. 100, 70 fowls 35, o. p. 50, 535. House 400, barn 400, shed 50, farm 100a 900, 1750.	2285	38.56
Lyman Henry M.	Poll, 2 horses 50, 1 cow 25, 1 yearling 10, 85. House 150, 2 barns 150, farm 95a 400, 700.	785	14.56
Lego Henry R.	Poll, horse 50, cow 25, 50 fowls 25.	105	3.68
Manley Chas. A.	Poll, horse 50, 4 cows 100, 150. House 300, barn 200, hen house 25, house lot 4a 150, old house lot 2a 50, farm 50a 350, Fuller, Marcy & Keith lots 105a 525.	1750	30.00
Miller Clarence E.	Poll, house 550, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, sprout lot 11a 125.	725	13.60
Moore Emory A.	Poll, stock in trade 200, blacksmith shop 800, shop site $\frac{1}{16}$ a 50.	1050	18.80
Moore Mrs. Emory A.	House 650, house lot $\frac{1}{8}$ a 50.	700	11.20
Moore C. A.	Poll, wood lot 50a 500.	500	10.00
Moore John N.	Poll, stock in trade 5000, machinery 1000.	6000	98.00
Mason Geo. N.	Poll, 2 horses 75, 7 cows 200, 2 two yr. 40, o. p. 45, 360.	360	7.76
Mason Geo. L.	Poll, machinery 150, o. p. 100.	250	6.00
Moline Andrew J.	Poll.		2.00
Morgan Mrs. Nancy.	3 horses 150, 13 cows 340.		

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	2 yearlings 30, 20 fowls 10, o. p. 50, 580. House 300, barn 400, store house 100, cot- tage 25, hen house 25, farm 142a 1400, plain lot 76a 350, 2600.	3180	50.88
Newton Eugene H.	Poll.		2.00
Nevins Geo. E.	Poll, horse 75, cow 25, o. p. 25, 125. House 400, barn 100, shop 25, house lot 6a 100, Johnson lot 25a 200, Gibbs lot 7a 50, 875.	1000	18.00
Nevins Mrs. and Miss.	House 700, barn 100, house lot 1a 100, Ex.		
Powers John,	Poll, stock in trade 600, machin- ery 200, 3 horses 200, 3 cows 75, 2 year- lings 30, 4 swine 40, 70 fowls 35, 1180. House 250, barn 125, hen house 50, Nutting house 150, Nutting barn 50, Nutting hen house 50, saw mill 100, Barrows barn 50, farm 75a 450, Nutting farm 100a 750, mill site and lot 2½a 125, Barrow's farm 140a 650, pasture and wood land 30a 300, Brown lot 25a 100.	4380	72.08
Powers Frank C.	Poll, horse 60, cow 25, 85. House 250, barn 150, corn & hen house 50, farm 30a 600, Marcy lot 50a 150, Sprout lot 3a 100, Russel lot 12a 200.	1585	27.36
Powers Elmer L.	Poll, stock in trade 100, 2 horses 100, 6 cows 150, 3 swine 15, o. p. 30.	295	6.72
Powers Est. of Addie.	House 200, barn 100, shop 100, farm 30a 150, building lot ½a 50.	600	9.60
Parker Miss Lucy A.	1 house 850, wood house 50, house lot 3a 200.	1100	17.60
Parkhurst Pliny.	Poll, horse 75, house 500, barn 100, hen house 25, house lot ½a 50, farm 13a 500, 1175.	1250	22.00
Phipps Geo. E.	Poll, stock in trade 300, 2 hor- ses 150, o. p. 1000, 1450. House 150, 2 barns 100, farm 45a 300, Fuller farm 80a 320, 870.	2320	39.12
Parker Abel O.	Poll, 3 horses 225, 7 cows 175, 2 two yr. 30, 2 yearlings 20, 2 swine 25, 475. Bailey barn 150, Bailey lot 30a 550, farm 5a 150, Bailey hill 100a 300, Lincoln lot 75a 300, Spooner lot 5a 250, 1700.	2175	36.80
Parker Webster M.	Poll, horse 50, o. p. 25.	75	3.20
Parker Mrs. Abel O.	House 600, barn 200, car- riage house 50, house lot 2½a 150.	1000	16.00

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Parker Frank L. Poll, stock in trade 1750, 2 horses 150, o. p. 50, 1950. House 1000, barn 350, Morse house 150, Morse barn 50 house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, Morse house lot 2a 200. 1800.		3750	62.00
Pomeroy Arthur H. Poll.			2.00
Pomeroy Miss Lucy E. Horse 25, 2 cows 50, 1 yearling 15, 70 fowls 35, o. p. 50, 175. House 300, barn 300, Colton house 200, hen-houses 100, farm 120a 1000, Bond lot 8a 25, 1925.		2100	33.60
Pulsipher V. O. Poll, 1 horse 75, 8 cows 200, 70 fowls 35, o. p. 15, 325. House 200, barn 100, corn house 25, hen house 25, farm 90a 550, 900.		1225	21.60
Richards James L. Poll.			2.00
Richards Mrs. Mary L. Horse 75, 4 cows 100, 1 yearling 15, o. p. 15, 205. House 200, barn 150, farm 81a 850, 1200.		1405	22.48
Rice Lyman. Poll, horse 75, o. p. 25, 100, House 700, barn 200, shed 25, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, Fuller lot 18a 175, 1200.		1300	22.80
Root Elliot H. Poll, 2 horses 125, house 175, barn 50, shop 75, house lot 10a 100, 400.		525	10.40
Root Albert L. Poll, horse 75, house 275, barn and shed 200, house lot 3a 75, Doake lot 26a 100, Pomeroy lot 10a 25, 675.		750	14.00
Root Mrs. Lucinda. House 350, barn 200, hen house 25, farm 80a 700, Potter lot 20a 300, 1575. ( Under soldier's law, Ex. $\frac{1}{3}$ . )		1050	16.80
Reed Mrs. Delia. House 150, 2 barns 200, farm 155a 650, 1000.		1000	16.00
Root Miss Amelia M. House 150, barn 100, farm 140a 550, Hartwell lot 75a 300, 1100.		1100	17.60
Rogers Frank. Poll, house 150, barn 75, farm 25a 200, 425.		425	8.80
Reed Thomas N. Poll.			2.00
Stevens Albert A. Poll, house 400, house lot 1a 50, 450.		450	9.20
Sibley Mrs. Mary E. 1 horse 75, 4 cows 120, 195. 1 house 250, barn 175, carriage house 25, farm 60a 500, Pierce meadow 4a 20, 970.		1165	18.64
Sears Est. Abbie. House 400, barn 50, house lot 2a 150.		600	9.60
Stockwell Simon M. Horse 50, house 600, barn			

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100, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, Jordon lot 35a 350, 1100. ( Under soldier's law, Ex. 1000. )		180	2.40
Severance Thomas. Poll, 2 horses 150, 6 cows 150, 2 yearlings 25, 2 swine 10, 335. House 200, barn 200, farm 120a 700, 1100.		1435	24.96
Simmons William. Poll, 2 horses 150, cow 25, 175. House 200, barn 100, hen house 25, farm 100a 1000, 1325.		1500	26.00
Society Cong. House 600, barn 50, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, 700.		700	11.20
Society Ind. Liberal. Barn 225, barn lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 25.		250	4.00
Schmerhorn Sheldon A. Poll, 1 horse 50, 4 cows 100, 2 yearlings 25, o. p. 25, 200. House 300, barn 200, farm 50a 500, 1000.		1200	21.20
Snow Alden A. Poll, horse 25, cow 30, o. p. 1000, 1055. House 1600, barn 300, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, 2000.		3055	50.88
Sloan Warren P. Poll, stock in trade 700.		700	13.20
Soderberg N. Wickton. Poll.			2.00
Soderberg & Laocan. 1 horse 100, cow 25, o. p. 35, 160. House 150, barn 100, farm 100a 300, 550.		710	11.36
Sawtelle Benj. A. Poll, horse 75, cow 30, 105.		105	3.68
Sawtelle Mrs. Elizabeth C. House 600, barn 100, farm 26a 300, 1000.		1000	16.00
Stone J. Madison. Poll.			2.00
Thomas Will H. Poll, horse 75, barn 100, farm 100a 700, 800.		875	16.00
Thrasher Joseph L. Poll, 2 horses 175, 8 cows 240, 2 two yr. 50, 1 yearling 20, 485. 1 house 250, barn 150, Stone house 25, car- riage house 25, farm 50a 500, Paige meadow 12a 50, Fry house 125, Fry barn 50, Fry farm 7a 75, 1250.		1735	29.76
Thrasher Harrison L. Poll, 2 horses 125.		125	4.00
Thayer Frank A. Poll, horse 100, cow 30, o. p. 15, 145.		145	4.32
Taylor I. P. Poll, house 100, barn 50, farm 9a 150, 300.		300	6.80
Towne Miss Ella F. Personal 2200, house 950, barn 100, house lot $1\frac{1}{2}$ a 150, 1200.		3400	54.40
Tyler Coleman J. Poll, 4 cows 100, 2 two yr. 30, 130. House 175, barn 100, farm 50a 325, 600.		730	13.68
Thrasher Fred M. Poll, horse 50.		50	2.80
Twible Actkinson. Poll, horse 75, 7 cows 175.			



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3 swine 20, 270. House 350, barn 250, farm 60a 600, Pomeroy lot 23a 150, Chatman lot 2a 50, 1400.		1670	28.72
Thayer Carmi C. Poll, horse 75, cow 25, 1 two yr. 15, 30 fowls 15. o. p. 6000, 6130. House 250, barn 100, hen house 50, farm 60a 400, 800.		6930	112.88
Towne Edmond L. Poll.			2.00
Upton Lewis I. Poll.			2.00
Upton Edward L. Poll, horse 35, cow 30, 65. House 200, barn 200, farm 22a 200, 600.		665	12.64
Uracius Cyprian. Poll.			2.00
Vaughn Martin E. Horse 75, house 200, barn 50, Tourtelotte house 150, Tourtelotte barn 100, hen house 25, house lot 1a 50, house lot 6a 100, Russell lot 10a 50, plain lot 16a 50, 850. ( Under soldiers' law, Ex. )			
Vaughn Fred H. Poll, stock in trade 300.		300	6.80
Vaughn Jesse M. Poll, stock in trade 500, 3 horses 250, cow 25, o. p. 25, 800. House 800, barn 100, hen house 25, farm 15a 600, 1525.		2325	39.20
Vaugh Sylvanus. Poll, horse 75.		75	3.20
Walker Wm. H. 2 polls, stock in trade 500, machinery 1000, 3 horses 250, 2 oxen 125, 2 cows 50, 1925. House 900, barn 300, store and tenement 1500, store house 100, ice house 25, saw and grist mill 2000, box shop 950, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, store site $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, store house site $\frac{1}{8}$ a 25, mill privilege 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 1000, shop site $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, Butterfield lot 5a 100, Ledge lot 2a 10, Bailey lot 70a 800, school hill lot 60a 500, Powers lot 35a 350, Hale lot 20a 200, Whipple lot 50a 500, Snow lot 35a 215, Russell lot 45a 450, Warner lot 13a 100, 10275.		12200	199.20
Walker James H. Poll.			2.00
Walker Geo. B. Trustee. House lot 9a 90, Sturtevant lot 5a 35, plain lot 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 35, Hannum lot 35a 200, Pond lot 18a 50, 410.		410	6.56
Walker Mrs. Sarah. Personal, 1000.		1000	16.00
Woods Mrs. John. House 600, barn 100, house lot 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, 800.		800	12.80
Winter Heirs of Geo. L. House 800, barn 150, hen house 25, house lot 2a 300, Record lot 3a 150, Bailey lot 4a 125.		1550	24.80

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Woods Geo. E. Poll, house 300, barn 100, house 150, house lot 1a 100, house lot 1a 50, King lot 15a 100.		800	14.80
Wheeler Geo. W. Horse 50, cow 25, 2 two yr. 30, 105. House 200, barn 50, house 100, barn 50, farm 85a 550, farm 80a 650, sprout land 10a 25, Sly lot 50a 100, 1830. ( Under soldiers' law, Ex. 1000. )		830	13.28
Wheeler John A. Poll, house 200, barn 100, farm 40a 250, plain lot 33a 100, Lincoln lot 33a 100, 800.		800	14.80
Weston Daniel G. Poll, stock in trade 200, horse 75, cow 20, o. p. 400, 695. Hotel house 1200, barn 250, shop 100, farm 27a 550, 2100.		2795	46.72
Warner Geo. N. Poll.			2.00
Warner Mrs. Geo. N. 2 horses 150, 2 cows 50, o. p. 25, 225. 2 houses 1000, barn 250, hen houses 400, Vaughn house 150, Vaughn barn 100, farm 85a 600, Vaughn farm 30a 150, 2650.		2875	46.00
Warren Geo. L. Poll, 100 fowls 50, o. p. 125.		175	4.80
Warren James P. Poll.			2.00

## Non-Residents.

Names.	Valuation.	Total.	Tax.
Howe Wm. F.	Enfield. Rogers lot 10a 50.	50	.80
Flint Josiah W.	Enfield. Mountain lot 90a 800.	800	12.80
Gillette Heirs of D. B.	Enfield. Woods lot 15a 200	200	3.20
Ware Mrs H. B.	Enfield. Plain lot 4a 40.	40	.64
Felton Chas. W.	Enfield. Richards pasture 30a 300, Sibley lot 15a 50.	350	5.60
Thurston Jason.	Enfield. Mowing and pasture 12a 300.	300	4.80
Eddy John M.	Enfield. Woodland 4a 50.	50	.80
Smith Henry E.	Enfield. Pasture land 8a.	100	1.60
Woods & Ward.	Enfield. Potter lot 100a 350, Sturtevant lot 25a 100, Leonard lot 12a 50.	500	8.00
Swift River Co.	Enfield. Land and water power 40a 600, Joslyn & Stevens lots 35a 2000, Fuller lot 8a 100, 2700.	2700	43.20
Crowther John.	Enfield. Pike cottage 250, Sacket cottage 250, Cooper cottage 300, store house ( R. R. ) 100, Pomeroy lot 33a 400, leased land & track 1a 500.	1800	28.80
Heggerty Patrick.	Enfield. 1 horse 40, 3 cows 90, 130. Barn 100, farm 55a 300.	530	8.48
Lochlan Miss H. B.	Enfield. House 500, house lot 2½a 200, 700.	700	11.20
Smith Henry W.	Enfield. House 1000, barn 250, store house 75, house lot 8a 200, Phipps lot 2a 50, 4 building lots ½a 25, 1600.	1600	25.60

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Smith Henry W.	Enfield. Church lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 150.	150	2.40
Segur Wm. B.	Enfield. 3 building lots $\frac{3}{4}$ a 225.	225	3.60
Joslyn Mrs. Hattie.	Enfield. Walker lot 20a 100, Blodgett lot 7a 50, Dickinson lot 2a 20, Joslyn lot 5a 50, Topliff lot 3a 10, 280.	280	4.48
Bassett Alansford.	Ware. Sprout land 30a 225.	225	3.60
Southworth Bros.	Ware. Sprout lot 9a 200.	200	3.20
Ware Lumber Co.	Ware. Bailey grove lot 25a 150, part of Bailey farm 50a 300, Smith lot 40a 500, 950.	950	15.20
Sanford Daniel.	Ware. Russell lot 15a 200.	200	3.20
Harwood Frank.	Ware. Newland lot 12a 150.	150	2.40
Barnes Wm. N.	Ware. Powell lot 60a 300.	300	4.80
Sibley Frank M.	Ware. Sibley lot 40a 300.	300	4.80
Thrasher Est. John.	Ware. Land 6a 75.	75	1.20
Abbott Chas. J.	Prescott. Meadow lot 4a 50.	50	.80
Whittaker Silas.	Prescott. Russell lot 12a 100.	100	1.60
Allen Mrs. Geo. F.	Prescott. Meadow lot 6a 50, Ayers lot 20a 200, 250.	250	4.00
Brown Marshall.	Prescott. Estey lot 20a 150.	150	2.40
Paige Chas.	Prescott. White lot 15a 300.	300	4.80
Kelley Eugene G.	Prescott. Chatman barn 50, Chatman farm 40a 250, 300.	300	4.80
Gee & Tyler.	Dana. Paige and Lincoln lots 37a 225.	225	3.60
Gee Chas. & Co.	Dana. Tourtelotte lot 22a.	400	6.40
Doubleday R. N.	Dana. Sprout land 14a 250.	250	4.00
Doubleday C. W.	Dana. Wood land 18a 250.	250	4.00
Buckholz Hermon.	Springfield. Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 150, 650.	650	10.40
Richards Miss C. W.	Springfield. Plain lot 5a.	50	.80
Boston & Albany R. R.	Springfield. Land 3a.	200	3.20
Eaton Philip.	Springfield. Thomas lot 12a.	150	2.40
Linguist John.	Springfield. Sprout lot 5a 50.	50	.80
Burgin Alfred.	Springfield. Cottage 300, boat house 50, cottage lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75, Suiss lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.	500	8.00
Young Fred H.	Springfield. House 200, barn 100, farm 140a 700, 1000.	1000	16.00
Burlingame Mrs. A.	Springfield. Robbins lot 4a 30.	30	.48
Fewell Wm. H.	Springfield. House 200, barn 75, hen house 25, farm 20a 200.	500	8.00
Green Edward S.	Springfield. House 850, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50.	900	14.40
Inglehard Frank.	Springfield. Cottage 600, 3 building lots $\frac{3}{4}$ a 225, 825.	825	13.20

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Colnn Julias.	Springfield. Building lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.	75	1.20
Butterfield Mrs. Dolly.	Springfield. House 275, barn 75, house lot $1\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, 450. Ex.		
Boston & Maine R. R.	Boston. Land 16a 200.	200	3.20
Wescott Miss Florence A.	Boston. Land 20a,	500	8.00
Maxim Mrs. Jane.	Boston. Building lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.	75	1.20
Baer Leonard.	Boston. 2 building lots 150.	150	2.40
Diamond Match Co.	Athol. Johnson farm 60a 300, Avery lot 12a 50, 350.	350	5.60
Newton Willard.	Athol. Mc Kenney farm 80a 250. Bailey lot 60a 600, 850.	850	13.60
Ellis Mrs. Adeline E.	Athol. House 250, barn 50, house lot 5a 100, 400.	400	6.40
Fay O. A.	Athol. Swamp lot 14a 100, plain lot 50a 300, Hill lot 70a 350, Morgan lot 225a 1000. Freeman lot 19a 50, Haskell lot 14a 50, Warner lot 44a 250, Bailey lot 12a 100, 2200.	2200	35.20
Powers O. J.	Athol. Oakes lot 35a 400, Wheel- er lot 40a 500, Hill lot 7a 100, Brown lot 80a 800, 1800.	1800	28.80
Stone H. E.	Athol. Pomeroy house 500, house lot 2a 150, 650.	650	10.40
Morgan Mrs. J. H.	East Northfield. Hill lot 75a 700.	700	11.20
Hay Henry.	Pittsfield. Barn 200, hotel lot 25a 1200, 1400.	1400	22.40
Vaughn Earnest H.	Worcester. Cottage 1200, barn 200, Cook house 100, Sly lot 30a 300, plain lot 28a 150, north lot 12a 50, 2000.	2000	32.00
Bennett F. G.	Wollaston. House 2000, barn 300, house lot $1\frac{1}{2}$ a 200, 2500.	2500	40.00
Smith Jennie A.	Agawam. Wood land 10a 100.	100	1.60
Snow Miss Frances M.	West Brookfield. Phelps lot 130a 1750, Edson lot 6a 50, 1800.	1800	28.80
King Geo. P.	Barre. Sprout land 22a 300.	300	4.80
Holbrook J. F.	Palmer. Sprout land 12a 200.	200	3.20
Jones Frank L.	Palmer. 2 houses 300, 2 barns 175, shop 75, farm 36a 225, house lot 1a 25.	800	12.80
Haskell Wm.	Capioca, Kan. Sears lot 5a 50.	50	.80
Richards J. H.	Utica, N. Y. Johnson lot 7a 75.	75	1.20
Record heirs of Chas. S.	Amesbury. Marcy lot 2a 20.	20	.32
Meeker Chas. W.	Indian Orchard. Sprout lot 35a 200.	200	3.20
Walker Mrs. Hattie C.	Hardwick. Part of		

Names.	Valuation.	Total.	Tax.
Bailey farm 20a 500, part of Bailey grove 5a 150, Sly lot 30a 350, 1000.		1000	16.00
Thrasher Fred A. Hardwick. Fuller lot 12a 75, meadow 10a 50, 125.		125	2.10
Hunter Walter L. Avon, Conn. Horse 50, Cleveland lot 20a 150, plain lot 20a 100, 250.		300	4.80
Flanders Robert L. Malden. House 200, barn 200, hotel 1800, bowling alley 100, shed 50, farm 80a 750, Howard lot 30a 200.		3300	52.80
Duguid Geo. Hartford, Conn. House 250, barn 350, farm 127a 1000, 1600.		1600	25.60
Jones John A. Yonkers, N. Y. Machinery 50, 2 horses 150, 8 cows 250, 100 fowls 50, o. p. 125, 625. House 600, barn 450, silo 150, corn house 50, hen house 50, farm 120a 1400, Russell lot 15a 50, 2750.		3375	54.00
Root Harvey W. Geenwich, Conn. 3 building lots $\frac{3}{4}$ a 225.		225	3.60

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES:

Total valuation,	\$ 262,112.00
Total value of real estate,	197,305.00
Total value of personal estate,	64,807.00
Total tax for state, county, and town purposes,	4,453.79
Rate per \$ 1,000,	16.00
Number of polls assessed,	139
“          “ exempt,	9
Tax on each poll,	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed,	247
“          “ paying tax on property,	214
“          “          “ poll only,	33
Number of horses assessed,	143
“          “ cows          “	313
“          “ neat cattle other than cows.	67
“          “ swine assessed,	35
“          “ dwelling houses assessed.	132
“          “ fowls assessed.	1,769
“          “ acres land assessed.	11,454

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	} <i>Assessors</i>	
EDWARD T. KING.		<i>of</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		<i>Greenwich.</i>





# Town Warrant.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To C. E. Miller, Constable of the town of Greenwich,*

## GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the twenty-ninth day of March, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of the Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, Town Clerk, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, and three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year. Also on same ballot, to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question : Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town ?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, or act in relation thereto.

ART. 8. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on taxes after a certain date, and fix the rate.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to observe Memorial Day, or act in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the town will accept the provision of Chapter 209, Acts of 1908, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Protection of Forest or Sprout Lands from Fire."

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to observe "Old Home Week", or act in relation thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money, provided the Massachusetts Highway Commission will add an equal amount for the purpose of improving the road leading from Greenwich Village past the railroad station, or act in relation thereto.

The polls will be opened at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich, seven days at least, before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the town clerk on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of February, A. D. 1909.

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
EDWARD T. KING,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER.		

# Report of Town Clerk.

*Vital statistics for 1908.*

## BIRTHS.

January	10,	Gladys Margaret King.
February	17,	Eva Elizabeth Hall.
September	5,	Walter Eugene Patrill.
October	23,	Clarence Francis Coit.
October	24,	Frederick Truman Churchill.
November	8,	Gertrude Channing Ellery.
December	21,	Asa Oliver King.

## MARRIAGES.

Sept.	30,	John F. Aiken and Martha A. Stone.
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## DEATHS.

Jan.	5,	Gertrude D. Reade, age 34.
Jan.	29,	Abbie A. Sears, age 63.
Mar.	2,	Abigail Johnson, age 92.
Mar.	3,	Louisa Harrington, age 79.
Mar.	11,	Levi N. Chamberlain, age 64.
Apr.	10,	Wm. H. Bishop, age 40.
Apr.	10,	Wilhelmina F. Weston, age 17.
Apr.	16,	Laurinda M. Foley, age 67.
June	20,	Joseph E. Litch, age 63.
June	14,	Zenas W. Tolman, age 68.

- July 8, Horace Clark, age 88.  
 July 26, Melinda S. Russell, age 79.  
 Nov. 4, Delight W. Manley, age 69.  
 Nov. 17, Augustus Holden, age 85.  
 Nov. 24, Charles L. Johnston, age 65.

## NON-RESIDENTS.

- Sept. 25, James Emerson Bartlett of Westfield, age 69.

## NON-RESIDENTS INTERRED IN GREENWICH.

- Apr. 23, Harry Roscoe Litch of Chicago, Ill., age 30.  
 June 17, Darius Gray of Rochester, N. H., age 69.

WARREN P. SLOAN. *Town Clerk.*

# Report of the Selectmen.

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## STATE AID.

Mrs. Laurinda Foley,	\$ 4.00	
Francis F. Foley,	48.00	
Mary F. Winter,	48.00	
Ira L. Jones,	48.00	
Zenas W. Tolman,	18.00	
Leroy C. Beals,	48.00	
Nathan A. Beals,	48.00	
James E. White,	48.00	
Albert P. Clifford,	48.00	
Charles Johnston,	12.00	
Charles R. Briggs,	36.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 406.00

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## SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Town of Westfield, Mrs. Hiram Caswell, year 1907,	\$ 5.40	
Expenses taking Zenas Tolman to Soldiers' Home,	12.76	
	<hr/>	\$ 18.16

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## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00
Paid Miss Helen I. Nevins,	\$ 100.00

## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Appropriation,	\$ 25.00	
Received from Rindge fund,	5.00	
"    "    Wilkinson fund,	10.30	
"    "    Shumway fund,	4.00	
"    "    Mary Walker fund,	3.00	
"    "    Spooner fund,	4.00	
"    "    Emelia Topliff fund,	5.00	
"    "    Justice Johnson fund,	3.00	
"    "    Rebecca Spooner fund,	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 64.30
Paid for labor and manure,	\$ 53.95	
"    "    care of flowers,	10.00	
"    "    repairs on pump,	.35	
	<hr/>	\$ 64.30

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation,		\$ 600.00
Paid S. L. Vaughn, 13 days,	\$ 22.75	
Thomas Severance, 6 days,	9.00	
Simon Richard, $23\frac{2}{3}$ days,	35.50	
John Allen, $13\frac{1}{3}$ days,	20.00	
Ralph Richardson, 12 days,	18.00	
A. O. Parker, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days with team,	6.00	
C. F. Paige & Co., tile and freight,	41.75	
E. H. Newton, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days,	8.00	
Austin Hunter,	9.75	
Geo. E. Nevins,	3.00	
E. T. King, man and team 45 days,	180.00	
E. T. King, 1375 ft. plank,	34.38	
W. P. Sloan, spikes,	2.00	
F. P. Hall, spikes,	.35	
E. T. King, spikes,	.60	
Wm. H. Walker, 2160 ft. plank,	54.00	
Wm. H. Walker, labor,	3.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 448.58

## EXPENSES OF FOREST FIRES.

Wm. H. Walker, Forest Fire Ward, \$ 12.75

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 ADDITION TO TOWN FARM BARN.

Paid Geo. E. Smith, contract on barn,	\$ 387.00	
“ 720 ft. timber,	14.40	
“ 120 ft. clapboards,	2.40	
“ 15 pounds nails,	.45	
Extra labor on barn and house,	36.06	
Geo. H. Cragin, saw bill ( 8893 ft. )	22.23	
Geo. H. Cragin, 62 hours labor with team at 40 cents,	24.80	
E. T. King, 2500 ft. plank,	62.50	
		<hr/> \$ 549.84

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 MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

Paid E. T. King, inspector of animals for 1907,	\$ 15.00
Lewis H. Blackmer, printing town reports,	34.50
W. & L. E. Gurley, for weights and measures,	104.60
W. P. Sloan, express, etc.,	5.00
Walter H. Glazier, tax book and bills,	2.20
Daniel Stone & Son, insurance,	38.68
A. A. Snow, water rent,	3.50
Table for town hall,	4.00
Walter H. Glazier, expenses to Northampton,	3.90
R. A. Clifford, and other repairs on Wilcox house,	11.73
Frank P. Hall, stamps, stationery, etc.,	7.80
E. T. King, inspector of meat, 1907,	10.35
“ “ “ “ to Feb. 20, '09,	7.70
David M. Hunter, inspector of meat to 1909,	3.00
Walter H. Glazier, expenses to Boston,	5.00
W. H. Jones, janitor and freight,	5.25

Paid E. H. Root, 9 burials,	\$ 27.00	
Making copy of valuation for printer,	5.00	
W. P. Sloan, justice of peace,	5.00	
" " registrar of voters,	5.00	
" " rec. births, marriages & deaths,	7.30	
" " money paid out, etc.,	8.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 320.21

### SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Willis R. King, collector for 1905,	\$ 40.00	
Wm. H. Giffin, auditor for 1907,	5.00	
C. E. Miller, moderator and constable,	5.50	
W. P. Sloan, town clerk,	25.00	
Wm. Carrick, moderator spring meeting,	2.50	
" " teller one meeting,	1.50	
N. A. Beals, teller two meetings,	3.00	
Wm. S. Douglass, teller one meeting,	1.50	
E. P. S. Alden, teller one meeting,	1.50	
David M. Hunter, teller one meeting,	1.50	
Fred A. W. Churchill, constable,	1.50	
Frank P. Hall, treasurer,	30.00	
Walter H. Glazier, selectman, assessor, over- seer of poor,	60.00	
Edward T. King, selectman, assessor, over- seer of poor,	60.00	
Edward M. Hunter, selectman, assessor, overseer of poor,	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 298.50
Total amount of orders drawn,		\$ 2,218.34

Feb. 26, 1909.

WALTER H. GLAZIER.	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
EDWARD T. KING.		
EDWARD M. HUNTER.		

William H. Giffin. *Auditor.*



# Report of Overseers of Poor.

*For the year ending March 1, 1909.*

## EXPENSE AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME.

Paid Taft & Taft, expense on Newland case,	\$ 18.90	
George D. Storrs, " " " "	2.00	
W. H. Glazier, " " Hastings "	2.00	
H. H. Dickinson, pair boots for Leslie Patrill,	2.00	
Steven Witt, M. D., med. att. to Oliver Lego,	11.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 36.65
Due from town of Hardwick, <i>a/c</i> Leslie Patrill,	2.00	
" " the Commonwealth " Oliver Lego,	11.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 13.75

## EXPENSES AT COOLEY HOME.

Paid F. M. Thresher, salary to Apr. 1, 1908,	\$ 50.00
" " " " Feb. 1, 1909,	250.00
F. P. Hall, store bill,	2.16
H. H. Dickinson, groceries and supplies,	197.55
" " " grain,	3.15
F. L. Parker, "	329.45
New Salem Creamery Co., butter,	41.62
J. M. Vaughn, meat,	8.58
H. B. Hess, "	2.10
F. M. Thresher, miscellaneous,	21.96
" " " goods for Nettie Upton,	19.52
" " " cutting and packing ice,	8.16

Paid J. L. Thresher, butchering,	\$ 5.50
E. L. Powers, blacksmith bill,	2.55
E. A. Moore, " "	10.26
G. Jerome, one cow,	26.50
E. T. King, eleven pigs,	27.50
" " " fertilizer.	27.20
F. H. Vaughn, "	4.00
J. L. Hamilton, labor,	37.10
Severance Bros., "	5.25
T. Severance, plowing,	14.00
Edwin Randall, labor,	3.00
F. Churchill, "	2.35
J. M. Eddy, "	2.50
D. Stone & Son, ins. on Cooley Home Bldgs.,	18.00
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	\$ 1,119.96

## INCOME AT COOLEY HOME.

Cream,	\$ 464.12
Pork,	157.68
Veal,	60.00
Poultry,	19.12
Eggs,	75.55
Potatoes,	46.57
Miscellaneous sales,	2.25
James E. White, board,	180.00
Zenas W. Tolman, board,	43.20
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	\$ 1,048.49
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Net Expense at Cooley Home,	\$ 71.47

## INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME.

One horse,	\$ 200.00
Nine cows,	300.00
One yearling,	18.00
One calf,	12.00
Four swine,	30.00

Fifty-two fowls,	\$ 35.00
Ten tons English hay,	175.00
Corn fodder,	10.00
Grain,	75.00
Potatoes,	35.00
Provisions,	25.00
Farming tools,	140.00
Furniture,	60.00
	————— \$ 1,115.00

## INMATES FOR THE YEAR.

Nettie Upton,

52 weeks.

EDWARD M. HUNTER,	} Overseers	
WALTER H. GLAZIER,		of
EDWARD T. KING,		Poor.

William H. Giffin, *Auditor.*

# Treasurer's Report.

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*Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending  
March 1, 1909.*

1908.	<i>Dr.</i>		
To cash in treasury to new account,		\$ 285.42	
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, acct. of Zenas Tolman, board,		43.20	
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, acct. of James E. White, board,		180.00	
To cash received from Lydia E. Blackmer, for Amos H. Blackmer, cemetery fund,		50.00	
To cash received from estate of Clara B. Walk- er for cemetery fund,		100.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 658.62
To cash received from Athol Savings Bank, borrowed,		\$ 2,000.00	
To cash received from School Committee, for damaged books,		1.01	
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, acct. William Newland,		222.01	
To cash received from Commonwealth, compen- sation inspection of animals,		7.50	
		<hr/>	\$ 2,230.52
To cash received from School Committee, state reimbursement of School Supt.,		\$ 131.59	

To cash received from Commonwealth, Corporation tax,	\$ 25.50	
To cash received from Commonwealth, National Bank tax,	78.37	
To cash received from Commonwealth, for Military Aid,	56.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, for State aid,	306.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 597.46
To cash received from Commonwealth, for High School tuition in special cases,	\$ 185.10	
To cash received from E. H. Bannister, Dog Fund refunded,	88.65	
To cash received from Commonwealth, income from Mass. School Fund,	1,218.81	
To cash received from Selectmen, rent of Wilcox house,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,522.56
To cash received from Cemetery Commissioners, for sale of lot,	\$ 5.00	
To cash received from Cemetery Commissioners, money paid for labor,	1.00	
To cash received from Ware Savings Bank, income cemetery funds,	39.30	
To cash received from Overseer of Poor, acct. Cooley Home,	825.29	
	<hr/>	\$ 870.59
To cash received from W. R. King, Collector of taxes 1905,	135.00	
To cash received from W. R. King, Collector, interest on tax of 1905,	112.49	
To cash received from W. R. King, Collector of taxes 1906,	395.00	
To cash received from W. R. King, Collector of taxes 1907,	893.00	
To cash received of W. H. Glazier, Collector of		

taxes, interest, 1904,	\$ 7.00	
To cash received of W. H. Glazier, Collector of taxes 1908,	3,245.79	\$ 4,788.28
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Total,		\$ 10,668.03

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By paid Athol Savings Bank, interest,	\$ 98.34	
By deposited in Ware Savings Bank, cemetery fund of Amos H. Blackmer,	50.00	
By paid Athol Savings Bank, notes,	2,000.00	
By deposited in Ware Savings Bank, Clara B. Walker, cemetery fund,	100.00	\$ 2,248.34
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By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1906,	\$ 26.32	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1908,	22.30	
By paid J. W. Flint, order of district court,	22.52	
By paid Cemetery Commissioners, acct. Topliff legacy,	100.83	\$ 171.97
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By paid E. H. Bannister, county tax,	\$ 392.86	
By paid state tax,	440.00	
By paid orders of Selectmen to date,	2,218.34	
“ “ Overseer of Poor to date,	1,156.61	
“ “ School Committee,	2,418.15	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1906,	19.60	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1907,	8.66	
By cash in treasury to balance acct.,	1,593.50	\$ 8,247.72
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Total,		\$ 10,668.03

## TRUST FUNDS FOR ACCOUNT CEMETERY.

## CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

Rindge fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1909,	\$ 14.69
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available \$ 9.69
Wilkinson fund, \$ 300.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1909,	28.61
Expended \$ 10.30,	Available 18.31
Shumway fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1909,	13.22
Expended \$ 4.00,	Available 9.22
Spooner fund, \$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1909,	9.54
Expended \$ 4.00,	Available 5.54
Warren fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1909,	14.95
Expended —	Available 14.95
Mary Walker fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	10.90
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available 7.90
Chas. Powers fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	8.14
Expended —	Available 8.14
Rebecca Spooner fund, \$ 82.65, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	14.58
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available 9.58
Merrick Tourtelotte fund, \$ 25.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	5.40
Expended —	Available 5.40
Emelia Topliff fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	14.84
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available 9.84
Justice Johnson fund, \$ 200.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	14.36
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available 11.36
Chas. Record fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	2.52
Expended —	Available 2.52
Amos H. Blackmer fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	1.50
Expended —	Available 1.50
Clara B. Walker fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1909,	1.00
Expended —	Available 1.00

## LIABILITIES.

One note due May 7, 1909,	\$ 1,500.00
“ “ “ Feb. 25, 1910,	500.00
Unpaid order of School Committee,	7.75
	————— \$ 2,007.75

## ASSETS.

Amount due on taxes, 1906,	\$ 160.00
“ “ “ “ 1907,	890.00
“ “ “ “ 1908,	1,280.00
“ “ from Commonwealth, state aid,	406.00
Cash in treasury,	1,593.50

( Nine dollars and seventeen cents of cash in treasury is part of Topliff legacy for improvement of cemetery. )

Total, ————— \$ 4,329.50

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL, *Treasurer.*

William H. Giffin, *Auditor.*



# Annual Report

OF THE  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF  
Greenwich, Mass.,



For the year ending Mar. 17, 1909.

## Organization, 1908 — 1909.

F. P. HALL, CHAIRMAN,	-	-	-	-	Term expires 1911.
C. B. COIT,	-	-	-	-	Term expires 1909.
W. R. CARRICK, SEC'Y,	-	-	.	-	Term expires 1910.

## Superintendent of Schools.

G. ALVIN GROVER.

*To the Citizens of Greenwich :*

We submit our annual report, together with the report of the Superintendent of Schools and the Supervisor of Music and Drawing.

## Financial Statement.

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Received from state, income state school fund,	\$ 1,218.81	
Balance on hand,	20.76	
Reimbursement Superintendent's salary,	131.59	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,371.16
Paid from same,		1,252.04
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Unexpended balance,		\$ 119.12
Received from town,	\$ 950.00	
Reimbursement High School tuition,	185.10	
Interest on Sabin school fund,	30.00	
Appropriation for medical examiner.	25.00	
For damaged books,	1.01	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,191.11
Paid from same,		1,173.86
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Unexpended balance,		\$ 17.25

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### TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Edith Leland,	\$ 121.00	
Elizabeth Carpenter,	132.00	
Mary Carpenter,	264.00	
A. G. Thomas,	264.00	
Music and drawing.	216.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 997.00

## CONVEYING PUPILS.

Edgar Coit,	\$ 210.00	
Robert Brown,	140.00	
George Dickinson,	138.00	
George Loux,	129.00	
Daniel Weston,	3.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 620.20
High School tuition,	\$ 302.40	
Account Superintendent,	168.39	
Supplies,	160.52	
Wood,	48.43	
Care of rooms,	45.55	
School Committee's salaries,	40.00	
Repairs,	17.25	
Medical examination,	7.75	
Water rent,	6.00	
Census,	5.00	
Freight, express and postage,	5.41	
Truant officer,	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 808.70
Total,		<hr/>
		\$ 2,425.90

WILLIAM H. GIFFIN, *Auditor.*

# Report of Superintendent of Schools.

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*To the School Committee of Greenwich :*

It gives me pleasure to submit to you, and through you to the citizens of your town, my first Annual Report, the same being the seventh in the series of Superintendent's Reports for this Union. The appended statistics are for the year closing last June, while the accompanying remarks cover only a period of seven months, from the first of last July to the present time.

I assume we are agreed that a report of this nature is not a fitting place for the discussion of pedagogical principles or methods of teaching. A plain statement of the plans already adopted to improve the work of the schools, followed by a brief discussion of their most pressing needs, constitutes, in my judgment, the true essence of such a report as is here desired.

After an extensive study of the situation, it seemed to your Superintendent, that the most pressing need was an attempt to "grade" the schools, that is, to insist that each pupil be doing the same year's work in all subjects of a sequential nature. To this end, a Course of Study was made out, printed, and placed in the hands of each teacher. This Course of Study indicates clearly just what work a pupil in a given grade is supposed to do in every subject. In order to determine that the work done actually conforms to the Course of Study, each teacher is required, at the end of every month, to make a detailed report of the work done by each pupil during the preceding month. This report is made out on a blank especially provided for the purpose, and fastened in the back of the register. On examining these reports, it is an

easy matter to discover any essential variation between them and the Course of Study. These reports thus make a permanent and detailed record of the work done by each grade for the entire school year, or such portion of the year as has expired. Left in the desk at the end of the year, they greatly facilitate the work of the next teacher in getting a comprehensive idea of the situation of her pupils in the various studies. Similarly, if there is a change of teachers during the year, they are of great assistance to the incoming teacher. They may be also used by the superintendent on visiting the school, as the basis of a brief oral examination of any of the classes.

In order to still further emphasize the desirability of a reasonable degree of uniformity, and to arouse a proper feeling of emulation, a written examination was given at the end of the fall term to all the schools in the Union. This examination was exactly the same in all the schools, was made out by the superintendent, and the papers marked and results tabulated by him. These results, averaging as they did all the way from 52 to 87 per cent, clearly proved the existence of great inequalities in the work. Nor was it true, as might have been anticipated, that the towns with the more highly organized school systems were able to show more satisfactory results than those towns in which the conditions were apparently less favorable. On the contrary, the town of New Salem, where the conditions are purely rural, led all the other towns in the Union by a substantial margin. The results in detail, were read to each school, and both pupils and teachers urged to use their best efforts to make a better showing in the next examination, which, it is planned, shall be given about the middle of February.

Two general teachers' meetings have been held in No. Dana, one on the 19th of September, and the other on the 23rd of January. At the first of these, Mr. A. W. Clark, representative of Ginn and Co., gave an interesting and instructive address on penmanship. It is planned to hold two more such meetings before the close of the year, and arrangements have been made with Mr. J. E. Warren, agent of the State Board of Education, for a teacher's institute some time during the spring term.

When a superintendent visits a school, it is desirable that he

should do something more than sit around for an hour or so, look wise, and then drive off to the next. He should have some definite plans which will make his work effective. It has been my practice to write my observations on the discipline and work of the school on the pages of a note book especially provided for the purpose, and which is kept in the teacher's desk. These observations, favorable or otherwise, then become the basis of a personal conversation between the superintendent and teacher, either at recess or after school. Not infrequently, I have, with the teacher's permission, taken a class that happened to be reciting and proceeded with the lesson, the better to illustrate to the teacher the proper application of some principle or method of teaching. I have also made it a practice to speak to the pupils on such general topics as would broaden their minds and, if possible, lead them to higher and nobler ideals. A report of each visit made by the superintendent has been immediately sent to the chairman of the school committee. This report states the duration of the visit, gives a list of supplies delivered and ordered, and contains notes on the general condition of the school. These various lines of work, together with the distribution of books and supplies, individual conversations with committee, parents and pupils, answering correspondence, and attending to the minor details of the office, have constituted the bulk of my efforts, and taken the most of my time.

I wish to call your attention to the matter of Medical Inspection in the schools. This topic was ably treated in the last report of my predecessor, but it does not seem to have aroused the degree of interest to which its importance would seem to entitle it. Many of our boys and girls are suffering from curable diseases without any one being in the least aware of the fact. To discover such diseases and make proper report to the parent, is one of the principle duties of the Medical Inspector. The law of course, does not go beyond this, but assumes that the parent will be glad to act on expert medical advice when furnished gratuitously. This, however, is not always the case, and many times the real purpose of the law is defeated by the inexplicable neglect of parents to heed the warning. The teachers are supposed to attend to that part of the law which provides for an eye and ear test,

and to notify parents upon blanks provided for the purpose, if any defect in these organs is found. If all or any part of this Act results in saving the life, health, or happiness of *your* boy or girl, you will, no doubt, appreciate the usefulness of the statute.

Following will be found a report on the eye and ear test conducted by the teachers.

Number of pupils examined,	51
Number with defective eyesight,	7
Number with defective hearing,	0
Number of parents notified,	1

Both of the school buildings in town are in good condition. It would be a material aid to the pupils in the school at the Plains if some efficient method of ventilation could be introduced. The light in this school is very poor, while that in the village school is far from satisfactory. If the ceilings in these two rooms could be whitened there is no doubt that the light now lost in the dark wood would be reflected to the pupils below, and make it materially easier for them to study. I would respectfully suggest that the committee consider these matters at an early date.

It would be well if some book shelves could be erected on the second floor of the village school building. The cupboard already there is taxed to the utmost to contain the supplies, and it is necessary to pile the books not in use on the floor.

With the two schools of the town situated as they are only two miles apart and having an excellent road between them, the manifest thing to do is to so arrange the classes that all the younger pupils in town may go to one school, and all the older pupils to another. If, for instance, it could be so arranged that the first five grades could have the Village school all themselves, while the upper four grades were taken care of at the Plains, the finer grading that would then be possible ought to produce better results with the same expenditure of time and money. It may be that this arrangement is impracticable or impossible, but the logic of the situation certainly suggests it as the natural and desirable thing to do.

If it seems best to continue to carry on our work as at present conducted, it is, in my judgement, a matter of doubtful wisdom to **attempt** the work of the ninth grade. Under favorable conditions we could doubtless do fairly creditable ninth grade work, but under existing conditions it is practically impossible.

Since the beginning of school in the fall, the Nichols - Wentworth series of arithmetics has been superseded by the Smith Practical Arithmetic. These books are giving excellent satisfaction in the schools. With this exception, there has been no change in text books.

Probably the most discouraging study in the curriculum is penmanship. Unlike every other study in school, it grows steadily worse as the pupils progress from grade to grade. The best writers in any system of so called "vertical writing" are invariably found in the fourth and fifth grades, and the poorest writers in the eighth and ninth grades. This is manifestly illogical and absurd, and clearly establishes the fact that there is something fundamentally wrong with the system. The teachers are investigating other methods of writing, and it is hoped that it may be possible to make some definite recommendation to the committee before the beginning of another year.

It has been a pleasure to work in your town and to **meet with the town's people**. A stranger among you, I have invariably **received courtesy and consideration** from all with whom I have **come in contact**. It is my belief, that, working together, we may be able to **materially benefit the schools**.

Respectfully submitted,

G. ALVIN GROVER, *Supt. of Schools.*



# Report of Supervisor of Drawing.

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*To the Superintendent of Schools :*

The work of last year was confined entirely to drawing. This year one-half the time has been devoted to various forms of manual training.

Some of the practical uses of raffia have been learned, including the making of baskets, picture frames, hats, hammocks and table mats.

Many problems in construction have been worked out, and the simpler forms of book-binding taught. This work will have a most practical application in the rebinding of our paper covered music books with a substantial binding. The method of stenciling and wood block printing will also be included in the year's work. All of this is being done with only a trifling additional expense for material.

All these forms of hand training develop habits of neatness and accuracy which are invaluable to the pupil in whatever work in life he may choose.

Many of these forms taught this year have laid a foundation, which, if followed by further study, can be made sources of lucrative employment. A skilled basket maker, designer or book binder commands a good salary.

I desire to thank the teachers for their co-operation and the school officials for their interest in the work.

Respectfully,

LUCY A. GATCHELL.

## Report of Supervisor of Music.

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### *To the Superintendent of Schools :*

A glance at the years work in music shows much cause for encouragement.

A thirty minute period for music once a week for nine grades is the time allotted a supervisor. To have more than two classes is impossible. That necessitates a grouping of many grades in one class and means that either the higher grades are retarded for the sake of the lower, or the lower are continually attempting work beyond them.

By giving extra time in one school, a class of fourth and fifth grade pupils was prepared to do work with the upper grades, and is able fairly to keep pace with them.

By using the individual slips of the Weaver Method, each child is required to sing an exercise at sight and alone at least twice a week. Quite an advance has been made in individual power to sing these exercises with confidence and correctness, both as to time and tune.

Also, individual work in writing is required of each child, thus giving opportunity to express knowledge of keys, signatures, chromatics, time problems, with scale and exercise writing.

The more advanced pupils are able to read and sing at sight a song of moderate difficulty in three or four parts.

That meager weekly half hour must also be stretched to take in drill on tone quality, expression, and something of the history of music.

But notwithstanding the limitations to the work caused by the many grades in one school, a fair degree of advancement has been made.

Grateful acknowledgement is made of the earnest efforts of the teachers who have helped to bring about these results, and also for the interest of the parents and school officials.

Respectfully,

LUCY A. GATCHELL.

## STATISTICS \*

Schools	Teachers	Educated	Number of weeks	Enrollment	Pupils under 5	Pupils between 5 and 15	Pupils over 15	Pupils between 7 and 14	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per cent Attendance	Tardiness	Dismissals	Visits by	
														Superintendent	Supervisor of Music, Drawing
Plain	Edith L. Leland	No. Adams	36	29	0	29	0	27	26.8	24	89.5	104	9	13	32
Village	{ F. A. Burnham E. D. Carpenter	Conway High Alfred University	12 24	28	0	28	0	21	22.2	21	95.3	210	19	15	34
			Total	57	0	57	0	48	49	45	92.4	314	28	28	66

\* These figures may be used by the committee in making out the April returns for the state.

# Report of the Trustees of the Free Public Library.

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Number of days library has been open,	53
books given out,	2108
magazines given out,	613
books purchased,	134
books donated from commission,	34
public documents,	13
magazines subscribed for,	6
magazines donated,	5
Whole number of volumes.	2299
Circulating department,	2121
Public documents,	178

Respectfully submitted,

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary.*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

### RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasurer's hands Feb. 22, 1908,	\$ 32.39	
Appropriation,	100.00	
Received from Bailey fund,	8.08	
" " Spooner fund,	41.60	
" " fines,	.70	
	\$ 182.77	

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid for books,	\$ 121.75	
magazines,	13.22	
freight and express,	.97	
transportation,	12.50	
sundries,	2.16	
librarian,	30.00	
Cash in treasurer's hands,	2.17	
	<hr/>	\$ 182.77

## LIBRARY FUNDS.

Stephen P. Bailey fund,	\$ 200.00	
Rebecca Spooner    "	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 700.00

WM. S. DOUGLAS,	}	<i>Trustees.</i>
E. P. S. ALDEN,		
WM. H. WALKER,		
AMELIA M. ROOT,		
ALICE THAYER,		
HELEN I. NEVINS,		

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN I. NEVINS, *Librarian and Treasurer.*

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OF THE  
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OF  
GREENWICH,

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1st, 1910

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## Report of Town Clerk.

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*Vital statistics for 1909.*

### BIRTHS.

June 8, Wilfred Theodore Weston.  
June 18, William H. Brown.  
June 26, Chester Willis King.

### MARRIAGES.

July 11, Howard A. Dickinson and Ruby C. Thresher.  
Sept. 1, Vernon B. Leonard and Mary R. Murray.  
Sept. 29, Willard B. Segur and Laura G. Hegeman.

### DEATHS.

Jan. 10, Electa R. Stratton, age 88.  
Jan. 24, Elizabeth E. M. Twible, age 9.  
Jan. 29, Charles A. Manley, age 72.  
Feb. 1, Margaret A. Glazier, age 81.  
Feb. 26, Francis F. Foley, age 73.  
June 30, Silas H. Ellery, age 40.  
July 2, George J. Lyman, age 82.  
Aug. 27, Mary J. King, age 61.  
Sept. 11, George H. Warren, age 64.  
Nov. 2, Elizabeth S. Clark, age 85.  
Dec. 31, Francis S. Allen, age 92.

## NON-RESIDENTS INTERRED IN GREENWICH.

- Mar. 25. William E. Dart of Hardwick, age 78.  
July 2. Lewis Brewster of Roxbury, age 65.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE E. MILLER, *Town Clerk.*

# Report of the Selectmen.

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## STATE AID.

Nathan A. Beals,	12 months,	\$ 48.00	
Leroy C. Beals,	12 "	48.00	
James E. White,	12 "	48.00	
A. P. Clifford,	12 "	48.00	
Iva Lyman Jones,	12 "	48.00	
Mary F. Winter,	12 "	48.00	
Charles R. Briggs,	2 "	12.00	
Francis F. Foley,	1 "	6.00	
William T. Alden,	7 "	28.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 334.00

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## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Paid Ezra P. S. Alden,		\$ 100.00

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## EXPENSE OF FOREST FIRES.

Paid E. H. Root and others,	\$ 33.40
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WM. H. WALKER, *Forest Fire Ward.*

## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Appropriation,	£ 50.00	
Received from Rindge fund,	5.00	
“ “ Wilkinson fund,	8.00	
“ “ Shumway fund,	5.00	
“ “ Warner fund,	10.00	
“ “ Spooner fund,	3.00	
“ “ Mary Walker fund,	3.00	
“ “ Charles Powers fund,	5.00	
“ “ Rebecca Spooner fund,	3.83	
“ “ Merrick Tourtelotte fund,	3.00	
“ “ Justice Johnson fund,	5.00	
“ “ Emelia Topliff fund,	5.00	
Received for care of Magrath lot,	\$ 1.00	
“ “ “ “ Cleveland & Sears lot,	3.00	
“ “ “ “ Haskell & Ayers lot,	2.00	
	<u>6.00</u>	
		\$ 111.83
Expended balance of Topliff fund,		9.17
		<u>\$ 121.00</u>
Paid E. H. Root, labor,	\$ 21.16	
D. S. Cutter, “	11.32	
J. F. Aken, “	1.57	
F. F. Foley, “	4.40	
Geo. E. Nevins and help,	72.55	
Mrs. Nevins, care of flowers,	10.00	
	<u>\$ 121.00</u>	
Received from Mrs. M. E. Sibley for lot,	\$ 5.00	
“ “ R. A. Clifford for 2 lots,	10.00	
Paid to Town Treasurer,	<u>\$ 15.00</u>	

E. H. ROOT,	} Cemetery Commissioners.
G. E. NEVINS,	
B. A. SAWTELLE,	

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation,		\$ 700.00
Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	\$ 125.00	
Geo. E. Nevins, horse,	10.00	
S. L. Vaughn,	62.13	
J. D. James,	68.05	
W. R. King,	47.17	
M. J. Caswell,	13.00	
H. O. Parker, man and team,	76.00	
W. J. Walker,	47.50	
J. T. Thayer,	1.50	
G. A. Severance,	6.75	
T. J. Severance,	6.00	
T. S. Severance, self and team,	7.15	
New England Culvert & Tiling Co.,	50.40	
Freight on scraper edge,	.25	
F. H. Vaughn, tiling,	8.90	
J. L. Smith, scraper edge,	8.50	
N. E. Howe,	6.15	
W. H. Giffin, planks, boards and lumber,	124.83	
W. P. Sloan,	5.80	
E. A. Moore,	.90	
W. H. Walker, posts,	2.45	
C. E. Thayer,	8.00	
Frank P. Hall, wire fence,	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 696.43
Received for old plank sold,	\$ 5.50	

GEO. E. NEVINS, *Superintendent.*

## STATE ROAD.

State granted,		\$ 700.00
Town appropriated,		300.00
Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	\$ 95.00	
E. T. King,	138.00	

Paid A. C. Parker,	\$ 116.00	
John James,	63.87	
S. L. Vaughn,	62.99	
A. Stevens,	62.12	
S. A. Schemerhorn,	62.99	
W. R. King,	55.11	
Mylen Caswell,	8.50	
Wm. H. Walker,	68.00	
Wm. H. Walker, stakes,	2.00	
Wm. H. Walker, railing,	3.00	
F. Southworth, gravel,	5.75	
Alfred King, gravel,	18.35	
E. T. King, gravel,	3.30	
W. H. Giffin, railing and posts,	8.85	
Fred H. Vaughn, tiling,	100.85	
Spencer Moody,	4.50	
E. A. Moore,	10.50	
Frank P. Hall,	1.75	
Roy Graves,	2.00	
Spikes,	.35	
Cement,	.50	
Henry Godbeer, bound stones,	3.00	
Freight on same,	.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 898.03
Received from state on account,	\$ 500.00	

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PATHING SNOW.

Paid Geo. E. Nevins, and others,	\$ 25.70
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MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

Paid Walter H. Glazier, expense state road and Patterell case,	\$ 7.00
A. H. Bartlett, blanks for town clerk,	3.75

Paid A. W. Brownell, assessors' blanks,	\$ 2.95
Lewis H. Blackmer, town reports and ballots,	52.10
Robert W. Lyman, real estate transfer,	3.15
Daniel Stone & Son, insurance on library,	10.00
E. H. Root, 7 burials, 1 return,	21.25
B. A. Sawtelle M. D., fumigating Billings' house,	5.00
A. O. Parker, storing scraper,	2.25
Walter H. Glazier, paid for dinners for election officers,	2.25
Frank P. Hall, stove and pipe for library,	5.65
C. E. Miller, dog posters and license book,	2.00
William H. Jones, janitor town hall,	5.00
W. H. Jones, care of ballot box two years,	2.00
Hobbs and Warren, abatement book,	2.75
Cecil T. Bagnall, tax bills for 1909,	1.39
Giffin & Hall, water rent to date,	4.25
Frank P. Hall, stamps, stationery etc.,	11.72
Edward T. King, inspecting animals 1908,	17.50
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	\$ 161.96

#### SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Warren P. Sloan, town clerk,	25.00
“ “ “ Justice of peace,	5.00
“ “ “ registrar of votes,	5.00
“ “ “ money paid out,	7.75
Wm. H. Giffin, auditor 1908,	5.00
N. A. Beals, teller one meeting,	1.50
Stephen H. Walker, teller one meeting,	1.50
E. P. S. Alden, “ two “	3.00
Fred M. Thrasher, “ one “	1.50
Wm. R. Carrick, moderator spring meeting,	2.50
“ “ “ “ fall “	1.50
David M. Hunter, teller one meeting,	1.50

Paid C. E. Miller, constable,	\$ 1.50
Fred A. W. Churchill, constable,	3.00
Frank P. Hall, treasurer,	30.00
Edward T. King, inspecting animals to date,	17.50
“ “ “ “ meat “ “	9.55
David M. Hunter, “ “ “ “	11.50
Walter H. Glazier, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor,	60.00
Edward M. Hunter, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor,	60.00
Wm. H. Giffin, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor,	60.00
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	\$ 313.80
Total amount of orders drawn.	\$ 2,675.15

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		

March 1, 1910.



# Report of Overseers of Poor.

*For the year ending March 1, 1910.*

## EXPENSES AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME.

Alfred C. King, partial support of John King, May 1, 1909, to Feb. 1, 1910,	\$ 90.00	
Overseers of poor, expenses to Northampton,	7.03	
F. P. Hall, groceries for Joseph W. Pattrill,	1.90	
		\$ 98.93
Due from the Commonwealth, acct. Oliver Lego,		\$ 11.75

## EXPENSES AT COOLEY HOME.

Paid F. M. Thresher, salary to April 1, 1909,	\$ 50.00
F. M. Thresher, salary to Feb. 1, 1910,	250.00
“ “ “ goods for Cooley Home,	15.00
“ “ “ goods for Nettie Upton,	15.50
H. H. Dickinson, groceries,	187.22
“ “ “ grain,	40.15
F. L. Parker, grain,	346.95
F. P. Hall, groceries,	10.56
“ “ “ plow,	13.50
New Salem Creamery Co., for butter,	47.71
J. M. Vaughn, meat,	9.55
H. B. Hess, meat,	3.02
Roy P. Edson, labor,	141.50
Thomas Severance, labor,	10.00

Paid T. S. Severance, plowing,	\$ 6.40
C. F. Dyer, planting corn,	2.50
A. Labare, repairing furnace,	5.00
J. L. Thresher, butchering,	4.00
J. L. Hamilton, labor, fall 1908,	13.00
Geo. L. Mason, sawing wood,	1.75
Hunter Bros., cutting and drawing ice,	13.78
G. Garbarino, wagon,	25.00
E. A. Moore, wagon curtains,	9.00
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill,	8.00
E. L. Powers, " "	9.05
E. T. King, pigs,	22.00
" " " harness,	4.00
" " " use of horse,	33.00
" " " fertilizer,	24.00
Wm. R. Carrick, fertilizer,	8.50
F. H. Vaughn, fertilizer,	3.20
E. H. Root, wagon shafts,	3.50
Francis E. Manley, cow,	37.00
Geo. B. Walker, cow,	44.50
Geo. E. Nevins, cement, and labor repairing spring,	5.00
Daniel Stone & Son, insurance,	20.25
	<hr/> \$ 1,443.09

## INCOME AT COOLEY HOME.

Cream,	\$ 498.97
Pork,	126.82
Potatoes,	57.85
Eggs,	95.58
Poultry,	24.06
Veal,	56.00
Board of Walter Hoyt,	29.25
Transportation of scholars,	288.00

Board of James E. White,	\$ 180.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,356.53
Net expense at Cooley Home,		<hr/> \$ 86.56

## INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME.

One horse,	\$ 200.00
Eight cows,	280.00
One two-year old,	25.00
One yearling,	18.00
Three calves,	30.00
Two swine,	20.00
Fifty-five fowls,	35.00
Eight ton english hay,	160.00
Corn fodder,	20.00
Grain,	100.00
Potatoes,	20.00
Provisions,	15.00
Farming tools,	180.00
Furniture,	50.00
	<hr/> \$ 1,153.00

## INMATES FOR THE YEAR.

Nettie Upton, 52 weeks.

EDWARD M. HUNTER,	}	Overseers of Poor.
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		
WALTER H. GLAZIER.		

Howard H. Dickinson, *Auditor.*

# Assessors' Report.

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## TABLE OF AGGREGATES.

Total valuation,	\$ 246,532.00
Total value of real estate,	196,315.00
Total value of personal estate,	50,217.00
Total tax for state, county, and town purposes,	4,048.59
Rate per thousand,	15.40
Number of polls assessed,	137
Number of polls exempt,	11
Tax on each poll,	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed,	247
Total number paying tax on property,	217
Total number paying tax, poll only,	30
Number horses assessed,	147
Number cows assessed,	294
Number neat cattle other than cows,	65
Number swine assessed,	28
Number dwelling houses assessed,	141
Number fowls assessed,	1,390
Number acres land assessed,	11,239

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Assessors</i>
WM. H. GIFFIN,		<i>of</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER.		<i>Greenwich.</i>

Howard H. Dickinson, *Auditor.*

# Treasurer's Report.

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*Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, for the year ending  
March 1, 1910.*

1909.	<i>Dr.</i>	
March 30, To cash in treasury to new account,	\$ 1,593.50	
To cash received from Commonwealth, acct.		
Corporation tax,	.24	
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, acct.		
James E. White, board,	180.00	
To cash received from Athol Savings Bank, (borrowed )	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,273.74
To cash received from Commonwealth, compen- sation inspection of animals,	\$ 8.75	
To cash from Cemetery Commissioners for sale of lots,	15.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, Corpo- ration tax,	22.44	
To cash received from Commonwealth, Nation- al Bank tax,	27.01	
To cash received from Commonwealth, Military aid,	16.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 89.20
To cash received from Commonwealth, State aid,	\$ 416.00	

To cash received from Commonwealth, High School tuition in special cases,	\$ 352.20	
To cash received from B. A. Sawtelle, acct. of drain through his yard,	25.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, account of state highway loan,	500.00	
To cash received from E. H. Bannister, dog fund refunded,	75.36	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,368.56
To cash received from School Committee, state reimbursement of School Supt.,	\$ 131.56	
To cash received from Cemetery Commissioners, for care of lots,	6.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, Mass. School Fund,	1,086.68	
To cash received from Ware Savings Bank, int. on cemetery funds,	55.83	
To cash received from George E. Nevins, old plank sold,	5.50	
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, acct. Cooley Home,	888.53	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,174.10
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, ( transportation money, )	288.00	
To cash received from W. R. King, Collector 1906,	160.00	
To cash received from W. R. King, as interest 1906,	43.78	
To cash received from W. R. King, Collector 1907,	620.00	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector 1908,	\$ 820.00	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector		

1909,	\$ 2,750.74	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,682.52
Total,		\$ 11,588.12

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By paid Athol Savings Bank, interest,	\$ 112.50	
By paid Athol Savings Bank, note,	1,500.00	
By paid E. H. Bannister, county tax,	448.00	
By paid State tax,	360.00	
By paid E. H. Root, acct. burial of Mrs. Elizabeth Clark,	37.00	
By paid Athol Savings Bank, note,	500.00	
By paid Cemetery commissioners, balance of Topliff legacy,	9.17	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,966.67
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abate- ment, 1908,	\$ 24.00	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abate- ment, 1909,	37.96	
By paid orders of Selectmen to date,	2,675.15	
By paid orders of Overseers of Poor to date,	1,542.02	
By paid orders of School Committee to date,	2,371.20	
By paid orders of School Committee, 1909,	7.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,658.08
By cash in treasury to balance account,		\$ 1,963.37
Total,		\$ 11,588.12

## TRUST FUNDS FOR ACCOUNT CEMETERY.

## CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

Rindge fund,	\$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1910,	\$ 14.09
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available \$ 9.09	
Wilkinson fund,	\$ 300.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1910,	31.15
Expended \$ 8.00,	Available 23.15	

Shumway fund,	\$ 100.00 interest to Jan. 1, 1910,	\$ 13.62
Expended	\$ 5.00, Available	\$ 8.62
Spooner fund,	\$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1910,	7.76
Expended	\$ 3.00, Available	4.76
Warner fund,	\$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1910,	19.57
Expended	\$ 10.00, Available	9.57
Mary Walker fund,	\$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	12.24
Expended	\$ 3.00, Available	9.24
Charles Powers fund,	\$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	10.48
Expended	\$ 5.00, Available	5.48
Rebecca Spooner fund,	\$ 82.65, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	13.30
Expended	\$ 3.83, Available	9.47
Merrick Tourtelotte fund,	\$ 25.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	6.62
Expended	\$ 3.00, Available	3.62
Emelia Topliff fund,	\$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	14.26
Expended	\$ 5.00, Available	9.26
Justice Johnson fund,	\$ 200.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	19.88
Expended	\$ 5.00, Available	14.88
Charles Record fund,	\$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	4.62
Expended	— Available	4.62
Amos Blackmer fund,	\$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	3.56
Expended	— Available	3.56
Clara B. Walker fund,	\$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1910,	5.08
Expended	— Available	5.08

## LIABILITIES.

One note due May 7, 1910,	\$ 1,500.00
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## ASSETS.

Amount due on taxes, 1907,	\$ 270.00
Amount due on taxes, 1908,	460.00
Amount due on taxes, 1909,	1,298.00
Amount due from Commonwealth, state aid,	334.00
Amount due from Commonwealth account, burial of Mrs. Elizabeth Clark,	37.00



Cash in treasury,

\$ 1,963.37

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL, *Treasurer.*

H. H. Dickinson, *Auditor.*

# Report of the Trustees of the Free Public Library.

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Number of days library has been opened,	51
books given out,	2,170
magazines given out,	526
books donated from Commission,	23
books donated from friends,	14
books purchased,	65
magazines donated,	3
magazines subscribed for,	6
public documents added,	14
Whole number of volumes,	2,408
Circulating department,	2,216
Public documents,	192

Respectfully submitted,

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary.*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

### RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasurer's hands March 1, 1909,	\$ 2.17	
Appropriation,	100.00	
Received from Bailey fund,	8.08	
Spooner fund,	19.76	
Fines,	.72	
	\$ 130.73	

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid for books,	\$ 79.73	
magazines,	13.72	
express,	.75	
rules and regulations,	1.50	
carrying of books,	10.75	
sundries,	1.28	
librarian,	23.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 130.73

## LIBRARY FUNDS.

Stephen P. Bailey fund,	\$ 200.00	
Rebecca Spooner fund,	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 700.00

WM. S. DOUGLAS,	}	<i>Trustees.</i>
E. P. S. ALDEN,		
WM. H. WALKER,		
AMELIA M. ROOT,		
MRS. ELLA WALKER,		

E. P. S. ALDEN, *Treasurer.*

HELEN I. NEVINS, *Librarian.*

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# Annual Report

OF THE  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

Greenwich, Mass.,

For the year ending Mar. 4, 1910.

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## Organization, 1909--1910.

F. P. HALL, CHAIRMAN,	Term expires, 1911.
W. R. CARRICK, SECRETARY,	Term expires, 1910.
C. B. COIT,	Term expires, 1912.

## Superintendent of Schools.

G. ALVIN GROVER.

*To the Citizens of Greenwich :*

We respectfully submit the following report.

## Financial Statement.

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Income from state school fund,	\$ 1,086.68	
“ “ “ “ “ from last year,	119.12	
State, on account of Superintendent,	131.56	
	\$ 1,337.36	
Expended,		1,071.20
		\$ 266.16
Unexpended balance,		\$ 266.16
Received from town,	\$ 950.00	
Reimbursement of High School tuition,	352.20	
Interest on Sabin School fund,	30.00	
	\$ 1,332.20	
Expended,		1,300.00
		\$ 32.20
Unexpended balance,		\$ 32.20

### TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Mary Carpenter,	\$ 132.00	
Alma Thomas,	11.00	
Alice Parsons,	110.00	
Anna Porter,	288.00	
Marion Kelley,	252.00	
Lucy Gatchell,	78.00	
	\$ 871.00	

### PAID FOR TRANSPORTING CHILDREN.

Overseers of Poor,	\$ 288.00
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George Dickinson,	\$ 175.00	
Robert Brown,	144.00	
Monroe Stockwell,	80.50	
E. P. S. Alden,	42.00	
F. P. Hall,	12.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 741.50

## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

City of Springfield,	\$ 110.00	
Town of Athol,	190.20	
Town of New Salem,	48.00	
Town of Palmer,	17.50	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 365.70
On acct. of Union Superintendent,	\$ 166.30	
Supplies,	77.21	
Wood,	47.25	
Care of rooms,	41.00	
Salaries of committee,	40.00	
Census,	5.00	
Expense of water for village school,	4.25	
Freight and postage,	1.23	
Telephone charges,	1.10	
Repairs,	6.16	
Medical examination,	3.50	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 393.00
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 2,371.20

# Town Warrant.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To C. E. Miller, Constable of the town of Greenwich,*

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for Town Clerk for two years to fill unexpired term of the late Warren P. Sloan. Also for one Selectman, one Overseer of the Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, and three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year. Also on same ballot, to vote " Yes " or " No " in answer to the question : Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town ?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on taxes after a certain date, and fix the rate, also to see if the town will allow a discount on taxes if paid on or before a certain date.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the current municipal year beginning April 1st., 1910, in anticipation of the taxes for said municipal year such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the current expenses of the town, giving the note or notes of the town therefor.

ART. 9. To see if the town will concur with the Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners in the proposed change in the boundary line between the town of Greenwich and Enfield.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to purchase a number of chemical fire extinguishers for the use of the Forest warden.

ART. 11. To see what action the town will take with regard to the Edson Bridge so called.

ART. 12. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money, provided the Massachusetts Highway Commission will add an equal amount for the purpose of improving the road leading from Greenwich Village past the railroad station, or act in relation thereto.

The polls will be opened at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich, seven days at least, before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof

fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon to the town clerk, on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eleventh day of March, A. D. 1910.

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		
WM. H. GIFFIN,		

# Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

GREENWICH,

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1st, 1911.

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BELCHERTOWN, MASS. :  
PRESS OF LEWIS H. BLACKMER.  
1911.

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STATE ESTIMATE REPORT

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.



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## Report of Town Clerk.

*Vital Statistics for 1910.*

BIRTHS.

NAME OF CHILD.	NAME OF PARENTS.
Feb. 16, Still Born.	Samuel and Elizabeth Ritchie.
Apr. 7, Agnes A. Hall.	Frank and Luella Hall.
Apr. 16, Emily M. Coit.	Edgar and Sarah Coit.
Apr. 29, Lawrence E. Randall.	Edward and Eva Randall.
June 1, Ernest D. Patrill.	and Eva Patrill.
June 16, Edna Hinman.	Wm. and Cora Hinman.

MARRIAGES.

- Aug. 31, Edward T. King and Elizabeth F. Coats.  
Oct. 5, Robert A. Harrington and Effie L. Holland.

DEATHS.

- Jan. 8, Corrina Merrill, age 79.  
Jan. 29, Warren P. Sloan, age 63.  
Feb. 4, Theodore F. Alden, age 68.  
Feb. 16, Nameless, still born.  
Mar. 12, Peter M. Wilson, age 66.  
Apr. 19, Lucy E. Pomeroy, age 77.  
Oct. 6, Stephen C. Wright, age 38.  
Nov. 2, Maryette Caswell, age 57.  
Nov. 23, Elizabeth F. King, age 50.

Nov. 25, Martha M. Wheeler, age 77.

Dec. 6. Emeline C. Barlow, age 85.

NON-RESIDENTS INTERRED IN GREENWICH.

Jan. 16. Mellvill F. Grant, age 3.

Jan. 13, Charles Hodgkin, age 87.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE E. MILLER, *Town Clerk.*

# Report of the Selectmen.

## STATE AID.

Mary F. Winter,	12 months,	\$ 48.00	
Iva L. Jones,	12 months,	48.00	
Wm. T. Alden,	12 months,	48.00	
Nathan A. Beals,	12 months,	48.00	
Leroy C. Beals,	12 months,	48.00	
James E. White,	12 months,	48.00	
A. P. Clifford,	12 months,	48.00	
S. M. Stockwell	9 months,	36.00	
T. C. Chapman,	2 months,	8.00	
Elvira Woods,	1 month,	4.00	
Lucinda Root,	1 month,	4.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 388.00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Paid Ezra P. S. Alden,		\$ 100.00

## EXPENSE OF FOREST FIRES.

Paid Fred F. Foley and others,	\$ 17.32	
Wm. H. Walker and others,	17.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 34.52

## STATE ROAD 1909.

Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	\$ 10.00	
J. E. James,	7.00	
W. H. Walker, man and team,	12.00	
A. O. Parker, man and team,	10.00	
Rob. Powers,	7.00	
S. L. Vaughn,	5.25	
A. Stevens,	5.25	
H. Lyman,	3.50	
Loam,	3.50	
		<hr/> \$ 63.50

## STATE ROAD 1910.

State granted,	\$ 700.00	
Town appropriated,	300.00	
Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	144.50	
Geo. E. Nevins, horse,	10.00	
W. R. King,	26.75	
J. D. James,	107.00	
S. L. Vaughn,	88.00	
H. Lyman,	89.25	
A. O. Parker, man and team,	174.00	
S. A. Schmerhorn,	21.87	
Rob. Powers,	84.86	
W. H. Walker, man and team,	20.00	
Porter Carter,	12.25	
W. H. Walker, posts and railings,	10.25	
Line posts,	1.50	
Freight on same,	.50	
Spikes,	.25	
Dynamite,	42.17	
9 gals. K. oil,	1.22	
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill,	79.85	
F. P. Hall, stone boat and fuse,	10.00	
Gravel,	3.00	
		<hr/> \$ 924.22
Received from state on account,	\$ 500.00	

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation,		\$ 700.00
Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	\$ 123.50	
Geo. E. Nevins, horse,	10.00	
W. M. Nevins,	25.25	
J. D. James,	45.49	
A. Stevens,	31.62	
W. H. Walker, man and team,	62.50	
A. O. Parker, man and team,	85.50	
Robert Powers,	30.62	
S. L. Vaughn,	37.74	
H. M. Lyman,	37.62	
E. H. Root,	3.00	
J. Thayer,	1.50	
J. Clark,	.50	
E. A. Moore, blacksmith,	1.00	
J. L. Smith, repairs on scraper,	3.80	
Express on repairs,	.75	
W. H. Giffin, plank,	129.75	
S. H. Walker, shovels and nails,	8.05	
F. P. Hall, supplies,	1.07	
W. H. Walker, posts,	1.50	
W. H. Giffin, posts,	.75	
Thomas Severance,	7.44	
F. H. Young, loam,	7.00	
H. Lego,	1.75	
Wm. Simmons,	1.75	
Mr. Brown,	1.75	
E. L. Powers, loam,	7.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 668.70

GEO. E. NEVINS, *Superintendent.*

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EDSON BRIDGE.

Paid United Construction Co., for steel bridge,	\$ 620.00
Geo. E. Nevins,	70.00

Paid S. L. Vaughn,	\$ 28.87
J. D. James,	41.12
N. Marcy,	57.00
W. H. Walker, team,	58.00
W. H. Walker, derrick,	11.00
H. M. Lyman,	31.50
Dr. Sawtelle, stone,	5.00
S. H. Walker,	.77
W. H. Giffin, cement,	7.85
C. L. Lyman,	6.60
W. H. Lyman,	5.25
W. N. Nevins,	3.00
A. O. Parker, team,	6.00
W. H. Giffin,	15.65
E. L. Powers, loam,	4.50
Mrs. Kelley, stone,	5.00
H. H. Dickinson,	1.00
Lester Edson,	1.50
W. H. Giffin, plank,	53.60
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	\$ 1,033.21
Appropriation,	\$ 1,100.00

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#### REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00
Received from Wilkinson fund,	5.00
Justice Johnson fund,	5.00
Rindge fund,	2.00
Shumway fund,	2.00
Spooner fund,	1.00
Warner fund,	2.00
Mary Walker fund,	2.00
Chas. Powers' fund,	1.00
Rebecca Spooner fund,	2.00
Merrick Tourtelotte fund,	1.00
Emelia Topliff fund,	1.12

Received from Chas. Record fund,	\$ 1.00	
Amos Blackmer fund,	1.00	
Care of various lots, 1910,	14.00	
Care of H. L. Cutler lot, 1909,	1.00	
Sale of grass,	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 146.12
Paid Geo. E. Nevins and help,	\$ 87.47	
Springfield Foundry, for markers,	11.25	
Freight,	.25	
S. H. Walker, fence wire,	10.62	
W. H. Giffin, posts,	4.92	
F. A. Thayer, painting hearse house,	25.40	
Dr. Sawtelle, secretary,	5.00	
D. M. Hunter, labor,	.75	
Postage,	.46	
	<hr/>	\$ 146.12
Received from Frank Grant for lot,	\$ 5.00	
Frank Parker for lot,	5.00	
Edward T. King, for lot,	5.00	
Paid Town Treasurer,	<hr/>	\$ 15.00
Selectmen gave orders, appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
" " " Int. on funds,	26.12	
	<hr/>	\$ 126.12

DAVID M. HUNTER,	}	<i>Cemetery Commissioners.</i>
B. A. SAWTELLE,		
GEO. E. NEVINS,		

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PATHING SNOW.

Paid William Simmons,	\$ 4.20	
Geo. L. Dickinson,	1.00	
E. P. S. Alden & Son,	3.80	
J. L. Thrasher,	5.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 14.20

## MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

Paid Frank P. Hall, weights and measures,	\$ 13.51
A. H. Bartlett, ballots,	7.90
Lewis H. Blackmer, town reports,	25.60
D. G. Weston, dinners for election officers,	4.75
A. P. Clifford, repairs on Wilcox house,	4.23
Hobbs & Warren, supplies,	4.22
W. H. Glazier, acc't of Hillside school,	5.00
E. H. Root, 3 burials,	9.00
Badger Co., 6 fire extinguishers and extras,	48.00
J. Russell Marble Co., sulphuric acid,	1.80
E. P. Smith & Co., keg B. C. Soda,	2.10
Frank A. Thayer, labor at library,	2.65
R. W. Lyman, transfers,	2.70
C. C. Bagnall, tax book and bills,	1.99
Abel C. Parker, storing scraper,	2.25
W. H. Glazier, copying valuation,	5.00
Daniel Stone & Son, insurance,	17.60
W. H. Glazier, discount on taxes,	65.75
W. H. Giffin, expense to Boston,	7.23
Giffin & Hall, water rent to Oct. 1, 1911,	3.00
F. E. Marsh, dry measure guage,	2.00
Town of Enfield, $\frac{1}{2}$ cost of monuments and setting same,	50.45
W. H. Jones, janitor town hall,	5.00
W. H. Glazier, taxes on cheese factory,	9.80
Frank P. Hall, stamps, stationary etc.,	23.30
Carter Ink Co., $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen record ink,	.75
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\$ 325.58

## SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Willis R. King, collecting taxes 1906,	\$ 40.00
Howard H. Dickinson, auditor 1909,	5.00
George E. Nevins, tree warden,	50.00
C. E. Miller, town clerk,	25.00
" " registrar of voters,	5.00



Paid C. E. Miller, clerks' meeting,	\$ 4.00
"    "    recording births, marriages etc.,	6.00
"    "    money paid out,	5.00
Walter H. Glazier, perambulating lines,	10.00
William H. Giffin,                    "    "	7.50
Edward M. Hunter,                    "    "	2.50
Edward T. King, inspecting animals, 1910.	17.50
Wm. S. Douglass, teller one meeting,	1.50
Wm. Gelling,                    "    "    "	1.50
Oscar King,                    "    two    "	3.00
E. P. S. Alden,                    "    one    "	1.50
Fred M. Thrasher,                    "    "    "	1.50
Fred A. W. Churchill, constable.	3.00
David M. Hunter, election officer,	3.00
Wm. R. Carrick, moderater spring meeting,	2.50
W. H. Walker,                    "    special    "	2.50
Stephen H. Walker, justice.	5.00
Frank P. Hall, treasurer.	30.00
Walter H. Glazier, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor,	60.00
Wm. H. Giffin, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor,	60.00
Edward M. Hunter, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor,	60.00
Edward T. King, inspecting meat,	11.45
David M. Hunter,                    "    "    "	3.00
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	\$ 426.95
Total amount of orders drawn.	\$ 4,105.00

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	} <i>Selectmen</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,	
EDWARD M. HUNTER.	
	<i>of</i>
	<i>Greenwich.</i>

March 1, 1911.

HOWARD H. DICKINSON. *Auditor.*

# Report of Overseers of Poor.

*For the year ending March 1, 1911.*

*To the citizens of Greenwich:*

Chapter 412, Acts 1910, make it unlawful to publish in this report the name of any person who has received aid from this department. We therefore enter each case by number.

## EXPENSES AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME.

Paid Alfred C. King, partial support of No. 3, Feb. 1, 1910, to Feb. 1, 1911,	\$ 170.00	
Wm. H. Giffin, acc't. of No. 3,	5.39	
W. H. Glazier, acc't of No. 3,	3.69	
	<hr/>	\$ 179.08
Paid E. M. Hunter to Amherst, account of No. 4,	\$ 4.43	
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Paid B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., medical atten- dance to No. 5,	\$ 1.25	
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Paid town of Athol, acc't of No. 2,	\$ 35.80	
Wm. H. Giffin, acc't of No. 2.	5.80	
	<hr/>	\$ 41.60
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		\$ 226.36

## EXPENSE AT COOLEY HOME.

Paid F. M. Thresher, salary to Apr. 1, 1910,	\$ 50.00
F. M. Thresher, salary to Feb. 1, 1911,	250.00
F. M. Thresher, miscellaneous,	25.02
F. M. Thresher, pasture rent,	10.00
F. M. Thresher, goods for No. 1,	17.11
H. H. Dickinson, grain,	13.40
H. H. Dickinson, grass seed,	17.41
H. H. Dickinson, groceries,	200.32
F. L. Parker, grain and grinding,	412.44
Roy P. Edson, labor,	178.00
Fox and Casey, horse,	160.00
Fox and Casey, collar,	2.00
F. P. Hall, store bill,	3.33
S. H. Walker, store bill,	3.40
New Salem Creamery Co., butter,	54.30
J. M. Vaughn, meat,	10.24
H. B. Hess, meat,	3.56
C. F. Dyer, planting corn etc.,	3.00
W. R. King, butchering,	3.00
W. R. King, repairing harness,	4.75
T. Severance, stock service,	4.50
Chas. Parker, horse goods,	3.20
Hunter Bros., cutting and drawing ice,	8.00
Geo. E. Phipps, rent of land,	2.00
E. L. Powers, blacksmith bill,	14.38
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill,	2.60
E. T. King, fertilizer,	40.00
E. T. King, balance on cows,	25.00
E. T. King, four pigs,	15.50
B. M. Hall, three pigs,	15.00
Overseers of Poor to Springfield,	9.00
F. A. Thayer, wall paper, etc.,	4.45
F. A. Thayer, labor,	8.31
Daniel Stone & Son, insurance,	20.25
	<hr/> \$ 1,593.47

## INCOME AT COOLEY HOME.

Cream,	\$ 576.28	
Eggs,	107.12	
Potatoes,	105.65	
Poultry,	19.48	
Pork,	55.87	
Cows,	70.00	
Veal,	48.00	
Wood,	37.50	
Sweet corn,	1.50	
Board of Walter Hoyt,	20.30	
Board of James E. White,	180.00	
Transportation of scholars,	288.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,509.70
Net expense at Cooley Home,		\$ 83.77

## INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME.

One horse,	\$ 200.00	
One horse,	175.00	
Six cows,	240.00	
Two two-year olds,	60.00	
Two yearlings,	35.00	
Four swine,	50.00	
Seventy-five fowls,	55.00	
Three and one-half tons hay,	50.00	
Oats and corn fodder,	15.00	
Grain,	100.00	
Potatoes,	75.00	
Provisions,	15.00	
Farming tools,	180.00	
Furniture,	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,300.00

## INMATES FOR THE YEAR.

No. 1,

52 weeks.

No. 2.

10 weeks.

EDWARD M. HUNTER,	) Overseers of Poor.
WALTER H. GLAZIER,	
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,	

# Assessors' Report.

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## TABLE OF AGGREGATES.

Total valuation,	\$ 245,003.00
Total value of real estate,	200,400.00
Total value of personal estate,	44,603.00
Total tax for state, county and town purposes.	3,668.04
Rate per thousand,	14.00
Number of polls assessed,	132
Number of polls exempt,	13
Tax on each poll,	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed,	251
Total number paying tax on property,	227
Total number paying poll tax only,	24
Number of horses assessed,	140
Number of cows assessed,	273
Number of neat cattle other than cows.	91
Number of swine assessed,	37
Number of dwelling houses assessed,	140
Number of fowls assessed,	1,990
Number of acres of land assessed,	11,260

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Assessors</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		<i>of</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER.		<i>Greenwich.</i>

HOWARD H. DICKINSON, *Auditor.*

# Treasurer's Report.

*Statement of Receipts and Expenditures, for the year ending  
March 1, 1911.*

1910.	<i>Dr.</i>	
March 30, To cash in treasury to new acc't,	\$ 1,963.37	
To cash received from Commonwealth, acc't Corporation tax,	.46	
To cash received from Commonwealth, acc't support of sick paupers,	11.75	
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, acc't rent Wilcox House 1909,	30.00	
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, board of James E. White,	180.00	
To cash received from Cemetery Commission- ers, for sale of lots to Frank Grant, Frank L. Parker, and Edward T. King,	15.00	
	—————	\$ 2,200.58
To cash received from Selectmen for auction- eer's license to George L. Hunter,	\$ 1.00	
To cash received from Athol Savings Bank, ( borrowed, )	2,500.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, state highway loan,	200.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, acc't inspection of animals,	8.75	

To cash received from school committee, state reimbursement of school supt.,	\$ 131.58	
To cash received from Commonwealth, state forester's protection against forest fires,	25.95	\$ 2,867.28
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To cash received from Commonwealth, corporation tax, ( public service ),	\$ 13.62	
To cash received from Commonwealth, National Bank tax,	59.88	
To cash received from Commonwealth, state aid,	344.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, burial of indigent soldiers and sailors,	37.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, High school tuition in special cases,	431.00	
To cash received from Maurice Fitzgerald, sheriff, for fine of Harry A. Marsh,	10.00	\$ 895.50
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To cash received from Edwin H. Banister, dog fund refunded,	\$ 69.89	
To cash received from Commonwealth, income Mass. school fund,	1,130.73	
To cash received from town of Enfield, town boundary monument,	2.50	
To cash received from Geo. E. Nevins, old plank sold,	3.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, state highway loan,	500.00	
To cash received from Ware Savings Bank, interest on cemetery funds,	26.12	
To cash received, W. R. King, collector 1906, as interest,	45.32	
To cash received, W. R. King, collector 1907,	270.00	
To cash received, W. R. King, collector 1907, as interest,	67.01	\$ 2,114.57
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To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector 1908,	325.00	



To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector 1909,	\$ 785.00
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector 1910,	2,810.04
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, Cooley Home,	1,041.70
To cash received from Overseers of Poor, transportation money,	288.00
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	\$ 5,249.74
Total,	<hr/>
	\$ 13,327.67

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By paid Athol Savings Bank, note and int.,	\$ 1,537.50
E. H. Banister, county tax,	442.67
Athol Savings Bank, interest,	62.50
State tax,	385.00
J. W. Flint, per order of district court, on account of Harry A. Marsh,	14.06
Assessors' certificate of tax abatement, 1909,	7.16
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	\$ 2,448.89
By paid assessors' certificate of tax abatement, 1910,	\$ 6.00
"          "          "          "          1907,	9.28
Selectmen's orders to date,	4,105.00
Overseers of Poor, orders to date,	1,819.83
School committee's orders to date,	2,715.30
By cash in treasury to balance account,	2,223.37
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	\$ 10,878.78
Total,	<hr/>
	\$ 13,327.67

## TRUST FUNDS FOR ACCOUNT CEMETERY.

## CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

Rindge fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1911,	\$ 13.49
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available \$ 11.49
Wilkinson fund, \$ 300.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1911,	36.19
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available 31.19

Shumway fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1911,	\$ 12.98
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available \$ 10.98
Spooner fund, \$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1911,	6.94
Expended \$ 1.00,	Available 5.94
Warner fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1911,	13.97
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available 11.97
Mary Walker fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1911,	13.64
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available 11.64
Chas. Powers fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1911,	7.70
Expended \$ 1.00,	Available 6.70
Rebecca Spooner fund, \$ 82.65, int. to Jan. 1, 1911,	13.17
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available 11.17
Merrick Tourtelotte fund, 25.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1911,	4.76
Expended \$ 1.00,	Available 3.76
Emelia Topliff fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1911,	13.66
Expended \$ 1.12,	Available 12.54
Justice Johnson fund, \$ 200.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1911,	23.54
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available 18.54
Chas. Record fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1911,	6.80
Expended \$ 1.00,	Available 5.80
Amos Blackmer fund, 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1911,	5.70
Expended \$ 1.00,	Available 4.70
Clara B. Walker fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan, 1, 1911,	9.32
Expended —	Available 9.32

## LIABILITIES.

One note due May 7, 1911,	\$ 1,500.00
One note due Jan. 1, 1912,	500.00
One note due Jan. 1, 1913,	500.00
( The last two were to pay for Edson bridge. )	

## ASSETS.

Amount due on taxes 1908,	\$ 135.00
Amount due on taxes 1909,	513.00

Amount due on taxes 1910,	\$ 858.00
Amount due from Commonwealth, state aid,	388.00
Cash in treasury,	\$ 2,223.37

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL. *Treasurer.*

HOWARD H. DICKINSON, *Auditor.*

# Report of the Trustees of the Free Public Library.

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Number of days library has been opened,	52
books given out,	2,416
magazines given out,	333
books donated from Commission,	1
books donated from friends,	1
books donated from Commonwealth,	4
books purchased,	45
magazines subscribed for,	6
public documents added,	15
Whole number of volumes,	2,458
Circulating department,	2,266
Public documents,	207

Respectfully submitted,

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary.*

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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

### RECEIPTS.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Received from Bailey and Spooner funds,	28.28	
Received from fines,	1.53	
	129.81	\$ 129.81

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid for books,	\$ 45.16	
magazines,	13.60	
freight,	.27	
carrying books,	13.00	
sundries,	.97	
librarian on last year's account,	7.00	
"        "        "        "        "	30.00	
Unexpended balance,	19.81	
	<hr/>	\$ 129.81

## LIBRARY FUNDS.

Stephen P. Bailey fund, in Ware Bank,	\$ 200.00	
Rebecca Spooner fund, in Ware Bank,	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 700.00

WM. S. DOUGLASS,	}	<i>Trustees.</i>
E. P. S. ALDEN,		
WM. H. WALKER,		
AMELIA M. ROOT,		
ALICE THAYER,		
MRS. ELLA WALKER,		

E. P. S. ALDEN, *Treasurer.*

HELEN I. NEVINS, *Librarian.*

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Acheson, Edward G.	A Pathfinder, A Biographical Sketch.	E A9
Beach, Rex.	Going Some.	B38.4
Bennett, Robert Ames.	The Shogun's Daughter.	B44
Bosher, Kate Langley.	Mary Cary.	jB67
Brainard, Norman.	Winning His Shoulder Straps.	jB73
Brown, Abbie Farwell.	John of the Woods.	jB814.2
Casson, Herbert N.	The History of the Telephone.	F C24
Churchill, Winston.	A Modern Chronicle.	C48.6
Cornstock, John H.	Insect Life.	L C73
Connor, Ralph.	The Foreigner.	C76
Dawson, J. W.	Masterman and Son.	D32.2
Eggleston, Geo. Cary.	Westover of Wanalah.	EG48
Forty-Fourth Annual Encampment at Fanuel Hall, Apr. 6, and 7, 1910.		F F77
Gale, Zona.	Friendship Village Love Stories.	G13
Garland, Hamlin.	Main Travelled Roads.	G18.7
Garnett, Lucy M. J.	Home Life in Turkey.	L G19
Grenfell, Wilfred T.	Adrift on an Ice Pan.	F G85
Harris, Corra.	A Circuit Rider's Wife.	H242
Hill Lutz, Grace L.	The Girl from Montana.	H55
King, Basil.	The Inner Shrine.	K57.4
Knowles, Rob't E.	St. Cuthberts.	K75.2

Knowles, Rob't E.	The Undertow.	K75.3
Lincoln, Joseph C.	Keziah Coffin.	L63.4
Major, Charles.	A Gentle Knight of Old Brandenburg.	M28.4
Martin, Helen R.	The Crossways.	M38.4
	Martyrdom of an Empress.	M41
McCall, Sidney.	Red Horse Hill.	M12.3
Melvin Memorial.	Exercises at Dedication.	F M49
Miller, Roman J.	Around the World with the Battleships.	G M61
Montgomery, L. M.	Kihneny of the Orchard.	M77.3
Munn, Charles Clark.	The Castle Builders.	M891.5
Nason, George W.	Minute Men of '61.	E N18
Otis, James.	Mary of Plymouth.	G OT5.3
Otis, James.	Ruth of Boston.	G OT5.4
Phelps, Elizabeth Stuart.	The Oath of Allegiance.	P51.9
Pidgin, Charles Felton.	Quincy Adams Sawyer.	P53.2
Ray, Anna Chapin.	Quickened.	R19
Reed, Myrtle.	Old Rose and Silver.	R26.7
Reed, Myrtle.	Master of the Vineyard.	R26.8
Rickert, Edith.	The Reaper.	R42
Riss, Jacob.	Hero Tales of the Far North.	F R44
Roe, Alfred S.	Monuments, Tablets and other Memo- rials of the War of the Rebellion, 1861-65.	F R62.3
Rolt Wheeler, Francis.	The Boy with the United States' Survey.	jR65
Sidney, Margaret.	A Little Maid of Boston Town.	jSI1.8
Singmaster, Elsie.	When Sarah Saved the Day.	jSI4
Stratemyer, Edward.	Dave Porter at Star Ranch.	jST5.17
Talbot, Ethelbert.	My People of the Plains.	GT13
Taggart, Marion Ames.	Betty Gaston the Seventh Girl.	jT12.7
Tappan, Eva Marsh.	Letters from Colonial Children.	FT13
Thompson, Slason.	The Railway Library.	GT38
Tracy, Louis.	The Wings of the Morning.	T67
Valentine, C. S.	How to Keep Hens for Profit.	L V21
Ward, Mrs. Humphrey.	Lady Merton, Colonist.	W61.6
Woods, Kate Tannatt.	Doctor Dick.	jW73.2

Wright, Harold Bell.	The Calling of Dan Mathews.	W92a
Wyss, David.	The Swiss Family Robinson.	jW99

The Woman's Education Association has loaned us this year a traveling library of thirty-five books, a catalogue of which can be had at the library. They also loaned us a set of pictures which were interesting to the children.

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# Annual Report

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

Greenwich, Mass.,

For the year ending March 7, 1911.

F. P. HALL, CHAIRMAN,

W. R. CARRICK, SECRETARY,

C. B. COIT,

Term Expires 1911.

Term Expires 1913.

Term Expires 1912.

*To the Citizens of Greenwich :*

We respectfully submit the following report, together with the report of Charles Clay, Superintendent of Schools.

## Financial Statement.

Income from state school fund,	\$ 1,130.73	
Income from state school fund, last year,	266.16	
From state, on account of superintendent,	131.58	
	\$ 1,528.47	
Expended,		1,279.30
Unexpended,		\$ 249.17
Received from town,	\$ 975.00	
Reimbursement of High School tuition,	431.00	
Interest on Sabin school fund,	30.00	
	\$ 1,436.00	
Expended,		\$ 1,436.00

### TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Marion Kelley,	\$ 408.00	
Anna Kinsley,	288.00	
Anna Porter,	144.00	
	\$ 840.00	

### TRANSPORTATION.

Overseers of Poor,	\$ 288.00	
H. R. Lego,	216.00	
F. F. Foley,	162.00	
Lyman Jones,	87.00	
F. P. Hall,	5.50	
	\$ 758.50	

## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

Springfield,	\$ 240.00	
Athol,	231.00	
New Salem,	80.00	
Palmer,	17.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 568.50
On account of Union Superintendent,	\$ 156.68	
Books and supplies,	139.15	
Care of school rooms and grounds,	54.65	
Frank Thayer, painting,	44.15	
Wood,	41.90	
Committee's salaries,	40.00	
F. P. Hall, for paint,	30.77	
Iron fence,	24.75	
Census,	5.00	
Water rent,	4.75	
B. A. Sawtelle, professional service,	3.50	
Tuning piano,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 548.30
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		\$ 2,715.30

H. H. DICKINSON, *Auditor.*

# Report of Superintendent of Schools.

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*To the School Committee and Citizens of Greenwich :*

I herewith present my first annual report as your superintendent of schools for the fiscal year ending March 4, 1911, the same also being the ninth in the series of superintendent's reports for this union.

## SOME STATISTICS. \*

Population, census 1910, 452

### SCHOOL CENSUS.

Number of children between 5 and 15 years ; boys 48, girls 33, total 81.

Number of children between 7 and 14 years ; boys 40, girls 24, total 64.

Illiterate minors over 14 ; boys 0, girls 0, total 0

Number of schoolhouses in town, 3

Number of schoolhouses occupied, 2

Number of schools, 2

Number of different teachers during the year, 3

### EYE AND EAR TESTS, DECEMBER, 1910.

Number of pupils enrolled, 45

Number found defective in sight, 6

Number found defective in hearing, 0

Number of parents or guardians notified, 5

\* For the year ending June 30, 1910.

Actual length of school, 8 months, 18.5 days.

## SUPERVISION AND TEACHERS.

My work began April 1st ; I took up the supervision of the schools where my predecessor laid it down, and have carried it on without any material innovations. I found the schools in session and doing good work under the following teachers : Miss Anna M. Porter at the village, and Miss Marion E. Kelley at the Plains. The schools continued uninterruptedly to the end of the term, closing with graduating exercises, June 15th.

I often wonder how teachers of such " mixed " schools can accomplish so much ; years ago, I taught a similar school with as many pupils as in our two, but I should shrink from the undertaking in these days ; if attempted, I think my program would be upon " the go as you please " order, beginning in the morning where we left off the day before.

It was no surprise that Miss Porter could not be induced to return in the fall. We were extremely fortunate in finding, however, a teacher, Miss Annie D. Kinsley, who has proved herself equal to the task at hand. Miss Kelley continued at the Plains school, much to the benefit of all concerned. Neither of the schools are quite as large as last year.

## SPECIAL TEACHERS.

It is to be regretted that we have been unable to make any provision for supervisors in drawing and music ; at one time, it was expected that an arrangement was perfected with the Hillside school, but it fell through. A day once in two weeks for these subjects would meet our needs ; meanwhile, the regular teachers are doing what they can.

## INTRODUCTIONS.

There never was a time when so many successful men and women in the teaching profession were studying to perfect " the tools " of education as well as its methods ; consequently, text-books have never been made so attractive, and so well adjusted to the unfolding minds of the little people as they are to-day.

Fairbank's " Home Geography " has been put into the 4th grade as a " starter " in that subject ; " Number by develop-

ment" introduces the child "to figures" by causing him to see and handle objects, thus making the work something besides mere words; the "Palmer System of Penmanship" puts the pupil in line with the prevailing slant style and the muscular movement taught in all commercial schools; "The Aldine Method" of learning to read makes this greatest task of the beginner at school both delightful and expeditious.

### TEACHERS' MEETINGS.

Presumably, your former superintendents held teachers' meetings. The small number of teachers in each of the several towns of the district and the difficulty of getting them together, has led me to adopt a different course. On the Saturday following the beginning of each term, it is my purpose to hold a meeting of the teachers and committees of the district. We have had two such gatherings, the first at North Dana, Sept. 10, and the second at Millington, Jan. 14.

At each meeting we intend to have two speakers from "outside," some teaching exercises, a display of pupils' work from each school, and such "suggestions for the good of the order" by the superintendent, as time permits. The two meetings we have held were both enjoyable and profitable. All interested in the work of the schools and the public welfare are always most cordially invited to attend, and to share in the exercises.

### ATTENDANCE.

The most discouraging feature about some schools is an habitual low per cent of attendance. Most teachers realize that the register of the school is the thermometer that records her ability as a teacher to the eye of a stranger at least. Sometimes it is impossible for the teacher, however good, to overcome the indifference of parents as to the desirability of the regular attendance of their children.

During the spring term a school in one of "the remote corners" of the district had only half-day absent marks, no one tardy, no one dismissed. What was possible in this school should be possible in every school of this town. A death in the

family, and real sickness of the pupil are the only valid excuses for absence. A year ago a law was enacted requiring thrift to be taught in the schools of the state ; everyone will concede that punctuality is an essential element of thrift, and that the youth or the adult who is often absent from his work, or tardy in meeting his obligations, is not usually thrifty.

The per cent of attendance marks the " value received " for the money expended ; if the per cent is 83, it means that out of every dollar expended 17 cents has been wasted, or lost, or thrown away. At the beginning of each month an attendance sheet is made up, on which record of each school in the district is compared with every other school of the town, and also of the district ; it has awakened no little interest among the different schools.

### INDUSTRIAL LINES.

There is no topic that so much absorbs the thought and speech of educators, and is of so much interest to every individual of the community, " at home and abroad, " as the topic of industrial education. It has already become a generally accepted idea " that industrial training is properly a part of public school education, and, as such, should receive the attention and support of the state. " How best to carry out this idea, how, " to articulate industrial training with the present public school system, to modify the course of study in elementary and high schools, while preserving the essential elements of the present system, " is what educators are studying.

Efforts toward this adjustment are to be seen in some of the rural schools about us ; some work in sewing shown by two schools at the Millington meeting commanded the commendation of those present. State agent Warren says, " Among the results clearly in evidence at this time of the attempts to emphasize in school some of the fundamentals of life are : --

Better attendance.

More rapid progress in regular studies.

Greater public interest in the schools.

Added respect for woman's work, agriculture and manual labor."

I am hoping "to try out" the above statement in our schools before the year ends.

#### A GIFT.

Recently, Mr. H. B. Roberts has given us some fifty text books for use in the schools; while these books are not by the same authors as those we have, they will be very useful for reference. We are grateful for his kindness.

#### AN IMPORTANT VOTE.

It was passed in committee meeting March 1, "Pupils must creditably complete a course of nine years to be entitled to a diploma; however, if a pupil passes the examination at the end of the eighth year and gains an average of eighty-five per cent, upon request by his parent or guardian, he may be given a certificate which will probably admit him to high schools receiving applicants upon certification by school boards."

#### IN CONCLUSION.

I wish to make public record of my sincere thanks for the uniform courtesy, the cordial support, and the hearty co-operation given to me by the committee, the teachers, and the good people of Greenwich. I appreciate these things, coming among you an entire stranger, and it is my desire, and will be my constant endeavor to serve you to the best of my ability.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. CLAY.

North Dana, Mass., March 6, 1911.



## ROLL OF HONOR.

( Figures denote number of terms perfect in attendance : i. e., neither absent, tardy, nor dismissed. )

## VILLAGE.

Allen, Helen M.	2	Lego, Raymond	1
Allen, Kenneth	2	Parker, Doris	1
King, Stanwood	1	Reed, Ruth	1
Lego, Frederick	1	White, Harold	1

## PLAINS.

Brown, Rebecca	1	Lyman, Eva	1
Walker, Ella	1		

## LIST OF TEACHERS.

SCHOOL	NAME	WHERE EDUCATED	WAGES
The Village	Anna M. Porter *	North Adams Normal	\$ 44.00
“ “	Annie D. Kinsley	Fitchburg Normal	48.00
The Plains	Marion E. Kelley	Worcester Normal	44.00

\* Spring term

## SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1911-1912.

1911.

- March 3, Winter term ends.
- March 20, Spring term begins.
- April 19 and May 30, Holidays.
- June 9, Spring term closes, - 12 weeks.
- Sept. 5, Fall term begins.
- Oct. 12, Holiday.
- Nov. 18, Thanksgiving recess.
- Nov. 27, Fall term continues.
- Dec. 1, Fall term ends, - 12 weeks.
- Dec. 4, Winter term begins.

Dec. 22, Christmas recess.

1912.

Jan. 1, Winter term continues.

Feb. 22, Holiday.

March 1, Winter term ends, - 12 weeks.

March 18, Spring term begins.

# Graduation Program

OF THE

## Greenwich Schools

At Farmers' Hall      Greenwich Village

Wednesday, June 15, 1910

At 8.00 P. M.

1. MARCH
2. INVOCATION
3. SONG "Voices of the Woods" *Rubinstein*
4. RECITATION "Charge of the Light Brigade"  
DOROTHY ROBERTS
5. ESSAY "The Good Old Days and Now"  
ED. DICKINSON
6. RECITATION "A Boy's Troubles"  
PETER BILLINGS
7. RECITATION "Selection from Snowbound"  
LESTER EVERETT HALL
8. RECITATION "The King and the Cottage"  
MILDRED NEVINS
9. RECITATION "Curfew Must Not Ring To-Night"  
MABEL EDSON
10. SONG "Out on the Deep" *Lohr*
11. RECITATION "An Axe to Grind"  
LAWRENCE KING
12. RECITATION "To a Fringed Gentian"  
EDNA GELLING
13. ESSAY "Footprints on North America"  
WINFRED NEVINS
14. RECITATION "The Neglected Pattern"  
ISABEL DESPIN
15. RECITATION "Our Jennie's History Lesson"  
RUTH REED

16. ESSAY "Visions of School Days"  
HELEN ALDEN
17. RECITATION "The Bridge"  
JUNE PULSIPHER
18. RECITATION "Hans and Fritz"  
STANLEY WHEELER
19. RECITATION "The Lightkeeper's Daughter"  
RUBY JONES
20. RECITATION "The Daffodils"  
VALMORE PULSIPHER
21. RECITATION "Dreams"  
DORIS PARKER
22. SONG "King of the Night" *Marshall*
23. PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

## GRADUATES

HELEN MAY ALDEN                      LAWRENCE TAYLOR KING  
EDWARD SAMUEL DICKINSON        WINFRED MERRILL NEVINS  
LESTER EVERETT HALL

Colors: Pink and White

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 STATISTICS.

Total enrollment,	51
Supplementary enrollment,	8
Total membership,	52.7
Average membership,	51.7
Average attendance,	48.3
Per cent of attendance,	93.4
Number of pupils enrolled under 5 years of age,	0
"  between 5 and 15 years,	48
"  "  7 and 14 years,	37
"  over 15 years,	6

Number of visits by school committee.	3
“ “ “ “ superintendents,	31
“ “ “ “ others,	82

For the year ending March 4, 1911.

Total enrollment,	50
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Number enrolled in January :	Village	Plains
Grade I ;	3	3
“ II ;	2	2
“ III ;	3	4
“ IV ;	0	5
“ V ;	5	3
“ VI ;	4	4
“ VII ;	6	1
“ VIII ;	0	2

Number of boys, 27 ; girls, 20.

Average membership,	Village, 25.3 ;	Plains, 23.6
Average attendance,	“ 24.5 ;	“ 20.1
Per cent of attendance,	“ 96.8 ;	“ 85.2
Number of visits by committee,		3
Number of visits by superintendent,		43
By others,		79

PUPILS WHO HAVE ATTENDED HIGH SCHOOLS.

Name	Grade	Place
Billings, Frank W.		Athol
Janus, Mamie	XII	“
King, Lawrence T.	X	“
Parker, Lowell K.	XI	“
Thresher, Esther A.	XII	“
Thresher, Samuel E.	XI	“
Walker, Laura E.	XI	“
Sawtelle, Howard	XII	New Salem
Lyman, Clarence	X	“ “
Wright, Clara	XI	“ “
Schermerhorn, Maurice		Springfield Central
LeWolf, Amelia		Springfield Technical
Nevins, Winfred M.	X	Springfield Technical

# Town Warrant.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To C. E. Miller, Constable of the town of Greenwich,*

## GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the twenty-seventh day of March, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of the Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, and three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year. Also on same ballot to vote " Yes " or " No " in answer to the question : Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town.

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on taxes after a certain date, and fix the rate, also to see if the town will allow a discount on taxes if paid on or before a certain date.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the current municipal year beginning April 1, 1911, in anticipation of the taxes for said municipal year such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the current expenses of the town, giving the note, or notes of the town therefor.

ART. 9. To see if the town will accept the change in the boundary line between the towns of Greenwich and Dana as proposed by the Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of additional forest fire apparatus.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown-tail moths.

The polls will be opened at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich, seven days at least, before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon to the town clerk, on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1911.

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		
		<i>of</i>
		<i>Greenwich.</i>





Assessors' Valuation List  
AND  
Annual Reports  
OF THE  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF  
GREENWICH

FOR THE  
Year Ending March 1, 1912

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BELCHERTOWN, MASS. :  
PRESS OF LEWIS H. BLACKMER,  
1912.

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STATE DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Mass  
Cities*

## Valuation and Taxes.

State tax,	\$ 385.00
County tax,	377.37
Town grant and note,	2,900.00
Overlayings upon all taxes,	142.97
Rate of taxation per \$ 1000,	14.00

### PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

Congregational Church,	\$ 3,100.00
Independent Liberal Church,	2,050.00
Soldiers' exemption,	6,215.00
Women worth less than \$ 1,000,	4,070.00

### TABLE OF AGGREGATES.

Total valuation,	\$ 255,667.00
Total value of real estate,	211,015.00
Total value of personal estate,	44,652.00
Total tax for state, county and town purposes,	\$ 3,805.34
Number of polls assessed,	126
Number of polls exempt,	13
Tax on each poll,	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed,	255
Total number paying tax on property,	226
Total number paying tax on poll only,	29
Number of horses assessed,	140
Number of cows assessed,	254
Number of neat cattle other than cows,	89
Number of swine assessed,	46
Number of dwelling houses assessed,	138
Number of fowls assessed,	2,770
Number of acres of land assessed,	11,347

EXPLANATORY: In following pages "o. p." means other personal.

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Assessors of Greenwich.</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		

Names.	Valuation.	Total.	Tax.
Alden Ezra P. S. & Son.	2 horses 150, 5 cows 185, 2 two yr. 50, 1 yearling 15, 400. 2 houses 400, 1 barn 300, 1 corn and carriage house 50, farm 60a 750, 1500.	1900	26.60
Alden Ezra P. S.	Poll.		2.00
Aken John F.	Poll. house 400, barn 300, hen house 25, house lot 2a 150.	875	14.25
Alden Wm. T.	House 500, house lot 2a 100, Ex.		
Brooks Burt V.	Poll. house 200, barn 75, hen house 25, farm 20a 150.	450	8.30
Billings Joseph.	Poll. 2 horses 125, 10 cows 300, 425. House 200, barn 200, farm 20a 150, Haskell lot 60a 600, Hannum lot 24a 100, Sears lot 30a 250, West or Fuller lot 30a 250,	2175	32.45
Billings John.	Poll.		2.00
Billings Mrs. Catherine.	House 150, barn 50, farm 36a 300.	500	7.00
Bacon John.	Poll. house 100, barn 25, house lot 1a 50.	175	4.45
Bacon Herbert.	Poll.		2.00
Blackmer Mrs. A. H.	House 550, barn 200, farm 25a 250.	1000	14.00
Barlow Frank N.	2 Polls. house 100, 8 cows 260, 1 yearling 20, 170 fowls 85, 465. House 300, barn 200, 2 hen houses 100, farm 80a 1000.	2065	32.91
Bishop Mrs. Lilla.	House 700, barn 200, house lot 3½a 200, Leonard lot 12a 50.	1150	16.10
Beals Nathan A.	Cow 25, house 250, 2 barns 150, farm 40a 400. Ex.		
Beals Leroy.	Horse 100, house 70, Morgan lot 10a 100. Ex.		
Cutter Daniel S.	Poll. o. p. 100.	100	3.40
Carrick Wm. R.	Poll. 4 horses 200, 4 cows 100, 120 fowls 60, 360. House 500, barn 100, hen house 25, farm 75a 500.	1485	22.79
Churchill Fred W.	Poll.		2.00
Churchill Mrs. F. B.	2 horses 150, 6 cows 210, 1 two year old 25, 1 swine 10, 395. House 250, barn 250, farm 200a 1000.	2053	26.53
Churchill Fred A. W.	Poll, o. p. 100.	100	3.40
Caswell Mylon E.	Poll, horse 100, cow 35, 135. House 750, barn 100, house lot ½a 50.	1035	16.49
Clark Mrs. Naomi E.	3 horses 250, 10 cows 300, 8 yearlings 160, 1 swine 20, 730.		

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house 350, barn 450, store house 100, farm 80a 950, Shaw lot 23a 250, Amos Clark farm 100a 600.		3430	48.02
Clifford A. P. Exempt.			
Clifford Mrs. A. P. Cottage 300, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100. Exempt.			
Clifford Mrs. Effie. House 50, house lot 10a 50. Exempt.			
Clark James T. Horse 25, cow 25, yearling 15, 65. House 100, barn 50, farm 20a 100. Exempt.			
Comee Mrs. Etta. House 475, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25. Exempt.			
Clifford Carl M. Poll.			2.00
Clifford Lucy M. House 150, barn 75, farm 7a 75.		300	4.20
Clifford Rutherford A. Poll, horse 50, buggy 25, 75. Boat house 25, Pond lot 18a 80.		180	4.52
Coit Charles B. Poll, 2 horses 150, 2 cows 70, 1 two yr. 30, 1 yearling 8, 258. House 750, barn 200, hen house 50, Alden house 200, Alden barn 150, wagon house 50, Alden farm 50a 800, house lot 1a 50, Pierce lot 30a 500, Earle lot 4a 50.		3058	44.81
Coit Edgar W. Poll.			2.00
Cheese Manufacturing Co. Factory 650, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50.		700	9.80
Chamberlin Mrs. Augusta. House 2000, house lot $\frac{3}{8}$ a 100.		2100	29.40
Chapman Trelawney C. Horse 50, cow 25, 1 two yr. 20, 2 swine 15, 110. House 200, barn 175, hen house 100, farm 100a 525.		1110	15.50
Drinkwater Chas. A. Poll, 2 horses 75, 3 cows 90, 570 fowls 285, o. p. 100, 550. 2 houses 300, barn 100, 6 hen houses 150, farm 200a 1000.		2100	31.40
Douglas Wm. S. Poll, horse 75, cow 25, 100. House 750, barn 300, shop 100, farm 50a 750.		2000	30.00
Duncan Mrs. Mary J. House 600, barn 150, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50. Exempt.			
Dyer Chas. F. Poll.			2.00
Douglas Miss C. C. House 650, barn 150, house lot 1a 100, 900.		900	12.60
Dickinson Howard H. Poll, stock in trade 1000, 1 horse 75, 1075. House 250, barn 200, house lot 2a 50.		1575	24.05
DeWolf D. B. Poll.			2.00

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DeWolf Amelia D.	Horse 25, 1 cow 25, 2 swine 10, 60. House 900, barn 500, farm 65a 500	1960	27.44
Dickinson Geo. L. Jr.	Poll.		2.00
Edson Mrs. Carrie.	Horse 50, 4 cows 120, 2 swine 25, 195. House 200, barn 150, farm 84a 500, Plain lot 25a 50. Ex.		
Edson Roy P.	Poll.		2.00
Fewell Edgar O.	Poll, horse 125, 2 cows 70, 195. Land $\frac{1}{2}$ a 15.	210	4.94
Felton Webster F.	Poll, horse 100, 7 cows 240, 60 fowls 30, 370. House 150, barn 250, hen house and shed 50, farm 65a 550, Pomeroy lot 16a 300.	1670	25.38
Foley Francis F. heirs or devisees.	House 350, barn 200, farm 12a 225, Plain lot 8a 150.	925	12.95
Foley Fred F.	Poll, cow 30, 50 fowls 25.	55	2.77
Fuller Dr. Geo. A.	Poll, house 950, barn 100, house lot $1\frac{1}{2}$ a 150, Parker lot $\frac{5}{8}$ a 100.	1300	20.20
Gray Adonijah L.	Poll, 2 horses 125, 11 cows 300, 2 two yr. 50, 5 yearlings 75, 550. House 200, barn 350, ice and corn house 75, farm 100a 1175.	2350	34.90
Gould Mrs. Eliza.	House 450, office building 50, barn 150, house lot 2a 200, Rogers lots $\frac{3}{8}$ a 40, Ex. 500.	390	5.46
Glazier Walter H.	Poll, horse 40, 3 cows 75, 1 two yr. 20, 20 fowls 10, o. p. 150, 295. House 300, barn 200, hen house 50, farm 150a 1450.	2295	34.13
Giffin & Hall.	o. p. 500.	500	7.00
Giffin Wm. H.	Poll, stock in trade 750, horse 75, 825. House 750, barn 100, shop 50, Bacon house 50, Hoyt house 600, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, Bacon house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 75, Hoyt house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, Woods lot 8a 200.	2750	40.50
Gamwell Geo. M.	Poll. house 400, barn 50, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50.	500	9.00
Graves Roy L.	Poll. o. p. 100.	100	3.40
Graves Ruth.	Horse 50, cow 25, 2 yearlings 40, house 200, barn 150, farm 115a 650.	1115	15.61
Graves Lewis.	Poll.		2.00
Gelling Wm. A.	Poll.		2.00
Hunter Austin.	Poll. 3 horses 250, 21 cows 675, 1 two yr. 25, 7 yearlings 120, 7 swine 105, 90 fowls 45, 1220. 2 houses 750, 2 barns 700, wood house 50, wagon house 50, hen		

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house 25, farm 265a 4000, Plain lot 7a 100, Northam lot 50a 300, Bond lot 12a 150, Swamp lot 13a 25.		7370	105.18
Hunter Edward M. Poll, horse 150, Manley lot 30a 300, Pomeroy lot 12a 100, old grove lot 25a 100.		650	11.10
Hunter David M. Poll.			2.00
Hunter Henry E. Poll.			2.00
Hunter Harry E. Poll.			2.00
Haskell Jennie D. house lot $\frac{1}{8}$ a 75.		75	1.05
Hunter Geo.L. Poll, 2 horses 125, 3 cows 75, 1 yearling 20, 2 swine 20, 30 fowls 15, 255. House 250, barn 300, shop 100, farm 40a 400, Ayers lot 10a 100, Phipps lot 15a 150.		1555	23.77
Haskell Mrs. Edward P. House 350, barn 50, house lot 2a 200. Ex.			
Hall Frank P. Poll, stock in trade 3000, horse 75, 1 swine 20, 3095. Post Office store and tenement 2400, store site $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100.		5595	80.33
Hall Mrs. Luella C. House 1600, barn 300, house lot $1\frac{1}{2}$ a 100.		2000	28.00
Harris Mrs. M. N. Horse 25, cow 25.		50	.70
Harrington Miss Martha. Horse 50, house 300, barn 150, 2 sheds 50, farm 30a 300, Double-day lot 14a 300.		1170	16.10
Harrington Clinton P. heirs or devisees. Whitcomb lot 2a 25, Tourtelotte lot 27a 300, Hemmingway lot 10a 75, Plain lot 15a 75, Shaw lot 2a 25, Estey farm 38a 500.		1000	14.00
Heggerty Patrick. Poll, horse 75, 2 cows 70, 2 yearlings 40, 185. House 150, barn 100, farm 65a 450.		885	14.39
Hillside School. 3 horses 200, 10 cows 350, 1 yearling 15, 3 swine 40, 170 fowls 70, o. p. 50, 625. House 400, barn 2000, hen house 25, wood house 75, school building 300, Sanborn cottage 5000. Silo 150, farm 55a 200, Spooner meadow 10a 125. Ox bow 7a 75, Sears farm 100a 400.		9375	131.25
Jones Chas. L. Poll, o. p. 50, 3 horses 200, 11 cows 385, 1 two yr. 25, 3 yearlings 50.		710	11.94
Jones Mrs. Elizabeth M. House 250, 2 barns 400, hen house 50, farm 50a 550.		1250	17.50
Januszajtis Anthony. Poll, 2 horses 125, 2 steers 35, 8 cows 200, 1 two yr. 30, 5 yearlings 75 13 sheep 40, 2 swine 20, o. p. 100, 625.			

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	House 250, barn 250, shed 25, silo 100, farm 155a 800, Lincoln farm 100a 450.	2475	37.00
Johnston Henry D.	Poll.		2.00
Johnston Mrs. Fannie L.	Stock in trade 500, horse 100, cow 35, 450 fowls 225, 500 pigeons 300, 1160. House 400, barn 200, hen house 200, store house 200, wagon house 100, house lot 4a 200, Powers lot 8a 75.	2535	35.49
Jones Wm. H.	Poll.		2.00
Jones Mrs. Wm. H.	220 fowls 110, house 275, barn 100, hen house 75, house lot 2a 125.	685	9.59
King Oscar A.	Poll.		2.00
Kelley Mrs. & Misses Nellie & Lillian.	Horse 25, 100 fowls 50, 75. House 800, barn 400, house lot 4a 200, Towne lot 30a 300.	1775	24.85
Kelley Lillian.	Cottage 200, Douglas lot 20a 800, Walker lot 30a 250.	1250	17.50
Kelley Nellie.	Plain lot 18a 300.	300	4.20
King Willis R.	Poll, stock in trade 50, horse 75, o. p. 75.	200	4.80
King John H.	Poll, horse 75.	75	3.05
King Arthur W.	Poll.		2.00
King Alfred C.	Poll, horse 150, 2 cows 60, 210. House 300, barn 100, farm 56a 350.	960	15.44
King Mrs. C. H.	House 350, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50. Ex.		
King Edward T.	Poll, stock in trade 500, o. p. 100, 17 horses 1275, 2 oxen 150, 10 cows 300, 4 swine 50, 2375. Farm barn 150, store house 25, Wheeler house 400, Wheeler barn 100, Wheeler shop 325, Powers house 1100, Powers barn 100, Clifford house 200, Clifford barn 200, hay barn 150, farm 33a 300, Wheeler farm 17a 850, shop site $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, Powers house lot 15a 150, Clifford house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, Hotel lot 25a 150, Douglass lot 54a 250, Haskell lot 4a 35, Davis lot 2a 25, Russell lot 16a 250, school house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, Ayers, Fewell & Brooks lot 60a 400, Abbott lot 12a 600, Alden lot 33a 650, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, Cutter lot 36a 750, Jones meadow 3a 75.	9735	138.29
Kent Hurlbert.	Poll, horse 100, house 150, barn 150, farm 50a 450.	850	13.90
Kitt Frank.	Poll.		2.00
Lincoln John V.	Poll, horse 50, 5 cows 155, 2 two yr. 45, 1 yearling 15, 265. House 200, Barn 200, shed 75, farm 28a 400, Sly lot 10a		



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	75, Bruce lot 40a 250, Olds lot 10a 50, Sturt- evant lot 31a 300.	1815	27.41
Leonard Chas. E.	Poll, cow 15, house 150, barn 50, farm 40a 300.	515	9.21
Litch Mrs. Ella.	House 250, barn 100, store house 50, farm 20a 300.	700	9.80
Loux Geo. B.	Poll, 2 horses 150, 12 cows 390, 540. House 400, barn 400, shed 50, silo 100, farm 100a 900.	2390	35.46
Lyman Henry M.	Poll, 2 horses 50, 1 cow 35, 2 yearlings 30, 115. House 150, barn 150, farm 95a 400.	815	13.41
Lego Henry R.	Poll, horse 75, cow 35, yearling 15, 270 fowls 135, o. p. 50, 310. House 150, barn 100, hen houses 125, farm 75a 500.	1785	18.59
Lavean Chas.	Poll. horse 100, cow 30, yearling 15, 145. House 250, barn 100, farm 100a 400.	895	14.53
Lurgess Frank W.	Poll, stock in trade 200, 3 horses 300, 1 swine 15, 515. Hotel house 1500, Hotel barn 500, farm 11a 500.	3015	44.21
Miller Clarence E.	Poll, house 550, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, Sprout lot 11a 200.	800	13.20
Moore Emory A.	Poll, stock in trade 200, black- smith shop 800, shop site 50.	1050	16.70
Moore Mrs. Emory A.	House 650, house lot $\frac{1}{8}$ a 50.	700	9.80
Moore C. A.	Poll, o. p 150, wood lot 50a 800.	950	15.30
Mason Geo. H.	Poll, 2 horses 125, 6 cows 180, 1 two yr. 20, 2 swine 30, 355.	355	6.97
Mason George L.	Poll, o. p. 350.	350	6.90
Moline Andrew J.	Poll.		2.00
Morgan Mrs. Nancy.	3 horses 150, 2 colts 75, 19 cows 570, 1 yearling 25, 5 swine 50, 50 fowls 25, o. p. 50, 945. House 300, barn 400, store house 100, hen house 25, silo 150, farm 142a 1400, Plain lot 76a 350.	3670	51.38
Newton Eugene H.	Poll.		2.00
Nevins George E.	Poll, horse 50, cow 25, 75. House 400, barn 100, shop 25, house lot 6a 100, Johnson lot 25a 200, Gibbs lot 7a 50.	950	15.30
Nevins Mrs. & Miss.	House 700, barn 100, house lot 1a 100. Exempt.		
Powers John.	Poll, stock in trade 200, o. p. 200, 2 horses 150, 2 cows 65, 2 two yr. 50, 1 yearling 15, 2 swine 20, 100 fowls 50, 750.		

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	House 250, barn 125, hen house 50, saw mill 110, Barrows barn 50, Doubleday house 150, barn 75, farm 75a 450, mill site and lot 2½a 125, Barrows farm 140a 850, pasture and wood land 30a 500, Brown lot 25a 100, Nutting lot 25a 500, Doubleday farm 27a 225.	4100	59.40
Powers Frank C.	Poll, cow 35, yearling 25, 60. House 250, barn 150, corn and hen house 50, farm 30a 600, Manley lot 50a 150, Sprout lot 3a 100, Russell lot 12a 200.	1560	23.84
Parker Miss Lucy A.	House 750, wood house 50, house lot 3a 200.	1000	14.00
Powers Mrs. Elmer L.	2 horses 100, yearling 10, 1 swine 10, 120. House 200, barn 100, shop 100, farm 30a 150, building lots ½a 50.	720	10.08
Powers Elmer L.	Poll, stock in trade 100.	100	3.40
Parkhurst Pliny.	Poll, horse 50, house 500, barn 100, hen house 25, house lot ½a 50, farm 13a 700.	1425	21.95
Phipps Geo. E.	Poll, stock in trade 500, 2 horses 150, 650. House 150, 2 barns 100, farm 45a 300, Felton farm 80a 320.	1520	23.28
Parker Abel O.	Poll, 3 horses 225, 4 cows 140, 6 two yr. 150, 5 yearlings 75, 590. Bailey barn 150, Bailey lot 30a 550, farm lot 5a 150, Bailey hill 100a 300, Lincoln lot 75a 500, Spooner lot 5a 250.	2490	36.86
Parker Mrs. Abel O.	House 600, barn 200, carriage house 50, house lot 2½a 150.	1000	14.00
Parker Webster M.	Poll, horse 75, o. p. 25, 100.		3.40
Parker Frank L.	Poll, stock in trade 1750, 2 horses 150, 70 fowls 35, o. p. 1000, 2935. House 1000, barn 350, Morse house 200, Morse barn 50, house lot ¼a 50, Morse lot 2a 200.	4785	68.99
Pomeroy Arthur H.	Horse 25, cow 25, 150 fowls 75. Exempt.		
Pomeroy Emeline.	House 300, barn 300, hen houses 100, farm 120a 800, Bond lot 8a 25.	1525	21.35
Pulsiphur Valmore O.	Poll, horse 75, 3 cows 90, 5 two yr. 125, 2 swine 15, 20 fowls 10, 315. House 200, barn 100, corn house 25, hen house 25, farm 90a 850.	1515	23.21
Pattrell Jennie A.	Cow 25, house 100, barn 50, farm 9a 150. Exempt.		

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Richards Jas. L.	Poll.		2.00
Richards Mrs. Mary L.	Horse 75, 3 cows 75, 150. House 200, barn 150, farm 81a 850.	1350	18.90
Rice Lyman R.	Poll, horse 75, o. p. 25, 100. House 700, barn 200, shed 25, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, Fuller lot 18a 175.	1300	20.20
Root Elliott.	Poll, 2 horses 100.	100	3.40
Root Mrs. Mary A.	House 175, barn 100, shop 75, house lot 10a 100.	450	6.30
Root Albert L.	Poll, horse 75, house 275, barn and shed 200, house lot 3a 75, Doake lot 26a 100, Pomeroy lot 10a 25.	750	12.50
Root Mrs. Lucinda and others.	House 350, barn 200, hen house 25, farm 80, 700, Potter lot 20a 300, 1575. $\frac{1}{3}$ Ex.	1050	14.70
Root Miss Amelia M.	House 150, barn 100, farm 140a 700, Hartwell lot 75a 500, 12a lot 300.	1750	24.50
Rogers Frank.	Poll, house 150, barn 75, farm 17a 175.	400	7.60
Randall Edwin H.	Poll.		2.00
Stevens Albert A.	Poll, house 400, house lot 1a 50.	450	8.30
Sibley Mrs. Mary E.	Farm 60a 500, Pierce meadow 4a 20.	520	7.28
Severance Thomas.	Poll, 2 horses 150, 4 cows 140, 1 two yr. 40, 330. House 200, barn 200, farm 120a 700.	1430	22.02
Simmons Wm.	Poll, 2 horses 175, cow 25, 30 fowls 15, 215. House 200, barn 100, hen house 25, farm 100a 1200.	1740	26.36
Society Congregational.	House 600, barn 50, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50.	700	9.80
Society Ind. Liberal.	Barn 225, barn lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 25.	225	3.50
Schmerhorn Sheldon A.	Poll, horse 100, 4 cows 140, 240. House 300, barn 200, farm 50a 600.	1340	20.76
Snow Alden A.	Poll, horse 25, cow 35, 60. House 1500, barn 300, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100.	1960	29.44
Sawtelle Benj. A.	Poll, 2 horses 100, 2 cows 65, 3 swine 25.	190	4.66
Sawtelle Elizabeth C.	House 600, barn 100, farm 26a 300.	1000	14.00
Stone J. Madison.	Poll.		2.00
Stockwell Simon M.	Horse 125, house 600, barn 100, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, Jordan lot 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 125, Jordan lot 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 225. Ex. 1000.	225	3.15

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Thomas Will H.	Poll, barn 100, farm 100a 800.	900	14.60
Thrasher Joseph L.	2 horses 150, 4 cows 100, swine 10, 260. House 250, barn 150, store house 25, carriage house 25, farm 50a 500, Paige meadow 12a 250.	1460	22.44
Thrasher Harrison L.	Poll, 2 horses 175.	175	4.45
Thayer Frank A.	Poll, horse 75, cow 35, o. p. 15.	125	3.75
Thayer Carmi C.	Horse 75, cow 35, o. p. 4000, 4110. House 250, 2 barns 150, hen house 50, farm 60a 400.	4960	71.44
Thrasher Fred M.	Poll.		2.00
Twibles Actkinson.	Poll, horse 150, colt 50, 6 cows 180, 6 yearlings 90, 1 swine 15, 30 fowls 15, 500. House 350, barn 250, silo 100, hen house 25, farm 60a 600, Pomeroy lot 23a 150, Chatman lot 2a 25.	2000	30.00
Towne Edmond T.	Poll.		2.00
Upton Lewis I.	Exempt.		
Upton Edward L.	Poll, horse 25, cow 35, yearling 15, 20 fowls 10, 85. House 200, barn 200, farm 22a 200.	685	11.59
Uracious Cyprian.	Poll.		2.00
Vaughn Martin E.	Horse 50, 10 fowls 5, house 200, Tourtelotte house 150, Tourtelotte barn 100, barn 50, hen house 25, house lot 1a 50, Tourtelotte house lot 6a 100, Russell lot 10a 50, Plain lot 16a 50, Exempt.		
Vaughn Fred H.	Poll, stock in trade 500, horse 150.	650	11.10
Vaughn Jesse M.	Poll, stock in trade 500, 3 horses 400, 1 cow 35, 935. House 800, barn 100, hen house 25, farm 15a 600.	2460	36.44
Vaughn Sylvanus.	Poll, horse 50, cow 35.	85	3.19
Walker Wm. H.	Poll, stock in trade 500, machinery 1000, 3 horse 200, 2 oxen 150, cow 30, 1880. House 900, barn 300, store and tenement 1500, store house 100, ice house 50, saw and grist mill 1000, box shop 950, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, store site $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, store house site $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, land and water power $10\frac{1}{2}$ a 1000, shop site $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50. Butterfield lot 5a 100, Ledge lot 2a 10, Bailey lot 70a 800, school hill lot 60a 500. Powers lot 35a 350, Hale lot 20a 200, Whipple lot 50a 500, Snow lot 35a 215, Russell lot 45a 450, Warren lot 13a 100.	11180	158.52

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Walker Mrs. Sarah.	o. p. 1000.	1000	14.00
Woods Mrs. John.	House 600, barn 100, house lot 1½a 100. Ex.		
Winter Geo. L. heirs or devisees.	House 800, barn 150, hen house 25, house lot 2a 300, Record lot 3a 150, Bailey lot 4a 125.	1550	21.70
Woods Geo. E.	Poll, house 150, house lot 1a 50.	200	4.80
Williams Rev. Chas. B.	Poll, horse 150.	150	4.10
Wheeler Geo. W.	Poll, 1 horse 50, 2 cows 50, 100. House 200, barn 50, house 100, barn 50, farm 85a 750, farm 80a 650, sprout land 10a 25, Sly lot 50a 100. Ex. 1000.	925	14.35
Weston Daniel G.	Poll, stock in trade 200, 2 horses 200, cow 30, 430. Hotel house 1200, hotel farm 250, shop 50, farm 27a 550.	2480	36.72
Walker Geo. A.	Poll, 2 horses 200, 5 cows 150, 350. House 250, barn and silo 350, farm 127a 1000.	1950	29.30
Walker Stephen H.	Poll, stock in trade, 1000.	1000	16.00
Walker Chas. D.	Poll.		2.00

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Lego Nellie A.	Springfield. House 275, barn 125, hen house 100, farm 30a 200, meadow lot 10a 50.	750	10.50
Buckholz Herman.	Springfield. Cottage 500, 2 lots $\frac{1}{2}$ a 150.	650	9.10
Richards Miss C.	Springfield. Plain lot 5a 50.	50	.70
Boston & Albany R. R.	Springfield. Land 3a.	200	2.80
Eaton Phillip.	Springfield. Thomas lot 12a.	200	2.80
Linguist John.	Springfield. Sprout land 5a 50.	50	.70
Burgin Alfred.	Springfield. Cottage 300, boat house 50, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.	425	5.95
Swiss Mrs. Geo.	1 lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.	75	1.05
Burlingame Mrs. A.	Springfield. Robbins lot 4a 50.	50	.70
Fewell Wm. H.	Springfield. House 200, barn 75, hen house 25, farm 20a 200.	500	7.00
Green Edward S.	Springfield. House 850, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50.	900	12.60
Englehard Frank.	Springfield. Cottage 600, 4 building lots 1a 300.	900	12.60
Colnn Julius A.	Springfield. 1 lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.	75	1.05
Butterfield Mrs. Dolly.	Springfield. House 275, barn 75, house lot $1\frac{1}{2}$ a 100. Ex.		
Howe Wm. F.	Springfield. Rogers lot 10a 50.	50	.70
Sackell Mrs. Bessie E.	Springfield. Cottage 300, building lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.	375	5.25
Flint J. W.	Enfield. Mountain lot 90a 800.	800	11.20
Ware Mrs. H. B.	Enfield. Plain lot 4a 40.	40	.56

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Felton Chas. W.	Enfield. Richards pasture 30a 300, Sibley lot 15a 50, Joslyn lot 45a 300.	650	9.10
Thurston Jason.	Enfield. Land 12a 300.	300	4.20
Eddy John M.	Enfield. Land 4a 25.	25	.35
Smith Chas. H.	Enfield. Pasture land 8a 100.	100	1.40
Haskell Chas. D.	Enfield. Wood land 2a 200.	200	2.80
Ward Mrs. Lucy.	Enfield. Bungalow and barn 1000, Sturtevant lot 25a 200, Potter lot 100a 350, Leonard lot 12a 50.	1600	22.40
Swi t River Co.	Enfield. Land and water pow- er 40a 600, Joslyn & Stevens lot 35a 2000, Fuller lot 8a 100.	2700	37.10
Crowther John.	Enfield. Pike cottage 250, Pike cottage 300, Cooper cottage 300, Wright cot- tage 200, store house 100, Carpenter cottage 300, Metcalf cottage 300, Pomeroy lot 33a 400, leased land and track 1a 500.	2650	37.10
Lochlan Miss H. B.	Enfield. House 500, house lot 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 200.	700	9.80
Smith Henry W.	Enfield. House 1000, barn 250, store house 75, house lot 8a 200, Phipps lot 2a 50, 4 building lots $\frac{1}{2}$ a 25.	1600	22.40
Smith Henry W.	Enfield. Church lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 150.	150	2.10
Segur W. B.	Enfield. 5 building lots $\frac{3}{8}$ a 375.	375	5.25
Tyler Coleman J.	Enfield. Farm 40a 275.	275	3.85
Warren Mrs. Geo. H.	Enfield. House 750, hen houses 400, farm 20a 250.	1400	19.60
Ruggles Estes.	Ware. Sprout land 30a 100.	100	1.40
Southworth Bros.	Ware. Sprout land 9a 200.	200	2.80
Ware Lumber Co.	Ware. Bailey grove lot 25a 150, part of Bailey farm 50a 300, Smith lot 40a 200.	650	9.10
Browning Franklin J.	Ware. Russell lot 25a 300.	300	4.20
Harwood Frank.	Ware. Newland lot 12a 150.	150	2.10
Barnes Wm.	Ware. Powell lot 60a 200.	200	2.80
Sibley Frank N.	Ware. Sibley lot 40a 300.	300	4.20
Thrasher John, heirs or devisees.	Ware. Land 6a 50.	50	.70
Schoonmaker John, trustee.	Ware. House 300, barn 100, house lot 1a 100, King lot 15a 100.	600	8.40
Abbott Chas.	Prescott. Meadow 4a 50.	50	.70
Whitaker Silas.	Prescott. Russell lot 12a 150.	150	2.10
Allen Frank.	Prescott. Ayers lot 20a 200, mead- ow lot 6a 50.	250	3.50

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Brown Marshall.	Prescott. Estey lot 20a 150.	150	2.10
Paige Chas.	Prescott. White lot 15a 300.	300	4.20
Kelley Eugene G.	Prescott. Barn 50, farm 40a 250.	300	4.20
Smith Jennie A.	Prescott. Wood land 10a 110.	110	1.40
Gee & Tyler.	Dana. Paige & Lincoln lot 30a 225.	225	3.15
Gee Chas. E. & Co.	No. Dana. Tourtelotte lot 22a 400.	400	5.60
Doubleday Rollyn.	No. Dana. Sprout land 14a 400.	400	5.60
Doubleday C. W.	No. Dana. Wood land 18a 300.	300	4.20
Wheeler John A.	No. Dana. House 250, barn 100, farm 40a 250, Plain lot 33a 350, Lincoln lot 33a 150.	1100	15.40
Boston & Maine R. R.	Boston. Land 16a 200.	200	2.80
Wescott Florence A.	Boston. Land 20a 500.	500	7.00
Baer Leonard.	Boston. 2 building lots $\frac{1}{2}$ a 150.	150	2.10
Diamond Match Co.	Athol. Johnson farm 60a 300, Avery lot 12a 50.	350	4.90
Newton Willard.	Athol. Mc Kenney farm 80a 250, Bailey lot 60a 600.	850	11.90
Ellis Adeline E.	Athol. House 250, lot 5a 125.	375	5.25
Wood Edgar.	Lumber 300.	300	4.20
Fay O. A.	Athol. Swamp lot 14a 100, Plain lot 50a 300, Hill lot 70a 350, Morgan lot 225a 1000, Freeman lot 19a 50, Haskell lot 14a 50, Warner lot 44a 250, Bailey lot 12a 100, Gibbs lot 5.	2205	30.87
Powers Orin J.	Athol. Oakes lot 35a 400, Wheeler lot 40a 500, Hill lot 7a 100, Brown lot 80a 800.	1800	25.20
Maxim Mrs. Jane.	Hyde Park. Building lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a.	75	1.05
Abbee C. C.	Chicopee. Horse 75, 11 cows 385, 2 two yr. 60, yearling 15, 3 swine 35, o. p. 50, 570. House 600, barn 450, silo 150, corn house 50, hen house 50, farm 120a 1500, Russell lot 15a 50.	3420	47.88
Montague Harry C.	Washington. House 200, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25.	225	3.15
Morgan Mrs. J. H.	East Northfield. Wood lot 75a 700.	700	9.80
Vaughn Earnest H.	Worcester. House 1200, barn 300, Cook house 100, Sly lot 30a 700, Plain lot 28a 150, North lot 12a 50, Howard		



Names.	Valuation.	Total.	Tax.
lot 46a 750, Sturtevant lot 48a 750, Spring lot 10a 75.		4075	57.40
King Walter C. Worcester. House 250, house lot 1a 25.		275	3.85
Manley Frank. Worcester. House 300, barn 200, hen house 25, house lot 4a 150, Old house lot 1½a 50, farm 48a 500, Fuller, Marcy & Keith lots 105a 525.		1750	24.50
Snow Frances N. West Brookfield. Phelps lot 130a 3000, Edson lot 6a 50.		3050	42.70
King Geo. P. Barre. Sprout land 22a 300.		300	4.20
Holbrook J. F. Palmer. Wood land 12a 600.		600	8.40
Jones Frank L. Palmer. 2 houses 300, 2 barns 175, shop 75, farm 36a 225, house lot 1a 25.		800	11.20
Haskell Wm. Sears lot 5a 50.		50	.70
Richards Julia A. Utica, N. Y. Johnson lot 7a 75.		75	1.05
Walker Mrs. Clara. Amesbury. Marcy lot 2a 20.		20	.28
Meeker Chas. W. Indian Orchard. Sprout land 35a 200.		200	2.80
Walker Mrs. Hattie C. Hardwick. Part of Bailey farm 20a 500, part of Bailey grove 5a 150, Sly lot 30a 350.		1000	14.00
Thrasher Fred A. Hardwick. Fuller lot 12a 125.		125	1.75
Hunter Walter L. Avon Conn. Cleveland lot 20a 200, Plain lot 20a 100.		300	4.20
Brown Robert. So. Manchester Conn. Hen house 25, old barn 25, farm 107a 450.		500	7.00
Flanders Robert L. Malden. House 200, barn 200, hotel 1800, bowling alley 100, shed 50, farm 80a 750, Howard lot 30a 200.		3300	46.20
Root Harvey W. Greenwich Conn. 3 building lots ¾a 225.		225	3.15
Young Fred H. Wilson Conn. House 200, barn 100, farm 140a 1000.		1300	18.20
Estey Walter S. Webster. Cottage 400, farm 12a 150.		550	7.70
Estey Bros. Phillipston. Mill lot 50a 1200.		1200	16.80
Abbott Ernest W. Somerville. House 300, barn 150, cottage 200, hen house 250, farm 110a 600.		1500	21.00
Gillett R. D. heirs and devisees. Danville, Ill. Woods lot 15a 200.		200	2.80
Homer Frank S. Monson. 2 building lots ½a 150.		150	2.10

Names.	Valuation.	Total.	Tax.
Closson Luke W.	Monson. Building lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75.	75	1.05
Ornholsor Mrs. E. M.	Wellesly Hills. Hill land 1a 75.	75	1.05
Dunham Benj. W.	Holyoke. Store 800. store site $\frac{1}{5}$ a 100.	900	12.60
Powers Alfred.	Oklahoma City. House lot 9a 90, Sturtevant lot 5a 35, Plain lot $3\frac{1}{2}$ a 35, Hannum lot 35a 200, Spooner lot 7a 75.	435	6.09
Bailey & Taft.	2 barns 200, farm 155a 650.	850	11.90
Cogswell Mrs. Hattie.	Marlboro. Walker lot 20a 150, Blodgett lot 7a 50, Dickinson lot 2a 20, Joslyn lot 13a 100, Topliff lot 3a 10.	330	4.62
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	o. p. 104.	104	1.46
Western Union Tel. & Tel. Co.,	o. p. 1120.	1120	15.68

# Report of Town Clerk.

## *Vital Statistics for 1911.*

### BIRTHS.

	CHILD'S NAME.	PARENT'S NAME.
Jan. 4,	Robert Lewis,	Fred and Ethel Churchill.
Jan. 22,	Thelma Louise,	Howard and Ruby Dickinson.
Dec. 24,	Ella Evelyn,	Edgar and Sarah Coit.

### MARRIAGES.

Aug. 24,	George L. Dickinson Jr., and Ruby C. Blackmer.
Nov. 29,	Edward T. King, and Margaret J. Hall.
Dec. 24,	Linwood J. Giffin, and Della G. Weston.
Dec. 25,	Arthur M. Rolfe and Anna M. Stockwell.

### DEATHS.

Jan. 24,	John King, age 89.
Feb. 2,	Luella M. Coit, age 54.
Feb. 3,	William N. Hinman, age 36.
Feb. 18,	Clinton P. Harrington, age 55.
July 15,	Franklin C. Powers, age 72.
July 31,	Catherine H. King, age 79.
Oct. 7,	Lucinda Parkhurst, age 83.

### NON-RESIDENT.

Jan. 8,	Alvin L. Albee of Orange, age 63.
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## NON-RESIDENTS INTERRED IN GREENWICH.

- Jan. 13, Parnelia J. Lyman, of Hartford, Conn., age 83.  
Feb. 13, Robert E. Taylor, of Bangor, Maine, age 3 days.  
May 19, Lena M. Chapin, of San Francisco, Cal., age 29.  
Dec. 18, Freeman Sherman, of New Haven, Conn., age 78.

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. MILLER. *Town Clerk.*

# Report of the Selectmen.

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## STATE AID.

Mary F. Winter,	\$ 48.00	
Mrs. Lucinda Root,	48.00	
Mrs. Elvira Wood,	48.00	
A. H. Pomeroy,	48.00	
Trelawney C. Chapman,	48.00	
Simon M. Stockwell,	48.00	
Albert P. Clifford,	48.00	
Nathan A. Beals,	48.00	
Leroy C. Beals,	66.00	
Iva L. Jones,	68.00	
James E. White,	60.00	
Wm. T. Alden,	48.00	
James L. W. Thayer,	40.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 666.00

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## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Paid Ezra P. S. Alden,		100.00

## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Appropriation,	\$ 75.00		
Received from Wilkinson fund,	3.00		
“ “ Shumway, “	1.25		
“ “ Warner, “	2.00		
“ “ Rebecca Spooner fund,	1.50		
“ “ Justice Johnson “	2.00		
“ for care of lots, 1911,	19.00		
“ “ sale of grass,	4.00		
	—————	\$ 107.75	
Paid Geo. E. Nevins, and help,	\$ 92.35		
for care of flowers,	10.00		
B. A. Sawtelle, secretary,	5.40		
	—————	\$ 107.75	
Rec'd from H. D. Johnston, for lot,	\$ 5.00		
“ “ Chas. B. Coit, “ “	5.00		
	—————	\$ 10.00	
“ “ Selectmen, appropriation,	\$ 75.00		
“ “ “ int. on funds,	9.75		
	—————	\$ 84.75	\$ 84.75

BENJ. A. SAWTELLE, } Cemetery  
 DAVID M. HUNTER, } Commissioners.  
 GEO. E. NEVINS, }

## Total cost of boundary stones between towns of

Dana, Hardwick, Prescott and Greenwich,	\$ 151.12	\$ 151.12
Received from town of Dana,	\$ 54.74	
“ “ “ “ Hardwick,	7.00	
Due from town of Prescott,	21.82	

## EXPENSE OF FOREST FIRES.

Paid Walter H. Glazier, and others,	\$ 21.90	
“ A. W. Mason, and others,	9.75	
“ Fred F. Foley, “ “	63.38	
“ Wm. H. Walker, “ “	102.70	\$ 197.73
Received from B. & A. R. R. Co.,	\$ 195.83	

## STATE ROAD 1911.

Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	\$ 68.75	
Edward T. King,	91.25	
A. O. Parker,	94.00	
J. T. Clark,	40.24	
H. M. Lyman,	48.62	
S. A. Schermerhorn,	41.12	
M. E. Caswell,	27.99	
Peter Lego,	27.12	
Joseph Billings, man and team,	4.00	
Dynamite,	1.50	
Grade staker,	1.50	
E. A. Morse, blacksmith,	1.50	
A. O. Parker, loam,	4.00	
F. K. Southworth, gravel,	17.10	\$ 468.69

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation,	\$ 700.00	
Paid Geo. E. Nevins,	\$ 131.25	
Geo. E. Nevins, horse,	12.33	
W. M. Nevins,	16.50	
A. A. Stevens,	26.25	
H. M. Lyman,	48.99	
C. S. Lyman,	33.25	
S. A. Schermerhorn,	.58	
J. F. Clark,	58.00	
C. C. Thayer,	3.00	
M. E. Caswell,	1.00	
C. W. Frost,	.75	
Wm. H. Walker, man and team,	80.00	
A. O. Parker, man and team,	110.00	
G. A. Walker,	2.00	
T. J. Severance,	42.40	
W. H. Giffin, plank,	58.10	
G. L. Hunter, railing,	.50	
F. P. Hall, pick handle,	.25	

Paid E. A. Moore, blacksmith,	\$ 1.05	
S. H. Walker, nails,	2.03	
A. C. King, gravel,	1.75	
F. H. Young, loam,	1.60	
F. H. Vaughn,	12.32	\$ 643.90

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

Paid Walter H. Glazier, acct. Hillside School,	5.00
A. P. Clifford, repairs on Wilcox house,	6.23
Edward T. King, Spring inspecting animals,	14.25
Wm. H. Jones, care of ballot to date,	2.00
Lewis H. Blackmer, town reports,	33.20
A. H. Bartlett, ballots and dog book,	9.25
R. W. Lyman, transfer list of real estate,	2.85
Badger Fire Extinguisher Company, 12 extinguishers,	69.00
E. T. Smith & Co., keg soda,	2.80
Howard H. Dickinson, 7 burials,	21.00
Walter H. Glazier, expense for assessor,	3.98
Henry R. Johnson, collector's book,	1.00
Mr. Oliver, printing jury list and poll tax list,	2.40
Daniel Stone & Co., insurance, town hall,	16.80
Burgin Bros., grove cloth,	7.00
Walter H. Glazier, expenses to Springfield,	3.58
Henry M. Lyman, digging well at Plain,	15.00
Walter H. Glazier, expense, Harrington estate,	3.98
Frank P. Hall, tile for well at Plain,	27.12
Athol Transcript, printing primary notices,	1.75
W. & L. E. Gurley, stamp,	2.01
Cecil T. Bagnall, tax bills for 1911,	1.37
Walter H. Glazier, discount on taxes,	69.76
Abel O. Parker, storing scraper,	2.25
Frank A. Thayer, painting town hall,	17.22
Daniel Stone & Son, ins. library building,	18.73
Wm. H. Giffin, dinner for election officers,	2.75
Walter H. Glazier, taxes on cheese factory,	9.80



Paid Giffin & Hall, water rent,	\$ 6.75	
Geo. L. Mason, pump etc., for well at Plain,	14.45	
Howard H. Dickinson, stove for town hall,	12.25	
Badger Extinguisher Co., bottles and stoppers,	2.38	
Wm. H. Giffin, fire supplies,	6.08	
Walter H. Glazier, expense, Sabin fund,	3.98	
A. H. Bartlett, supplies,	1.65	
Frank P. Hall, supplies,	36.91	\$ 456.53

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#### SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Howard H. Dickinson, auditor 1910,	\$ 5.00
Clarence E. Miller, town clerk and money, paid out,	43.00
Willis R. King, collecting taxes 1907,	40.00
Geo. E. Nevins, tree warden,	50.00
Walter H. Glazier, collecting taxes 1908,	40.00
Wm. H. Jones, janitor town hall,	5.00
Walter H. Glazier, collecting taxes 1909,	40.00
Ezra P. S. Alden, teller 3 meetings,	4.50
Wm. S. Douglas, " 2 "	3.00
Wm. R. Carrick, " 2 "	3.00
Oscar A. King, " 1 "	1.50
Fred M. Thresher, " 1 "	1.50
David M. Hunter, " 2 "	3.00
Wm. R. Carrick, moderator spring meeting,	2.50
Stephen H. Walker, justice,	5.00
Frank P. Hall, treasurer,	30.00
Fred A. W. Churchill, constable,	4.50
Walter H. Glazier, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	60.00
Wm. H. Giffin, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	60.00

Paid Edward M. Hunter, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	\$ 60.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 461.50
Total amount of orders drawn,		<hr/> \$ 3,230.22

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		

February 28, 1912.

Stephen H. Walker, *Auditor.*

# Report of Overseers of Poor.

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## EXPENSES AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME.

Paid Edward M. Hunter, account of No. 6,	\$ 13.81	
William H. Giffin, " " " "	8.56	
H. D. Johnston, " " " "	8.00	
Arthur W. King, " " " "	6.00	
B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., " " " "	7.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 43.37
Paid Nathan E. Stone, account of No. 3,	\$ 12.00	
Walter H. Glazier, " " " "	4.37	
B. A. Sawtelle, M. D. " " " "	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 18.37
Paid B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., acc't of No. 5,	\$ 7.50	
Walter H. Glazier, " " " "	3.58	
H. H. Dickinson, " " " "	3.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 14.33
Paid B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., acc't of No. 7,	\$ 10.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 10.00
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		\$ 86.07
Received from Commonwealth, acc't of No. 6,	\$ 2.76	
Due from Commonwealth, acc't of No. 6,	40.61	

## EXPENSE AT COOLEY HOME.

Paid Fred M. Thresher, salary to Apr. 1, 1911, \$	50.00
Fred M. Thresher, salary to Feb. 1, 1912,	291.67
F. L. Parker, grain and grinding,	487.21
H. H. Dickinson, groceries,	195.13
H. H. Dickinson, grain,	23.96
F. M. Thresher, butter,	52.25
F. M. Thresher, miscellaneous,	33.48
J. F. Robinson, house furnishings,	40.75
S. H. Walker, store bill,	15.07
J. M. Vaughn, meat,	13.05
F. P. Hall, store bill,	41.34
F. P. Hall, goods for No. 2,	2.25
F. P. Hall, goods for No. 3,	4.50
W. R. Carrick, fertilizer, 1910,	17.75
W. R. Carrick, fertilizer, 1911,	62.75
Severance Bros., labor,	30.20
Roy P. Edson, labor,	26.00
Wilfred H. Lyman, labor,	73.00
Frank J. Murphy, labor,	75.00
A. H. Pomeroy, oats and fodder,	21.00
F. M. Thresher, goods for No. 1,	19.01
"    "    "    "    "    2,	6.60
"    "    rent of pasture,	5.00
"    "    cream cans,	4.70
"    "    gathering cream,	6.04
Daniel Stone & Son, insurance,	27.65
W. R. King, butchering,	9.00
W. R. King, harness repairs,	2.70
Hunter Bros., cutting and drawing ice,	13.50
E. L. Powers, blacksmith bill,	19.10
E. A. Moore,    "    "	1.10
Geo. L. Hunter, wagon repairs,	7.50
Henry Hunt, 3 pigs,	12.00
Benj. Hall, 5 pigs,	20.00
O. D. Jackson, 2 pigs,	8.00

Fred Foley, cow,	\$ 30.00
David Roberts, hen house,	8.00
J. M. Eddy, hay,	14.57
A. Richardson, hens,	9.00
A. Bryson & Co., dry goods,	8.23
C. Hitchcock & Co., goods,	3.71
J. B. Sibley & Son, paris green gun,	7.50
W. H. Giffin, lumber,	6.25
W. H. Giffin, cement,	1.20
Benj. Lindsey, brick masonry,	5.00
Frank Dearborn, labor,	6.00
Fred Snyder, labor,	6.15
J. F. Higgins, crockery,	8.15
W. A. Moore, grain,	9.81
H. B. Hess, meat,	4.55
Mary E. Sibley, farming tools,	3.50
Geo. L. Mason, sawing wood,	5.00
Robert Brown, fodder and fork,	3.70
Chas. Parker, harness,	4.25
Geo. E. Phipps, rent of land,	2.00
	<hr/> \$ 1,864.83

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INCOME AT COOLEY HOME.

Cream,	\$ 390.93
Potatoes,	388.80
Pork,	140.14
Wood,	84.00
Eggs,	92.46
Poultry,	29.40
Veal,	48.00
Cabbage,	7.15
Turnips,	1.40
Sweet corn,	1.75
Pop corn,	2.77
W. R. Carrick, dinners,	4.35

Mrs. Martha Curtis, board,	\$ 12.00	
James E. White, board and care,	258.67	
Transportation of scholars,	288.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,749.82
Net expense at Cooley Home,		\$ 115.01

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INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME.

One horse,	\$ 200.00	
One horse,	175.00	
Nine cows,	300.00	
Two yearlings,	50.00	
Four calves,	40.00	
Five swine,	50.00	
Seventy-five fowls,	50.00	
Twelve ducks,	10.00	
English hay,	50.00	
Stock hay and corn fodder,	25.00	
Grain,	50.00	
Potatoes,	70.00	
Provisions,	20.00	
Farming tools,	185.00	
Furniture,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,375.00

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INMATES AT COOLEY HOME.

No. 1,	52 weeks.
No. 2,	26 weeks.
No. 3,	25 weeks.
No. 4,	25 weeks.
No. 7.	2 weeks.
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	130 weeks.

EDWARD M. HUNTER.	}	<i>Overseers of Poor.</i>
WALTER H. GLAZIER.		
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN.		

Stephen H. Walker, *Auditor.*

# Treasurer's Report.

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*Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending  
March 1, 1912.*

1911.	<i>Dr.</i>	
March 1, To cash in treasury to new acc't,		\$ 2,223.37
To cash received from Athol Savings Bank, ( borrowed )		1,000.00
To cash received from Commonwealth, acc't Corporation tax,		13.70
To cash received from Commonwealth, acc't National Bank tax,		22.92
To cash received from Commonwealth, acc't State Board of Charity, transportation of paupers,		2.76
To cash received from Commonwealth, com- pensation inspection of animals,		15.88
		————— \$ 3,278.63
To cash received from Commonwealth, state aid,	\$	364.00
To cash received from Commonwealth, state highway loan fund,		600.00
To cash received from Commonwealth, high school tuition in special cases,		644.10

To cash received from Commonwealth, income Mass. school fund,	\$ 1,105.69	
To cash received from school committee, state reimbursement of school supt.,	131.58	
To cash received from Edwin H. Banister, dog fund ( refunded ),	66.17	
To cash received from school committee, (re- funded from Springfield ),	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,931.54
To cash received from town of Hardwick, acct. setting boundry stone,	\$ 7.00	
To cash received from town of Dana, acct. set- ting boundry stones,	54.74	
To cash received from Overseer of Poor, rent of Wilcox House,	30.00	
To cash received from Selectmen, acct. board of James E. White,	182.67	
To cash received from Selectmen, acct. board of James E. White,	64.00	
To cash received from Selectmen, acct. James E. White,	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 350.41
To cash received from Overseer of Poor, board of Martha Curtis,	\$ 12.00	
To cash received from Overseer of Poor, acct. Cooley Home,	1,191.15	
To cash received from Overseer of Poor, trans- portation money,	288.00	
To cash received from Ware Savings Bank, in- terest of Cemetery funds,	9.75	
To cash received from W. H. Walker, overpaid in fire order,	10.20	
To cash received from Boston & Albany R. R. Co., acct. fighting fires,	227.35	
To cash received from Fred F. Foley, for chemi-		



cals used in fighting fire on Geo. Wesson's lot,	\$ .75	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,739.20
To cash received from cemetery commissioners for sale of lots to C. B. Coit, and H. D. Johnston,	\$ 10.00	
To cash received from school committee, acc't of bill overpaid,	13.38	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector 1908,	135.00	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector ( interest ) 1908,	100.00	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector 1909,	513.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 771.38
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector ( interest ) 1909,	\$ 105.36	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector 1910,	515.00	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector 1911,	2,940.34	
To cash received from W. R. King, collector ( interest ) 1907,	64.03	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,624.73
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		\$ 12,695.89

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By paid W. B. Segur, M. D., for return of two births at .25 each,	\$ .50
By paid Commonwealth for certification of town note No. 2,	3.00
By paid Athol Savings Bank, note and interest,	1,537.50
By paid Athol Savings Bank, note and interest,	525.00
By paid Athol Savings Bank, interest,	50.00
By paid E. H. Banister, county tax,	377.37
By paid state tax,	385.00

By paid H. H. Dickinson, acct. burial of James E. White,	\$ 37.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,915.37
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1908,	.80	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1909,	12.54	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1910,	17.66	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1911,	5.75	
By paid Selectmen, orders to date,	3,230.22	
By paid Overseers of Poor, orders to date,	1,950.90	
By paid School Committee, orders to date,	2,609.36	
By cash in treasury to balance acct.,	1,953.29	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,780.52
Total,		<hr/> \$ 12,695.89

### TRUST FUNDS FOR ACCOUNT CEMETERY.

#### CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

Rindge fund, \$ 100 00, interest to Jan. 1, 1912,	\$ 15.97
Expended —	Available \$ 15.97.
Wilkinson fund, \$ 300.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1912,	44.55
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available 41.55.
Shumway fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1912,	15.44
Expended \$ 1.25,	Available 14.19.
Spooner fund, \$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1912,	8.18
Expended —	Available 8.18.
Warner fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1912,	16.47
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available 14.47.
Mary Walker fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1912,	16.12
Expended —	Available 16.12.
Chas. Powers fund, \$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1912,	8.96
Expended —	Available 8.96.
Rebecca Spooner fund, \$ 82.65, interest to Jan. 1, 1912,	14.93

Expended \$ 1.50,	Available \$ 13.43.	
Merrick Tourtelotte fund, \$ 25.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1912,		\$ 4.90
Expended —	Available	4.90.
Emelia Topliff fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1912,		17.06
Expended —	Available	17.06.
Justice Johnson fund, \$ 200.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1912,		27.34
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available	25.34.
Chas. Record fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1912,		8.02
Expended —	Available	8.02.
Amos Blackmer fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1912,		6.88
Expended —	Available	6.88.
Clara B. Walker fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1912,		13.72
Expended —	Available	13.72.

## LIABILITIES.

One note due May 7, 1912,	\$ 1,000.00
One note due Jan. 1, 1913,	500.00

## ASSETS.

Amount due on taxes, 1910,	\$ 343.00
Amount due on taxes, 1911,	865.00
Amount due from Commonwealth, State aid, paid in 1911,	646.00
Amount due from Commonwealth, State aid, for Jan. and Feb., 1912,	104.00
Amount due from Commonwealth, acct. burial of James E. White,	37.00
Cash in treasury,	1,953.29

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL, *Treasurer.*Stephen H. Walker, *Auditor.*

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library.

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Number of days library has been opened,	52
books given out,	2,409
magazines given out,	258
books donated from commission,	43
books donated from commonwealth,	5
books purchased,	47
magazines subscribed for,	6
public documents added,	4
Whole number of volumes,	2,551
Circulating department,	2,356
Public documents,	216

Respectfully submitted,

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary.*

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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

### RECEIPTS.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Received from Bailey and Spooner fund.	28.28	
Received from fines.	.65	
Cash on hand.	19.81	
	_____	\$ 148.74

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid for books,	\$ 53.16	
magazines,	15.55	
express,	1.25	
carrying books,	13.00	
sundries,	.86	
librarian,	30.00	
Unexpended balance,	34.90	
	<hr/>	\$ 148.74

## LIBRARY FUNDS.

Stephen P. Bailey fund in Ware bank,	\$ 200.00	
Rebecca Spooner   "   "   "   "	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 700.00

WM. S. DOUGLAS,	}	<i>Trustees.</i>
E. P. S. ALDEN,		
WM. H. WALKER,		
ALICE THAYER,		
ELLA M. WALKER,		
AMELIA M. ROOT,		

E. P. S. ALDEN, *Treasurer.*

HELEN I. NEVINS, *Librarian.*

# Supplement Catalog, Greenwich Public Library.

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Abbott, Eleanor H.	Molly Make Believe.	AB2
Abbott, J.	Rollo at Work and Rollo at Play.	jAB2.4
Altsheler, Joseph.	The Wilderness Road.	jAL7.3
Altsheler, Joseph.	The Circling Camps.	jAL7.4
Altsheler, Joseph.	A Herald of the West.	jAL7.5
Altsheler, Joseph.	A Soldier of Manhattan.	jAL7.6
Altsheler, Joseph.	The Sun of Saratoga.	jAL7.7
Andrews, J.	Seven Little Sisters.	jL AN2.2
Bacon, D.	Songs Every Child Should Know.	jY B13
Barbour, Ralph H.	Winning his "Y."	jB21.6
Barelay, Florence L.	The Rosary.	B25
Barelay, Florence L.	The Mistress of Shenstone.	B25.2
Beach, Rex.	The Ne'er Do Well.	B38.5
Benton, C. F.	Saturday Mornings.	B45
Bindloss, Harold.	A Prairie Courtship.	B51.2
Bindloss, Harold.	The Cattle Baron's Daughter.	B51.3
Black, Hugh.	Friendship.	B53
Booth, Edw'd. C.	The Doctor's Lass.	B66.2
Bosher, Kate Langley.	Miss Gibbie Gault.	jB67.2
Bradish, S. P.	Stories of Country Life.	G B75
Brown, Alice.	John Winterbournes Family.	B81.7

Burnette, Frances H.	The Secret Garden.	B93.12
Burnham, Clara Louise.	Clever Betsy.	B94.10
Carpenter, F. G.	Geographical Readers, Australia.	G C21.4
“	“ “ South America.	G C21.5
“	“ “ Europe.	G C21.6
“	“ “ Africa.	G C21.7
“	How the World is Housed.	G C21.8
Carpenter, M. H. ed.	About Animals, retold from St. Nicholas.	L C24
Coburn, Claire M.	Our Little Swedish Cousin.	jC55
Cook, Wm. Azel.	Through the Wilderness of Brazil.	L C77
Cooke, Alice Mc Gowan.	The Power and the Glory.	C707
Church, A. J.	Three Greek Children.	jC47
Day, Holman.	The Rannodders.	D33
Dix, B. M.	Merrylips.	jD64.2
Douglas, Amanda M.	Helen Grant's Decision.	jD75.15
Duncan, F.	When Mother lets us Garden.	jD91g
Farnol, Jeffrey.	The Broad Highway.	F22a
Finnemore, John.	Peeps at Many Lands, Italy.	G F48.3
Fiske, John.	North America.	F F54.4
Fox, Alice Wilson.	Hearts and Coronets.	F88
French, H. W.	Lance of Kanana.	F79k
Glasgon, Ellen.	The Miller of Old Church.	G35.6
Godfrey, Hollis.	Jack Collerton's Engine.	jG41
Grey, Zane.	The Heritage of the Desert.	G806
Hall, Bolton.	Three Acres and Liberty.	L H17
Harrison, Henry.	Sydnor Queed.	H243
Jackson, H. H.	Nelly's Silver Mine.	jJ12.4
Johnston, Annie Fellows.	The Little Colonel at Boarding School.	jJ65.8
Johnston, Mary.	The Long Roll.	J65.7
Kortrecht, Augusta.	A Dixie Rose.	K85
Lee, Jennette.	Happy Island.	L49.3
Lincoln, Joseph.	Mr. Pratt.	L635
Livingstone, Golding V.	Story of David Livingstone.	EL73
Mason, A. E. W.	At the Villa Rose.	M29.3

Miller, O. T. First Book of Birds.	LM61.3
Mulock, D. M. Little Lame Prince.	jM91.7
Monroe, Kirk. Prince Dusty.	jM92.15
Otis, James. Stephen of Philadelphia.	G OT5.5
Ozakié, Yei Theodora. The Japanese Fairy Book.	jOZ8
Paine, Ralph. The Stroke Oar.	jP16
Pidkin, Chas. Felton. The Further Adventures of Quiney Adams Sawyer.	P53.3
Pike, Helen Lee M. Our Little Corean Cousin.	jP2
Porter, Gene Stratton. The Harvester.	jP834.3
Price, L. L. Lads and Lasses of Other Days.	FP95
Priddy, Al. Through the Mill.	P94.
Pryor Mrs. Roger M. The Colonel's Story.	P96
Quirk, Leslie W. Baby Elton Quarter-Back.	295
Rhys, E. ed. Fairy Gold.	jR37
Shauffler Robert H. ed. Washington's Birthday.	jY SCH9
Schudder H. E. Verse and Prose for Beginners.	jY SCU2.2
St. Nicholas, 1911, 2 vols.	jA Sa2
Shaler Sara Andrew. The Day Before Yesterday.	SHA7
Spyri J. Heidi.	SP7
Sullivan T. B. The Heart of Us.	SU8
Tappan, Eva March. The Story of the Roman People.	FT13.2
Trimmer, S. K. History of the Robins.	FT65
Waller, M. E. A Daughter of the Rich.	W16.3
Waterloo, S. Story of A. B.	W29
Webster, Jean. When Patty Went to College.	W38
White, E. O. When Molly was Six.	jW529m
Wiggin, Kate D. and others. Robinetta.	W63.10
Wiggin, Kate D. Mother Carey's Chickens.	W63.14
Wiltse, S. E. Folkelore Stories and Proverbs.	jW77.2
Worth, Nicholas. ( pseudo ) The Southerner.	W91
Wright, Harold. The Winning of Barbara Worth.	W92a.2
Yonge, C. M. Little Duke.	jYO8.5
Young, E. R. My Dogs in the Northland.	LYO8
Zollinger, G. Boys Ride.	jZ19



# Annual Report

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

Greenwich, Mass.,

For the year ending March 7, 1912.

F. P. HALL, CHAIRMAN,

W. R. CARRICK, SECRETARY,

C. B. COIT,

Term Expires 1914.

Term Expires 1913.

Term Expires 1912.

## Financial Statement.

Income from state school fund,	\$ 1,105.69	
Balance from last year,	249.17	
From state, on account of superintendent,	131.58	
	_____	\$ 1,486.44
Expended,		926.88
		_____
Unexpended,		\$ 559.56
Received from town,	\$ 975.00	
High School tuition, reimbursed,	644.10	
Interest on Sabin School fund,	30.00	
Refunded from Springfield, on account of Maurice Schermerhorn,	20.00	
Refunded from D. Appleton & Co.,	13.38	
	_____	\$ 1,682.48
Expended,		\$ 1,682.48

### SALARIES.

Marion Kelley,	\$ 426.00
I. E. Barrus,	192.00
Anna Kinsley,	144.00
Lucy Jacobs,	96.00
Edith Cummings, ( music teacher )	33.00
Ina Calif, ( drawing teacher )	27.00

Charles Clay, ( superintendent )	\$ 157.92	
School Committee,	40.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 1,115.92

#### TRANSPORTATION.

Overseers of Poor,	\$ 288.00	
H. H. Lego,	252.00	
F. F. Foley,	157.50	
F. P. Hall,	29.00	
Leroy Beals,	21.00	
M. Quigley,	4.50	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 752.00

#### HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

Athol,	\$ 209.10	
Springfield,	142.50	
New Salem,	120.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 471.60

#### EXPENDITURES.

School supplies,	79.71	
Wood,	68.60	
Care of rooms,	51.00	
Repairs, labor and material,	29.67	
F. P. Hall's store bill,	6.51	
W. H. Giffin, doors,	11.40	
A. B. Sawtelle,	8.00	
Water rent,	6.95	
Census,	5.00	
Flag,	3.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 269.84
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 2,609.36

F. P. HALL, Chairman,  
W. R. CARRICK, Secretary,  
C. B. COIT.

Stephen Walker, *Auditor.*

# Report of Superintendent of Schools.

*To the School Committee and Citizens of Greenwich :*

I herewith present my second annual report as your superintendent of schools, for the school year ending March 1, 1912, the same also being the tenth in the series of superintendent's reports for the Dana School Supervisory Union.

## SOME STATISTICS.

Population, census 1910, 452

### SCHOOL CENSUS, Sept. 1, 1911.

Children between 5 and 15 years : boys 45 ; girls 32 ; total, 77

“ “ 7 “ 14 “ “ 37 “ 26 “ 63

Illiterate minors over 14, 0

Number of schoolhouses owned by town, 3

“ “ “ occupied, 2

“ “ different teachers during the year, 4

“ required, 2

“ of special teachers on part time, 2

### EYE AND EAR TESTS, FEBRUARY 2, 1912.

Number of pupils enrolled, 42

“ found defective in sight, 6

“ “ “ hearing, 0

“ of parents notified, 2

For the year ending June 30, 1911.

Total enrollment,	50
Supplementary enrollment,	1
Total membership,	50
Average membership,	42
"    attendance,	39
Per cent of attendance,	93.5
Number of pupils enrolled under 5 years of age,	0
"    between 5 and 15 years,	48
"    "    7    "    14    "	43
"    over 15 years,	1
Visits by school committee,	1
"    "    superintendent,	47
"    "    others,	58
Actual length of schools,	8 months, 19.5 days.

THE STANDING FOR FEBRUARY, 1912.

Grades	Village	Plains
I	1	6
II	3	1
III	1	1
IV	2	3
V		3
VI	6	
VII		4
VIII	9	
IX		1

Number of boys, 21 ; of girls, 20 ; total, 41.

PUPILS ATTENDING HIGH SCHOOL, DURING YEAR.

Name	Grade	Place
Billings, Frank W.	XI	Athol
Janus, Mary	XIII	"
King, Lawrence T.	XI	"
Parker, Lowell K.	XII	"

Name	Grade	Place
Thresher, Esther A.	XIII	Athol
Thresher, Samuel E.	XII	"
Walker, Laura E.	XII	"
Lyman, Clarence	XI	New Salem
Wright, Clara	XII	" "
Nevins, Winfred M.	XI	Springfield
De Wolff, Amelia	XII	"

### IN GENERAL.

Our report varies little from that of last year for the conditions remain about the same. We have had good teachers and they have performed their duties faithfully. There has been no trouble in discipline. It is to be regretted that our school population is decreasing, the average attendance being less by nine than a year ago.

The school at the Plains has been fortunate in retaining its efficient teacher for this, the third year. At the village, Miss Kinsley finished the spring term and closed a successful year, at the same time withdrawing from the active work of teaching.

Miss Ida E. Barrus, who had established an excellent record in an adjoining town of the district, was placed in charge at the beginning of the fall term; Miss Barrus at once won the confidence and respect of the pupils, and esteem of the people; ill health caused her to give up the position at the Christmas recess, much to the regret of all concerned. The large number of classes and the capabilities of the pupils require an alert, enthusiastic, and almost tireless teacher, for the school is a constant drain upon the nervous as well as the mental energy.

In these days of a scarcity of good teachers, we were very much favored in securing Miss Jacobs to complete the school year; the spirit of the school is admirable, and in spite of some interruptions on account of measles and mumps, constant progress is being made.

## MUSIC AND DRAWING.

The day for arguing the importance of these two subjects has long passed; if they are not taught in the schools, the children will never receive this beneficial instruction. Some times it is difficult for a town like Greenwich to obtain supervisors of these subjects at a reasonable rate, but this year we have been able to secure the services of two excellent teachers, coming to us for a period each on alternate weeks. The pupils were really "hungry" for this instruction, and have made commendable progress. I call to your attention the supervisors' reports.

## ABSENCE AND RETARDATION.

Some one of children's diseases prevail more or less each year which with ordinary illness lowers the rate of attendance; but sometimes it seems as if pupils were kept at home for trivial and illegitimate reasons. Our per cent is only one and one-half points above the average of that of the state which is 92. Some of the children are kept out of school so much that they are below grade, besides diminishing the efficiency of the whole school. This is especially true of the school at the Plains. The average attendance of the seventeen schools of the district is ranked each month, and for the last five months our schools have stood from 10 to 16, not a relatively creditable position.

## MENTAL ARITHMETIC.

If there was any one thing that helped to make the "scholars" of former generations "experts in numbers" it was the drill they received in Colburn's Mental Arithmetic. Pupils in the middle grades are generally deficient in the quick recognition of the combinations of addition, subtraction, and the "tables", from a lack of a thoro, and what should be an almost automatic knowledge of the simple numbers. I think more time is wasted in hesitation and indecision than is utilized in all other arithmetic work. To remedy this the teachers have been supplied with some simple "Exercises in Numbers", and daily drill in them is "the standing order of the day".

## HOME CO-OPERATION.

Children above the fourth grade cannot properly prepare all of their lessons in school; at least one lesson should be prepared at home if the most is to be obtained by the individual pupil; this will probably require some oversight by parents.

Another way by which the child can be helped very much by the home, is by encouraging him to read aloud; with the multiplicity of books, magazines, and papers which come into most homes, fairly well adapted to the several members of the family, this old-time habit of some one reading aloud has become nearly obsolete. My experience is that the best readers in school are usually those children who are accustomed to reading aloud at home; besides it provides a good criterion for parents to judge whether the school is doing, or failing to do, what it ought for their children.

## TEACHERS' MEETINGS.

Two general meetings of the teachers and committees have been held, both at North Dana; the one of April 22 was addressed by Mr. Charles A. Prosser, deputy commissioner, and Mr. Frederic L. Burnham, state agent; the one of October 14 was instructed by Mr. John W. MacDonald, state agent, Supt. W. Scott Ward, Athol, and Prof. Childs, New Salem. These meetings were very helpful and inspiring.

## NEW LANGUAGE BOOKS.

Our old language texts were completely worn out, and to replace them we selected Firman's Progressive Language Lessons, Book One for grades I to IV, and Book Two for grades V to IX.

## CONCLUDING.

I urge parents and all others interested in the welfare of the children to visit the schools frequently. My thanks are gratefully extended to the members of the School Committee, teachers, and all others who have so cordially given me their assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. L. CLAY, *Supt. of Schools.*

No. Dana, March 2, 1912.



## Report of Supervisor of Music.

*Mr. C. L. Clay, Superintendent of Schools of Greenwich :*

The following is my report of the work accomplished in music this school year.

The same system [ Weaver ] that has been taught in Dana so long, is the one that I am teaching in Greenwich. The purpose of this system is to teach the children to sing and read music independently, to give them a musical education which will enable them to read at sight with accuracy, expression and understanding any music which may be set before them.

Each pupil above the fourth grade is keeping a note book on music theory. In this way every one has a chance to review all definitions before term examinations.

The Individual Sight Singing Series are used in all grades at the Village school and in all the upper grades in the Plains school.

The primary grades have tone drill, easy staff dictation, and some work on time.

The upper grades have songs from The Educational Music Readers, which were purchased in the fall. They also have individual singing, theory of keys, chromatics, and time principles. The purpose of the individual singing is to strengthen each pupil in concentration, self-control, accuracy and independence.

In the Village school much progress has been made in the song work, both one part and two part music. Both schools have taken up the theory of music with interest and results are very satisfactory.

By the end of the school year I hope to have brought the schools nearer to the grade standard in music.

I wish to thank the teachers for so faithfully carrying on the outlines which I made out for them. And I also wish to thank Mr. Clay and the school committee for their support.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH CUMMINGS,

*Supervisor of Music.*

February 9, 1912.

## Report of Supervisor of Drawing.

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*Mr. Charles L. Clay, Superintendent of schools, Greenwich :*

I have visited the schools in Greenwich once in two weeks and I find the interest and advancement in the work very encouraging.

I have tried to arrange the work in two courses, one for grades 1, 2, 3 and 4 and the other for grades 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, and I hope in this way to secure more even results, for the little people do not have lessons given them which are too difficult, and the older pupils do not have lessons too simple for their ability.

In both courses they are following the same general plan : nature drawings in color and pencil, and color study in the fall, construction and design work in November and December, principles of perspective and these principles applied to object drawing through January and February ; in April, design applied to useful objects, nature and color study, with design from nature studies again in May and June.

In the primary grades they have learned to measure and make things with given measurements. In the grammar grades they have had some constructive work in paper and cardboard and have made and applied designs to the objects made. They have also studied freehand lettering in the upper grades.

The ability to make letters quickly and well will often be found useful.

I thank the teachers for their co-operation in carrying on the work.

Respectfully submitted,

INA M. CALEF.

Ware, Mass., Feb. 10, 1912.

# Roll of Honor.

( Figures denote number of terms neither absent, tardy, nor dismissed ).

## THE VILLAGE.

Jones, Rubie M.	1	Lego, Frederick L.	1
King, Austin W.	1	Moore, Viola J.	1
King, Stanwood R.	1	Reed, Ruth	1
King, Herman C.	1	White, Harold L.	1
Lego, Raymond	1	White, Howard H.	1

## THE PLAINS.

Brown, Robert K.	1	Lyman, George E.	1
Brown, Nicholas A.	1	Lyman, Eva J.	1
Despin, Lena M.	1	Walker, Leslie J.	2
Gelling, M. Edna	3	Walker, Ella M.	1
Gelling, Paul R.	2	Williams, Doris J.	1
Williams, Fanny P.		1	

# List of Teachers.

SCHOOL	NAME	WHERE EDUCATED	WAGES
The Village	Annie D. Kinsley*	Fitchburg Normal	\$ 48.00
	Ida E. Barrus†	Ashfield Academy	48.00
	Lucy J. Jacobs	Webster High School	48.00
The Plains	Marion E. Kelley	Worcester Normal	48.00

\*Spring term. †To Christmas recess.

## SPECIAL TEACHERS

Edith C. Cummings	Institute of Pedagogy	\$ 3.00
Ina M. Calef	State Normal Art	3.00

## School Calendar, 1912-1913.

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### 1912.

March 1, Winter term ends, - 12 weeks.

March 18, Spring term begins.

April 19 and May 30, Holidays.

June 7, Spring term ends, - 12 weeks.

Sept. 3, Fall term begins,

Oct. 12, Holiday.

Nov. 22, Fall term ends, - 12 weeks.

Dec. 2, Winter term begins.

Dec. 20, Close for Christmas recess.

Dec. 30, Winter term continues.

### 1913.

Feb. 22, Holiday.

Feb. 28, Winter term ends, - 12 weeks.

March 17, Spring term begins.

# Town Warrant.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To Clarence E. Miller, Constable of the town of Greenwich,*

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the twenty-fifth day of March, A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for Town Clerk, one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, and three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year. Also on same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town.

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on taxes after a certain date, and fix the rate, also to see if the town will allow a discount on taxes if paid on or before a certain date.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the current municipal year beginning April 1, 1912, in anticipation of the taxes for said municipal year such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the current expenses of the town, giving the note, or notes of the town therefor.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to extend the sewer from W. H. Walker's, up past the Post Office, also a branch across the road to Mr. Stockwell's yard, to take the water that comes off the hill.

The polls will be opened at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least, before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this sixteenth day of March, A. D., 1912.

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		



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# Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

# GREENWICH

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1, 1913

BELCHERTOWN, MASS. :  
PRESS OF LEWIS H. BLACKMER,

1913.



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

MAY 18 1913

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.

*Clifford*

# Report of Town Clerk.

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## *Vital Statistics for 1912.*

### BIRTHS.

	CHILD'S NAME.	PARENT'S NAME.
Mar. 15,	Carlton Myron Jr.	Carlton and Lucy Clifford.
Oct. 13,	Raymond Jay,	Lewis and Ruth Graves.
Dec. 20,	Walter John,	Leigh and Edith Weaver.

### MARRIAGES.

May 15,	Roy L. Graves, and Edith M. Gray.	
May 29,	Frank H. Bacon, and Ruby J. Graves.	
Aug. 7,	Cyprian Wm. Uracius, and June Pulsipher.	
Oct. 2,	Edward L. Upton, and Della Vaughn,	
Oct. 23,	Roy R. Ellsworth, and Ila Mae Miller,	
Nov. 6,	Andrew J. Loux, and Clara E. Hall.	
Dec. 18,	Charles B. Coit, and Martha H. Clark.	
	Oldest Groom, 53,	Oldest Bride, 40.
	Youngest Groom, 20,	Youngest Bride, 18.

### DEATHS.

Jan. 4,	Fannie L. Thrasher, age 57.
Jan. 19,	James E. White, age 75.
Jan. 29,	Julia Rice, age 74.
June 6,	Lucinda R. Root, age 80.
June 20,	Daniel S. Cutler, age 82.
July 14,	Adonijah L. Gray, age 70.
Aug. 20,	Laura L. Vaughn, age 70.

- Aug. 26, George E. Nevins, age 60.  
 Sept. 25, Harriett E. Parker, age 67.  
 Oct. 13, Raymond J. Graves, premature.  
 Oct. 25, Lydia E. Blackmer, age 89.  
 Dec. 11, Nellie A. Sessions, age 46.

## NON-RESIDENTS.

- Mar. 2, Susan M. Frye, of Monson, age 90.  
 July 18, Rhoda F. Granger, of Springfield, age 71.  
 Aug. 29, Leon W. Johnson, of Worcester, age 41.  
 Aug. 28, Martha J. Fewell, of Palmer, age 74.  
 Sept. 9, Wm. S. Doak, of New York, age 53.  
 Oct. 19, Jerusha C. Caswell, of Milford, age 69.  
 Nov. 1, Lora E. Brewster, of Boston, age 63.  
 Nov. 5, Caleb B. Estey, of Ludlow, age 58.  
 Dec. 15, George T. Magrath, of Gardner, age 57.

## REMOVED FROM PRESCOTT CEMETERY.

- June 10, 1885, Nettie C. Bolt, age 18.  
 June 24, 1885, Wm. C. Bolt, age 1.  
 Feb. 25, 1895, Wm. P. Granger, 63.  
 Nov. 4, 1910, George B. Cawswell, 65.

Very Respectfully,  
 CLARENCE E. MILLER, *Town Clerk.*

# Report of the Selectmen.

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## STATE AID.

Simon M. Stockwell,	\$ 48.00	
Iva L. Jones,	72.00	
William T. Alden,	48.00	
Nathan A. Beals,	48.00	
Leroy C. Beals,	72.00	
Albert P. Clifford,	48.00	
Trelawney C. Chapman,	48.00	
James L. W. Thayer,	48.00	
Arthur H. Pomeroy,	48.00	
Henry M. Brown,	12.00	
Mary F. Winter,	48.00	
Elvira Wood,	48.00	
Mary J. Duncan,	16.00	
Lucinda R. Root,	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 616.00

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## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Paid Amelia M. Root,		\$ 100.00

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## EXPENSE OF FOREST FIRES.

Paid Wm. H. Walker and others,	\$ 15.10
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## TREE WARDEN.

Appropriation,	\$ 50.00	
Paid Benj. A. Sawtelle, M. D.,		\$ 44.30

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## SUPT. OF MOTH WORK.

Appropriation,	\$ 50.00	
Paid Benj. A. Sawtelle, M. D., Supt.		\$ 32.51

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## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Ending Feb. 19, 1913.

Appropriation,	\$ 50.00	
Received from Rindge fund,	\$ 3.00	
"    "    Wilkinson fund,	5.00	
"    "    Shumway fund,	3.00	
"    "    Spooner fund,	2.00	
"    "    Warner fund,	4.00	
"    "    Mary Walker fund,	3.00	
"    "    Chas. Powers fund,	2.00	
"    "    Rebecca Spooner fund,	3.00	
"    "    Merrick Tourtellotte fund,	1.00	
"    "    Emelia Topliff fund,	3.00	
"    "    Justice Johnson fund,	5.00	
"    "    Chas. Record fund,	2.00	
"    "    Amos Blackmer fund,	1.08	
"    "    Clara B. Walker fund,	3.00	
"    "    care of lots, 1912,	33.00	
"    "    sale of grass,	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 127.08
Paid G. E. Nevins, and help,	\$ 111.68	
"    for care of flowers,	10.00	
"    B. A. Sawtelle, sec'y.,	5.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 127.08

Received from E. O. Caswell, for lot,	£	10.00	
“ “ Lucinda Root, estate for lots,		10.00	
“ “ B. W. Dunham, for lot,		10.00	
“ “ Mary V. Grayler, for lot,		10.00	
“ “ Lyman Rice, for lot,		5.00	
Paid town treasurer,		—————	£ 45.00
Received from selectmen's appropriation,	£	50.00	
Interest on funds,		40.10	
		—————	£ 90.10

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Jan. 18, received of Albert L. Root, and paid  
to town treasurer, £ 100.00

Interest of same to be used for the benefit  
and care of Lucinda R. Root lot.

DAVID M. HUNTER, } Cemetery  
BENJ. A. SAWTELLE, } Commissioners.

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation,		\$ 1000.00
Paid H. M. Lyman and Sons,	\$ 185.77	
W. H. Walker, man and team,	148.00	
A. Almyuist,       "       "	97.00	
Austin Hunter,   "       "	8.63	
C. W. Uracius,   "       "	4.20	
G. B. Lous,       "       "	40.00	
A. H. Hall,       "       "	20.00	
G. A. Walker,     "       "	7.00	
G. E. Nevins, and horse,	2.25	
F. E. Rogers, and horse,	2.50	
J. T. Clark,	65.72	
F. Aiken,	4.28	
R. Ellsworth;	20.22	
A. A. Stevens,	44.19	
W. L. Bacon,	34.22	
W. Patrill,	2.92	
A. Moore,	9.92	
Roy Edson,	5.63	
C. C. Thayer,	6.00	
C. L. Jones,	2.40	
J. V. Lincoln,	1.00	
W. A. Gelling,	1.60	
L. J. Giffin,	10.50	
W. H. Giffin,	21.50	
S. H. Walker, supplies,	5.40	
F. P. Hall, supplies,	2.15	
F. H. Vaughn, tiling,	35.55	
W. H. Walker, railing and posts,	53.40	
W. H. Giffin,     "       "	37.00	
A. C. King, gravel,	.80	
L. Graves,       "       "	2.70	\$ 882.45
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		\$ 117.55



## STATE ROAD 1912.

State granted,		\$ 400.00
Paid H. M. Lyman & Sons,	\$ 61.50	
W. H. Walker, man and team,	74.00	
G. A. Walker, " "	56.00	
A. Januszajtis, " "	44.00	
E. A. Moore, blacksmith,	1.70	
E. T. King, gravel,	14.70	
A. O. Parker, gravel,	3.85	
W. H. Walker, gravel and stakes,	4.50	
J. T. Clark,	19.25	
A. A. Stevens,	29.75	
E. G. Mercier,	30.53	
F. A. W. Churchill,	7.00	
S. A. Schermerhorn,	22.75	
W. H. Giffin,	3.30	
For bound-stone and freight,	2.17	\$ 375.00
		<u>\$ 25.00</u>
Received from State,	\$ 375.00	

## TO EXTENDING SEWER IN VILLAGE.

Raised and appropriated,		\$ 200.00
Paid H. M. Lyman,	\$ 22.50	
W. H. Lyman,	10.68	
G. Lyman,	11.28	
A. A. Stevens,	14.87	
W. H. Giffin,	6.50	
W. H. Giffin, cement,	3.50	
E. A. Moore, blacksmith,	5.90	
W. H. Walker, man and team,	7.25	
F. H. Vaughn, tiling,	121.44	
	<u>\$ 203.92</u>	
Overdrawn,		\$ 3.92
		<u>\$ 203.92</u>

## MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

Paid Walter H. Glazier, expenses to Boston,	\$ 5.00
Walter H. Glazier, copying valuation,	5.00
Cecil T. Bagnall, printing,	3.94
Repairs on Wilcox house,	2.00
Lewis H. Blackmer, printing town reports,	47.80
A. H. Bartlett, blanks etc.,	9.35
N. Quigley, dinners for election officers,	2.25
Athol Transcript, primary notices,	3.50
Edward T. King, inspecting cattle & premises,	18.00
Edward T. King, inspecting meat to Apr. 1, 1912,	13.90
Howard H. Dickinson, 8 burials,	30.00
Charles H. Chase, transfer list of real estate,	3.60
A. P. Langtry, register,	1.25
Daniel Stone & Son, insurance on library,	10.00
Printing poll tax and jury list,	2.10
Walter H. Glazier, tax book etc.,	3.25
Howard H. Dickinson, 2 lanterns,	1.50
Walter H. Glazier, tax on cheese factory,	10.87
A. W. Brownell, moth notices,	2.05
Walter H. Glazier, dinners for election officers,	2.50
Discount on taxes for 1912,	65.22
Searching records at Northampton,	10.66
Walter H. Glazier, acc't Hillside school,	5.00
Walter H. Glazier, acc't Harrington estate,	3.98
Willis R. King, sealer weights and measures,	8.00
Abel O. Parker, storing scraper,	2.25
Frank P. Hall, supplies for town,	20.34
Wm. H. Jones, janitor town hall,	5.00
“ “ care of ballot box, 1912,	1.00
“ “ repairs on town hall,	1.25
Giffin & Hall, water rent to Dec. 1, 1912,	6.00

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 \$ 306.56

## SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Walter H. Glazier, collecting taxes, 1910,	\$	40.00	
Fred M. Thrasher, teller 1 meeting,		1.50	
Oscar A. King, " 1 "		1.50	
Ezra P. S. Alden, " 2 "		3.00	
Wm. A. Gelling, " 4 "		6.00	
Wm. R. Carrick, " 2 "		3.00	
David M. Hunter, " 2 "		3.00	
Wm. R. Carrick, moderator,		2.50	
Stephen H. Walker, justice,		5.00	
Stephen H. Walker, auditor for 1911,		5.00	
Frank P. Hall, treasurer,		30.00	
Fred A. W. Churchill, constable,		4.50	
Wm. H. Giffin, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,		60.00	
Edward M. Hunter, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor,		60.00	
Walter H. Glazier, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor,		60.00	
Clarence E. Miller, town clerk, and money paid out,	56.75	\$	341.75
Total amount of orders drawn,		\$	3,007.69

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen.</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		
		<i>of</i>
		<i>Greenwich.</i>

February 28, 1913.

Stephen H. Walker, *Auditor.*

# Treasurer's Report.

*Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending  
March 1, 1913.*

1912.	<i>Dr.</i>	
March 1, To cash in treasury to new acc't,	\$ 1,953.29	
To cash received from Commonwealth, acc't State Forester's protection against forest fires,	34.50	
To cash received from Selectmen for sale of stove,	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,988.79
To cash received from Selectmen, rent of Wilcox House,	30.00	
To cash received from School Committee, acc't sale of supplies,	7.30	
To cash received from Athol Savings Bank, (borrowed)	1,000.00	
To cash received from town of Hardwick, account rendered,	15.90	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,053.20
To cash received from Cemetery Commis- sioners, for sale of lots,	45.00	
To cash received from Overseer of Poor acc't, bord of Martha Curtis,	60.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth acc't, support sick paupers,	28.43	

To cash received from Commonwealth compensation inspection of animals,	\$ 9.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth tuition of children,	316.80	\$ 459.23
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To cash received from J. G. Lincoln, clerk of district court of Eastern Hampshire (fines)	5.00	
To cash received from School Committee, State reimbursement account school superintendent,	115.14	
To cash received from Commonwealth corporation tax,	16.58	
To cash received from Commonwealth National Bank tax,	61.78	\$ 198.50
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To cash received from Commonwealth state aid,	646.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth acc't high school tuition in special cases,	377.50	
To cash received from E. H. Banister, dog fund refunded,	81.58	
To cash received from cemetery commissioners, Lucinda Root cemetery fund,	100.00	\$ 1,205.08
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To cash received from Commonwealth state highway loan fund,	375.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth income Mass., school fund,	1,142.04	
To cash received from Ware Savings Bank, interest on cemetery funds,	40.10	
To cash received from cemetery commissioners account, error in account,	.02	
To cash received from Overseer of Poor account Cooley Home,	1,326.80	\$ 2,883.96
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To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector taxes, 1910,	\$ 343.00	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector, interest on taxes, 1910,	51.48	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector taxes, 1911,	800.00	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector taxes, 1912,	3,330.10	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 4,524.58
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 12,313.34

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By paid Athol Savings Bank, note and int.,	\$ 1,025.00	
By paid Commonwealth for certification of town note No. 3,	3.00	
By paid Athol Savings Bank, interest,	12.50	
By paid Edwin H. Banister, county tax,	362.61	
By paid Athol Savings Bank, interest,	25.00	
By paid State tax,	437.50	
By paid Athol Savings Bank, note and int.,	512.50	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 2,378.11
By paid J. W. Flint, as per order of District Court,	8.05	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1910,	1.40	
By paid Assessors, certificate of tax abatement, 1911,	26.75	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 36.20
By deposited in Ware Savings Bank, Lucinda Root, cemetery fund,	100.00	
By paid Selectmen's orders to date,	3,007.69	
By paid Overseer of Poor, orders to date,	1,828.68	
By paid School Committee, orders to date,	2,704.55	
By cash in treasury to balance,	2,258.11	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 9,899.03
		<u>          </u>
Total,		\$ 12,313.34

## TRUST FUNDS FOR ACCOUNT CEMETERY.

## CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

Rindge fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1913,	\$ 20.63
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available \$ 17.63
Wilkinson fund, \$ 300.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1913,	55.33
Expended, \$ 5.00,	Available 50.33
Shumway fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1913,	18.79
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available 15.79
Spooner fund, \$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1913,	10.52
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available 8.52
Warner fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1913,	19.07
Expended \$ 4.00	Available 15.07
Mary Walker fund, \$ 100.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1913,	20.80
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available 17.80
Chas. Powers fund, \$ 50.00, interest to Jan. 1, 1913.	11.32
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available 9.32
Rebecca Spooner fund, \$ 82.65, int. to Jan. 1, 1913,	17.31
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available 14.31
Merrick Tourtelotte fund, \$ 25.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1913,	6.08
Expended \$ 1.00,	Available 5.08
Emelia Topliff fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1913,	21.78
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available 18.78
Justice Johnson fund, \$ 200.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1913,	34.42
Expended \$ 5.00,	Available 29.42
Charles Record fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1913,	10.36
Expended \$ 2.00,	Available 8.36
Amos Blackmer fund, \$ 50.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1913,	9.16
Expended \$ 1.10,	Available 8.06
Clara B. Walker fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1913,	18.28
Expended \$ 3.00,	Available 15.28
Lucinda Root fund, \$ 100.00, int. to Jan. 1, 1913,	
Expended —	Available —

## LIABILITIES.

One note due April, 30, 1913,	\$ 1,000.00
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## ASSETS.

Amount due on taxes, 1911,	65.00
Amount due on taxes, 1912,	984.00
Amount due from Commonwealth, State aid paid in 1912,	500.00
Amount from Commonwealth State aid for Jan. and Feb. 1913,	116.00
Cash in treasury,	2,258.11

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL. *Treasurer.*STEPHEN H. WALKER. *Auditor.*



## Valuation and Taxes.

State tax,	\$ 437.50
County tax,	362.61
Town grant and note,	3,350.00
Overlayings upon all taxes,	163.99
Rate of taxation per \$ 1000,	16.00

### TABLE OF AGGREGATES.

Total valuation,	\$ 254,630.00
Total value of real estate,	212,290.00
Total value of personal estate,	42,340.00
Total tax for state, county and town purposes,	4,314.10
Number of polls assessed,	1.20
Number of polls exempt,	14
Tax on each poll,	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed,	254
Total number paying tax on property,	226
Total number paying tax on poll only,	28
Number of horses assessed,	125
Number of cows assessed,	256
Number of neat cattle other than cows,	76
Number of swine assessed,	56
Number of dwelling houses assessed,	138
Number of fowls assessed,	3,229
Number of acres of land assessed.	11,188

WALTER H. GLAZIER, WILLIAM H. GIFFIN, EDWARD M. HUNTER,	}	<i>Assessors of Greenwich.</i>
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# Report of Overseers of Poor.

## EXPENSES AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME.

Paid Springfield Hospital, account No. 8,	\$ 62.50	
Farren Memorial Hospital, account No. 8,	42.00	
Overseers of Poor, account No. 8,	24.60	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 129.10
Paid B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., account No. 7.	\$ 12.50	
F. P. Hall, account No. 7,	1.15	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 13.65
Paid H. H. Dickinson, account No. 5.	\$ 1.22	\$ 1.22
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 143.97
Due from town of Hardwick, account No. 5,	\$ 1.22	

## EXPENSE AT COOLEY HOME.

Paid Fred M. Thresher, salary to Apr. 1, 1912,	\$ 58.33
Fred M. Thresher, salary to Feb. 1, 1913,	291.67
F. L. Parker, grain and grinding,	413.66
F. L. Parker, hay,	13.51
H. H. Dickinson, store bill,	185.21
Frank J. Murphy, labor,	105.00
Thomas Severance, labor,	54.00
W. R. Carrick, fertilizer,	69.00
E. T. King, fertilizer,	10.00
F. M. Thresher, hay,	77.65
F. M. Thresher, miscellaneous,	41.18

Paid F. M. Thresher, account No. 1,	\$ 16.07
F. P. Hall, store bill,	45.03
Belchertown Creamery Co., butter,	67.60
Belchertown Creamery Co., transportation of cream,	19.58
S. H. Walker, store bill,	15.77
H. I. Shaw, one cow,	39.00
Geo. L. Mason, sawing wood,	10.75
J. M. Vaughn, meat,	12.16
Fred Chamberlain, pigs,	16.00
H. H. Dickinson, pigs,	22.50
"    grain,	30.18
"    account No. 4.	1.00
W. R. King, butchering,	6.00
Daniel Stone & Son, insurance,	7.50
James D. Kimball, insurance,	6.75
Jason Thurston, meat,	6.80
Rohan Bros., meat,	3.63
E. T. King, meat,	2.72
H. B. Hess, fish and oysters,	3.11
E. L. Powers, blacksmith bill.	7.55
E. A. Moore,    "    "	5.50
Sexton Douglas, labor,	4.50
B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., account No. 8,	8.00
B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., account No. 3,	2.00
F. P. Hall, account No. 4,	2.95
F. P. Hall, account No. 3,	1.00
F. P. Hall, account No. 8,	1.85
	<hr/> \$ 1,684.71

## INCOME AT COOLEY HOME.

Cream,	\$ 394.01
Potatoes,	285.40
Cows,	202.00
Pork,	138.99
Eggs,	106.15

Veal,	\$	89.00
Wood,		46.50
Poultry,		26.90
Cabbage,		7.65
W. R. Carrick, dinners,		10.20
E. H. Vaughn, for Doubleday goods,		20.00
Mrs. Hattie Cook, account No. 8,		60.00
	—————	\$ 1,386.80

Net expense at Cooley Home, \$ 297.91

#### INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME.

Farm,		\$ 2,800.00
One horse,	\$	200.00
One horse,		175.00
Six cows,		210.00
Two 2 year-olds,		50.00
Nine swine,		80.00
Fifty-five fowls,		40.00
English hay,		60.00
Stock hay,		25.00
Potatoes,		55.00
Provisions,		35.00
Farming tools,		175.00
Furniture,		90.00
	—————	\$ 1,195.00

#### INMATES AT COOLEY HOME.

No. 1,	52 weeks.
No. 3,	52 weeks.
No. 4,	52 weeks.
No. 8,	37 weeks.
No. 7,	6 weeks.
	—————
	199 weeks.

EDWARD M. HUNTER,	}	<i>Overseers</i>
WALTER H. GLAZIER,		
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		
		<i>of</i>
		<i>Poor.</i>

Greenwich, Mass., Feb. 28, 1913.

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library.

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Number of days library has been opened,	52
books given out,	2,752
magazines given out,	264
books donated from commission,	33
books purchased,	99
books given,	2
magazines subscribed for,	7
public documents added,	4
Whole number of volumes,	2,685
Circulating department,	2,465
Public documents,	220

A. M. ROOT, *Secretary.*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

### RECEIPTS.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00
Received from Bailey & Spooner fund,	28.28
Received from fines,	2.00
Cash balance from last year,	34.92
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	\$ 165.20

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid for books,	\$ 97.07	
magazines,	13.85	
express,	.25	
carrying books,	13.00	
sundries,	1.45	
librarian,	30.00	
500 labels and postage on same,	.30	
Money on hand,	9.28	
	<hr/>	\$ 165.20

A. M. ROOT, *Treasurer.*

NELLIE I. NEVINS, *Librarian.*

MARY E. TOWNE, *Acting Librarian.*

WILLIAM S. DOUGLAS.  
 WILLIAM H. WALKER.  
 EZRA P. S. ALDEN.  
 ELLA M. WALKER,  
 ALICE T. THAYER,  
 AMELIA M. ROOT.

} *Trustees.*

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Adams, Joseph H.	Harper's Electrical Book for Boys.	LAD13.3
Bailey, L. H.	Farm and Garden Rule Book.	LB14
Delacombe, H.	The Boy's Book of Air Ships.	LD41
Gruff, Eugene H., & Guilford W. S.	The Potato.	LG89
McKeever, Wm.	Farm Boys and Girls.	LM18
Miller, Ella Roberts.	Butterfly and Moth Book.	LM59
Pinchot, Gifford.	The Use of the National Forest.	LP65.3
Saint Maur, Kate V.	Making Home Profitable.	LSA.2
Waugh, F. A.	The America Apple Orchard.	L W23
Eaton, Walla Packard.	The Boy Scouts of Berkshire.	jL EA9

## FICTION.

Altohelm, Joseph A.	The Scout of the Valley.	jAL7.6
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Andrews, Mary R. S.	Marshal.	AN2
Baldwin, Mary.	A School Girl of Moscow.	j B.18
Baldwin, Mary.	Two School Girls of Florence	j B.18.2
Barker, Bruce.	Young Honesty Politician.	j B34
Beach, E. L.	Lieutenant Ralph Osborn.	j B37
Beach, E. L.	Roger Paulding.	j B37.2
Beach, Rex.	Pardners.	B38.6



Bindloss, Harold. The Long Portage.	B51.4
Bindloss, Harold. Thurston of Orchard Valley.	B51.5
Bosher, Kate Langley. Man from Lonely Land.	B67.2
Brown, B. M. Lure of the Dim Trails.	B69
Burgess, Thornton W. Mother West Wind's Animal Friends.	j B91
Burnham, Clara Louise. Inner Flame.	B94.11
Carey, Rosa N. Roe With a Difference.	C18.19
Conner, Ralph. Corporal Cameron.	C.76.7
Curtis, Alice Turner. Grandpa's Little Girls.	jC 92
Curwood, James Oliver. Flower of the North.	C95
Daviess, Marion Thomson. Rose of Old Harfuth.	D27
Daviess, Marion Thomson. The Melting of Molly.	D27.2
Davis, Wm. Stearns. Friar of Wittenborg.	D 31.3
Day, Holman. King Spruce.	D 83.2
Deland, Margaret. Iron Woman.	D 38.4
Demock, W. Dick Among the Leminoles.	jD61
Dix, Beulah Maria. The Fighting Blade.	D64.3
Dowd, Emma C. Polly of the Hospital Staff.	j D67
Eskine, Payne. Joyful Heatherby.	ER.5
Fox, Alice Wilson. Baron's Heir.	F88.2
Fox, Frances Margaret. Seven Christmas candles.	j F89
Gould, Elizabeth Lincoln. Falcia's Friends.	j G68
Grey, Zane. Riders of the Purple Sage.	G87
Harben, Will N. Paul Randel.	H19.8
Harraden, Beatrice. Out of the Wreck I Rise.	H24
Johnston, Mary. Cease Firing.	J 65.8
Johnston, Annie Fellows. Mary Wares the Promised Land.	jJ65.9
Kellogg, Frank E. Young Duck Shooters in Camp.	j K30
Knowles, Robert E. Signer of the Rootenay.	K75.4
Lincoln, Joseph C. Postmaster.	L 63.6
Lincoln, Joseph C. Rise of Roscoe Paine.	L 63.7
Lynde, Francis. Scientific Sprague.	L99
Montague, L. M. Chronocles of Avonlea.	M 77.4
Nicolas Meradith. Hoosier Chronicle.	N52.3
Norris, Kathleen. Mother.	N53
Margaret, Cunliff. Snowfire.	OW96

Paine, Ralph D.	Camper's Days.	jP16.2
Paine, Ralph D.	Sandy Sawyer Sophmore.	j P16.3
Patterson, Maude H.	The Sanctuary.	P45.2
Potter, Beatrix.	Tale of Benj. Bunny.	j P84
Richmond, Grace S.	Round the Corner in Gay Street.	R41.2
Scott, Walter.	Ivanhoe.	Sco 8.11
Smith, F. Hopkinson.	The Arm Chair at the Inn.	SM9.10
Stevenson, Burton E.	Mystery of the Boule Cabinet.	STE4
Targart, Marion Ames.	Six Girls Grown Up.	T 12.8
Tomlinson, Everett.	Champion of the Regiment.	T59.28
Wallace, Dillon.	Lure of the Labrador.	W 14
Waller, Mary E.	Cry in the Wilderness.	W16.4
Waller, Mary E.	My Rag Picker.	W16.5
Weir, Hugh C.	Young Shipper of the Great Lakes.	j W41
Wemyss, Mary C. E.	Prudent Priscilla.	W43
Wright, Harold Bell.	Their Yesterdays.	W92a <sup>3</sup>
Wright, Harold Bell.	Shepherd of the Hills.	W92a <sup>4</sup>
Wright, Harold Bell.	Uncrowned King.	W92.a <sup>5</sup>

# Annual Report

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

Greenwich, Mass.,

For the year ending March 1, 1913.

F. P. HALL, Chairman,

W. R. CARRICK, Secretary,

HARRISON THRESHER,

Term expires, 1914.

Term expires, 1913.

Term expires, 1915.

## Financial Statement.

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Income from state school fund,	\$ 1,142.04	
Balance from last year,	559.56	
From state, on account of superintendent,	115.14	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,816.74
Expended,		1,341.05
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Unexpended,		\$ 475.69
Received from town,	\$ 965.00	
High school tuition, reimbursed,	377.50	
From state, on account of children,	316.80	
Interest on Sabin school fund,	30.00	
Credit on wood sold,	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,691.30
Expended,		1,363.50
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		327.80

Respectfully,

W. R. CARRICK.

Stephen Walker, Auditor.

### SALARIES.

Marion Kelley,	\$ 432.00
Lucy Jacobs,	432.00
Edith Cnmmings,	51.00
E. Maude Bradley,	33.00

Ina Calif,	\$ 24.00	
Charles Clay,	180.29	
School Committee,	40.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 1,192.29

### TRANSPORTATION.

Lewis Graves,	\$ 180.00	
Elmer Powers,	162.00	
H. Curtis,	132.00	
Henry Lego,	95.00	
H. D. Adams,	83.00	
Leroy Beals,	14.00	
Charles Jones,	6.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 672.00

### HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

Athol,	\$ 150.00	
Newton,	100.00	
Springfield,	100.00	
New Salem,	80.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 430.00

### EXPENDITURES.

School supplies,	\$ 96.26	
Wood,	54.15	
Care of rooms,	58.25	
Furnace,	160.00	
F. P. Hall's store bill,	9.55	
Water rent,	8.75	
Labor and material,	11.90	
Census,	5.00	
B. A. Sawtelle,	4.00	
Order books,	2.40	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 410.26
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 2,704.55

# Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

*To the School Committee and Citizens of the town of Greenwich :*

I herewith present my third annual report for the fiscal year ending February 14, 1913, the same being, also, the eleventh in the series of superintendents' reports for the Dana Supervisory School District.

## SOME STATISTICS.

Population, census 1910, 452

### SCHOOL CENSUS,

Children between 5 and 15 years : boys 51, girls 34, total 85.

“ “ 7 “ 14 “ “ 39, “ 29, total 68.

Illiterate minors, 3

Number of schoolhouses, 2

Number occupied, 2

Number of schools, 2

Number of different teachers during the year, 3

Number of regular teachers required, 2

Number of special teachers, 2

### EYE AND EAR TESTS.

Number of pupils enrolled, 51

Number found defective in sight, 2

Number found defective in hearing, 0

Number of parents notified, 1

## Number in grades as reported for January.

Grades	The Village	The Plains	Total
I	3	4	7
II	2	4	6
III	0	3	3
IV	3	1	4
V	2	4	6
VI	0	3	3
VII	10	3	10
VIII	9	3	3
IX	9	1	10

Boys, 25, girls, 27, total 52.

For the school year ending June 30, 1912.

Total enrollment,	46
Number under 5 years of age,	0
Number over 14 years of age,	1
Number between 7 and 14 years of age,	35
Average membership,	42
Average attendance,	38
Per cent of attendance,	90
No. completing grammar school course ; boys 1, girls 0, total	1
Number entering first year of high school,	0
Number of visits by school committee,	0
Number of visits by the superintendent,	59
Number of visits by others,	23
Aggregate number of months the schools have kept, 17 mo. 16 d.	
Average number of months,	8 mo. 18 da.

## TUITION PUPILS ATTENDING HIGH SCHOOL.

Name	Grade	Place
Billings, Frank W.	XII	Athol
Parker, Lowell K.	XIII	"
Thrasher, Samuel E.	XIII	"
Walker, Laura E.	XIII	"
Lyman, Clarence,	XII	New Salem
Nevins, Winfred M.	XII	Springfield
Ruby M. Jones,	X	Newton
Clara M. Wright,	XIII	New Salem

### THE SCHOOLS.

Of necessity, a paragraph on "The Schools" must find a place in this annual report, for with varying constituancies the schools will remain, and teachers will come and go.

We liked the ones we had last year so well that they were asked to retain their positions for another year; they accepted our offer. The routine work has gone along with little friction, and considering the size and number of classes quite a satisfactory progress has been made; I regard the Village school as the hardest "proposition" of the district; the teacher must be alert and active every minute; there must be no "let-up from morning till night. This school has done exceptionally good work in vocal music.

### MUSIC AND DRAWING.

We have been fortunate in retaining Miss Cummings as supervisor in music; she brings an inspiration that stirs the dullest.

Miss Calef resigned during the summer vacation, much to our regret; Miss Bradley, a successful supervisor in drawing in two other towns, was secured to fill the position. These Supervisors' reports are appended.

### TWO OTHER THINGS.

We put into the schools Sanborn's Speller; the old ones were worn out, and hardly "in fashion"; we are all making an extra effort to teach spelling, but with our unphonetic language it is a difficult task.

We had only one pupil completing the IX grade this year, and he a pupil coming from an adjoining town just before the spring term began, - Andrew A. Jackson, to whom a diploma was given.

### CERTIFICATED.

Ruby M. Jones, grade VIII, having complied with the vote of the school committee as recorded publicly in our report of last year, was given a certificate in August. She entered the commercial department of Newton high school and has maintained a high rank.



## MEETING OF JOINT CONVENTION, ETC.

April 13, the several school boards of the district met in joint convention in the library room at North Dana, and the superintendent of schools was unanimously reelected for a term of three years from July 1, 1912. The basis of the division of the common interest of the district was made 18 schools instead of 19 as heretofore, so that Dana is to have 5-18, New Salem 7-18, Prescott 4-18, and Greenwich 2-18 of the State aid; the superintendent's time, etc.

The following is a paragraph from a letter received by me from the office of the secretary of the Massachusetts Board of Education under date of August 19, 1912: - "In order to facilitate the work of this office, it is desirable to establish for the superintendency unions of the state a uniform financial year, that is, a year extending from July 1, to June 30, on which the State may base its annual payments to the unions on account of the employment of a superintendent of schools."

The financial year of this district having begun August 15, we complied with the request; but in consequence, we received this year only \$ 1,093.75 from the State on account of the superintendency union in place of the usual sum, \$ 1,250.00; of course, Greenwich's share was proportionately less. Hereafter, the larger sum will be received annually.

## THE DISTRICT TEACHERS' MEETING.

April 13, the teachers and members of the several committees held a meeting at the grammar school room, North Dana, and enjoyed the following program: -

Papers on teaching Spelling,	Read by Supt. Clay.
Education for Efficiency,	
Mr. William Orr, Deputy Commissioner.	
A Lesson in Geography, - Turkey,	Rev. Haig Adadourian.
How to teach Geography,	Prin. F. F. Murdock.
Scientific Temperance,	Miss Cora F. Stoddard.

## CONCLUSION.

Bespeaking the continued liberality of the voters to provide means for carrying on the schools successfully, and gratefully acknowledging the hearty cooperation of the school committee, teachers, and the citizens in general, friends, all, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. CLAY. *Supt. of Schools.*

## Report of School Physician.

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*For the year ending March 1, 1913.*

*To the School Committee of the town of Greenwich :*

Sirs :-

Have visited the schools at the Plains and Village.  
Found them in better health than usual.

No contagious disease in schools during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

B. A. SAWTELLE, M. D.

## Report of Supervisor of Music.

*Mr. C. L. Clay, Superintendent of Schools ;*

It is with pleasure that I submit my second report of the work in music accomplished in the town of Greenwich.

I feel that great advancement has been made over last year, the pupils' interest has increased, the teachers have a better idea of what I want done, some pupils are even acknowledging that they are learning to sing in spite of the fact that they thought they could not.

The school committee has supplied us with more material with which we are much pleased, and feel sure it will be the means of even better results.

Last year the school at the Plains was doing good work but could only take one-part songs, while this year they are singing two-part exercises and songs. This school is improving in every line of their music lessons ; and have begun their second book on songs.

Last year the school at the Village was singing one and two-part songs, while this year they have started three-part music. Both in quantity and quality this school excels many of my country schools.

Theory note books are kept by pupils and three tests are given each year.

About the same line of work in tone drill has been carried on with the younger children.

It would be most gratifying if the parents and friends would visit the schools and hear for themselves what the pupils are able to do in the reading of syllables and the rendering of their songs.

I wish to thank the parents and the school committee and superintendent for their hearty support.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. CUMMINGS,

*Supervisor of Music.*

## Report of Supervisor of Drawing.

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*Mr. C. L. Clay, Superintendent of Schools, Greenwich, Mass.*

I have the honor to submit my first report as supervisor of drawing in the public schools of Greenwich.

It has been said that genius is only an infinite capacity for taking pains. One might be interested to know if that statement holds true in Art, as it certainly does in other lines of work. In considering the lines of some of the men of greatest genius among artists, they are found to have been patient and painstaking to a degree which is surprising and unexpected indeed, to many who read of it for the first time.

Of Leonardo da Vinci, one of the four great masters, we read that he worked on his portrait of "Mona Lisa" at intervals during four years; and another of the quartet, Michael Angelo, painted eight years on his "Last Judgement", in the Sistine Chapel, Rome. This is considered as one of the twelve greatest paintings in the world.

But it is not alone the old masters who possessed that infinite capacity for taking pains, for many modern artists also make most careful and patient studies for their pictures and illustrations. In a magazine a short time ago I noticed two pages of fine vigorous pencil sketches by John La Farge, made in preparation for his illustration of "The Story of the Mouse Tower on the Rhine." And these are but scattering examples. They serve to show, however, that thoroughness, patience and perseverance are equally as important in all works of art, as in any other line.

In our schools this year we have tried to make the work as thorough as possible. Color booklets containing plates and definitions have been made. At Christmas time some simple book binding was given, and the work in this by some of the pupils was excellent. We are now making sketches of common objects, and the attempt is made to have the work average as well as possible. We shall continue this work until the children understand the principles of foreshortening well enough to sketch certain common objects correctly, without much criticism. Later they will make designs for use in cross-stitch or embroidery.

In closing I wish to express my appreciation to the school officials for their courtesy and interest, and to thank the teachers for their hearty co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

E. MAUDE BRADLEY.

Gardner, Mass., February 4, 1913.

## Roll of Honor.

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The figures denote the number of terms neither absent, tardy, nor dismissed.

### THE VILLAGE SCHOOL.

Rubie M. Jones,	3	Mildred Nevins,	1
Raymond Lego,	3	Doris Parker,	1
Mary Lego,	1	Ruth Reed,	1
Frederick Lego,	1	Harold White,	1

### THE PLAINS SCHOOL.

Emil Beckman,	1	Merton Walker,	1
Isabelle Despin,	1	Fannie Williams,	1
Edna Gelling,	1	Doris Williams,	1
Paul Gelling,			1

## List of Teachers.

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SCHOOL	NAME	WHERE EDUCATED	WAGES
The Village,	Lucy J. Jacobs,	Webster High	\$ 48.00
The Plains,	Marion E. Kelley,	Worcester Normal	48.00
SPECIAL TEACHERS			
Music	Edith C. Cummings	Institute of Pedagogy	3.00
Drawing	Ina M. Calef	State Normal Art	3.00
	E. Maude Bradley	State Normal Art	3.00

## School Calendar, 1913 - 1914.

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1913.

February 28, Winter term closes, -- 12 weeks.

March 17, Spring term begins.

April 19, and May 30, holidays.

June 6, Spring term closes, - 12 weeks.

September 1, Fall term begins.

September 1, and October 12, holidays.

November 21, Fall term closes, - 12 weeks.

December 1, Winter term begins.

December 19, Christmas recess.

December 29, Winter term continues.

1914.

February 22, Holiday,

February 27, Winter term closes, -- 12 weeks.

March 16 Spring term begins.



# Town Warrant.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To Clarence E. Miller, Constable of the town of Greenwich,*

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

ART 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years, and one cemetery commissioner for two years to fill vacancy. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, and three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year.

Also on same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town.

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on taxes after a certain date, and fix the rate, also to see if the town will allow a discount on taxes if paid on or before a certain date.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the current municipal year beginning April 1, 1913, in anticipation of the taxes for said municipal year such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the current expenses of the town, giving the note, or notes of the town therefor.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to give a franchise to erect and maintain poles, wires and other fixtures over or under ground in the highways for electric light or power service to the North Dana Electric Light Co. Beginning at the Prescott line at Soapstone to John Lincoln corner, thence on road leading to Greenwich Village via Curtis farm, thence from Greenwich Village to Greenwich Plain as far as the residence of Wm. S. Douglas, or act respecting same.

ART. 10. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to defend all suits at law that may be brought against the town during the ensuing year.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as surety on the official bond of any town officer.

ART. 12. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money, provided the Massachusetts highway commission will add an equal amount, for the purpose of improving the road leading from Greenwich to Enfield, commencing at the Enfield line, near the residence of Mrs. Clara Barlow, and working toward Greenwich centre, or act in relation thereto.

The polls will be opened at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at each

of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least, before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this tenth day of March, A. D., 1913.

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		



# Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

# GREENWICH

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1, 1914

BELCHERTOWN, MASS.  
PRESS OF LEWIS H. BLACKMER  
1914

MAY 29 1913

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.

*Miss  
Cates*

## Report of Town Clerk.

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### *Vital Statistics for 1913.*

#### BIRTHS.

##### CHILD'S NAME.

##### PARENTS' NAME.

June 29,	Blanch Avis Ellsworth.	Roy R. and Ila Mae.
Aug. 31,	Loux.	Andrew J. and C. Evelyn.
Sept. 24,	King.	Willis R. and Lenna.
Dec. 26,	Myrtle Hope Churchill.	Fred A. W. and Ethel E.

#### MARRIAGES.

April 2,	Wilfred Moore, and Lillian Loux.
Sept. 3,	Burt V. Brook, and Ina A. Gamwell.
Nov. 9,	Joseph L. Thrasher, and Etta Vaughn.

#### DEATHS.

Feb. 28,	Jane Doubleday, age 83.
Mar. 8,	Martha Curtis, age 77.
May 25,	George E. Woods, age 62.
Aug. 16,	Mari A. Reed, age 57.
Sep. 1,	Infant Loux, 1 day.
Sep. 8,	Jennie L. Reed, age 47.
Sep. 24,	Stillborn.
Dec. 20,	Maryann Magrath, age 79.

#### NON-RESIDENTS.

Jan. 25,	Ezra S. Ayers, of Northampton, age 80.
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- May 1. Gilbert Cogswell, of Marlboro, age 63.  
May 17, Abbie M. Moodey, of South Hadley, age 87.  
Aug. 16. Sylvesta S. Cleveland, of Athol, age 73.  
Nov. 9. Ann Warner Carrick, of Springfield, age 84.

Very Respectfully,

CLARENCE E. MILLER. *Town Clerk.*



# Report of Selectmen.

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## STATE AID.

Leroy C. Beals,	\$ 52.00	
Iva L. Jones,	52.00	
Henry M. Brown,	62.00	
Wm. T. Alden,	48.00	
Albert P. Clifford,	48.00	
Trelawney C. Chapman,	48.00	
Arthur H. Pomeroy,	48.00	
Nathan A. Beals,	48.00	
Simon M. Stockwell,	24.00	
James L. W. Thayer,	24.00	
Lewis I. Upton,	8.00	
Mary F. Winter,	48.00	
Mary J. Duncan,	28.00	
Elvira Wood,	28.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 566.00

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## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Paid Amelia M. Root.		\$ 100.00

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## EXPENSE OF FOREST FIRES.

Paid Howard H. Dickinson and others,	\$ 3.70
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## TREE WARDEN.

Appropriation,	\$ 50.00	
Paid Benj. A. Sawtelle, M. D.,		\$ 3.79

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## SUPT. OF MOTH WORK.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Paid Benj. A. Sawtelle, M. D., Supt.,		\$ 30.73

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## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Ending Feb. 9, 1914.

Appropriation,	\$ 50.00	
Received from interest available funds,	32.19	
" for work and expense on lots,	83.38	
" for care of lots 1913,	31.75	
" for grass in cemetery,	2.00	
Total		\$ 199.32

Paid B. A. Sawtelle, for self and help,	\$ 135.82	
" Fred E. Vaughn, for fertilizer,	28.15	
" H. H. Dickinson, for tools,	4.35	
" for care of flowers,	10.00	
" for cement and grass seed,	5.00	
" for manure,	11.00	
" B. A. Sawtelle, Sec'y.,	5.00	
Total spent,		\$ 199.32

May 10, Rec'd from Mrs. Emma E. Fuller, and  
           paid town treasurer, \$ 100.00

The interest of same to be used for the benefit  
           and care of the Luther D. Fuller lot.

Aug. 27, Rec'd from Miss C. C. Douglas, and  
           paid town treasurer, 100.00

The interest of same to be used for the benefit  
and care of the Douglas and Sherman lot  
and the 3 Curtis graves.

Nov. 11, Rec'd from W. R. Carrick for lots \$ 10.00  
and paid same to town treasurer.

\$ 10.00

DAVID M. HUNTER,  
BENJ. A. SAWTELLE,  
WM. H. GIFFIN.

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*Cemetery  
Commissioners.*

S. H. Walker, *Auditor.*

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation.	\$ 1000.00
Paid J. M. Vaughn.	\$ 133.64
J. M. Vaughn, man and team.	215.08
A. Lebare.       "       "	90.60
A. O. Parker.   "       "	27.24
J. James.	72.00
A. A. Stevens.	39.47
F. A. W. Churchill.	93.94
F. Rogers.	12.25
S. L. Vaughn.	4.67
C. Leonard.	.40
G. Gibbs.	.78
L. T. King.	9.72
O. A. King.	17.39
A. Loux.	.50
L. J. Giffin.	5.25
M. E. Caswell.	3.50
W. H. Giffin.	12.50
C. C. Thayer.	4.00
Austin Hunter.	6.25
J. T. Clark.	1.00
J. V. Lincoln.	5.25
E. A. Moore, blacksmithing.	3.40
J. M. Vaughn, gravel.	14.70
S. H. Walker, supplies.	3.70
F. P. Hall.       "       "	18.33
W. H. Giffin.   "       "	8.76
"       railings.	9.45
"       paint etc..	42.32
"       timber and plank,	139.95
"       spikes.	3.96
	<hr/> \$ 1,000.00

## STATE ROAD.

Appropriation,	\$ 500.00
State granted,	900.00
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	\$ 1,400.00

Paid J. M. Vaughn,	\$ 137.69
"    man and team,	264.30
A. Lebare,    "    "	171.24
W. H. Walker,  "    "	161.88
A. O. Parker,  "    "	30.00
F. A. W. Churchill,	107.75
O. A. King,	103.75
P. Topp,	29.04
C. Rohan,	1.76
R. Ellsworth,	84.26
H. Witt,	62.26
T. Severence,	1.76
F. Newcomb,	7.04
M. E. Caswell,	3.52
L. T. King,	34.10
W. H. Giffin,	15.00
A. Twibles, gravel,	124.60
W. A. Gelling, filling,	8.00
W. H. Walker, grade-stakes,	1.85
S. H. Walker, supplies,	1.25
F. P. Hall,    "    "	6.67
W. H. Giffin,  "    "	11.79
E. A. Moore, blacksmithing,	1.65
W. H. Giffin, railings,	24.72
"    bound stone and freight,	4.12
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	\$ 1,400.00

## PATHING SNOW.

Paid J. M. Vaughn,	\$ 1.68
"    man and team,	5.60

Paid W. H. Walker, man and team	\$ 10.64
W. A. Gelling,	4.00
"    man and team.	11.25
C. Uracious,	4.10
"    man and team.	10.25
G. A. Walker, "    "	16.00
W. Simmons, "    "	4.00
A. Lebare, "    "	3.20
T. Severence, "    "	10.00
R. Johnston,	1.20
H. Johnston,	1.20
L. J. Giffin,	2.20
H. Witt,	3.20
A. Moore,	3.80
L. T. King,	2.00
S. King,	1.20
M. E. Caswell,	2.00
A. L. Root,	2.00
G. L. Mason,	2.00
L. Mason,	4.00
C. E. Leonard,	7.00
A. C. King,	.25
O. A. Parker,	2.00
T. Severence, Jr.,	4.60
G. Severence,	4.60
W. H. Glazier,	.80
E. Upton,	1.50
	\$ 126.27

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

Paid Frank P. Hall, for dog checks,	\$ 1.63
Lewis H. Blackmer, printing town reports,	38.70
Walter H. Glazier, dinner for election officers,	4.25
Edward F. King, inspecting meat,	14.35
Edward F. King, inspecting cattle and barns,	17.00

Paid Walter H. Glazier, expense to Boston,	\$ 7.20
A. H. Bartlett, ballots,	9.25
Chas. H. Chase, transfer list of real estate,	5.70
American Surety Co., bonds for collector and treasurer,	25.00
Frank Anderson, painting hearse,	31.25
W. H. Glazier, expense to Springfield, twice,	7.16
James D. Kimball, insurance on weight and measure,	17.60
W. H. Glazier, expense jury and poll tax list,	2.10
Athol Transcript, printing primary notices,	3.25
W. H. Glazier, expense to Northampton, and tax book,	4.98
Walter H. Glazier, copying valuation for state,	5.00
W. & L. E. Gurley, weights and measures,	27.45
Howard H. Dickinson, 5 burials,	17.50
Joseph L. Thrasher, cheese factory taxes,	9.37
State Board of Health, 2 branding outfits,	5.30
Cecil T. Bagnall, order books and tax bills,	5.49
Taft & Taft, counsel for town,	10.00
Wm. H. Jones, janitor, and care of ballot box,	6.25
Wm. H. Giffin, soda for fire extinguishers,	2.80
Wm. H. Giffin, expense to Springfield,	3.44
Giffin & Hall, water rent,	6.00
Frank P. Hall, storing weights and measures, and supplies,	39.43
Willis R. King, supplies,	1.50
Joseph L. Thrasher, discount on taxes; 1913,	68.71
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	\$ 397.66

#### SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid W. H. Glazier, collecting taxes for 1911,	\$ 40.00
Roy P. Edson, teller 1 meeting,	1.50
Wm. S. Douglass, teller 4 meetings,	6.00

Paid Wm. A. Gelling, teller, 4 meetings,	\$	6.00	
David M. Hunter, " " "		6.00	
Wm. R. Carrick, " 3 "		4.50	
Fred M. Thrasher, " 2 "		3.00	
Willis R. King, constable,		3.00	
Fred A. W. Churchill, constable,		1.50	
Cyprian Uracius, teller 1 meeting,		1.50	
Wm. R. Carrick, moderator,		2.50	
Stephen H. Walker, justice,		5.00	
" " auditor for 1912,		5.00	
C. E. Miller, town clerk and money paid out,		54.99	
Frank P. Hall, treasurer,		30.00	
Walter H. Glazier, collecting taxes for 1912,		50.00	
Wm. H. Giffin, selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,		60.00	
Edward M. Hunter, selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,		60.00	
Walter H. Glazier, selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,		60.00	
			\$ 400.49
Total amount of orders drawn,			4,110.83

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
WM. H. GIFFIN,		
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		

February 27, 1914.

Stephen H. Walker, *Auditor.*



# Report of Overseers of Poor.

## EXPENSES AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME.

Paid Farren Memorial Hospital, account no.8.	\$ 39.35	
Edward M. Hunter, expense to Athol, account no. 8.	3.57	\$ 42.92
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Paid B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., account no. 7.	\$ 24.50	\$ 24.50
Paid W. H. Glazier, expense, Springfield and Worcester, account no. 9.	\$ 5.22	
W. H. Giffin, expense, Springfield and Worcester, account no. 9	7.58	\$ 12.80
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		\$ 80.22

## EXPENSE AT COOLEY HOME.

Paid Fred M. Thresher, salary to Apr. 1, 1913.	\$ 58.33
Fred M. Thresher, salary to Feb. 1, 1914,	291.67
F. L. Parker, grain,	501.99
H. H. Dickinson, store bill.	192.48
Frank J. Murphy, labor.	221.00
F. P. Hall, store bill.	55.90
Rohan Bros., meat.	7.91
R. D. Johnson, meat,	3.00
S. H. Walker, store bill.	9.49
F. M. Thresher, miscellaneous.	33.65
"    goods, account no.1.	21.69

Paid F P. Hall, goods account no. 3,	\$ 4.00
B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., account no. 3,	6.00
"                    "      no. 4,	2.00
E. H. Moore, undertaker. " no. 4,	28.50
Mrs. Delia Kelley, hay,	63.50
C. W. Frost, sled,	33.00
Benj. M. Hall, pigs,	20.00
Hunter Bros., pigs,	12.00
A. Richardson, stock service,	5.00
F. S. Severance, stock service,	3.00
J. M. Eddy, hay,	9.50
J. S. Kennelly, V. S.,	4.00
Henry R. Lego, chickens,	12.00
E. T. King, fertilizer,	20.00
W. R. Carrick, "	71.85
John F. Robinson, furniture,	14.75
Belchertown Creamery Co., butter,	54.96
"                    "      transportation of cream,	3.89
W. R. King, butchering,	5.00
Thomas Severance, labor,	11.00
George Severance, cutting wood,	6.40
"                    "      cutting ice,	7.04
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill,	4.20
E. L. Powers, "      "	10.11
Geo. L. Mason, sawing wood,	7.50
E. T. King, one cow,	60.00
James D. Kimball, insurance,	14.13
W. H. Giffin, 10 M. fancy red cedar shingles,	47.50
W. H. Giffin, lumber, shingles, nails and labor,	25.18
W. H. Giffin, material for kitchen and bulk head,	51.21
King and Graves, labor,	29.33
Herbert H. Barlow, material and labor,	2.99
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	\$ 2,046.65

## INCOME AT COOLEY HOME.

Cream,	\$ 430.51	
Potatoes,	287.30	
Pork,	240.24	
Eggs,	71.70	
Poultry,	52.57	
Cabbage,	13.65	
Wood,	45.25	
Board of Mary Ann Leonard,	42.00	
W. R. Carrick, dinners,	7.05	
Mowing machine,	8.00	
Use of man and horse,	3.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,201.77
Net expense at Cooley Home,		<hr/> \$ 844.88

## INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME.

Farm,		\$ 2,800.00
One horse,	\$ 175.00	
One horse,	150.00	
Nine cows,	500.00	
Eleven tons hay,	220.00	
Farming tools,	200.00	
Furniture,	100.00	
Six calves,	70.00	
Three swine,	20.00	
Forty-five fowls,	40.00	
Stock hay,	15.00	
Potatoes,	50.00	
Provisions,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,570.00
		<hr/> \$ 4,370.00

## INMATES AT COOLEY HOME.

No. 1.	52 weeks.
No. 3.	52 weeks.

EDWARD M. HUNTER.	) Overseers of Poor.
WALTER H. GLAZIER.	
WM. H. GIFFIN.	

S. H. Walker. *Auditor.*

# Valuation and Taxes.

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State tax,	\$ 560.00
County tax,	340.77
Town grant,	2,750.00
Overlayings,	95.56
Rate of taxation per \$ 1,000,	\$ 13.80

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES.

Total valuation,	\$ 254,881.00
Total value of real estate,	208,490.00
Total value of personal estate,	46,391.00
Total tax for state, county and town purposes,	3,746.33
Number of polls assessed,	114
Number of polls exempt,	13
Tax on each poll,	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed,	258
Total number paying tax on property,	230
Total number paying tax on poll only,	28
Number of horses assessed,	128
Number of cows assessed,	247
Number of neat cattle other than cows,	89
Number of swine assessed,	29
Number of sheep assessed,	24
Number of fowls assessed,	3,835
Number of dwelling houses assessed,	138
Number of cottages assessed,	22
Number of acres assessed,	9,828

WALTER H. GLAZIER. WILLIAM H. GIFFIN, EDWARD M. HUNTER.	} } }	<i>Assessors of Greenwich.</i>
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## Treasurer's Report.

*Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending  
March 1, 1914.*

1913.	<i>Dr.</i>	
March 1, To cash in treasury to new acc't,		\$ 2,258.11
To cash received from Cemetery Commissioners, for sale of lots,		15.00
To cash received from Selectmen, rent of Wilcox House,		30.00
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, (borrowed)		1,000.00
To cash received from Cemetery Commissioners, Luther Fuller fund,		100.00
To cash received from Cemetery Commissioners, Sherman & Douglass fund,		100.00
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		\$ 3,503.11
To cash received from Commonwealth, compensation inspecting animals,		8.50
To cash received from School Committee, State reimbursement school Supt.,		138.89
To cash received from School Committee, overpaid New Salem for tuition,		6.66
To cash received from Commonwealth, tuition of children,		231.50
To cash received from Commonwealth, corporation tax,		13.72

To cash received from Commonwealth, National Bank tax,	54.26	
	<hr/>	\$ 453.53
To cash received from Commonwealth, State aid,	604.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, burial of indigent soldier and sailor,	37.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, high school tuition in special cases,	361.34	
To cash received from Commonwealth, state highway loan,	900.00	
To cash received from Commonwealth, Mass. school fund,	1,198.01	
To cash received from E. H. Banister, dog fund refunded,	82.36	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,182.71
To cash received from Overseer of Poor, account Cooley Home,	\$ 1,201.77	
To cash received from Ware Savings Bank, (interest on funds)	32.19	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, balance of 1911 tax,	65.00	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, interest on tax of 1911,	38.42	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, account tax of 1913,	910.00	
To cash received from J. L. Thresher, account tax 1913,	2,816.66	
To cash received from W. H. Glazier, collector, interest on 1910 tax,	1.65	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,065.69
Total,		<hr/>
		\$ 12,205.04

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By paid Athol Savings Bank, note and int.,	\$ 1,025.00	
By paid Commonwealth for certification of town note no. 4.	3.00	
By deposited in Ware Savings Bank, Luther Fuller cemetery fund,	100.00	
By paid Assessor, certificate of tax abatement, 1912.	31.20	
By paid Edwin H. Banister, county tax 1913.	340.77	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,499.97
By deposited in Athol Savings Bank, Sherman and Douglas cemetery fund,	\$ 100.00	
By paid J. W. Flint, per order of District Court,	30.48	
By paid W. H. Glazier, interest,	25.00	
By paid State tax,	560.00	
By paid W. B. Segur, M. D., for return of three births,	.75	
By paid Selectmen's orders to date,	4,110.83	
By paid Overseer of Poor, orders to date,	2,126.87	
By paid School Committee, orders to date,	2,462.46	
By cash in treasury to balance,	1,288.68	
	<hr/>	\$ 10,705.07
Total.		\$ 12,205.04

## TRUST FUNDS FOR ACCOUNT CEMETERY.

## CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

Rindge fund,	\$ 100.00
Wilkinson fund,	300.00
Shumway fund,	100.00
Spooner fund,	50.00
Warner fund,	100.00
Mary Walker fund,	100.00
Charles Powers fund,	50.00
Rebecca Spooner fund,	82.65



Merrick Tourtelotte fund,	\$ 25.00	
Emelia Topliff fund,	100.00	
Justice Johnson fund,	200.00	
Charles Record fund,	50.00	
Amos Blackmer fund,	50.00	
Clara B. Walker fund,	100.00	
Lucinda Root fund,	100.00	
Luther Fuller fund,	100.00	
Sherman and Douglas fund,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,707.65
Jan. 1, 1914, Interest available,	\$ 287.64	
Expended,	32.19	
March 1, 1914, Interest available,	<hr/>	\$ 255.45

## LIABILITIES.

One note due April 24, 1914,	\$ 1,000.00
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## ASSETS.

Amount due on taxes, 1912,	\$ 74.00
Amount due on taxes, 1913,	929.67
Amount due from Commonwealth, State aid paid in 1913,	494.00
Amount due from Commonwealth, State aid paid for Jan. and Feb. 1914,	72.00
Cash in treasury,	1,288.68

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL, *Treasurer.*Stephen H. Walker, *Auditor.*

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library.

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Number of days library has been opened,	51
books given out,	3,380
magazines given out,	217
books purchased,	65
magazines subscribed for,	8
public documents added,	17
Whole number of volumes,	2,767
Circulating department,	2,530
Public documents,	220

We have had from the Woman's Education Association, Traveling Library number 110, forty volumes, a great help to the Library, as they are fine books. The new books are all large books. As the Free Library Commission sent 55 juvenile books to be placed in the school rooms, we have put some books from the library with those to be exchanged when read.

The library was visited May 15th by Miss Iaidee Brown of the Public Library Commission.

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary.*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

## RECEIPTS.

Appropriation,	\$ 100.00	
Received from Bailey & Spooner fund,	28.28	
Received from fines,	1.28	
Cash balance from last year,	9.28	
	—————	\$ 138.84

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid for books,	\$ 70.67	
magazines,	20.25	
librarian,	30.00	
carrying books,	13.00	
sundries,	2.13	
freight,	.53	
Money on hand,	2.26	
	—————	\$ 138.84

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Treasurer.*

HELEN I. NEVINS, *Librarian.*

MARY E. TOWNE, *Acting Librarian.*

WILLIAM H. WALKER,  
WILLIAM S. DOUGLAS,  
BENJAMIN SAWTELLE,  
ELLA M. WALKER,  
LIZZIE HUNTER,  
AMELIA M. ROOT,

} *Trustees.*

## Supplement Catalogue, Greenwich Public Library.

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Allen, Frances N. S. The Invaders.	AL4
Barclay, Florence T. Following the Star.	B25.3
Bennett, Arnold. The Old Adam.	B44
Burnette, Frances Hodgson. T. Tembarom.	B93.13
Butterfield, Kenyon L. The Country Church and Rural Problem.	H B96
Canfield, Dorothy. The Squirrel Cage.	C15
Cather, Willa Sibert. O Pioneers.	C29
Churchill, Winston. Inside the Cup.	C48.7
Corke, Essenhigh. Flowers as They Grow.	G C59
Danby, Frank. Concert Pitch.	D21
Day, Holman. Red Lane.	D33.4
Deland, Margaret. The Voice.	D38.5
Duncan, Norman. The Measure of Man.	D91.5
Erskine, Payne. The Mountain Girl.	ER62
Farnol, Jeffrey. The Amateur Gentleman.	F22a.2
Fox, John Jr. Heart of the Hills.	F89.6
Galsworthy, John. The Dark Flower.	G16
Glasgon, Ellen. Virginia.	G35.7
Greene, Frances N. Right of the Strongest.	G832
Grey, Zane. Desert Gold.	G87.3
Harrison, Henry Sydnor. V. V's. Eyes.	H243.2

Howells, W. D.	New Leaf Mills.	H85.10
Hutchinson, R. S. M.	The Happy Warrior.	H91
Jacobs, W. W.	Odd Craft.	J16.2
"	Salthaven.	J16.3
"	Short Cruises.	J16.4
"	More Cargoes.	J16.5
"	Dialstone Lane.	J16.6
Johnston, Annie Fellows.	Mary Ware's Promised Land.	jJ65.9
"	The Little Colonel Stories.	jJ65.10
"	The Little Colonel's Knight Comes Riding.	jJ65.11
Johnston, Annie Fellows.	The Little Colonel's Chum.	jJ65.12
"	The Little Colonel in Arizona.	jJ65.13
"	The Little Colonel's Christmas Vacation.	jJ65.14
Johnston, Annie Fellows.	The Little Colonel's Maid of Honor.	jJ65.15
Johnston, Annie Fellows.	Mary Ware in Texas.	jJ65.16
King, Basil.	The Way Home.	K57.5
Kingsley, Florence Morse.	The Transfiguration of Miss Philura.	K621
Kingsley, Florence Morse.	Miss Philura's Wedding Gown.	K621.2
Little, Frances.	The Lady and Sada San.	L72.2
Locke, Wm. J.	Stella Maris.	L73
Marks, Jeannette.	Leviathan.	M33
Mitchell, S. Wier.	Westways.	M69.8
Norris, Kathleen.	The Rich Mrs. Burgoyne.	N53.2
O'Kane, W. C.	Injurious Insects and How to Control them.	L OK4
Page, The Nelson.	Land of the Spirit.	P14.9
Parker, Gilbert.	The Judgment House.	P22.6
Porter, Gene Stratton.	The Harvester.	P834.3
"	Laddie.	P834.4
Rice, Alice Hegan.	The Romance of Billy-goat Hill.	R34.2
Richmond, Grace L.	Red Pepper Burns.	R41.3
"	Mrs. Red Pepper.	R41.4

Schauffler, Rachel Capen.	Goodly Fellowship.	SCH19
Ward, Mrs. Humphrey.	The Mating of Lydia.	W21.7
Webster, Jean.	Daddy-Long-Legs.	W39.2
White, Stewart Edw'd.	The Cabin.	W529.5
Wiggin, Kate Dauglas.	The Story of Waitstill Baxter.	W63.15
Wilkins, Freeman Mary E.	The Yates Pride.	W65.11
"	Doc Gordon.	W65.12
Williamson, C. N. and A. M.	The Heather Moon.	W66a.3
Wright, Harold Bell.	That Printer of Udells.	W92a.6

# Annual Report

OF THE

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

Greenwich, Mass.

For the year ending March 1, 1914.

F. P. HALL,

Term expires 1914

W. R. CARRICK,

Term expires 1916

HARRISON THRESHER,

Term expires 1915

## Financial Statement.

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Income from state school fund,	\$ 1,198.01	
Balance from last year,	475.69	
High school tuition,	361.34	
Tuition of state children,	231.50	
From state, on account of superintendent,	138.89	
	\$ 2,405.43	
Expended,		1,460.80
		\$ 944.63
Unexpended,		\$ 944.63
Received from town,	\$ 965.00	
Interest on Sabin school fund,	30.00	
From New Salem,	6.66	
	\$ 1,001.66	
Expended,		\$ 1,001.66

### SALARIES.

Charles Clay,	\$ 180.55
Marion Holden,	288.00
Alice Howarth,	264.00
Marion Kelley,	144.00
Lucy Jacobs,	144.00
School Committee.	40.00
E. Maude Bradley,	33.00
Mabel Rodousky,	24.00
Edith Cummings.	18.00



Florence Rogan,	\$ 10.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,145.55

## TRANSPORTATION.

Herman Curtis,	\$ 216.00	
Louie Graves,	180.00	
Elmer Powers,	162.00	
High School pupils,	142.04	
D. R. Adams,	96.00	
Haskin's children,	4.56	
W. R. King,	1.00	
F. P. Hall,	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 803.60

## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

Athol,	\$ 138.00	
Springfield,	100.00	
New Salem,	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 298.00

## EXPENDITURES.

Supplies,	\$ 74.96	
Care of school houses and grounds,	62.50	
Wood,	41.80	
C. L. Clay's expenses,	10.99	
Giffin and Hall,	9.00	
Census,	5.00	
School physician,	4.00	
Repairs,	3.86	
Telephone and printing,	3.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 215.31
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		\$ 2,462.46

F. P. HALL,	}	<i>School</i>
W. R. CARRICK,		
HARRISON THRESHER,		

*Committee.*

Stephen H. Walker, *Auditor.*

# Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

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*To the School Committee and Citizens of the town of Greenwich:*

I herewith present my fourth annual report for the fiscal year ending February 7, 1914, the same being also the twelfth in the series of superintendents' reports for the Dana Supervisory School District.

## SOME STATISTICS.

Population, census 1910, 452

School Census, September 1, 1913.

Children between 5 and 15 years: boys 42, girls 29, total 71.

“ “ 7 and 14 years: “ 35, “ 23, “ 58.

Illiterate minors,

Number of schoolhouses, 3

Number occupied, 2

Number of different teachers during the year, 4

Number of regular teachers required, 2

Number of special teachers, 1

## Eye and Ear Tests.

Number of pupils attending, 46

Number found defective in sight, 5

Number found defective in hearing, 0

Number of parents notified, 0

## Number by grades, January 1 st.

School	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX
The Plains,	3	3	3	1		4	4		2
The Village,	1	4	2	4		6		9	
Totals,	4	7	5	5		10	4	9	2

Boys 22, girls 24, total 46.

## For the school year ending June 30, 1912.

Total enrollment,	50
Number under 5 years of age,	0
Number over 15 years of age,	3
Number between 7 and 14 years of age,	45
Average membership,	48
Average attendance,	45
Per cent of attendance,	95
No. completing gram. school course: boys 3, girls 7, total,	10
Number entering first year of high school,	1
Number of visits of school committee,	2
Number of visits by the superintendent,	42
Number of visits by others,	24
Aggregate months and days the schools have kept,	17 mos. 16 dys.
Average number,	8 mos. 18 dys.

## Pupils Attending High Schools.

Name	Grade	Place
Thresher, Samuel E.	Graduate	Athol
Walker, Laura E.	"	"
Nevins, Wilfred M.	XIII	Springfield
Wright, Clara M.	Graduate	New Salem
Beals, Robert B.	X	Athol
Lego, Raymond E.	X	"
Lego, Eva E.	X	"
Moore, Viola J.	X	"
Parker, Doris M.	X	Springfield
Wheeler, Stanley T.	X	Athol

### JUST THE SAME.

A small boy asked by his father, "Well, what did you have at school to-day?" replied, "Just the same." My reports seem to come so frequently, and the material to make them from is so limited, that the boy's remark occurred to me and seemed to epitomize the whole situation; naturally, there would be more suggestive thots arising from the conduct of two hundred or even twenty schools than from two; but where we have so small a number, we should cherish them so much the more. To me the more serious fact to contemplate is the gradually decreasing number of what school population we have.

However, our children are pretty well cared for; the Plains room might well be furnished with single and more comfortable seats; and if the lower grades could be gathered into one of the rooms and the upper grades into the other, we should have two quite ideal rural schools.

Since the report of a year ago, our school affairs have been remarkably free from any disturbance; the "school year" closed with the same teachers in charge; an unusually large class graduated with exercises that reflected much credit upon its individual members and the teachers; perhaps the town never had occasion to feel better satisfied with the "out-put" of its schools. That our schools are awakening inspiration in the pupils is shown in this - all nine of the graduating class entered some high school in the fall.

### SOME CHANGES.

Were our number of schools larger it would be rather lamentable to say that the fall term began with an entirely new corps of teachers "in the chairs." Miss Jacobs accepted a position elsewhere, and Miss Kelley's health forbade her taking a school anywhere; Miss Cummings, supervisor of music, resigned; Miss Alice Howarth was engaged for the Plains, and Miss Marion L. Holden for the Village; Miss Mabel Rodowsky came as our supervisor in music; when Miss Bradley, supervisor in drawing resigned. Miss Florence Rogan, of Athol, was engaged

for the position. If there has been the least dissatisfaction in any quarter, no intimation of it has come to your superintendent.

#### ADDED TEXTBOOKS.

“The Beginners’ Book” in history has been provided for the IV grade; “Arithmetic Without a Pencil” for the two upper grades; “Minimum Essentials”, sheets of “combinations”, “the tables” etc., for drill and time-saving; a pre-American history for the VI grade that the youngsters may get an idea of something going on in the world worth knowing about before “1492”.

#### METHODS EXEMPLIFIED.

January 7 and 8, Miss Hanna P. Waterman, supervisor of Correspondence Courses at North Adams Normal School, spent in the district giving half a day to each town; with the pupils at the Village school, Miss Waterman gave such exercises as the teachers desired to see. It is hardly necessary to say that the meeting was both very interesting and profitable.

#### A SELECTION.

Education constitutes the most important institution in the national economics. The public schools are the most important agencies of education, because nine-tenths of those who receive any education at all attend them.

Governors, legislatures, boards of education and school buildings do not teach. They are means to the existence of the school. It all depends upon the teacher; the teacher makes the school; the teacher creates the school in his own image; he makes the school according to his own character. The teacher is, in fact, the school, and the most important function of government is to place in the school, teachers of the highest moral character. If pure democracy must succeed in this great land, the school teachers must hold the highest ideals of citizenship.

— U. S. Commissioner of Education.

## THREE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF 1913.

1. A town not required to maintain a high school " shall, thru its school committee, when necessary, provide for the transportation of any child who resides in said town, and who with the previous approval of the school committee of the town, attends the high school of any other town or city, and shall pay for the expense of such transportation a sum not exceeding one dollar and fifty cents per week during the time of the actual attendance of such child in the high school. \*\*\*\*A town which expended for the support of its public schools for the preceding year from the proceeds of local taxation an amount not less than four and less than five dollars per thousand dollars of valuation shall receive from the treasury of the commonwealth one half of the amount actually expended for transportation under this act; and a town which has expended from the proceeds of local taxation for the support of its public schools for the preceding year an amount equal to at least five dollars per thousand of valuation shall receive from the treasury of the commonwealth the whole transportation under the provisions of this act." Chap. 396.

As Greenwich, I think, does not come under the above conditions this year, the town must bear the whole expense of transportation. It seems to me that it would be well for the town to make an appropriation for paying the expense of transporting its high school pupils.

2. A new law relating to the employment of women and children. Between 14 and 16 years of age twenty-one kinds of employment are forbidden; must attend school regularly unless they hold employment certificates and work 6 hours per day regularly, or have the written permission of the superintendent of schools to engage in profitable employment at home; or unless otherwise receiving instruction in a manner approved in advance by the superintendent of schools or the school committee.

Boys 16 to 18 and girls 16 to 21 may not work more than 10 hours in any one day and 54 hours in any one week; child-

ren under 21 must not be employed in, about or in connection with saloons or bars or sent to immoral resorts.

Educational Certificate must show completion of fourth grade work in reading, writing and spelling completed, otherwise employment is illegal etc. Chap. 779.

3. The Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement System is an arrangement for paying annuities and pensions to teachers. As far as teachers are concerned it goes into effect July 1, 1914. The cost of membership is five per cent of a teacher's salary. A teacher may retire at the age of 60 and must retire at the age of 70. Upon order of the school committee the town or city treasurer is to deduct the assessment from the teacher's salary; these deductions he will forward once a month to the secretary of the Retirement Board. Chap. 832.

#### AND A BOW.

With a grateful sense of co-operation on the part of all who have been my associates in the conduct of the schools, and never forgetting that I am but your servant, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. CLAY. *Supt. of schools.*

# Roll of Honor.

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Figures denote number of terms neither absent, tardy, nor dismissed, for the year ending June 30, 1913.

## THE PLAINS.

Isabel O. Despin, 1	Louis Gathro. 3
Lena M. Despin, 1	Eva J. Lyman, 1
George J. Dragon. 2	Leslie J. Walker. 1
Nellie Gathro. 3	Merton C. Walker. 1
Doris J. Williams. 1	

## THE VILLAGE.

Blanche M. Armstrong,	Doris M. Parker.
Frederic L. Lego,	Elizabeth A. Phelps,
Mildred A. Nevins.	Ruth Reed.

# List of Teachers.

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SCHOOL	NAME	WHERE EDUCATED	WAGES
The Plains,	Marion E. Kelley *	Worcester Normal	\$ 48.00
	Alice Howarth,	Fall River High School	44.00
The Village,	Lucy J. Jacobs *	Webster High School	48.00
	Marion L. Holden	Fitchburg Normal	48.00
SPECIAL TEACHERS			
Music	Edith C. Cummings *	Institute of Pedagogy	3.00
	Mabel Rodowsky	" " "	2.00
Drawing	E. Maud Bradley †	State Normal Art	2.50
	Florence Rogan	" " "	2.00

\* Spring term

† To January 1st.



## School Calendar, 1914 - 1915.

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1914.

- March 6, Winter term closes, - 12 weeks.
- March 22, Spring term begins.
- April 19 and May 30, Holidays.
- June 12, Spring term closes, - 12 weeks.
- September 1, Fall term begins.
- October 12, Holiday.
- November 20, Fall term closes, - 12 weeks.
- November 30, Winter term begins.
- December 18, Christmas recess, 2 weeks.

1915.

- January 4, Winter term continues.
- February 22, Holiday.
- March 5, Winter term closes, - 12 weeks.

# Graduation Exercises

of the

## Greenwich Ninth Grade Pupils

Friday, June 6th, 1913

8 P. M.



Independent Liberal Church

Greenwich Village, Mass.

# Programme

MARCH

INVOCATION

ESSAY "Universal Peace"

Doris Mae Parker

ESSAY "Men and Land"

Stanley Truman Wheeler

DECLAMATION "Unawares"

*Lent*

Ruth Reed

PIANO SOLO "Humoreske"

*Dvorak*

Mildred Arlene Nevins

ESSAY "Open Air Schools"

Isabella Orilla Despin

ESSAY "The Only Democrat"

Robert Benjamin Beals

ESSAY "The Secret of Power"

Raymond Edward Lego

DECLAMATION "The Chambered Nautilus"

*Holmes*

Mildred Arlene Nevins

ESSAY "The Health Habit"

Viola Josephine Moore

PIANO SOLO "My Own True Heart"

*Hiller*

Ruth Reed

ESSAY "The Trend of the Times"

Eva Eleanor Lego

PIANO SOLO "The Burning of Rome"

*Paull*

Stanley Truman Wheeler

CANTATA "The Carnival of the Flowers"

Forty Children

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Supt. Charles L. Clay

BENEDICTION

# Town Warrant.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To Willis R. King, Constable of the town of Greenwich.*

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, and three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year.

Also on same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

Also to vote on Chapter 807, Acts of 1913, entitled "An act to provide for compensating certain public employees for injuries sustained in the course of their employment."

Also vote on Chapter 822 Acts of 1913. Shall this town accept the provisions of section forty-two of chapter five hundred and four-

teen of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and nine as affected by chapter four hundred and ninety-four of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eleven which provides that eight hours shall constitute a day's work for city or town employees.

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning February 1, 1914.

ART. 8. To fix the time when the taxes shall be paid and authorize the collector to add interest from the time so fixed.

ART. 9. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to defend all suits at law that may be brought against the town during the ensuing year.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as surety on the official bond of any town officer.

ART. 11. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money provided the Massachusetts highway commission will add an equal amount, for the purpose of improving the road leading from Greenwich to Enfield, commencing at the end of last year's work, and working toward Greenwich center.

ART. 12. To see if the town will petition the Director of the Bureau of Statistics for an audit of its accounts, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 598 of the Acts of 1910 and amendments thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to change the date of holding their annual town meeting to the first Monday in February, or act in relation thereto.

The polls will be opened at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least, before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this fourteenth day of March, A. D., 1914.

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen</i>
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN,		<i>of</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		<i>Greenwich.</i>





























Annual Reports  
OF THE  
Town Officers

OF  
GREENWICH

FOR THE YEAR

1915

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BELCHERTOWN, MASS.  
PRESS OF LEWIS H. BLACKMER  
1916



# Town Warrant

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To Edwin H. Randall, Constable of the town of Greenwich,*

GREETING:

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ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, and one Highway Surveyor, all for one year.

Also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

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ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as surety on the official bond of any town officer.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to sell a small parcel of land near the Town Hall to J. Madison Stone, or act in relation thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money provided the Massachusetts Highway Commission will add an equal amount for the purpose of improving the road leading from Greenwich to Greenwich Village, commencing at the end of last year's work.

ART. 12. To see what action the town will take in regard to the Cooley Home.

The polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies there-

of at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least, before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-second day of January, A. D. 1916.

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		<i>of</i>
GEORGE B. LOUX,		<i>Greenwich.</i>

# Report of the Town Clerk

*Vital Statistics for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1915.*

## BIRTHS

	CHILD'S NAME	PARENTS' NAME
June 13	Clifford	Carl M. and Lucy M.
Nov. 11	Andrew Jackson Loux, Jr.	Andrew J. and Clara E.
Dec. 28	Kenith Johnston Wetherbee	Minnie M.

## MARRIAGES

Sept. 1 Leroy L. Blackmer and Margaretta E. Loux

## DEATHS

Jan. 28	Lyman Rice	age 79
Feb. 5	George M. Clifford	" 59
May 2	Alden Snow	" 81
June 13	Stillborn	
June 9	Mary Amandy Whitcomb	" 92
June 14	Charles McDonald	" 10
Aug. 4	Pheba M. Beals	" 77
Dec. 5	Mary M. Richards	" 79

## NON-RESIDENTS INTERRED IN GREENWICH

Jan. 20	Ophela A. Cleveland of Athol	age 71
Mar. 16	Charles T. Spooner of Boston	" 72
Apr. 16	John G. Pratt of Marlboro	" 56
May 25	Sophia C. Sly of Athol	" 79

Very respectfully,

CLARENCE E. MILLER, *Town Clerk*



## Report of Selectmen

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Feb. 8, 1915, Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts to defray town charges to Dec. 31, 1915.

Schools	\$ 1,100.00	
Roads and bridges	1,000.00	
State road	500.00	
Support of poor	500.00	
Town officers	400.00	
Contingent	400.00	
Reserve fund	400.00	
State and military aid	300.00	
Library	100.00	
Interest	60.00	
Moth work	60.00	
Cemetery	50.00	
Tree warden	50.00	
Sabin school fund	50.00	
Washington memorial fund	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,990.00
Nov. 9, 1915	At special meeting voted to appropriate to complete state road	150.00
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		\$ 5,140.00

## THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAVE BEEN EXPENDED

Schools	\$ 1,100.00	
Roads and bridges	978.59	
State road	649.37	
Support of poor	500.00	
Town officers	400.00	
Contingent	354.39	
State and military aid	256.00	
Library	100.00	
Moth work	32.11	
Cemetery	44.78	
Tree Warden	3.00	
Sabin school fund	50.00	
Washington memorial fund	20.00	
Interest	60.00	
Reserve fund (drawn for support of poor and town officers )	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,948.24
Unexpended balance		\$ 191.76

## STATE AID

Alden, Wm. T.	\$ 48.00	
Beals, Leroy C.	48.00	
Brown, Henry M.	48.00	
Clifford, Albert P.	16.00	
Pomeroy, Arthur H.	48.00	
Winter, Mrs. Mary F.	48.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 256.00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation	\$ 100.00	
Paid Miss Amelia M. Root		\$ 100.00

## TREE WARDEN

Appropriation	\$ 50.00	
Paid Benj. A. Sawtelle		\$ 3.00

## MOTH WORK

Appropriation	\$ 60.00	
Paid Benj. A. Sawtelle		\$ 32.11

## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Ending Dec. 31, 1915

Appropriation	\$ 50.00	
Received from appropriation		\$ 44.78
"    "    Rindge fund	\$ 6.00	
"    "    Mary Walker fund	6.00	
"    "    Warner fund	5.00	
"    "    Wilkinson fund	5.00	
"    "    Shumway fund	3.00	
"    "    Chas. Powers fund	2.00	
"    "    Rebecca Spooner fund	3.00	
"    "    M. Tourtelotte fund	1.00	
"    "    Emelia Topliff	3.00	
"    "    Justice Johnson	3.00	
"    "    Chas. Record	3.00	
"    "    Clara Walker	4.00	
"    "    Amos Blackmer	2.00	
"    "    Lucinda Root	2.00	
"    "    Luther Fuller	2.22	
"    "    Asa Spooner	4.00	
"    "    D. S. Cutler	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 55.22
Received for work on and care of lots 1914 and 1915		61.00
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Total receipts cash		\$ 161.00
Paid B. A. Sawtelle for self and help in yard	\$ 136.50	
Paid Roy Edson for lime	9.50	
"    for care of flowers	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 161.00

Mar. 29	Rec'd of H. C. Cleveland and paid town treasurer, as partial payment for a fund, the interest of the same to be used for the perpetual care and benefit of the Sylvester Cleveland, Turner Sears and Lewis Brewster lots	\$ 175.00
May 20	Rec'd of Mrs. Adeline E. Cutler and Mrs. Nancy Paige, the interest of the same to be used for the perpetual care and benefit of the Solomon Sibley lot, and paid same to town treasurer	100.00
Dec. 8	Rec'd of Mrs. Clara L. Pratt and paid to town treasurer, the interest to be used for the perpetual care and benefit of lot number 18, Walker extension	50.00
	Total rec'd for perpetual funds	————— \$ 325.00
July 21	Rec'd of Mrs. Clara L. Pratt for lot	\$ 10.00
Aug. 5	Rec'd of N. A. Beals for $\frac{1}{2}$ lot	2.50
	Total	————— \$ 12.50
	Paid same to town treasurer	\$ 12.50

WM. H. GIFFIN,	} Cemetery Commissioners
DAVID M. HUNTER,	
BENJ. A. SAWTELLE,	

## ROADS AND BRIDGES

Appropriation	\$ 1,000.00
Paid F. A. W. Churchill	\$ 134.18
W. H. Walker, man and team	201.75
Fred Hall,	69.25
Geo. B. Loux,	31.00
A. Almquist,	28.50
Geo. A. Walker,	7.00
Mylon E. Caswell	68.37
John James	64.79
A. L. Worcester	64.26

Paid Wm. Bacon	\$ 50.26	
R. Johnston	17.50	
W. A. Gelling	2.50	
Peter E. Lego	1.75	
Linwood Giffen	1.00	
A. L. Root, plank	41.60	
H. H. Dickinson	1.15	
S. H. Walker	1.20	
F. P. Hall	.80	
W. H. Giffin, plank, posts & railings for road drag	58.26	
J. Billings, gravel	20.00	
M. E. Caswell, gravel	1.80	
W. H. Glazier, water bbl.	.65	
A. H. Pomeroy, loam	1.25	
F. H. Vaughn, tile	8.10	
E. A. Moore, blacksmith	69.42	
W. H. Giffin	5.55	
Hunter Bros.	25.30	
	1.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 978.59

## STATE ROAD

Appropriation	\$ 650.00	
State granted	1050.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,700.00
Paid F. A. W. Churchill	\$ 130.00	
Smith & Bailey, man and team	240.75	
W. H. Walker, "	234.00	
A. Almquist, "	228.38	
Fred Hall, "	168.75	
Geo. A. Walker, "	97.88	
E. T. King, "	36.00	
John James	104.00	
Mylon E. Caswell	87.76	
Wm. Bacon	85.76	
A. L. Worcester	65.63	

Paid Lewis Graves	\$ 10.50
A. Twibles	8.75
Mrs. B. A. Sawtelle, filling	38.80
A. Brombriant,           “	10.90
Chas. F. Leonard,       “	4.65
A. Twible, gravel	106.30
F. H. Vaughn, metal culvert	36.00
for bound stone	2.00
H. H. Dickinson	1.16
for freight	.50
W. H. Giffin, town time books	.90
	<hr/> \$ 1,699.37

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

Paid C. E. Miller, stationery, ballots and dog checks	\$ 11.55
Walter H. Glazier, expense to Bos- ton, Northampton and Springfield	9.53
Lewis H. Blackmer, printing reports	56.20
Frank P. Hall, supplies and stamps	27.84
P. B. Swift, bond for town treasurer	12.50
W. H. Glazier, dinners for election officers	4.25
W. H. Glazier, expense to Northampton	4.16
“           collector's book	1.00
Chas. H. Chase, transfer list of real es- tate	3.00
James D. Kimball, insurance on library	18.00
Howard H. Dickinson, 6 burials	23.00
Joseph L. Thresher, inspector of animals to March 1, 1915	20.00
Joseph L. Thresher, taxes on cheese factory	13.58
Town of Enfield, fighting forest fires	44.20
S. H. Walker, pathing snow	30.78

Paid Edwin H. Randall, killing mad dog, and posting notices	\$ 9.40
W. E. McGurgan, mad dog notices	2.50
C. E. Miller, dog license book	1.40
Geo. B. Loux, lock and labor for town hall	2.45
W. H. Glazier, road hearing at North- ampton	4.16
S. H. Walker, storing scraper	3.00
Hobbs & Warren, bank book	1.37
W. H. Glazier, moth notices, postage and envelopes	1.97
W. & L. E. Gurley, weights & measures	4.23
W. H. Walker, forest fires	7.15
David M. Hunter, inspecting meat to date	4.50
Wm. H. Jones, care of hall, repairs etc.	7.75
W. H. Giffen, outside door and material for town hall	8.48
Giffin and Hall, water rent	6.00
W. H. Glazier, expense to Springfield	3.76
Cecil T. Bagnell, tax bills	1.58
S. H. Walker, supplies	2.70
Earle L. Hale, auto service	1.00
W. H. Walker, road stakes	1.40
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	\$ 354.39

#### SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

Willis R. King, sealer of weights and measures	\$ 25.00
Clarence E. Miller, town clerk, and money paid out	57.75
Joseph L. Thrasher, bal. of salary 1913	30.00
Walter H. Glazier, perambulating town line	10.00
Edward M. Hunter                    "                    "                    "	5.00
Geo. B. Loux,                            "                    "                    "	5.00

Wm. R. Carrick, moderator	\$ 2.50
Wm. H. Walker, “	2.50
Roy Ellsworth, election officer	4.50
Wm. S. Douglass, “	4.50
Linwood J. Giffin, “	1.50
Edwin H. Randall, constable	4.50
David M. Hunter, “	4.50
Stephen H. Walker, justice 1915	5.00
Linwood J. Giffin, auditor 1914	10.00
Joseph L. Thrasher, part of salary 1914	30.00
Stephen H. Walker, treasurer	30.00
Walter H. Glazier, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	60.00
Edward M. Hunter, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	60.00
Geo. B. Loux, selectman, assessor and over- seer of poor	60.00
	————— \$ 412.25
Total amount of orders drawn	\$ 4,005.71
Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor.	

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich.</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER,		
GEORGE B. LOUX,		



# Report of Overseers of Poor

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For the year ending Dec. 31, 1915

## EXPENSES AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME

### ACCOUNT OF NO. 4

Paid Rutland State Sanatorium, board and care	\$ 46.94	
Paid Rutland State Sanatorium, board and care	14.85	
	<hr/>	\$ 61.79

### ACCOUNT OF NO. 5

Town of Orange, rent	\$ 34.00	
“ “ fuel	8.15	
W. H. Glazier, expense to Orange	2.55	
	<hr/>	\$ 44.70

### ACCOUNT OF NO. 6

Mrs. Bertha Schermerhorn, board and care	\$ 30.96	
S. H. Walker, clothing, etc.	17.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 48.36

### ACCOUNT OF NO. 7

Hampshire County Sanatorium, board and care	\$ 5.14	
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Paid W. H. Giffin, transportation from Haydenville	\$ 4.71	
W. H. Giffin, clothing	1.85	
	<hr/>	\$ 11.80
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		\$ 166.65

## EXPENSES AT COOLEY HOME

Paid Fred M. Thresher, salary Jan. 1 to Apr. 1	\$ 100.00
Fred M. Thresher, salary Apr. 1 to Jan. 1	300.00
Frank L. Parker, grain	607.88
Howard H. Dickinson, groceries	185.79
Frank P. Hall	12.11
F. M. Thresher, clothing, etc. No. 1	14.96
"                    miscellaneous	16.97
Benj. A. Sawtelle, med. attd. No. 7	11.50
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill	10.85
A. Baker, hens	26.95
Fred Grant, labor	43.00
Frank Rogers, labor	98.60
J. L. Hamilton, "	25.50
James D. Kimball, ins. house & barn	12.00
C. Hitchcock & Co., furnishings	25.88
W. R. Carrick, fertilizer	13.15
National Fertilizer Co., fertilizer	23.23
Belchertown Creamery Co., butter	46.23
Hunter Bros., 4 pigs	16.00
W. H. Young & Co., paper hanging etc.,	10.00
Chas. Williams stores, wall paper	3.91
J. E. Hess, meat	4.98
E. T. King, "	3.00
R. D. Johnson, meat	1.08
Earnest Crosby, fish	5.96
T. Severance, labor	6.50

Bert S. Armer, labor	\$ 2.25
Geo. L. Mason, sawing wood	4.75
Stephen H. Walker, groceries	3.95
Benj. A. Sawtelle, one calf	5.00
W. R. King, butchering	2.00
Transportation of cream	2.63
	<hr/> \$ 1,646.91

## INCOME AT COOLEY HOME

Cream	\$ 472.27
Eggs	176.21
Poultry	71.49
Pork	28.60
Veal	28.00
Potatoes	31.40
Vegetables	11.74
Board of Mary Ann Leonard	63.00
Deer damage	2.00
	<hr/> \$ 884.71
Net expense at Cooley Home	<hr/> \$ 762.20

## INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME

Farm	\$ 3,000.00
Two horses	\$ 325.00
Eight cows	500.00
Thirteen tons hay	260.00
One hundred thirty-eight fowls	125.00
Six yearlings	120.00
Farming tools	120.00
Furniture	100.00
Two two-yr. olds	80.00
Four tons stock hay and oats	60.00
Provisions	50.00
Potatoes	25.00
Two pigs	15.00

One calf	\$ 10.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 1,790.00
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 4,790.00

## INMATES AT COOLEY HOME

No. 1	52 weeks
No. 3	52    "
No. 7	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
	<u>          </u>
	108 $\frac{1}{2}$ weeks

EDWARD M. HUNTER,	}	<i>Overseers of the Poor.</i>
WALTER H. GLAZIER,		
GEORGE B. LOUX,		

Greenwich, Mass., Dec. 31, 1915.

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor.

## Table of Aggregates

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State tax	\$ 682.50
County tax	605.84
Town grant	5,140.00
Overlayings upon all taxes	134.02
Omitted assessments	38.58
Rate of taxation per \$ 1,000.	19.40

### PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Congregational Church	\$ 3,100.00
Independent Liberal Church	2,050.00
Hillside School	9,805.00
Soldiers' exemption	7,515.00
Women worth less than \$ 1,000.	3,550.00

### TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Total valuation	\$ 260,071.00
" value of real estate	210,970.00
" " personal estate	49,101.00
" " omitted assessments	1,989.00
Number of polls assessed	145
" " exempt	14
Tax on each poll	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed	286
" " paying tax on property	248
" " " " poll only	38

Number of horses assessed	109
“ cows	248
“ neat cattle other than cows	69
“ swine assessed	23
“ sheep	1
“ dwelling houses assessed	118
“ cottages assessed	26
“ fowls	5,275
“ acres of land assessed	11,014

WALTER H. GLAZIER,	} <i>Assessors</i>
EDWARD M. HUNTER,	
GEORGE B. LOUX,	
	<i>of</i>
	<i>Greenwich</i>

## Treasurer's Report

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Cash on hand to new account	\$ 1,037.19
Rec'd from county treasurer, refund on dog tax	82.51
Commonwealth, Mass. school fund	1,089.41
"    corporation tax	7.45
"    national bank tax	70.71
"    reimbursement state aid	288.00
"    tuition of school children	152.00
"    reimbursement High	
school tuition	323.00
"    reimbursement school	
superintendent's salary	147.06
"    state highway loan	770.00
"    "    "    "	130.00
Overseers of Poor, board of Mary Leonard	63.00
Town of Hardwick, school tuition	193.70
Cemetery Commissioners, unexpended	
money	5.22
"    "    sale of lots	12.50
Athol Bank, interest on cemetery funds	1.00
Ware "    "    "    "	54.22
W. H. Glazier on town note	1,200.00
"    "    interest on 1912 taxes	6.05
J. L. Thresher, 1913 taxes	354.52
"    1914    "	1,417.23
"    1915    "	3,301.48

Rec'd from Cemetery Commissioners, Pratt endow- ment fund	\$ 50.00
"    "    Sears, Brew- ster and Cleveland endowment fund	175.00
Cemetery Commissioners, Solomon Sib- ley endowment fund	100.00
Overseers of Poor, acct. of Cooley home	821.71
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	\$ 11,852.96

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Paid Selectmen's orders	\$ 4,005.71
School committee orders	2,951.64
Overseers of poor	1,813.56
W. H. Glazier, int. on town note	60.00
"    town note	12.00
By deposited Pratt fund in Athol Savings Bank	50.00
"    Sibley	100.00
"    Sears, Brewster and Cleveland fund in Athol Savings Bank	175.00
Paid Chas. H. Gettemy, certifying town note	2.00
Edwin H. Banister, county tax	605.84
state tax	682.50
Assessor's certificate of abatements	48.48
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	\$ 11,694.73
Cash on hand to balance	\$ 158.23
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	\$ 11,852.96

## LIABILITIES

One note due April 23, 1916	\$ 1,200.00
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## ASSETS

Due on 1914 taxes	\$ 512.11
"    1915	2,020.88
"    from state on acct. state aid paid	96.00
Cash on hand	158.23



Due state on highway loan	\$ 150.00
Total	<u>\$ 2,937.22</u>

Respectfully submitted

STEPHEN H. WALKER, *Treasurer.*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor.

### SCHOOL FUND

Sabin school fund	\$ 50.00
TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS	
Rindge fund	\$ 100.00
Wilkinson fund	300.00
Shumway fund	100.00
Spooner fund	50.00
Warner fund	100.00
Mary Walker fund	100.00
Powers fund	50.00
Rebecca Spooner fund	82.65
Tourtelotte fund	25.00
Topliff fund	100.00
Johnson fund	200.00
Record fund	50.00
Blackmer fund	50.00
Clara Walker fund	100.00
Root fund	100.00
Fuller fund	100.00
Sherman and Douglass fund	100.00
Rice fund	100.00
Cutler fund	100.00
Pratt fund	50.00
Sears, Brewster and Cleveland fund	175.00
Sibley fund	100.00
	<u>\$ 2,232.65</u>
Interest available Jan. 1, 1916	\$ 326.28
"    expended	55.22
Balance available	<u>\$ 271.06</u>

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library

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Number of days library has been open	52
books given out	3,281
magazines given out	505
books purchased	69
donated by Free Pub. Lib. Commission	44
magazines subscribed for	9
public documents added	10
Whole number of volumes	2,770
Public documents	240
Circulating department	2,730

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary.*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$ 100.00	
From the Bailey and the Spooner funds	42.28	
Received from fines	1.34	
Cash balance from last year	20.74	
	\$ 164.36	

## EXPENDITURES

Paid for books	\$ 84.28	
magazines	20.10	
librarian	36.40	
transportation	13.00	
sundries	.86	
expenses	.67	
Money on hand	9.05	
	<hr/>	\$ 164.36

A. M. ROOT, *Treasurer.*

HELEN J. NEVINS, *Librarian.*

BENJAMIN SAWTELLE,  
WILLIAM S. DOUGLASS,  
WILLIAM H. WALKER,  
ELLA M. WALKER,  
LIZZIE HUNTER,  
AMELIA M. ROOT,

} *Trustees*

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# Annual Report

OF THE  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF  
Greenwich, Mass.

For the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1915

## ORGANIZATION

### School Committee

	Term Expires
William H. Petrie, Ch., Greenwich Village, R. F. D. Tel. Enfield, 33-4	1917
William R. Carrick, Sec., Greenwich Village	1916
John H. King, Greenwich Village Tel. Enfield, 33-5	1918

### Superintendent

Charles C. Richardson, North Dana  
Tel. res., Cooleyville 21-11



**School Physician**

Benjamin A. Sawtelle, M. D. Greenwich Tel. Enfield, 19-3

**Attendance Officers**

Fred W. Churchill Greenwich

Willis R. King Greenwich Village Tel. Enfield, 33-21

**Teachers in Service, January 1916**

NAMES	HOME ADDRESS	EDUCATION	YRS. EXP.	PREV. SERVICE	SALARY
Marion L. Holden	Shirley	*Fitchburg Nor.	3	2	\$12 wk.
Elizabeth C. Pease	Ludlow	*Westfield Nor.	3		\$11 wk.
L. Florence Rogan	Athol 112 Green	*Smith College Art Crs.	18	2	\$2.50 trip
Elizabeth F. Strecker	Greenfield 32 Congress	*Cornell Univ. Mus. Crs.	3		\$3 trip

\*Graduate

## Financial Statement

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Income of state school fund	\$ 1,089.41	
Balance from 1914	192.82	
High school tuition	323.00	
Tuition of state children	152.00	
From state, on account of superintendent	147.06	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,904.29
Expended		1,637.94
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Unexpended		\$ 266.35
Town appropriation	\$ 1,100.00	
Tuition from Hardwick	193.70	
Income of Sabin school fund	20.00	
Expended	<hr/>	\$ 1,313.70

### SALARIES

Marion Holden	\$ 420.00	
Mrs. E. C. Hayes	132.00	
Elizabeth Pease	253.00	
Florence Rogan	43.75	
Mabel Rodowsky	27.50	
Elizabeth Strecker	12.50	
Charles Clay	88.26	
School Committee	40.00	
C. C. Richardson	94.12	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,111.13

## CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS

Louis Graves	\$ 187.00	
Elmer Powers	157.50	
Joseph Thresher	144.20	
Linwood Giffin	98.00	
H. D. Adams	24.50	
High School	586.97	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 1,198.17

## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Athol	\$ 316.00	
Springfield	145.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 461.00
For supplies	\$ 29.18	
wood	66.50	
water rent	9.00	
care of rooms	55.25	
upkeep	9.48	
census	5.00	
medical examination	4.00	
superintendent's expense	2.93	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 181.34
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 2,951.64

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor.

# Superintendent's Report

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*To the School Committee of Greenwich, -*

Herewith is submitted my first annual report of the public schools of Greenwich, which is the fourteenth report under the Dana union superintendency.

Below are recorded the most needed statistics bearing on the schools.

## SCHOOL CENSUS OF SEPTEMBER 1915

Ages	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Totals
Boys	1	4	2	4	4	8	8	7	4	6	4	3	55
Girls	4	0	4	1	3	0	3	2	1	3	3	3	27
Totals	5	4	6	5	7	8	11	9	5	9	7	6	82

## PUPILS CLASSIFIED BY GRADES AND AGES, SCHOOL ENROLMENT OF JANUARY, 1916

Ages		6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Totals
Grade I		3	1	1								5
II			3	2								5
III			1	1	3							5
IV					4	4			1			9
V						2	1					3
VI							1	2				3
VII								1				1
VIII A, B								2	1	2	2	7
Totals		3	5	4	7	6	2	5	2	2	2	38

## SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

	SCHOOL YEAR, 1914-15						FALL TERM OF 1915									
	boys	girls	tot.	Av. mem.	Av. att.	per cent.	boys	girls	tot.	Av. mem.	Av. att.	tar- dy	perf- att.	vis. supt.	vis. oth.	per ct.
Vil.	9	14	23	22	22	97	9	10	19	17	17	5	13	6	2	99
Pln.	9	11	20	19	18	92	15	12	27	23	21	14	3	6	9	94
Tot.	18	25	43	41	40	95	24	22	46	40	38	19	16	12	11	96

## GENERAL TOTALS

Population of Greenwich, State Census of 1915	426
School children in the town 5 to 15 years old, September, 1915; Boys 55, Girls 27	82
School Enrolment, Fall Term of 1915	46
Average Membership, same period	40
Average Attendance, "	38
Percentage of attendance	.96
Rate of taxation, per \$ 1000	\$ 19.40
Town appropriation for Public Schools, 1915	\$ 1,100.00

## TUITION PUPILS, STATE CHILDREN

Plains	Village
Alexander Atkins	Annie Babbit
Charlie Atkins	Mabel Babbit
Freeman Atkins	
Christine Despin	
Lena Despin	

## HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS

NAMES	HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDING
Blanche Armstrong	Athol
Robert Beals	"
Peter Billings	"
Eva Lego	"
Fred Lego	"
Raymond Lego	"
Alice Randall	"
Stanley Wheeler	"
Ora Merritt	Palmer
Dorothy Hall	Springfield
Doris Parker	"

As a new superintendent in this union district I am impressed with the advantages the town of Greenwich has in handling the public education of its elementary school children and in means of transportation to good high schools. The town is greatly favored in having an almost perfect consolidation of schools. The two villages form two neighboring centers, each large enough for a good school of the proper size. Some inconveniences in transportation of young children of course have to be encountered, but there seems to be no call for another school on the outskirts of the town. The present arrangement works well in almost every way. Thus the town easily affords to keep the two excellent school buildings in good repair and well equipped. The use of a part of the buildings for other public service is indirectly a help. School supplies for pupils' and teachers' use can be fully furnished. A higher salary is payable than in near towns of the same size, enabling us to secure and hold better teachers. A very high record of attendance is reached, especially at Greenwich Village, where nearly 70 per cent of the membership last year were perfect in attendance for a term and more than 75 per cent were perfect during the fall term of this year. The high school enrolment is also much larger than in towns off the car line with no local high school.

In common with my plans for the schools of the other towns in the district, I have supplied the Greenwich teachers with outlines of school work in various subjects and topics. The latest state uniform courses of study have been placed in their hands. A close selection of subjects to be taught has been made.

We have come to agree on this, that trying to teach so many things has been a mistake. This is a fitting motto: What is worth teaching at all is worth teaching emphatically. So I have sought to limit the too wide range of topics and to confine the effort of pupils and teachers to intensive dealing with the few matters that are sure to be either useful or val-

uable later on in school or in life. Some things are found to be more useful than valuable, others more valuable than useful. Thus drawing, penmanship, music, patriotic and moral exercises and many similar things are useful only to the few, but are valuable to the many. For the latter reason they should not only be retained but encouraged. I can safely report much progress in both the useful and valuable things in our schools this year.

There is a noticeable change for the better in the work of our reading classes. The pupils are being drilled to get the thought instantly and so have more time and force for expressing the thought. The arithmetic classes are giving their attention for a full term to the mastery of a single main subject. So in other studies. The work in our special departments of drawing and music is tending to longer and closer drill on a few main subjects of study.

There seems to prevail in Greenwich the right attitude of parents and citizens towards their schools. The general diligence of pupils and the devotion of the teachers are commendable. These conditions indicate that still further progress in the higher phases of education would be made by the organization of a Parent-Teacher Association. This would link the school and home interests of the town with a nationwide movement and would call in some much needed aid from outside our locality that would not otherwise reach us. The local meetings could be held alternately in the two villages and so accommodate all concerned.

In appreciation of the loyalty and good services of the school committee, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. RICHARDSON,  
*Superintendent of Schools.*

## REPORT OF DRAWING SUPERVISOR

*Mr. Charles C. Richardson,*  
*Superintendent of Schools:*

I herewith submit my annual report as Supervisor of Drawing.

No important changes in the course have been made during the past year, but the work has been progressed satisfactorily along the lines which have been explained in a previous report.

I am glad to be able to announce that at last there is a probability that the pupils from the surrounding towns will have the benefit of an Art Course in the Athol High School, where the addition to the building, completed the past year, affords abundant room to carry on such a course, which has long been needed.

Many ask, "What benefit does a child receive from his lessons in drawing?" In answer to this question allow me to quote from a paper written by a prominent supervisor. "By drawing we mean the representation of form and of design. Of course, to educators, the fundamental reason for teaching this subject is, that through such training the child is given another form of self-expression. All children, except geniuses, are barred from this mode of expression to a very great extent, unless they receive some instruction and guidance in the use of materials.

"Frequently the child who is poor in spelling and writing becomes discouraged trying to tell his stories by composition. Give him a little direction in the use of crayons, and he is soon telling the same story more easily and just as truthfully by means of what we call illustrative drawing.

"Even those persons who do not see this large value in the study of drawing, can see the direct advantage such as the physical and mental development, which come through its practice; it is no longer denied that the child who has had training in handwork has better muscular control, and a keener power of observation than the untrained one."

In closing, allow me to thank superintendent and teachers for the helpfulness shown me in all my work.

Respectfully submitted,

L. FLORENCE ROGAN.



## REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

*Mr. C. C. Richardson,*  
*Supt. of Schools:—*

It gives me pleasure to submit my first report as supervisor of music in the schools of Greenwich.

I have followed in almost all respects the course planned by Miss Rodowsky, with perhaps especial emphasis on ear-training and sight-reading.

In both schools the pupils have true and sweet voices, and I have found only a minimum of tone-deafness which through the patient efforts of the teachers is being corrected.

The prescribed course of study has been modified to suit the needs of schools containing more than one grade. This makes a little difficulty in giving each child the amount of technic suited to his grade.

Nevertheless I find that the children are very interested in this phase of their music work and do as well in it as in the song work. It seems probable that by the end of the year almost every division will have covered the amount of training required.

I wish to thank you, the school board, and teachers for your courtesy and helpfulness.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH F. STRECKER, *Supervisor of Music.*

Jan. 13, 1916.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Greenwich, Mass., Dec. 31, 1915.

Supt. Schools,  
 Town of Greenwich.

I have visited the schools in town during the year and have found the health of the children very good, no contagious disease during the year.

I would suggest that children not vaccinated should be in the spring to come.

Respectfully submitted,

B. A. SAWTELLE, M. D., *School Physician.*

# Honor Roll

## SCHOOL YEAR 1914-15

### ONE TERM

Annie Babbitt  
Mable Babbitt  
Helen Bekooski  
May Bekooski  
Dorothy Ford  
Asa King  
Charles King  
Frederick Lego  
Mary Lego  
Catherine Snyder  
Lena Despin  
George Dragon  
Donald Hayes  
Katharine Hayes  
Rachel Twible - 15

### TWO TERMS

Dorothy Hall  
Eva Hall  
Gladys King  
Herman King  
Raymond King  
Lindolph Parker  
Doris Williams  
Fanny Williams - 8

### THREE TERMS

Arthur Fielding  
Frances Hall  
Raymond Randall - 3

### FALL TERM OF 1915

Pupils perfect in attendance throughout the Fall Term of the school year 1915-16, that is, those who have been members all the term and have not been absent, tardy, or excused.

### VILLAGE

Annie Babbitt  
Helen Bekooski  
May Bekooski  
Sylvia Clifford  
Edward Fielding  
Frances Hall  
Asa King  
Chester King  
Gladys King  
Herman King  
Raymond King  
Lindolph Parker  
Raymond Randall - 13

### PLAINS

Clarence Coit  
Adelard Dragon  
George Dragon - 3

# School Calendar, 1916-17

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Mar. 10, Winter Term closes—13 weeks.

Mar. 11-26, Vacation of two weeks.

Mar. 27, Spring Term begins.

June 16, Spring Term closes—12 weeks.

Sept. 4, Fall Term begins.

Nov. 24, Fall Term closes—12 weeks.

Nov. 25-Dec. 3, Vacation of one week.

Dec. 4, Winter Term begins.

Dec. 23-Jan. 7, Vacation of two weeks.

Mar. 9, Winter Term closes—12 weeks.

Mar. 10-25, Vacation of two weeks.

Mar. 26, Spring Term begins.

June 15, Spring Term closes—12 weeks.

## LEGAL HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME

Washington's Birthday	Feb. 22
Patriots' Day	Apr. 19
Memorial Day	May 30
Labor Day	Sept. 4
Columbus Day	Oct. 12



Annual Reports  
OF THE  
Town Officers

OF  
GREENWICH, *Mass.*

FOR THE YEAR

1916

BELCHERTOWN, MASS.  
PRESS OF LEWIS H. BLACKMER  
1917

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# Town Warrant.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To Edwin H. Randall, Constable of the town of Greenwich,*

## GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the twelfth day of February, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, two Library Trustees, and one Cemetery Commissioner, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, three Fence Viewers, three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, and one Highway Surveyor, all for one year. Also one Selectman in place of Wm. H. Giffin resigned, for two years.

Also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the Town Officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1917.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to defend all suits at law that may be brought against the town during the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as surety on the official bond of any town officers.

ART. 10. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money provided the Massachusetts Highway Commission will add an equal amount for the purpose of improving the road leading from Greenwich to Greenwich Village, commencing at the end of last year's work.

The polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least before the time and place of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the time and place of said meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-fifth day of January, A. D. 1917.

WALTER H. GLAZIER	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich</i>
GEORGE B. LOUX		



# Report of the Town Clerk

## *Vital Statistics for the Year 1916*

### BIRTHS

	CHILD'S NAME	PARENTS' NAME
Mar. 23	Ruth A. Giffin	Linwood and Gladys
July 4	Lois E. King	Willis and Lenna
July 5	Parker	Webster and Daisy
July 27	Everett E. Thrasher	Harrison and Ida
Sept. 14	Grace E. Billings	John and Helen
Nov. 29	Fred R. E. LaGrant	Fred and Helen
Dec. 25	Leroy L. Blackmer, Jr.	Leroy L. and Margeretta

### MARRIAGES

June 5	Bret S. Armer and Mary E. Carney
June 11	William A. Smith and Anna C. Sawtelle
June 14	Howard W. Sawtelle and Erna M. Gage
June 24	Charles D. Walker and Grace K. Burgin
Sept. 3	Ray O. Dixon and Lena (Hall) Carpenter
Nov. 30	Leroy H. Thayer and Viola J. Moore

### DEATHS

		years	mos.	days
Jan. 5	Nancy C. Douglass	83	11	21
Jan. 13	Leroy C. Beals	73	9	7
Jan. 13	Edith M. Graves	35	8	18
Mar. 2	Charlotte V. Drinkwater	74	11	5

		years	mos.	days
Apr. 14	Maud Billings	89		
May 14	Frank L. Parker	47	7	14
May 26	Naomi E. Clark	65	5	21
June 7	William H. Thomas	60	5	4
June 10	Charles E. Leonard	70		
July 14	Amos Doubleday	90	5	10
July 5	Parker			
Oct. 23	John M. Frazer	82	8	8
Dec. 13	Abel O. Parker	68	11	24

BURIAL OF NON-RESIDENTS IN GREENWICH CEMETERY

		years	mos.	days
Feb. 14	Lydia T. Vaughn	79	1	3
May 11	Augustus D. Alden	74	7	
July 22	Howard Upton	69	11	7

Very respectfully,

C. E. MILLER, *Town Clerk*

## Report of Selectmen

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Feb. 14, 1916. Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts to defray town charges to Dec. 31, 1916.

Schools	\$ 1100.00
Roads and bridges	700.00
State road	500.00
Poor	500.00
Salaries	400.00
Contingent	400.00
State and Military Aid	250.00
Public Library	100.00
Reserve fund	400.00
Wm. R. Carrick	250.00
Interest	75.00
Cemetery -	50.00
Moth Work	50.00
Sabin School fund	50.00
	————— \$ 4,825.00

Nov. 6, 1916. At special meeting voted to appropriate for schools	700.00
	—————
	\$ 5,525.00

THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAVE BEEN EXPENDED

Schools	\$ 1,800.00
Roads and bridges	700.00

State road	\$ 500.00	
Town officers	357.45	
State aid	208.00	
Library	100.00	
Moth work	29.00	
Pathing snow (from reserve fund)	139.75	
Cemetery	30.62	
Contingent	314.86	
Sabin School fund	50.00	
Poor	441.36	
Interest	75.00	
Reserve fund, balance of interest	9.54	
Wm. R. Carrick	250.00	
		\$ 5,005.58
Unexpended balance		\$ 519.42

## STATE AID

Alden, Wm. T.	\$ 48.00	
Brown, Henry M.	48.00	
Pomeroy, Arthur H.	48.00	
Winter, Mrs. Mary F.	48.00	
Clifford, Albert P.	16.00	
		\$ 208.00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation	\$ 100.00	
Paid Miss Amelia M. Root		\$ 100.00

## MOTH WORK

Appropriation	\$ 50.00	
Paid Benj. A. Sawtelle		\$ 29.00

## PATHING SNOW

E. H. Randall and others	\$ 90.60	
Wm. Simmons	22.00	
Thomas Severance	14.95	
Wm. A. Gelling	7.00	

Austin Hunter	\$ 5.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 139.75

### SABIN SCHOOL FUND

Appropriation	\$ 50.00	
Order to Frank P. Hall		\$ 50.00

### REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Ending Jan. 2nd, 1917

Appropriation	\$ 50.00	
Received from appropriation		\$ 30.62
Received from Rindge fund	\$ 6.00	
"    "    Mary Walker fund	6.00	
"    "    Warner fund	6.00	
"    "    Wilkinson fund	8.00	
"    "    Shumway fund	5.00	
"    "    Chas. Powers fund	3.00	
"    "    Rebecca Spooner fund	6.00	
"    "    M. Tourtelotte fund	1.00	
"    "    Emelia Topliff fund	6.00	
"    "    Justice Johnson fund	6.00	
"    "    Chas. Record fund	4.00	
"    "    Clara Walker fund	6.00	
"    "    Amos Blackmer fund	3.00	
"    "    Lucinda Root fund	3.00	
"    "    Luther Fuller fund	3.00	
"    "    Asa Spooner fund	4.00	
"    "    D. S. Cutter fund	3.00	
"    "    Cleveland, Bruster & Sears fund	4.00	
"    "    Rice fund	3.00	
"    "    S. Sibley fund	3.00	
"    "    Sherman and Douglas fund	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 93.00
Received for work on and care of lots, 1915 and 1916		\$ 91.12
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Total receipts cash		\$ 214.74

Paid B. A. Sawtelle and help in cemetery	\$ 159.98
Paid freight and for hauling fertilizer	2.04
Paid for machine oil	.12
Paid C. F. Paige & Co., fertilizer	3718
Paid Mrs. Sawtelle, care of flowers	15.00
Paid postage	.42
Total spent	<u>          </u> \$ 214.74

1916

Sept. 28 Received of Mrs. Nellie M. Parker and paid to town treasurer, the interest of the same to be used for the perpetual care and benefit of the Frank L. Parker lot \$ 50.00

Oct. 2 Received of R. M. Sly, Athol, Mass., the sum of one hundred dollars deposited by him in the Athol Savings Bank and book for same in hands of town treasurer. Said sum to be a perpetual fund for the Hiram Lewis lot, and interest to be used for the perpetual care and benefit of said lot 100.00

1917

Jan. 2 Received of Mrs. Sarah Gray the sum of one hundred dollars deposited by her in the Athol Savings Bank and book for same in hands of town treasurer. Said sum to be a perpetual fund for the Adonijah L. Gray lot and the interest to be used for the care and benefit of said lot 100.00

Total received for perpetual fund            \$ 250.00

DAVID M. HUNTER	) Cemetery Commissioners
WM. H. GIFFIN	
BENJ. A. SAWTELLE	

## ROADS AND BRIDGES

EDWARD H. RANDALL, *Superintendent*

Appropriation	\$ 700.00
Paid W. H. Walker, man and team	174.13
Axil Almguest " "	106.00
A. O. Parker " "	13.73
Geo. B. Loux " "	15.91
E. H. Randall labor	50.55
John James " "	71.94
Mylon Caswell " "	56.47
John Lehan " "	55.11
Will Bacon " "	39.00
Thomas Severance, Jr. labor	5.25
O. A. King labor	6.00
M. Schumerhorn " "	16.00
Selectmen's order	2.54
F. H. Vaughn, culvert pipe	16.80
Mylon Caswell, gravel	2.70
Mrs. Kelley, gravel	2.90
Jac. Billings " "	2.75
W. H. Giffin, railing	17.28
Frank Thayer, paint	.50
C. C. Lewis Co. bolts	3.36
W. H. Walker, posts	4.20
E. A. Moore, blacksmith	1.10
Edgar Fewell, labor	1.00
W. H. Walker, plank	32.50
S. H. Walker, spikes	.88
Geo. W. Wheeler, labor	1.40
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	\$ 700.00

## STATE ROAD

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
State granted	950.00
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	\$ 1,450.00

Paid W. H. Walker, man and team	\$ 230.01
Axil Almquist	195.01
A. O. Parker	186.26
G. B. Loux	183.76
George Smith	37.82
E. H. Randall, labor	55.25
John James	103.70
A. O. King	69.31
Mylon Caswell	92.25
Howard White	77.75
John Lehan	89.75
L. Graves	85.75
Albert Stevens	18.00
Henry Godbeer, bound stone	1.80
B. and A. R. R., freight on stone	.52
H. H. Dickinson, spikes	.20
F. P. Hall, file	.15
W. H. Walker, grade stakes	1.50
S. H. Walker, supplies	1.86
E. A. Moore, blacksmith	1.50
W. H. Giffin, railing	5.04
H. D. Crane, gravel	2.50
F. Manley, gravel	7.50
F. H. Vaughn, file	2.80
	<hr/> \$ 1,449.99

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS

Paid Lewis H. Blackmer, printing reports	\$ 37.93
C. E. Miller, ballots and dog check book	9.65
"    "    clerk's record book, etc.	6.51
Walter H. Glazier, 2 trips to Boston, blanks, etc.	13.04
P. B. Swift, bonds for treasurer and collector	37.50
Frank P. Hall, supplies for town	27.71



Paid Charles H. Chase, transfer list real estate	\$ 4.80
Jas. D. Kimball, insurance, weights and measures	18.92
Athol Transcript, tax delinquent letters	1.75
W. & L. E. Gurley, weights and measures	13.46
A. O. Parker, storing scraper	3.00
Giffin & Hall, water rent	6.00
David M. Hunter, inspecting meat to date	2.63
Walter H. Glazier, expense to Worcester	4.70
W. H. Jones, care of town hall, etc.	7.18
Cecil T. Bagnall, tax bills, etc.	2.08
Wm. H. Giffin, pr. pedestals	3.00
H. H. Dickinson, 9 burials	45.00
Walter H. Glazier, copying valuation for state	5.00
Joseph L. Thrasher, inspector of animals	25.00
Harry Hess, care of Lester Mason	40.00
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	\$ 314.86

## TOWN OFFICERS

Clarence E. Miller, town clerk, etc.	\$ 59.95
Joseph L. Thrasher, balance salary on 1914	30.00
Wm. R. Carrick, moderator 2 meetings	5.00
Roy Ellsworth, election officer	6.50
Wm. S. Douglass, " "	6.50
Linwood J. Giffin, " "	3.00
Oscar A. King, " "	1.50
Wm. H. Giffin, " "	3.50
David M. Hunter, constable	6.50
Edwin H. Randall	5.00
Stephen H. Walker, justice 1916	5.00
Linwood J. Giffin, auditor 1915	10.00
F. P. Hall, treasurer	30.00
Joseph L. Thrasher, part salary 1915	30.00

Walter H. Glazier, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	\$ 60.00	
Geo. B. Loux, selectman, assessor and over- seer of poor	60.00	
Chas. B. Coit, assessor and overseer	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 357.45
Total amount of orders drawn		<hr/> \$ 3,472.67
WALTER H. GLAZIER	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich</i>
GEORGE B. LOUX	}	
Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor		



Stephen H. Walker, grain	\$ 474.33
Frank L. Parker, "	202.10
Ryther & Warren, "	46.05
E. G. Kelley, "	12.25
Howard H. Dickinson, groceries	225.08
E. Kelley, "	9.51
Frank P. Hall, "	8.76
Stephen H. Walker, "	2.60
J. E. Hess, meat	24.45
J. M. Vaughn, meat	8.93
Fred M. Thrasher, goods for No. 1	18.58
" " miscellaneous	27.67
" " hay	25.00
Belchertown Creamery Co., butter	16.23
Frank Rogers, labor	103.25
Frank Murphy, "	35.00
B. S. Armer, "	5.00
Geo. L. Mason, "	8.00
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill	12.65
Wm. Boyd, 14 hens	17.90
Joseph L. Thrasher, pork	20.58
Miley Soap Co., soap	8.85
Geo. B. Loux, fertilizer	9.25
" " pasturage	12.00
John H. King, labor (milk room)	15.57
E. H. Moore, casket, etc., No. 3	29.00
Dr. Sawtelle, medical attendance, No. 1	9.00
" " " " " 3	1.00
James D. Kimball, insurance	12.00
J. M. Eddy, hay	7.75
Hunter Bros., supplies	7.10
	<hr/> \$ 1,815.44

## INCOME AT COOLEY HOME

Milk	\$ 739.05
Cream	132.36

Eggs	\$ 314.25	
Stock	161.00	
Veal	62.00	
Poultry	69.23	
Pork	25.20	
Potatoes	22.50	
Board	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,535.59
Net expense at Cooley Home		\$ 279.85

## INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME

Farm		\$ 3,000.00
2 horses	\$ 300.00	
9 cows	500.00	
3 yearlings	100.00	
2 calves	20.00	
100 hens, 20 cockerels	100.00	
16 tons hay	315.00	
Farming tools	110.00	
Furniture	100.00	
Provisions	50.00	
Potatoes	40.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,635.00
		\$ 4,635.00

## INMATES AT COOLEY HOME

No. 1	52 weeks
No. 3	28 "
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	80 weeks

WALTER H. GLAZIER	} Overseers of the Poor
CHARLES B. COIT	
GEORGE B. LOUX	

Greenwich, Mass. Dec. 31, 1916

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of Assessors

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State tax	\$ 560.00
County tax	768.18
Town grant	3,850.00
Overlayings upon all taxes	93.61
Omitted assessments	25.92
Rate of taxation per \$ 1,000	18.00

## PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Congregational Church	\$ 3,100.00
Independent Liberal Church	2,050.00
Hillside School	12,490.00
Soldiers' exemption	7,675.00
Women worth less than \$ 1,000	3,175.00

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Total valuation	\$ 278,347.00
" value of real estate	218,575.00
" " personal estate	59,772.00
" " omitted assessments	1,440.00
Number of polls assessed	144
" " exempt	13
Tax on each poll	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed	294
" " paying tax on property	254
" " " " " poll only	40

Number of horses assessed	124
“ cows “	221
“ neat cattle other than cows	57
“ sheep assessed	4
“ swine “	26
“ dwelling houses assessed	121
“ acres of land “	11,160
“ fowls “	5,870

WALTER H. GLAZIER )	<i>Assessors</i>	
GEORGE B. LOUX     )		<i>of</i>
CHARLES B. COIT     )		<i>Greenwich</i>

# Treasurer's Report

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*Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for the Year  
Ending Dec. 31, 1916*

Cash on hand to new account	\$ 158.23
Rec'd from county treasurer, refund on dog tax	70.37
Commonwealth, income Mass. school fund	575.00
"          account state highway	150.00
"          inspection of animals	22.50
"          corporation tax	43.57
"          national bank tax	78.92
"          tuition of children	123.50
"          state aid	256.00
"          High school tuition	623.63
"          acct. soldiers' exemption	41.28
"          state highway loan	950.00
Town of Ware, acct. of Minnie Wetherbee	65.00
Ware Savings Bank, interest cemetery funds	76.00
Athol " " " " " "	17.00
State dept. of weights and measures, ped- dler's license fee	3.00
School committee, state reimbursement school supt.	147.06
Cemetery commissioner, endowment funds	
F. L. Parker	50.00
Sophia C. Sly	100.00
Adonijah L. Gray	100.00



Rec'd from People's Savings Bank, Worcester, (bor- rowed money)	\$ 5,000.00
Overseers of poor, acct. Cooley home	1,535.79
J. L. Thresher, balance of 1914 tax	512.11
Interest on same	85.83
J. L. Thresher, acct. of 1915 tax	1,830.24
"    "    "    1916 tax	3,240.31
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	\$ 15,855.34

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Paid Charles F. Gettemy, certifying town notes	\$ 8.00
W. B. Segur, M. D., return of births	2.00
Edwin H. Banister, county tax	768.18
State tax	560.00
Deposited in Athol Savings Bank	
F. L. Parker cemetery fund	50.00
Sophia C. Sly " "	100.00
Adonijah L. Gray " "	100.00
Paid W. H. Glazier, note and interest	1,230.00
Peoples' Savings Bank, note and int.	3,054.54
Selectmen's orders	3,472.67
Overseers of poor orders	2,226.95
School committee "	3,407.79
Assessors' certificate, tax abatement 1914	29.41
"    "    "    "    1915	40.24
"    "    "    "    1916	24.05
Cash on hand	781.51
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	\$ 15,855.34

## LIABILITIES

One note due Dec. 5, 1917	\$ 2,000.00
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## ASSETS

Due on 1915 tax	\$ 229.23
"    1916    "	2,059.40
Due from state on acct. state aid paid	208.08
Cash on hand	781.51

## SCHOOL FUND

Sabin school fund	\$ 103.43
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## TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Rindge fund	\$ 100.00
Wilkinson fund	300.00
Shumway fund	100.00
Spooner fund	50.00
Warner fund	100.00
Mary Walker fund	100.00
Powers fund	50.00
Rebecca Spooner fund	82.65
Tourtelotte fund	25.00
Topliff fund	100.00
Johnson fund	200.00
Record fund	50.00
Blackmer fund	50.00
Clara Walker fund	100.00
Root fund	100.00
Fuller fund	100.00
Sherman & Douglass fund	100.00
Rice fund	100.00
Cutler fund	100.00
Pratt fund	50.00
Sears, Brewster & Cleveland fund	175.00
Sibley fund	100.00
Gray fund	100.00
Sly fund	100.00
Parker fund	50.00
	————— \$ 2,482.65
Interest expended 1916	\$ 93.00
Interest available Jan. 1, 1917	\$ 333.38

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL, *Treasurer*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library

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Number of days library has been open	52
books given out	2,752
magazines given out	513
books purchased	50
donated by Free Public Lib. Commission	35
magazines subscribed for	8
magazines donated	4
public documents donated	10
Whole number of volumes	2,840
Public documents	250
Circulating department	2,592
13 volumes have been replaced	
30 " from Free Pub. Library Commission, especially for schools, not catalogued.	

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Appropriation by the town	\$ 100.00
From the Bailey and the Spooner fund	28.00
Received from fines	1.73
Cash balance from last year	9.05
	\$ 138.78

## EXPENDITURES

Paid for books	\$ 49.66	
magazines	19.50	
librarian	36.40	
transportation	13.00	
sundries	.65	
expenses	.98	
Money on hand	18.59	
	<hr/>	\$ 138.78

A. M. ROOT, *Treasurer*

HELEN J. NEVINS, *Librarian*

BENJAMIN SAWTELLE, M. D.

WILLIAM S. DOUGLASS

WILLIAM H. WALKER

ELLA M. WALKER

LIZZIE HUNTER

A. M. ROOT

} *Trustees*

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Bosher, Kate Langley. People like that	B67.6
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Brown, Alice. The prisoner	B81.8
Burnham, Frances H. Instead of the thorn	B94.13
Canfield, Dorothy. The bent twig	C15.3
Daviess, Marion Thomson. Over Paradise ridge	D27.3
Dix, Beulah Marie. Blithe McBride	D64.6
Eastman, Sophia E. In Old South Hadley	G Ea7
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Jackson, Gabriella E. Wee Winkles and Snowball	jJ11.3
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Milton, John. Poems	Y M64
Nicholson, Meredith. 'The proof of the pudding	N52.6
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Parker, Gilbert. The world for sale	P22.9
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Porter, Eleanor H. Just David	P83.5
Prouty, Olive Higgins. The fifth wheel	P95.2
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"          "          Songs of friendship	Y R45.3
Smith, R. W. Benighted Mexico	F SM11
Stevenson, Rob't Louis. Treasure Island	jST4.6
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Tarkington, Booth. Seventeen	T14.7
Turnbull, Marg't. Handle with care	T85.2
Wiggin, Kate Douglass. The romance of a Christmas card	W63.15
Woodhull, John F. The children's library of work and play (electricity)	L W85

# Report of School Committee

*For the Year ending Dec. 30, 1916*

## RECEIPTS

Income of state school fund	\$ 575.00	
Balance from 1915	266.35	
High school tuition	623.63	
Tuition of state children	123.50	
From state, on account of superintendent	147.06	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,735.54
Expended		1,587.79
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Unexpended		\$ 147.75
Town appropriation	\$ 1,800.00	
Income Sabin school fund	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,820.00

## SALARIES OF TEACHERS

Marion Holden	\$ 264.00	
Elizabeth Pease	407.00	
Grace Barker	165.00	
Florence Rogan	47.50	
Elizabeth Strecker	32.50	
Ruth Sprague	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 936.00

C. C. Richardson, salary	\$ 189.20	
“ “ expense of	3.71	
School Committee	40.00	
“ “ expense of	5.00	
	-----	\$ 237.91
Tuition		\$ 605.63

## CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS

Lewis Graves	\$ 259.00	
Elmer Powers	166.50	
Henry Lego	124.80	
Peter Lego	115.20	
Linwood Giffin	42.00	
B. S. Armer	19.50	
H. D. Adams	38.40	
High School	651.30	
	-----	\$ 1,416.70

## EXPENDITURES

Care of rooms	\$ 65.00	
Supplies	59.99	
Books	22.13	
Fuel	44.35	
Water rent	9.00	
B. A. Sawtelle	5.75	
Repairs	5.33	
	-----	\$ 211.55
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		\$ 3,407.79

W. H. PETRIE }  
W. R. CARRICK }  
J. H. KING }

*School  
Committee*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor



# Superintendent's Report

*To the School Committee of Greenwich:*

Herewith is submitted my second annual report of schools for the town, the fifteenth under the Dana superintendency.

## PUPILS CLASSIFIED BY GRADES AND AGES, ATTENDANCE OF ELEMENTARY GRADES, JANUARY, 1917

	Ages	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Totals
Grades	I	8	5		1								14
	II	1	3	1		1							6
	III		1	2	3								6
	IV			3	1	3							7
	V				1	7	3		1				12
	VI							2	3				5
	VII								1				1
	VIII									2	1	2	6
	Totals	9	9	6	5	11	5	4	3	1	2	1	57

## SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

School year, 1915--16

	Boys	Girls	Pupils	Av. Mem.	Av. Att.	Per Cent	Tardy	Perf. Att.	Vis. Supt.	Vis. Others
Village	11	10	21	18	17	95	21	0	18	24
Plains	17	12	29	21	19	92	60	0	19	32
Totals	28	22	50	39	36	93	81	0	37	56

## Fall Term, 1916

	Boys	Girls	Pupils	Av. Mem.	Av Att.	Per Cent	Tardy	Perf. Att.	Vis. Supt.	Vis. Others
Village	13	13	26	25	24	96	7	9	6	13
Plains	19	13	32	26	24	92	21	7	6	15
Totals	32	26	58	51	48	94	28	16	12	28

## GENERAL TOTALS

Population of Greenwich, 1915	426
School children of compulsory school age	60
Pupils enrolled in the public schools, fall of 1916	58
Average membership for the same period	51
Total valuation of the town, 1916	\$ 279,787
Tax rate of the town per \$ 1,000	\$ 18
Total tax, including 131 polls @ \$ 2	\$ 5,298.16
Appropriation for public schools	\$ 1,800
Ratio of school appropriation to whole town tax	34%

The change of teachers at the Village school at the opening of the present school year was caused by the resignation of Miss Marion Holden in the summer. Miss Holden was a strong disciplinarian as well as instructor and thoroughly appreciated system in her work. The choice of Miss Grace F. Barker, an experienced teacher, brought in a hearty spirit and less fixed standard, and a certain kind of activity that expresses itself freely.

At the Plains there has been a gradual and even progress in discipline and instruction, a growing feeling of confidence on the part of the teacher, a faithfulness that produces the most careful work, especially thru the upper grades.

The children at the Plains are various in native qualities and tendencies and it is no easy task to keep a spirit of harmony among them outside of school. The superintendent is pleased with the attitude of the pupils in both schools towards their officials.

Speaking of the special subjects, drawing and music, it can be said that well prepared specimens of handwork show

much skill and the results in music in both schools are complimentary, while the special song work is unusually well carried out at the Village school.

The proportion of Greenwich students in high school remains about the same and is much larger because of train facilities to and fro. But it is not all a good fortune that the grammar school graduates have to take the train daily to attend high school. I do not assume that parents in general are unaware of what is unfavorably called the "conduct on the train", but it may be well for every parent or guardian to be advised to insist on some wholesome and helpful restrictions in regard to his own children. It would seem to be wholly sound to forbid one's own son riding to and from school in a smoking car; to urge one's own daughter to exhibit the qualities of the young lady in speech and action in the railroad coach, where the best of people are daily riding and have a right to orderly and respectful conduct from the rising generation.

Just before the opening of the present school year, orders came from the state thru the board of health for the school physician to visit the schools daily to detect any symptoms, if any, of infantile paralysis. As no signs of this disease appeared within the first two weeks, the superintendent wrote to the state board of health in regard to continuing the physician's visits and the reply requested a close watch of the schools without continuing the constant visitation. At first the cost of this inspection, if long continued, bid fair to be a heavy burden to the small town.

The increased price of school supplies during the past year, especially all kinds of paper, has been serious enough to cause much uneasiness. The material which would have cost \$25 two years ago now costs \$60 to \$75. For instance, the most common kind of paper for arithmetic work cost 12 cents a package early in 1915, 24 cents in the summer of 1916, and is now 38 cents. The publishers of school books sent notices in December that the prices of many books would be advanced from January 1, 1917. If prices continue to rise it will be

necessary to make some radical change in the kind of material to be used in our schools.

In appreciation of the helpfulness rendered by all people who are interested in the advancement of the public schools, this report is

Respectfully submitted,  
 CHARLES C. RICHARDSON,  
*Superintendent of Schools*

## REPORT OF DRAWING SUPERVISOR

*Mr. Charles C. Richardson,*  
*Supt. of Schools:-*

Dear Sir:-

I submit my annual report.

So few changes have been made in the Art Course in the schools that my reports of previous years explain the ground covered.

The course in Representative Drawing as advocated by the State Normal School will receive some attention in the lower grades, and if continued next year in the higher grades, should develop in the pupils a greater power of self-expression.

Although Art Education is coming to be more generally appreciated, there are still those who consider it unnecessary.

The following paragraph printed in a Bulletin of the United States Bureau of Education may show how the subject is regarded by broad-minded educators:

"Drawing today is but one chapter in the great volume which is being compiled in our public-school courses of study. We may name this volume 'Art Education', and we shall find that it contains many chapters besides drawing, such as painting, design, manual training, shopwork, the crafts, domestic art, industrial education.

"It is true that art instruction must teach children to draw. It must do this for the same reason that instruction in reading must teach children to recognize and form written words, to combine words in sentences, and to compose sentences in paragraphs for the expression of thought. Drawing is expression just as written language is expression. But ability to draw is not the only result for which art instruction should aim. There is another result as much greater in value to the average man as the ability to enjoy good literature is greater than the ability to use grammatical speech; and that result is the ability to perceive and enjoy beauty wherever

er beauty is manifested. It is in its power to stimulate good taste and to open the 'gate of appreciation' that art education justifies that time and money spent upon it.'

In closing, allow me to express my thanks to superintendent and teachers.

Respectfully,

L. FLORENCE ROGAN,  
*Supervisor of Drawing.*

## REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

*Mr. Charles C. Richardson,*  
*Superintendent of Schools,*  
*Greenwich, Mass.*

In compliance with your request I herewith submit my first report as Music Supervisor in the schools of Greenwich.

As I am more familiar with the work of graded schools, I was unusually surprised to find such a good musical foundation begun in the district schools here. I am pleased to find all the up-to-date methods of The New Educational System already employed.

During the Fall term most of the music period was devoted to singing,-- learning to read accurately and rapidly at sight, and to sing with expression. I wish to emphasize the importance of individual work,-- preferably by use of the Weber graded slips, with which the schools are supplied. The quality of tone has improved, and we are troubled with but few monotones.

If there be any weak point in the music of the schools, it is in the technicalities of music, and upon such shall the work of the Winter term be based. During the Spring term more time will be given to details of expression, learning to follow the baton, and a brief outline of Music History. These several phases of music will aid in music appreciation. In general, great progress in the school music is inevitable.

I wish to thank the teachers and superintendent for their prompt cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,  
RUTH C. SPRAGUE,  
*Supervisor of Music.*

# Honor Roll

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Pupils only who have been members the whole time and have not been absent, tardy, or excused.

## WINTER TERM OF 1916

Greenwich Village

Raymond Randall

## SPRING TERM OF 1916

Greenwich Village

Mary Bebooski  
Edward Fielding  
Lindolph Parker

Greenwich Plains

Clarence Coit  
Doris Williams

## FALL TERM OF 1916

Greenwich Village

Annie Babbit  
Helen Bebooski  
Eva Hall  
Frances Hall  
Asa King  
Herman Charles King  
Lindolph Parker  
Lawrence Randall  
Raymond Randall

Greenwich Plains

Robert Churchill  
Sylvia Churchill  
Truman Churchill  
Emily Coit

Everett Coit  
Clifton Graves  
Doris Williams

Graduated from Plains School June 16, 1916

Fanny Williams

TUITION PUPILS  
thus far this school year.

VILLAGE SCHOOL

Annie Babbitt  
Alfred Garland  
Doris Green  
Clarence Stanton  
George Stanton  
Harry Stanton  
Alice Whittaker

PLAINS SCHOOL

Adelard Dragon  
Albert Dragon  
George Dragon  
Elsie Lavin  
Hilda Lavin  
Edna Lyman  
Edson Lyman  
Eva Lyman  
Christine McKinnon  
Dominick Merino  
Lena Merino  
Sullivan Merino

PUPILS ATTENDING HIGH SCHOOL

Name	School
Blanche Armstrong	Athol
Peter Billings	"
Eva Lego	"
Frederick Lego	"
Raymond Lego	"
Alice Randall	"
Stanley Wheeler	"
Ora Merritt	Palmer
Dorothy Hall	Springfield
Doris Parker	"
Edna Gelling	Ware
Paul Gelling	"

## School Calendar, 1917-18

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1917

March 9, Winter Term closes—12 weeks.

March 10-25, Vacation of two weeks.

March 26, Spring Term commences.

June 15, Spring Term closes—12 weeks.

September 3, Fall Term commences.

November 23, Fall Term closes—12 weeks.

November 24-December 2, Vacation of one week.

December 3, Winter Term commences.

December 22-January 6, Vacation of two weeks.

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March 8, Winter Term closes—12 weeks.

March 9-24, Vacation of two weeks.

March 25, Spring Term commences.

June 14, Spring Term closes—12 weeks.

### LEGAL HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME

1917

Washington's Birthday	February 22
Patriots' Day	April 19
Memorial Day	May 30
Labor Day	September 3
Columbus Day	October 12



# Assessors' Valuation List

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## Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

GREENWICH, *Mass.*

FOR THE YEAR

1917

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BELCHERTOWN, MASS.

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## Valuation and Taxes

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Adams, Herbert D.	Poll, 3 horses 150, 7 cows 315, 2 yearlings 30, 130 fowls 82, house 400, barn 500, carriage house 50, farm 57a 1000	2527	43.70
Aiken, John F.	Poll, 40 fowls 15, house 500, barn 300, hen house 25, house lot 2a 150	975	18.34
Alden, William F.	House 500, house lot 2a 100. Ex.		
Armer, Burt S.	Poll, horse 25, cow 50, two-year old 35, 36 fowls 12, o. p. 138	260	6.29
Armer, Mary E.	House 400, barn 150, farm 60a 450	1000	16.50
Abbott, Fred.	Poll		2.00
Adams, Lucille R.	House 200, barn 100, farm 20a 200. Ex.	500	
Bacon, Ernest.	Poll		2.00
Bacon, John.	Poll, house 150, barn 25, house lot 1a 50	225	5.71
Bacon, William L.	Poll		2.00
Barlow, Ellis A.	Poll		2.00
Barlow, George F.	Poll		2.00

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Barlow, Mrs. Clara. Horse 100, 9 cows 450, 200 fowls 135, house 300, barn 200, 2 hen houses 50, farm 80a 950		2185	36.05
Beals, Leroy B. heirs or devisees. House 150, barn 50, land 10a 100. Ex.		300	4.95
Beals, Nathan A. House 250, 2 barns 200, farm 41a 750. Ex. 1000		200	3.30
Billings, Catherine R. 4 cows 190, 2 yearlings 70, house 400, barn 100, farm 360a 375		1135	18.73
Boutin, Lucy P. House 400, 2 barns 300, farm 20a 300		1000	16.50
Billings, Joseph T. Poll, 6 cows 270, bull 35, 2 horses 300, barn 250, house 250, ice and milk house 50, farm 20a 150, Haskell lot 60a 700, Hannum lot 24a 100, Sears lot 30a 250, Fuller lot 30a 200		2550	44.16
Bishop, Mrs. Lilla. House 800, barn 200, house lot 3½a 200, Leonard lot 12a 50, o. p. 600		1850	30.53
Bombard, Moses. Poll, farm 9a 250, o. p. 10		250	6.29
Brooks, Burt V. Poll			2.00
Brooks, Ina A. House 600, house lot 2½a 200		800	13.20
Brown, Henry M. House 500, house lot 75. Ex.			
Blackmer, Roy L. Poll, house 450, barn 200, land 12a 225, o. p. 200		1075	19.74
Caswell, Mylon E. Poll, house 750, barn 150, house lot 50, horse 75.		1025	18.92
Carrick, William R. Poll, house 550, barn 200, hen house 25, carriage house 50, Root lot 75a 260, Newton lot 80a 240, Newton lot 60a 180, home farm 75a 750, 3 horses 250, 5 cows 190, 2 two-year olds 60, 2 yearlings 50, 40 fowls 15, o. p. 150		2970	51.01
Chamberlain, Augusta M. House 2000, house			

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
lot 100		2100	34.65
Chapman, Trelawney C. Horse 25, 2 cows 75, yearling 25, o. p. 50, house 350, barn 200, hen house 50, farm 80a 350, 20a 150. Ex. 350		1275	11.97
Cheese Mfg. Co. Bldg. 750, lot 50		800	13.20
Churchill, Fred A. W. Poll			2.00
Churchill, Frances B. 2 horses 100, 5 cows 275, 2 two-year olds 60, 2 yearlings 40, house 350, barn 300, farm 195a 1200		2325	38.37
Churchill, Fred W. Poll			2.00
Chapin, Arthur L. Poll, horse 100, 2 cows 90, swine 25, 400 fowls 285, o. p. 100, house 750, barn 150, hen houses 350, farm 13a 250		2100	36.65
Clark, Naomi E. Estate. House 500, barn 450, store house 200, farm 80a 1100, Shaw lot 23a 250, Clark farm 100a 1000, o. p. 845		4345	71.70
Clark, James F. Horse 50, cow 40. Ex.			
Clifford, Mrs. Addie. Cottage 750, lot 75. Ex.			
Clifford, Albert P. Ex.			
Clifford, Carl M. Poll			2.00
Clifford, Lucy A. Horse 100, house 200, barn 100, 2 hen houses 50, land 4a 50, fowls 7		507	8.37
Clifford, Rutherford A. Poll, horse 75, boat house 25, pond lot 18a 100		200	5.31
Clapp, Clifton. Poll, cow 40, 140 fowls 90, o. p. 25, house 350, hen house 50, land 3a 75		630	12.40
Coit, Charles B. Poll, cow 45, horse 75, house 750, barn 200, hen house 50, house lot 50, Alden house 350, Alden barn 250, carriage house 50, farm 50a 800, Pierce lot 30a 800		4295	72.87

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Coit, Edgar W.	Poll, horse 50, 5 cows 275, two-year old 35, yearling 20, 45 fowls 18	398	6.57
Comee, Etta M.	House 500, house lot 25. Ex.		
Crane, Harry D.	Poll, horse 100, cow 50, 200 fowls 150, o. p. 250	550	11.08
Crane, Mrs. Cassie D.	House 700, barn 300, hen houses 700, farm 22a 450	2150	35.48
Curtis, Hermon W.	Poll, 3 horses 300, 2 cows 90, swine 25, 100 fowls 60	475	9.84
Curtis, Mrs. Emma.	House 900, barn 500, hen houses 100, farm 65a 500	2000	33.00
Closson, Luke W.	Poll, 2 cottages 1000, 2 lots 150	1150	20.98
Dickinson, Howard H.	Poll, stock in trade 1000, horse 150, cow 60, house 300, barn 300, hen house 25, house lot 2a 50, Earl lot 50	1935	35.41
Dickinson, Ruby C.	House 400, barn 100, house lot 100	600	9.90
Douglass, Miss C. C.	House 750, barn 150, store house 50, house lot 100	1050	17.33
Douglass, Wm. S.	Poll, house 850, barn 300, shop 100, farm 47a 700	1950	34.18
Duncan, Mrs. Jane.	House 650, barn 200, house lot 50. Ex.		
Drinkwater, Charles A.	Poll, 2 horses 200, 4 cows 180, 700 fowls 510, 2 houses 400, barn 150, store house 150, hen houses 700, o. p. 300, farm 200a 2000, Davis lots 76a 300, Davis Mt. lot 2a 50	4940	83.52
Dixon, Roy.	Poll		2.00
Dow, Fred H.	Poll, o. p. 40	40	2.66
Dow, Lora M.	Horse 50, cow 40, 85 fowls 48, o. p. 10, house 250, barn 100, corn		

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
house 25, hen house 25, farm 90a 850		1398	23.08
Edson, Lester. Poll			2.00
Edson, Mrs. Carrie. Cow 45, 150 fowls 97, house 250, barn 150, farm 84a 700, Plain lot 25a 100		1342	22.15
Ellsworth, Mrs. Ila M. House 750, barn 100, house lot 100, o. p. 50		1000	16.51
Ellsworth, Roy. Poll			2.00
Faverio, Louis. Poll			2.00
Faverio, Mrs. Gertrude. 2 horses 200, 2 cows 150, yearling 30, 180 fowls 120, stock in trade 500, house 1000, barn 300, grain house 150, hen houses 250, brood- er house 500, cottage 50, farm 210a 1500		5750	94.88
Frew, Edward A. Poll, 2 horses 300, 10 cows 500, o. p. 30, house 1000, barn 500, silo 100, corn house 50, hen house 25, farm 120a 1500		4005	68.09
Felton, Webster F. Poll, horse 50, 7 cows 395, yearling 20, 200 fowls 135, o. p. 80, house 200, barn 400, hen house 50, farm 65a 600, Pomeroy lot 16a 300		2230	38.80
Fewell, Edgar O. Poll, horse 50, 3 cows 135, 38 fowls 13, o. p. 200, $\frac{1}{2}$ house 400, $\frac{1}{2}$ barn 150, garage 50, $\frac{1}{2}$ farm 20a 200		1198	21.77
Fewell, William H. Poll, $\frac{1}{2}$ house 400, $\frac{1}{2}$ barn 150, hen house 25, $\frac{1}{2}$ farm 200		775	14.79
Fewell, William B. Poll			2.00
Fewell, Grace J. House 750, house lot 9a 1000, Hannum lot 20a 200, Spooner lot 14a 100, Sturtevant lot 5a 35		1185	19.56
Flanders, Robert L. Poll, cottage 200, barn 300, hotel 1800, bowling alley 100, shed 50, farm 80a 800		3550	60.58
Fuller, George A., M. D. Poll, house 950,			

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	barn 200, shop 25, hen house 50, fowls 30, house lot 225	1450	26.43
Fuller, Herbert.	Poll		2.00
Gamwell, George M.	Poll, $\frac{1}{2}$ house 400, $\frac{1}{2}$ barn 50, $\frac{1}{2}$ house lot 50	500	10.25
Gamwell, Mrs. George M.	Fowls 67	67	1.12
Gelling, William A.	Poll		2.00
Giffin & Hall.	o. p.	500	8.25
Giffin, Linwood J.	Poll, personal 125, Blackmer lot 25a 250	375	8.20
Giffin, William H.	Poll, stock in trade 400, o. p. 600, house 750, barn 150, shop 25, garage 100, house lot 50, Woods lot 8a 300	2375	41.19
Glazier, W. H.	Poll, 2 horses 50, 2 cows 75, two-year old 35, house 400, barn 300, hen house 50, farm 150a 1450	2360	40.94
Gould, Mrs. Eliza.	House 500, barn 150, house lot 2a 200, 3 lots 40. Ex. 500	390	5.61
Graves, Lewis.	Poll, 2 horses 125, 2 cows 70	195	5.22
Graves, Mrs. Ruth.	House 250, barn 100, silo 100, farm 20a 200, Churchill lot 5a 75	725	11.97
Graves, Roy L.	Poll, house 650, house lot 50	700	13.55
Hale, Earl L.	Poll, 85 fowls 48, o. p. 242, Russell lot 15a 200	490	10.09
Hale, Samuel E.	Poll, horse 25, 3 cows 135, 40 fowls 15, house 300, barn 200, corn and wagon house 50, farm 33a 400	1440	25.76
Hall, Frank P.	Poll, stock in trade 2500, horse 50, 2 hogs 50, Post office block 2400, lot 100	5100	86.15
Hall, Mrs. Luella C.	House 1600, barn 300, house lot 100,	2000	33.00



Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Hall, Mrs. Luella and Martha. Cottage 600, lot 150		750	12.39
Haskell and Towne. Cottage 600, lot 75,		675	11.14
Harrington, Mrs. Martha J. House 400, barn 200, shed 50, farm 30a 350, Plain lot 15a 75, Haskell lot 16a 100, o. p. 500		1675	27.64
Holden, Mrs. Helen. Est. House 450, house lot 50, o. p. 200		700	11.55
Hunter, Austin. Poll, 2 horses 200, 9 cows 485, 2 oxen 200, 3 two-year olds 150, yearling 20, 3 swine 45, 100 fowls 60, house 500, barn 400, wagon house 50, hen house 25, farm 150a 2000, Northam lot 50a 800, Bond lot 12a 200, swamp lot 13a 25, Plain lot 7a 100		5260	88.80
Hunter, Myron. Poll, o. p. 150		150	4.48
Hunter Bros. 2 horses 150, 13 cows 715, two-year old 40, 2 yearlings, 55, bull 60, 3 swine 45, 128 fowls 81, o. p. 100, house 1000, barn 500, wagon house 50, corn house 25, farm 165a 3500		6321	104.31
Hunter, Edward M. Poll, Manly lot 30a 300, Pomeroy lot 12a 100, Old Grove lot 25a 100		500	10.25
Hunter, David M. Poll			2.00
Hunter, Henry E. Poll			2.00
Hunter, Harry E. Poll			2.00
Hunter, George L. Poll, 2 horses 100, 3 cows 130, two-year old 50, 60 fowls 30, o. p. 368, house 300, barn 400, shop 100, garage 25, Johnson lot 7a 75, Ayers lot 10a 100, Phipps lot 15a 75, farm 40a 400		2153	37.76
Januszajtis, Anthony. Poll, 2 horses 125, 9 cows 485, 2 yearlings 45, 6 sheep 30,			

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	house 400, barn 350, shed 25, silo 100, farm 155a 1400, Lincoln farm 100a 450	3515	60.01
Johnson, Fannie L.	Horse 75, 2 cows 75, o. p. 500, 550 fowls 437, house 500, barn 300, hen houses 300, store house 200, wagon house 100, engine house 50, house lot 4a 300, Powers lot 8a 250, Walker lot 4a 200	3287	54.25
Johnston, Henry D.	Poll		2.00
Johnston, Richard H.	Poll		2.00
Johnston, Lewis.	Poll		2.00
Johnston, Harold.	Poll		2.00
Jones, Ira L.	Horse 175, house 450, barn 100, shed 50, house lot 2a 200	975	16.09
Jones, Mrs. Martha.	100 fowls 70, house 350, barn 100, hen house 50, house lot 2a 125	695	11.48
Jones, William H.	Poll		2.00
Kehl, Carl G.	Poll, horse 50, o. p. 50	100	3.65
Kehl, Myra A.	House 250, barn 150, farm 95a 400	800	13.20
Kelley, Mrs. and Misses.	70 fowls 37, house 900, barn 400, house lot 4a 200, Towne lot 30a 300	1837	30.31
Kelley, Lillian.	Cottage 250, Douglass lot 20a 400, Walker lot 30a 300	950	15.68
Kelley, Nellie M.	Plain lot 18a 400	400	6.60
King, John H.	Poll, horse 125, 2 cows 125, yearling 20, 40 fowls 18, house 450, barn 100, farm 56a 350	1188	21.60
King, Edward T.	Poll, 11 horses 900, 9 cows 350, ox 60, 2 two-year olds 60, 4 yearlings 75, bull 30, 3 swine 60, 30 fowls 17, o. p. 33, farm barn 300, store house 25, Powers house 1100, Powers		

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
barn 200, hay barn 150, farm 33a 300, house lot 15a 200, hotel lot 25a 200, Douglass lot 55a 250, Haskell lot 4a 35, Russell lot 16a 400, Cutler lot 36a 800, school house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, Ayers, Fewell & Brooks lot 60a 600, Abbott lot 12a 100, Alden lot 33a 1000, Jones meadow lot 3a 75, building lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, Davis lot 2a 50		7445	124.85
King, Mrs. Margaret. 40 fowls 15, Wheeler house 600, Wheeler barn 200, Wheeler shop 325, shop site 25, Wheeler farm 17a 500, Bacon lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100		1765	29.13
King, Oscar A. Poll, horse 75, cow 40, 25 fowls 5, house 300, barn 150, hen house 25, farm 100a 4000		4595	77.82
King, Willis R. Poll, stock in trade 50, horse 75, o. p. 265		390	8.44
Kitt, Frank J. Poll, o. p. 40		40	2.66
Labare, Adolphus. Poll, 2 horses 100, cow 30, house 400, barn 150, farm 100a 500		1180	19.48
Leary, Daniel P. Poll, o. p. 700		700	13.55
Lego, Henry R. Poll, 2 horses 80, cow 60, yearling 40, 600 fowls 435, o. p. 350, house 300, barn 250, hen houses 400, farm 75a 500		2415	41.86
Lego, Peter E. Poll, 2 horses 100, two-year old 35, 400 fowls 285, o. p. 25		445	9.35
Lego, Mrs. Peter E. House 350, barn 125, hen houses 200, farm 15a 200, meadow 10a 50		925	15.26
Leonard, Chas. E., heirs or devisees. House 100, King lot 15a 100, part of farm 20a 150		350	5.78
Lincoln, John V. Poll, 2 horses 150, 4 cows 180, 2 two-year olds 75, 2 yearlings 60,			

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	swine 25, 50 fowls 22, house 400, barn 250, shed 75, farm 28a 400, Bruce lot 40a 250, Sturtevant lot 40a 300, Sly lot 10a 75, Olds lot 10a 50	2312	40.15
Litch, Mrs. Ella.	House 500, barn 100, shed 25, farm 20a 200	825	14.10
Loux, George B.	Poll, 3 horses 350, 13 cows 585, 2 two-year olds 55, 3 yearlings 45, house 800, barn 500, shed 50, silo 50, farm 100a 1000, Vaughan lot 10a 75, Powers lot 10a 75	3835	65.29
Loux, Andrew J.	Poll, 38 fowls 13, o. p. 7	20	2.33
LaGrant, Fred.	Poll		2.00
Mason, Mrs. Fannie.	House 550, barn 300, shed 50, farm 80a 700,	1550	25.58
Mason, George H.	Poll, 2 horses 100, 3 cows 120, 2 two-year olds 80, 2 yearlings 50, 2 swine 40	390	8.44
Mason, George L.	Poll, machinery 200, o. p. 213	413	6.82
Mason, Lester.	Poll, o. p. 100	100	3.65
Merritt, Andrew J.	Poll, stock in trade 200, horse 200, Warren Inn 2400, barn 450, Riverside barn 300, farm 11a 300, house lot 1a 150	4000	68.00
Miller, Clarence E.	Poll, horse 100, house 550, house lot 50, sprout lot 11a 50	750	14.38
Moline, Andrew J.	Poll		2.00
Moore, Charles A.	Poll, wood lot 50a 800, o. p. 600, King lot 22a 400	1800	31.70
Moore, Emory A.	Poll, stock in trade 200, blacksmith shop 700, shop site 50	950	17.69
Moore, Mrs. Emory A.	House 750, house lot 50	800	13.20
Morgan, Mrs. Nancy.	3 horses 200, 12 cows		

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
540, colt 100, 50 fowls 22, house 450, barn 1000, hen house 25, silo 100, farm 142a 1725		4162	68.67
Nevins, Mrs. George. House 750, house lot 6a 100, barn 100, cottage 500, lot 75, Johnson lot 25a 200		1725	28.47
Nevins, Mrs. and Miss. House 700, house lot 100, barn 150. Ex.			
Newton, Henry E. Poll			2.00
Newton, Mrs. Lavilla. Stock in trade 200, horse 75, farm 27a 550, house 1500, barn 300, store house 25		2650	43.73
Parker, Abel O., heirs or devisees. Baily barn 200, barn lot 5a 150, Baily lot 30a 550, Baily hill 110a 550, Lincoln lot 75a 750, Spooner, lot 5a 250		2450	40.43
Parker, Mrs. Abel O. House 750, barn 300, carriage house 50, house lot 150		1250	20.63
Parker, Mrs. Nellie M. House 1000, barn 350, house lot 50, Morse house 200, Morse barn 50, Morse lot 2a 200, 80 fowls 45		2245	37.05
Parker, Webster M. Poll, 5 horses 450, 8 cows 440, 3 two-year olds 125, 7 yearlings 200		1215	22.04
Parker, Miss Lucy A. House 750, wood house 50, house lot 3a 200		1000	16.50
Parkhurst, Pliny. Poll, horse 75, house 500, barn 100, hen house 25, farm 13a 700, house lot 50		1450	25.93
Petrie, William H. Poll, 2 horses 200, 6 cows 240, 2 two-year olds 80, bull 50, yearling 35, 80 fowls 45, o. p. 25, house 300, 2 barns 500, hen house 50, farm 50a 550		2075	36.24

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Phipps, George E.	Poll, stock in trade 300, 2 horses 250, house 150, barn shed 50, barn 50, house lot 1a 50, farm 45a 500, Felton farm 80a 500	1850	32.53
Pierce, Clarence.	Poll, o. p. 275	275	6.74
Pomeroy, Arthur H.	Poll, house 750, barn 400, hen house 100, farm 120a 1200. Ex.	1200	
Powers, Elmer L.	Poll		2.00
Powers, Robert.	Poll		2.00
Powers, Mrs. Dora.	3 horses 100, 6 cows 255, house 500, barn 100, shop 75, bldg. lot 50, farm 30a 150	1180	20.30
Powers, Susan.	House 500, barn 150, hen house 50, Barrows barn 50, farm 75a 450, Barrows farm 140a 1200, Brown lot 25a 100	2500	41.25
Randall, Edwin H.	Poll		2.00
Retfield, George.	Poll, 2 cows 70, horse 50, swine 20, house 250, barn 150, farm 131a 800	1370	24.60
Ramsdell, Ruth L.	House 300, barn 250, house lot 25. Ex.	575	
Rice, Lyman, heirs or devisees.	Horse 25, house 750, barn 200, shed 25, house lot 100, Fuller lot 18a 400	1500	24.76
Richards, James L.	Poll, o. p. 80	80	3.32
Richards, Mary, heirs or devisees.	House 300, barn 200, farm 86a 1000, Plain lot 5a 50	1550	25.58
Rogers, Frank.	Poll, house 250, barn 100, farm 7a 100	450	9.43
Reed, Guy.	Poll		2.00
Root, Albert L.	Poll, horse 50, house 400, barn 200, cider mill 50, house lot 3a 75,		

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Doake lot 26a 100, Pomeroy lot 10a 25, Porter lot 20a 100		1000	18.51
Root, Miss Amelia. House 300, barn 150, farm 140a 2000, 9 acre lot 200		2650	43.73
Sawtelle, Benjamin A., M. D. Poll, 2 horses 150, 3 cows 150, 2 yearlings 50		350	7.78
Sawtelle, Mrs. Elizabeth C. House 750, barn 150, hen house 25, farm 26a 400, Douglass lot 3a 100		1425	23.52
Schmerhorn, Sheldon E. Poll			2.00
Schmerhorn, Mrs. Bertha J. Horse 50, 3 cows 130, yearling 30, house 500, barn 250, Thomas barn 150, farm 50a 600, Thomas farm 100a 750		2460	40.60
Schmerhorn, Morris. Poll			2.00
Severance, Thomas. Poll, 2 horses 150, 7 cows 320, yearling 25, swine 12, 50 fowls 22, house 300, barn 300, shed 25, farm 120a 1000		2154	37.55
Severance, George. Poll			2.00
Severance, Thomas Jr. Poll			2.00
Simmons, William. Poll, o. p. 150		150	4.48
Society, Cong. House 600, barn 100, house lot 50		750	12.39
Society, Ind. Liberal. Barn 300, barn lot 25		325	5.37
Stockwell, Simon M. Horse 125. Ex.			
Stockwell, Mrs. Fannie. House 600, barn 100, house lot 50, Jordon lot 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 125, Jordon lot 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 300, bldg. lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75, Ex. 875		375	6.19
Smith, George E. Poll, 4 horses 575, cow 40, yearling 25, 3 swine 70		710	13.72
Stevens, Albert A. Poll, house 450, house lot 50		500	10.25
Stone, Madison J. Poll, cottage 100, lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a			

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	75	175	4.89
Stuart, Andrew.	Poll		2.00
Thayer, Frank A.	Poll, horse 175, 2 cows 100, 2 swine 40, 400 fowls 285	675	13.14
Thrasher, Fred M.	Poll		2.00
Thrasher, Harrison L.	Poll, horse 50, o. p. 150	200	5.30
Thrasher, Joseph L.	Poll, 2 horses 150, 6 cows 270, 2 yearlings 35, 3 swine 100, 75 fowls 41, house 350, barn 250, shed 25, farm 50a 700, Paige meadow 12a 50	1971	34.52
Thrasher, Samuel E.	Poll, o. p. 50	50	2.83
Towne, Edmond L.	Poll, 100 fowls 60, o. p. 300, hen house 50	410	8.77
Twibles, Actkinson.	Poll, 2 horses 200, 7 cows 315, two-year old 50, swine 25, 75 fowls 41, house 500, barn 300, silo 75, hen house 25, farm 60a 800, Pomeroy lot 23a 200, Chatman lot 2a 25	2656	44.19
Upton, Edward L.	Poll, horse 75, cow 60, yearling 30, 275 fowls 191, house 350, barn 250, hen houses 25, farm 22a 200, o. p. 300	1481	26.44
Uracious, Cyprian W.	Poll, 2 horses 125, 14 cows 630, two-year old 30, yearling 25, o. p. 10, house 1000, barn 400, store house 50, silo 100, farm 100a 1000	3370	57.61
Vaughan, Fred H.	Poll, stock in trade 500, o. p. 600, store house 200, coal shed 25	1325	23.87
Vaughan, Mrs. Nellie.	House 1500, barn 300, house lot 100, Church lot 150	2050	33.83
Vaughan, Jesse M.	Poll, stock in trade 500, 2 horses 350, 70 fowls 37, o. p. 450, house 800, barn 300, hen house 25, farm 15a 500	2962	50.89



Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Vaughan, Martin E. Horse 50, house 400, barn 200, hen house 25, house lot 6a 100, Plain lot 16a 100. Ex.			
Vaughan, Sylvanus. Poll, 2 cows 110, yearling 25, 45 fowls 19		154	4.55
Walker, Charles D. Poll, house 800, house lot 50		850	16.03
Walker, George A. Poll, 2 horses 200, 6 cows 270, 4 two-year olds 100, o. p. 73, house 350, barn and silo 350, farm 127a 1000		2343	40.66
Walker, Stephen H. Poll, stock in trade 1000, o. p. 500		1500	26.75
Walker Grain Co. Stock in trade 1500		1500	24.75
Wheeler, George W. Horse 35, cow 50, house 250, barn 100, farm 85a 850, farm 80a 1000, sprout land 10a 25, Sly lot 50a 100. Ex. 1200		1210	18.57
Wheeler, Stanley. Poll			2.00
Wheeler, John A. Poll, house 400, barn 150, farm 40a 400, Plain lot 33a 500, Lincoln lot 33a 300		1750	30.88
Worcester, Asa C. Poll, house 25		25	2.42
Walker, William H. Poll, stock in trade 1000, machinery 1000, 4 horses 350, 3 cows 140, house 900, barn 300, house lot 100, store and tenement 1500, store site 100, store house 100, site 25, ice house 50, saw and grist mill 1000, land and water power 10½a 1000, box shop 950, box shop site 50, Bailey lot 70a 1500, Butterfield lot 100, Hale lot 20a 200, Powers lot 42½a 350, Russell lot 45a 500, school hill lot 60a 500, ledge lot 2a 10, Snow lot 35a 225, Warner lot 13a 100,			

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Whipple lot 30a 75		12125	202.07
Winter, George L., heirs or devisees. House 800, barn 300, hen houses 300, house lot 2a 300, Record lot 3a 150, Bailey lot 4a 200		2050	33.83
Zappey, John. Poll			2.00

## Non-Residents

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
SPRINGFIELD			
Buckholz, Hermon.	Cottage 800, 7 lots 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 525	1325	21.87
Burgin, Alfred.	Cottage 600, lot 75, boat house 50, garage 50	775	12.79
Butterfield, Mrs. Dolly.	House 350, barn 100, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100. Ex.		
Boston & Albany R. R.	Land 3a 300	300	4.95
Carlton, Dudley, M. D.	Cottage 700, lot 75	775	12.79
Cohn, Julius.	Lot 75	75	1.24
Eaton, Philip A.	Thomas lot 12a 300	300	4.95
Finderson, John G.	Lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75	75	1.24
Green, Edward S.	House 850, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50	900	14.85
Howe, William F.	Rogers lot 10a 100	100	1.65
Englehard, Frank.	Cottage 1000, 4 lots 1a 300	1300	21.45
Linguist, John.	Sprout land 5a 50	50	.83
Mansfield and Daggett.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75	575	9.49
Sackett, Bessie E.	Cottage 800, Cooper cot-		

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tage 500, land 4a 300		1600	26.40
Bull, Florence. Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75		575	9.49
Johnson, Ernest V. House 300, barn 50, house lot 50		400	6.60
Hopkins, Frederic E. Part of King farm 20a 700		700	11.55
ENFIELD			
Crowther, John. Pike cottage 500, Hess cot- tage 500, C. A. Wright cottage 500, Harry Wright cottage 500, Metcalf cot- tage 500, store house R. R. 100, Pome- roy lot 28a 600, leased land and track 500		4200	69.30
Eddy, John. Wood land 4a 25		25	.42
Flint, Josiah W. Mountain lot 90a 1000		1000	16.50
Murphy, Jane D. Jillett lot 15a 100, Snow lot 6a 50		150	2.48
Felton, Charles W. Richards pasture 30a 300, Sibley lot 15a 100, Joslin lot 45a 300, Hattie Joslin lot 22a 200		900	14.85
Kelley Mfg. Co. Dam and flowage 40a 800		800	13.20
Smith, Henry W., heirs or devisees. House 1000, barn 300, store house 75, house lot 8a 200, Phipps lot 2a 50, 4 building lots 50		1675	27.64
Smith, Charles H. Pasture land 8a 100		100	1.65
Thayer, R. L. Cottage 500, lot 75		575	9.49
Thurston, Jason. Mowing and pasture 12a 300		300	4.95
Tyler, Coleman J. Part of farm 20a 200		200	3.30
Ward, Mrs. Lucy F. Cottage 800, barn 100, Potter lot 100a 500, Sturtevant lot 25a 200		1600	26.40
Ware, Mrs. H. B. Plain lot 4a 50		50	.83
Witherell, Ernest. Swamp land 19a 50		50	.83

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WARE			
Barnes, Wm. W.	Powell lot 60a 300	300	4.95
Browning, Frank J.	Russell lot 25a 400	400	6.60
Harwood, Frank J.	Newland lot 12a 300	300	4.95
Ovens, Emily C.	Shed 25, Sibley farm 60a 600	625	10.32
Ruggles, Reed S.	Sprout land 32a 300	300	4.95
Sibley, Frank M.	Sibley lot 40a 400, o. p. 353	753	12.43
Southworth Bros.	Sprout lot 9a 100	100	1.65
Thrasher, John, heirs or devisees.	Land 6a 50	50	.83
Ware Lumber Co.	Bailey grove lot 25a 500, part of Bailey farm 50a 300, Smith lot 40a 350	1150	18.98
Abbott, Fred E.	Camp Cook club house 800, barn 200, farm 65a 500	1500	24.75
PRESCOTT			
Allen, Frank R.	Ayers lot 20a 400	400	6.60
Brown, Marshall.	Estey lot 20a 250	250	4.13
Kelley, Eugene G.	Barn 100, farm 35a 500	600	9.90
Paige, Charles.	White lot 15a 400	400	6.60
Smith, Jennie A.	Wood land 10a 150	150	2.48
Mitchell, E. P.	Hemmenway lot 10a 50	50	.83
Powers, Miner E.	Saw mill 100, site and lot 2½a 125, pasture and wood land 30a 300, o. p. 100	625	11.97
Whitaker, Silas.	Russell lot 12a 150	150	2.48
NORTH DANA			
Doubleday, Whipple C.	Wood land 8a 200	200	3.30
Doubleday, Frank A.	Wood land 4a 100	100	1.65
Doubleday, Rollin.	Wood land 14a 500	500	8.25
Gee, Charles E. & Co.	Tourtelot lot 22a 600	600	9.90

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Gee & Tyler. Paige & Lincoln lot 30a	400	400	6.60
Tyler, Edwin P. Phelps lot 115a	700	700	11.55
BOSTON			
Boston & Maine R. R. Land 16a	400	400	6.60
Western Union Tel. & Tel. o. p. 1210		1210	19.97
New England Tel. & Tel. o. p. 509		509	8.41
ATHOL			
Diamond Match Co. Part of Johnson farm 60a 500, Avery lot 12a 100		600	9.90
Ellis, Mrs. Adeline E. House 400, house lot 5a 150		550	9.08
Fay, Othello A., heirs or devisees. Swamp lot 14a 140, Morgan lot 225a 1200, Plain lot 50a 500, Hill lot 70a 700, Freeman lot 19a 100, Warner lot 44a 400, Bailey lot 12a 150, Gibbs lot 10		3200	52.80
Powers, Orrin J. Oakes lot 35a 800, Wheel- er lot 7a 200, Hill lot 40a 1500, Brown lot 80a 1800		4300	70.95
WORCESTER			
Herrick, Leander F. Whitcomb lot 2a 25, Shaw lot 2a 25, Tourtelott lot 27a 500, Doubleday lot 14a 150		700	11.55
Manley, Lucinda J. House 400, house lot 1a 100		500	8.25
Manley, Frank. Farm 26a 500, Fuller, Mar- cey and Keith lot 105a 700		1200	19.80
Buss, Lottie Gates. Manley house lot 1½a 150		150	2.48
Vaughan, Ernest H. House 1200, barn 300, cook house 100, boat house 25, bee house 100, Sly lot 30a 700, Plain lot 28a 250, North lot 13a 200, Howard lot 46a 800, Sturtevant lot 48a 800, Spring lot			

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10a 100		4575	75.49
PALMER			
Holbrook, J. F., heirs or devisees. Wood land 12a 400		400	6.60
Jones, Mable L. 2 houses 500, 2 barns 250, Shop 100, Doubleday house 200, barn 100, farm 36a 300, house lot 1a 25, farm 27a 350		1825	30.12
HARDWICK			
Tharsher, Fred A. Fuller lot 12a 200		200	3.30
Walker, Mrs. Hattie C. Part of Baily farm 16a 450, Sly lot 30a 300, part of Baily grove 5a 150		900	14.18
Spooner, Steven H. Barn 25, hen house 25, farm 107a 1500		1550	25.58
WESTFIELD			
Holmes, Abraham D. W. Lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75		75	1.24
MONSON			
Homer, Frank S., heirs or devisees. Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75		575	9.49
HYDE PARK			
Maxin, Jane, heirs or devisees. Lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75		75	1.24
WASHINGTON, D. C.			
Montague, Harry. House 300, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50		350	5.78
EAST NORTHFIELD			
Morgan, Mrs. J. H. Hill lot 75a 1000		1000	16.50
WESTFIELD			
Sackett, H. Herbert. Meadow land 2a 50		50	.83
INDIAN ORCHARD			
Meeker, Charles W. Sprout land 45a 500		500	8.25
Tredeau, E. D. Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75		575	9.49

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OXFORD			
Estey, Walter S.	House 500, barn 100, farm 12a 150, Hill lot 50a 250	1000	16.50
PHILLIPSTON			
Estey Bros.	Estey farm 500	500	8.25
HOLYOKE			
Dunham, Benj. W.	Store 900, store site 100	1000	16.50
Bullard, Ralph.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75	575	9.49
McCorkingdale, Ralph I.	lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75	75	1.24
NORTHAMPTON			
Bailey, Sidney A.	House 750, 2 barns 100, farm 155a 1300, Kelley lot 5a 50, Joslyn Stevens lots 35a 200, Fuller lot 8a 50	2450	39.60
Root, Mary A.	House 200, barn 100, shop 75, house lot 10a 150	525	8.67
ORANGE			
Powers & Gilbert.	Manley lot 50a 200	200	3.30
FITCHBURG			
Duguid, George.	Land 150	150	2.48
LYNN			
Usher, Esther M.	Pasture and wood land 32a 300	300	4.95
SPENCER			
Bartlett, Rena P.	Cottage 200, lot $\frac{1}{8}$ a 50	250	4.13
AVON, CONN.			
Hunter, Walter L.	Cleveland lot 20a 300, Plain lot 20a 150	450	7.43
WILSON, CONN.			
Young, Fred H.	House 300, barn 100, farm 140a 1300	1750	28.88
BROOKFIELD			
Allen, George H., heirs or devisees.	Wood		



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land 11a	300	300	4.95
CLIFTON SPRINGS, N. Y.			
Thayer, Mary A.	Wood land 25a 750	750	12.39
NEW SALEM			
Bullard Bros.	Land 25a 600, o. p. 4000	4600	75.90
SPRINGFIELD			
Simard, Wm.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100	600	9.90
ATHOL			
Rowe, Charles.	Sunk Brook lot 2a 100	100	1.65
Barnes, George H., G. Barnes.	H. H. Howe and Wales Lumber 4037	4037	66.62
Howe & Barnes.	Lumber 1900	1900	31.35
THREE RIVERS			
Portras, Wilfred.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75, o. p. 50	625	10.32
Palin, Delina.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75	575	9.49

# Town Warrant

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Greenwich,*

## GREETING

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for Town Clerk, one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, one Cemetery Commissioner, two Library Trustees, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, Treasurer, two Constables, Auditor, Highway Surveyor, three Fence Viewers, three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year. Also for one Selectman in place of W. H. Glazier resigned, for two years.

Also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer

to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1918.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to defend all suits at law that may be brought against the town during the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as security on the official bond of any town officer.

ART. 10. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money provided the Massachusetts Highway Commission will add an equal amount for the purpose of improving the road leading from Greenwich to Greenwich Village, commencing at the end of last year's work.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to change the term of office of the Treasurer from one to three years.

ART. 12. To see what action the town will take in regard to the Cooley Home.

ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$25.00 for the Hampshire County Farm Bureau.

ART. 14. To see if the town will set the price for a slaughter house license or act thereon.

The polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting at-

tested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least before the time and place of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the time and place of said meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this sixteenth day of January, A. D. 1918.

GEORGE B. LOUX } *Selectmen of*  
CHARLES B. COIT } *Greenwich*

# Report of the Town Clerk

## *Vital Statistics for the Year 1917*

### BIRTHS

	CHILD'S NAME	PARENTS' NAME
Apr. 8	Mirian Erna Sawtelle	Howard W. and Erna A.
May 8	Lester Otis Frew	Edward A. and Stella A.
May 12	Henry Theodore Armer	Bret S. and Mary E.
July 31	Leonard Wood Clifford	Carl M. and Lucy M.
Aug. 9	Ida Isabelle Walker	Geo. A. and Beatrice M.
Oct. 6	Phillip Dustin Bartlett	Elwin I. and Pearl R.
Nov. 6	Ruth Zoe Randall	Edwin H. and Eva A.

### MARRIAGES

Apr. 12	Roy L. Graves and Mae B. Clark
July 3	Myron A. Hunter and Minnie M. Mason
Sept. 1	J. Frederick Zappey and Lucy Houghton
Sept. 8	Andrew J. Moline and Sara M. Drinkwater
Dec. 6	Howard H. White and Laura Chamberlain
Dec. 15	Clarence D. Peirce and Josephine A. Chapman

## DEATHS

		years	mos.	days
Jan. 10	Helen Holden	80	11	
Apr. 17	Thomas Billings	91	3	27
June 14	William S. Douglass	81	2	14
July 17	Minerva H. Vaughn	62	10	7
Oct. 28	Sophronia R. Kezer	76	7	27
Nov. 8	George B. Reed	73		
Sept. 23	R. S. Mitchell	8	7	18

Removed from Island Pond Cemetery Ludlow, Mass., and buried in Greenwich Cemetery Nov. 10, 1917.

Very respectfully,

C. E. MILLER, *Town Clerk*

## Report of Selectmen

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Feb. 12, 1917. Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts to defray town charges to Dec. 31, 1917:

Schools	\$ 1,200.00	
Roads and bridges	1,000.00	
State road	500.00	
Poor	500.00	
Salaries	400.00	
Contingent	400.00	
Public Library	100.00	
Reserve fund	400.00	
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### FROM TREASURY

State and Military Aid	\$ 250.00	
Interest	100.00	
Cemetery	50.00	
Moth Work	50.00	
Sabin School fund	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 500.00

### THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAVE BEEN EXPENDED

Schools	\$ 1,200.00
Roads and bridges	948.73
State road	411.65

Town officers	\$ 422.70	
State aid	154.00	
Library	100.00	
Moth work	28.00	
Pathing snow (from reserve fund)	58.45	
Contingent	413.80	
Sabin School fund	50.00	
Poor	298.03	
Interest	81.88	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,167.24
Unexpended balance		\$ 332.76

## STATE AID

Alden, Wm. T.	\$ 58.00	
Brown, Henry M.	48.00	
Winter, Mrs. Mary F.	48.00	
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## PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation	\$ 100.00	
Paid Miss Amelia M. Root		\$ 100.00

## MOTH WORK

Appropriation	\$ 50.00	
Paid Benj. A. Sawtelle		\$ 28.00

## PATHING SNOW

E. H. Randall and others		\$ 58.45
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## EXPENSE OF FOREST FIRES

Paid H. H. Dickinson	\$ 70.00	
W. H. Walker	17.50	
S. H. Walker	1.49	
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Received from B. & A. R. R. Co.	\$ 88.99	
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## SABIN SCHOOL FUND

Appropriation	\$ 50.00	
Order to F. P. Hall, treasurer		\$ 50.00



## TOWN ROAD

E. H. RANDALL, SUPERINTENDENT

Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
Paid W. H. Walker, man and team	\$ 166.65	
George Smith	96.77	
W. M. Parker	58.83	
A. I. Loux	15.00	
E. H. Randall, labor	82.32	
John James	83.13	
Mylon Caswell	86.50	
Lewis Graves	67.00	
Ernest Bacon	32.00	
Harold White	63.32	
Peter Lego	.67	
Austin Hunter	13.60	
M. Schumerhorn, labor	16.00	
Lester Edson	17.50	
H. H. Dickinson, spikes	.90	
New England Culvert Co., scraper blade	9.00	
W. H. Walker, lumber and railing	35.12	
W. H. Giffin	24.22	
F. H. Vaughn, culvert and cement	48.70	
S. H. Walker, supplies	7.50	
F. P. Hall	4.10	
E. A. Moore, blacksmith	.75	
Mylon Caswell, gravel	5.00	
F. A. Churchill	1.50	
Wm. Petrie	.80	
Geo. Smith	1.75	
Joe. Billings	8.40	
C. A. Moore	2.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 948.73

## STATE ROAD

E. H. RANDALL, SUPERINTENDENT

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
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State grant	\$ 1,000.00	
		<hr/> \$ 1,500.00
Paid W. H. Walker, man and team	\$ 157.38	
A. I. Loux                    "            "	193.20	
Hillside School, men and team	305.39	
E. H. Randall, labor	114.25	
Lester Edson               "	117.38	
Mylon Caswell             "	115.88	
Lewis Graves              "	100.88	
S. L. Vaughn               "	35.44	
M. Schumerhorn, labor	37.69	
Henry Godbeer, bound stone	1.80	
B. & A. R. R., freight	.57	
W. H. Giffin, railing	12.00	
S. H. Walker, supplies	13.34	
F. P. Hall                  "	5.75	
E. A. Moore, blacksmith	.70	
		<hr/> \$ 1,211.65

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

Paid Lewis H. Blackmer, printing town reports	\$ 36.00
J. L. Thresher, taxes of cheese factory	12.60
"                    "            inspector animals	20.00
C. E. Miller, ballots and dog checks	10.35
"                    "            license books, blanks etc.	2.40
P. B. Swift, bond for treasurer and collector	37.50
W. & L. E. Gurley, mdse. for sealer	3.75
H. L. Thresher, salary and expense as sealer of weights and measures	21.75
E. W. Prescott, information of stock holders of foreign corporation	12.00
H. H. Dickinson, removal of body of J. M. Frazier, to depot	2.00
F. P. Hall, supplies	26.70

B. A. Sawtelle, M. D., return of births	\$ 1.00
Cecil T. Bagnall, stationery for selectmen, town clerk, tax bills and envelopes	18.40
Hobbs & Warren, blanks and licenses	1.26
Library Bureau, registration forms	.50
Geo. B. Loux, express on stationery, keys to selectmen's room, telephoning etc.	2.25
S. H. Walker, supplies	1.96
Giffin & Hall, water rent	6.00
P. B. Murphy, posters, canvassing books and returns	4.50
C. H. Chase, transfers of real estate	4.35
Mr. Smith, digging grave	2.50
E. O. Fewell, one burial	2.50
“ “ inspecting slaughtering	32.50
D. M. Hunter “ “	4.50
Geo. B. Loux “ “	5.00
E. T. King, inspecting slaughtering for year 1914, 1915, 1916	79.90
W. H. Jones, care town hall etc.	8.00
A. W. Brownell, tax collector's book etc.	3.00
L. T. Haskins, insurance on town hall and library building	50.63
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	\$ 413.80

## TOWN OFFICERS

Clarence E. Miller, town clerk, etc.	\$ 60.20
J. L. Thresher, tax collector, balance of salary on 1915	30.00
J. L. Thresher, tax collector, part of salary on 1916	30.00
Linwood J. Giffin, auditor 1916	10.00
W. R. Carrick, moderator 1 meeting	2.50

E. H. Randall, constable 4 meetings	\$ 7.00
D. M. Hunter " 1 "	2.00
C. W. Uracidus " 1 "	2.00
A. J. Loux, election officer 5 meetings	8.50
Roy Ellsworth " " 4 "	7.00
C. D. Walker " " 1 "	2.00
L. J. Giffin " " 3 "	5.00
F. Churchill " " 1 "	1.50
S. H. Walker, justice 1917	5.00
C. B. Coit, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	75.00
Geo. B. Loux, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	75.00
J. L. Thresher, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor	50.00
F. P. Hall, treasurer	50.00
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	\$ 522.70
Total amount of orders drawn	\$ 3,476.32

GEORGE B. LOUX } *Selectmen of*  
 CHARLES B. COIT } *Greenwich*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of Overseers of Poor

*For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1917*

## EXPENSES AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME

### ACCOUNT NO. 2

Farren Hospital, board and care	\$ 3.45
Dr. B. A. Sawtelle, medical aid	1.25
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	\$ 4.70

### ACCOUNT NO. 6

Sheldon A. Schmerhorn, board and care	2.00
Total expense	<hr/>
	\$ 6.70

## EXPENSES AT COOLEY HOME

Fred M. Thresher, salary for three months, Jan. 1, 1917 to April 1, 1917	\$ 100.00
Leroy L. Blackmer, salary for nine months April 1, 1917 to Jan. 1, 1918	300.00
James D. Kimball, insurance	12.00
Swift River Valley Milk Association, dues	4.00
Fred M. Thresher, mowing machine and expenses	32.84

Charles Williams Stores, harness	\$ 19.00
Carl Kimball, horse collar	2.00
W. H. Walker, lumber for milk room	19.73
G. L. Hunter, buggy	6.00
Dr. Meany, veterinary	6.00
J. E. Hess, meat	13.62
J. M. Vaughn, meat	16.62
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill	9.40
E. L. Powers, " "	2.00
H. Coolbeth, " "	2.00
T. Severence, labor	21.75
John Eddy, " "	3.70
B. S. Armer, " "	7.00
Severance Bros., " "	7.50
Frank Rogers, " "	25.00
E. G. Kelley, groceries	23.65
F. P. Hall, " "	17.34
H. H. Dickinson, " "	164.68
S. H. Walker, " "	10.43
C. D. Haskell Co., " "	5.12
A. Smith, grain	16.00
Ryther & Warren, " "	187.55
Walker Grain Co., " "	473.95
Cutler Co., " "	266.36
" " flour	26.50
" " beans	7.75
John Eddy, hay	25.11
" " pasturage	2.25
Geo. B. Loux, " "	6.00
Geo. L. Hunter, repairing wagon	2.50
Am. Agr. Chemical Co., fertilizer	7.75
Leroy Blackmer, goods for No. 1	22.41
" " miscellaneous	23.91
Dr. B. A. Sawtelle, medical attendance No. 1	6.00
Supplies for Cooley Home	16.17
	————— \$ 1,921.59

## INCOME AT COOLEY HOME

Milk	\$ 1,073.56
Eggs	250.58
Stock	112.50
Veal	82.00
Poultry	78.23
Potatoes	29.00
Oats	2.13
Grain sacks	2.26
	<hr/> \$ 1,630.26
Net expense at Cooley Home	\$ 291.33

## INVENTORY AT COOLEY HOME

Farm	\$ 3,000.00
10 cows	\$ 700.00
2 horses	250.00
50 fowls	50.00
14 tons hay	280.00
Farming tools	150.00
Furniture	100.00
Potatoes	50.00
Grain	40.00
Provisions	50.00
	<hr/> \$ 1,670.00
	<hr/> \$ 4,670.00

## INMATES AT COOLEY HOME

No. 1

52 weeks

CHARLES B. COIT	} Overseers of the Poor
GEORGE B. LOUX	
JOSEPH L. THRESHER	

Greenwich, Mass. Dec. 31, 1917  
Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of Assessors

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State tax	\$ 770.00
County tax	796.31
Town grant	4,035.00
Overlayings on all taxes	169.13
Rate of taxation per \$ 1,000	16.50

## PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Congregational Church	\$ 3,100.00
Independent Liberal Church	2,050.00
Hillside School	11,365.00
Soldiers' exemption	8,000.00
Women worth less than \$ 1,000	7,400.00

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Total valuation	\$ 333,845.00
"    value of real estate	266,100.00
"    "    personal estate	67,745.00
Number of polls assessed	143
"    "    exempt	12
Tax on each poll	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed	302
"    "    paying tax on property	262
"    "    "    "    poll only	40



Number of horses assessed	125
“ cows “	247
“ neat cattle other than cows	86
“ swine assessed	27
“ sheep “	6
“ fowls “	6,545
“ dwelling houses assessed	159
“ acres of land “	11,160

JOSEPH L. THRASHER	}	<i>Assessors of Greenwich</i>
GEORGE B. LOUX		
CHARLES B. COIT		

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of Cemetery Commissioners

*Ending Dec. 31, 1917*

Appropriation		\$ 50.00	
Received from appropriation			\$ 50.00
“	“	Clara B. Walker fund	\$ 5.00
“	“	Lucinda Root fund	3.00
“	“	Chas. Record fund	3.00
“	“	Chas. Powers fund	3.00
“	“	Rebecca Spooner fund	5.00
“	“	Rindge fund	5.00
“	“	Wilkinson fund	9.00
“	“	Shumway fund	5.00
“	“	Asa Spooner fund	3.00
“	“	John Warner fund	5.00
“	“	Mary Walker fund	6.00
“	“	Merrick Tourtelotte fund	1.00
“	“	Emelia Topliff fund	5.00
“	“	Justice Johnson fund	8.00
“	“	Amos Blackmer fund	1.00
“	“	Luther Fuller fund	2.00
“	“	Julia B. Rice	3.00
“	“	Solomon Sibley	2.00
“	“	Clara B. Pratt fund	2.00

Received from D. S. Cutler fund	\$ 3.00	
“ “ Cleveland, Sears fund	8.00	
“ “ Sherman & Douglas fund	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 90.00
Received for work on and care of lots, 1916 and 1917		49.00
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Total cash receipts		\$ 189.00
Paid B. A. Sawtelle and help in cemetery	\$ 129.80	
Berkshire Fertilizer Co., bill, freight and cartage	34.20	
Geo. Mason for pump	10.00	
Mrs. Sawtelle, care of flowers	15.00	
Total amount spent	<hr/>	\$ 189.00
1917		
Sept. 17 Received of C. D. Wheeler, M. D., and paid to town treasurer for the perpetual care and benefit of the Stephen Douglas & Albert S. Doake lots, as far as the interest will warrant	\$ 100.00	
Said fund to be known as the William S. Douglas fund		
Nov. 8 Received of Mrs. William Trask, and paid to town treasurer the sum of	50.00	
for the perpetual care and benefit of the Danforth Trask lot as far as the in- terest will warrant. Said fund to be known as the William Trask fund.		
Total received for perpetual funds in year	<hr/>	\$ 150.00
Received for sale of lots in year		
Aug. 28 Received of Sylvanus L. Vaughn for lot 13, Walker extension of ceme- tery	\$ 5.00	

Nov. 24 Received of Mrs. Robert Mitchell for lot No. 86, Douglas extension of cemetery

5.00

Paid to town treasurer

————— \$ 10.00

DAVID M. HUNTER  
WM. H. GIFFIN  
BENJ. A. SAWTELLE

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*Cemetery  
Commissioners*

# Treasurer's Report

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*Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for the Year  
Ending Dec. 31, 1917*

Cash on hand to new account	\$ 781.51
Rec'd from county treasurer, refund on dog tax	75.55
Commonwealth, income Mass. school fund	1,230.14
"    national bank tax	12.51
"    inspection of animals	10.00
"    corporation tax	86.00
"    income tax	185.29
"    national bank tax	17.78
"    tuition of children	311.75
"    High school tuition	595.00
"    High school transportation	270.72
"    state aid	208.00
"    soldiers' exemption	43.67
"    income tax	28.00
"    state highway loan	800.00
H. L. Thresher, sealing fees 1916	10.30
E. T. King, slaughtering license	1.00
Overseers of poor, acct. Cooley Home	225.45
Cemetery commissioners, sale of lots	10.00

Rec'd from James D. Kimball, dividends on insurance policies	\$ 13.50
Cemetery commissioners, endowment fund	150.00
Town of Hardwick, account of schools	179.50
School committee, state reimbursement school superintendent	150.00
B. & A. R. R., fighting forest fires	88.99
Ware Savings Bank, interest cemetery funds	69.00
Athol Savings Bank, interest cemetery funds	21.00
Overseers of Poor, account Cooley Home	1,422.02
J. L. Thresher, collector, bal. of 1915 tax	229.23
"    interest on 1915 tax	94.53
"    on 1916 tax	1,706.62
"    on 1917 tax	3,724.74
People's Savings Bank, Worcester (borrowed money)	1,000.00
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	\$ 1,3751.80

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Paid People's Savings Bank, note and interest	\$ 2,081.88
Edwin H. Banister, county tax	796.31
State tax	770.00
Commonwealth, failure to make returns	4.00
Charles F. Gettemy, certifying town note	2.00
W. B. Segur, M. D., return of 2 births	.50
Deposited in Athol Savings Bank	
William S. Douglas, cemetery fund	100.00
William A. Trask " "	50.00
Paid selectmen's orders	3,471.82
Overseers of Poor orders	1,928.29
School Committee's orders	3,400.29
Cash on hand	1,146.71
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	\$ 13,751.80

## LIABILITIES

One note due Feb. 7, 1918	\$ 1,000.00
Outstanding unpaid order of school committee	1.25
Outstanding unpaid order of selectmen	4.50
Due F. P. Hall	140.00

## ASSETS

Due on 1916 tax	\$ 352.78
"    1917    "	2,045.70
Due from state on account state aid paid	154.00
Cash on hand	1,146.71

## SCHOOL FUND

Sabin school fund	\$ 157.59
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## TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Rindge fund	\$ 100.00
Wilkinson fund	300.00
Shumway fund	100.00
Spooner fund	50.00
Warner fund	100.00
Mary Walker fund	100.00
Powers fund	50.00
Rebecca Spooner fund	82.65
Tourtelotte fund	25.00
Topliff fund	100.00
Johnson fund	200.00
Record fund	50.00
Blackmer fund	50.00
Clara Walker fund	100.00
Root fund	100.00
Fuller fund	100.00
Sherman and Douglas fund	100.00
Rice fund	100.00
Cutler fund	100.00
Pratt fund	50.00
Sears, Brewster and Cleveland fund	175.00

Sibley fund	\$ 100.00
Gray fund	100.00
Sly fund	100.00
Parker fund	50.00
William S. Douglas fund	100.00
William A. Trask fund	50.00
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	\$ 2,632.65
Interest expended 1917	\$ 90.00
"    available Jan. 1, 1918	356.63

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HALL, *Treasurer*

L. J. Giffin, Auditor



# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library

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Number of days library has been open	52
books sent out	1,997
magazines given out	456
books purchased	56
“    donated by Free Library Commission	32
magazines subscribed for	5
magazines donated	5
public documents sent	10
Whole number of volumes	2,928
Public documents	260
Circulating department	2,668

We sent twenty-five dollars which was given by the people, one year and six months of several magazines to the Soldiers' Library fund.

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Appropriated by the town	\$ 100.00	
From the Baily & Spooner fund	28.00	
From fines	1.46	
Cash balance on hand	18.59	
	\$ 148.05	

## EXPENDITURES

Paid for books	\$ 86.44
magazines	7.50
librarian	36.40
transportation of books	13.00
sundries	.86
express	1.42
Money on hand	2.43
	————— \$ 148.05

HELEN J. NEVINS, *Librarian*A. M. ROOT, *Treasurer*

Mr. William S. Douglas, who has been a trustee from the time the library was organized, 1891, was taken away by death June 19, 1917. He was a faithful trustee, ever interested.

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Abbott, Eleanor Hollowell. A stingy receiver	AB2.3
Aldon, Adair. The island of Appledore	AL2
Altsheler, Jos. A. The keepers of the trail	AL7.10
Aspinwall, Alicia. Short stories for short people	j AS4
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Barr, Amelia. Joan	B27.13
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“ “ Laughing Bill Hyde and other stories	B38.8
Bindloss, Harold. Brandon of the engineers	B51.7
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Bishop, Farnham. The story of the submarine	F B54
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Burgess, Thornton W. The boy scouts in a trapper's camp	jB91.2
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Cholmoudeley, Alice. Christine	C45
Churchill, Winston. The dwelling place of light	C48.9
Corbett, Elizabeth F. Cecily and the wide world	C74
Crump, Irving. The boys' book of firemen	L C88

Day, Holman. Blow the man down	D33.6
Deland, Margaret. The rising tide	D38.6
Dickinson, Asa Don. Children's book of Thanksgiving stories	jD56
Dodge, Mary Mapes. When life is young	jD66.4
Du Puy, Wm. Atherton. Uncle Sam, detective	D92
Dutton, Mary Barrows. Little stories of France	jF D94
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Frothingham, Eugenia and Read, Georgia W. The way of the wind	F85.2
Gaines, Ruth. The village shield	G12
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"    "    A son of the middle border	G18.9
Gerard, Jas. W. My four years in Germany	F G31
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Hall, Gertrude. Aurora the magnificent	H16a
Harben, Will N. Second choice	H19.10
Heyliger, Wm. Don Strong of the wolf patrol	jH51
Hough, Emerson. The magnificent adventure	H82.4
"    "    The man next door	H82.5
Hughes, Rupert. The thirteenth commandment	H87c
Johnston, Annie Fellows. Georgina of the Rainbows	jj65.17
Lee, Jennette. The green jacket	L49.3
Lincoln, Joseph. Extricating Obadiah	L63.17
Lutz, Grace L. H. A voice in the wilderness	L97.5
"    "    The witness	L97.6
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MacHarg and Balmer, Edwin. The Indian drum	jM18
McLean, J. Kennedy. Heroes of the farthest North and the farthest South	F M23
Maher, Richard A. The shepherd of the North	M25

Masefield, John.	Martin Hyde the Duke's messenger	M26m
Monroe, Annie Shannon.	Happy valley	M75
Montgomery, L. M.	Anne's house of dreams	M77.6
Nicholson, Meredith.	The madness of May	N52.7
Oppenheim, Phillip.	The hillman	OP3.2
Partridge, Emelyn N.	Joyful star Indian stories	jP25
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Peat, Harold R.	Private Peat	F P31
Pier, Arthur Stanwood.	The Plattsburgers	P59
Poe, Edgar Allen.	Poems	Y P75
Porter, Eleanor H.	The road to understanding	P83.6
Powers, Ella M.	Stories of famous pictures	L P87
Revere, Paul.	Belle, Moses	E R32
Rhinehart, Mary Roberts.	Long live the King	R45.3
Rice, Alice Hegan.	Calvary Alley	R34.3
Rollins, Montgomery.	The village pest	R65
Seaman, Augusta H.	The girl next door	SE1
Sienkiewicz, Henryk.	In desert and wilderness	S73.2
Stevenson, B. E.	The home book of verse for young folks	Y ST3
Strong, Wm. K.	The story of the American board	F St8
Taylor, Katherine Haviland.	Cecilia of the pink roses	T22
Thomsen, Gudrun Thorne.	East o'the sun and west o'the moon	JT34
Thompson, Maravene.	Persuasive Peggy	T38
Twain, Mark; Bigelow, Albert.	Boys' life of Mark Twain	E T91
Verrill, A. H.	Harper's air craft book	L V59
Walpole, Hugh.	The dark forest	W17
Waterman, S. D. and others.	Graded memory selec- tions	Y W31
Wells, Carolyn.	Bride of a moment	W44c
Wells, H. G.	Mr. Brittling sees it through	W44
“	The soul of a Bishop	W44.2
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- Williams, Hershel. Young people's story of Massachusetts F W67  
Willsie, Honoré. Lydia of the pines W69  
Wright, Harold Belle. When a man's a man W92a7

# Annual Report

OF THE

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

Greenwich, Mass.

For the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1917

### ORGANIZATION

#### School Committee

		Term Expires
William H. Petrie, Ch.,	Greenwich Village, R. F. D. Tel. Enfield, 33-4	1920
John H. King, Sec.,	Greenwich Village Tel. Enfield, 33-5	1918
William R. Carrick,	Greenwich Village	1919

**Superintendent**

Charles C. Richardson, No. Dana Tel. res. Cooleyville 21-11

**School Physician**

Benjamin A. Sawtelle, M. D. Greenwich Tel. Enfield, 19-3

**Attendance Officers**

Fred W. Churchill Greenwich

Willis R. King Greenwich Village Tel. Enfield, 33-21

**Teachers in Service, January 1918**

NAMES	HOME ADDRESS	EDUCATION	YRS. EXP.	PREV. SERVICE	SALARY
Annie L. Berry	Salem 35 Osgood	*Salem Nor.	1		\$ 12 wk.
Ada S. Morrison	Haverhill 172 Groveland	N. W. Univ.	12		\$ 11.50 wk.
Ruth C. Sprague	Leicester	*N. E. Cons.	1	1	\$ 2.50 trip
E. Maude Bradley	Gardner 281 Chestnut	*Boston Nor. Arts	15		\$ 2.50 trip

\*Graduate



# Report of the School Committee

*For the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1917*

## RECEIPTS

Income of state school fund	\$ 1,230.14	
Balance from 1916	147.75	
High school tuition	595.00	
"    "    transportation	270.72	
State children tuition and transportation	311.75	
From state on account of Superintendent	150.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 2,705.36
Expended		<u>2,002.04</u>
Unexpended		\$ 703.32
Town appropriation	\$ 1,200.00	
Income Sabin school fund	20.00	
From town of Hardwick, tuition	179.50	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 1,399.50

## SALARIES OF TEACHERS

Elizabeth Hastings	\$ 8.80
Grace Barker	231.00
Elizabeth Pease	231.00

Annie Berry	\$ 165.00	
Ada Morrison	141.50	
Paid Mass. Teachers Retirement Board	29.00	
Ruth Sprague	47.50	
Florence Rogan	23.50	
Maude Bradley	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 892.30
C. C. Richardson, salary	\$ 190.11	
“ “ expense of	3.67	
School Committee	40.00	
“ “ expense of	3.47	
Tuition	517.93	
	<hr/>	\$ 755.18

## CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS

Peter Lego	\$ 80.00	
Dora Powers	94.50	
Lewis Graves	267.00	
Mrs. H. D. Adams	95.90	
Mrs. Carl Clifford	225.00	
B. S. Armer	6.00	
H. H. Dickinson	22.50	
W. H. Petrie	1.00	
Geo. Hunter	49.00	
Stanwood King	21.60	
Henry Lego	12.50	
High school	518.30	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,393.30

## EXPENDITURES

Care of rooms	\$ 64.00
Supplies	65.16
Books	57.64
Fuel	89.25
Water rent	11.90
Repairs	68.81

B. A. Sawtelle, M. D.	\$ 4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 360.76
Total expenditures		<hr/>
		\$ 3,401.54

W. H. PETRIE	}	<i>School Committee</i>
J. H. KING		
W. R. CARRICK		

L. J. Giffen, Auditor

# Superintendent's Report

*To the School Committee of Greenwich,—*

Herein is contained my third annual report of your public schools, the fifteenth since the formation of the Dana union superintendency.

The most important statistics concerning the schools are given below.

## SCHOOL CENSUS OF APRIL 1, 1917

Ages	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Totals
Boys	3	5	3	3	9	9	3	9	7	6	5	5	67
Girls	2	4	2	1	3	5	2	1	2	2	3	3	30
Totals	5	9	5	4	12	14	5	10	9	8	8	8	97

Summary: Under 7 years of age                      8 boys, 6 girls, or 14 children  
Over 7 and under 14                      43 boys, 16 girls, or 59 children  
14 and 15 years of age                      11 boys, 5 girls, or 16 children  
16 years of age                      5 boys, 3 girls, or 8 children  
Total, 67 boys, 30 girls, or 97 children.

The large excess of boys is due to resident members of the Hillside boys' school.

## PUPILS CLASSIFIED BY GRADES AND AGES

## School Enrolment of January, 1918

Ages	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Totals
Grades											
I	2	4									6
II	1	8	2	1							12
III			3	1		1					5
IV			1	2	2						5
V				3	1	3	3		1		11
VI				1	4	5		1			11
VII							1	1			2
VIII								1	3		4
Totals	3	12	6	8	7	9	4	3	4		56

## SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

## School year, 1916—17

	Boys	Girls	Totals	Av. Mem.	Av. Att.	Tardy	Perf. Att.	Vis. Supt.	Vis. Others	Per Cent
Village	17	13	30	22	21	29	1	19	37	94
Plains	20	18	38	25	23	74	0	19	48	91
Totals	37	31	68	47	44	103	1	38	85	93

## Fall Term, 1917

	Boys	Girls	Totals	Av. Mem.	Av. Att.	Tardy	Perf. Att.	Vis. Supt.	Vis. Others	Per. Cent
Village	15	14	29	26	24	63	5	6	6	94
Plains	16	16	32	28	27	4	6	7	4	97
Totals	31	30	61	54	51	67	11	13	10	95

## GENERAL TOTALS

Population of Greenwich, state census of 1915	426
School children in the town 5 to 15 years old, census of 1917	73
School children in the town of compulsory school age, 7 to 13 incl.	59
Pupils enrolled in the public schools, fall term, 1917	61
Average membership for the same term	54
“ attendance “ “	51

Total valuation of the town, 1917	\$ 333,845.00
Tax rate of the town per \$ 1000 .	16.50
Total tax, including 131 polls at \$ 2	5,770.44
Town appropriation for public schools	1,200.00
Ratio of school appropriation to whole town tax	21%

The fiscal year has been one of increased prices for the *things* to run the schools, but not for the *persons* to run the schools. During the months when most of the pupils' supplies are bought, prices reached a maximum. Near the close of 1917 some articles declined a little in price. On the other hand, the net salaries of our teachers, that is, what is left them after their expenses are paid, have actually declined from one to two dollars a week. This backward movement is due in part to our boarding people increasing the price of board a dollar a week, and in part to the retirement law, by which the state reserves a dollar a week of our present teachers' wages. These conditions and others similar to them make the hiring of suitable teachers a serious business and it requires twice the time and care now to secure teachers of equal merit. It is some relief to note that fuel for the year was obtained before the present high price was set.

The change in teachers that took place at the opening of this school year has been fortunate. Their hopefulness and devotion to their many school cares is gratifying.

The most noticeable change in the makeup of the schools has been at the Plains. Considerable increase in the number attending this school has taken place during the fall term, owing to families moving into the town and the attendance of tuition pupils. Even with the new row of seats the full seating capacity is required. In case of further increase in resident children it would seem to be best to discontinue the attendance of non-resident pupils. At present all the grades except the seventh are represented and there is a call for that if strict grading is carried out. With the present large attendance and great

number of daily classes, it would be fortunate to secure some resident teacher to act as assistant some part of the school day, in case all non-resident pupils are retained. The expense of such an arrangement can be made small and the relief would be very noticeable.

Through the superior insight of the teacher for grouping pupils in their studies, the Village school has larger and more interested classes in much of their work, especially in the lower grades. When parents, as well as school people, realize that groups of two or three grades in important studies bring far more beneficial results to pupils than forcing every pupil to a strict grade and into classes with only one or two members, the schools will be free to do the greatest good to the greatest number.

It is hard to find another town of the size of Greenwich with greater variety of school conditions. One of the most important and perplexing of these is the transportation of the children. Even with the possible hardships to small children and the misgivings of their parents, the school department is doubtless right in not taking what seems a backward step, the reopening of closed rural schools to accommodate a very few pupils. On the other hand the greatest care should be given to securing safe and comfortable means of transportation.

The work of the year has been greatly helped along by the general and generous support of parents and the response of the school committee to the needs and helps to do both the supervisory work and the school room duties. I find no school officials anywhere more open to the maintaining of high standards in the schools than the school committee of Greenwich.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. RICHARDSON,

*Superintendent.*

## REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

*Mr. Charles C. Richardson,  
Superintendent of Schools,  
Greenwich, Mass.*

Dear Sir:

It gives me great pleasure to submit my second annual report as supervisor of music in the schools of Greenwich.

I am pleased to state that the music has progressed very well indeed in both schools. The elementary classes are doing exceedingly well and are reading with unusual rapidity. I find the children apt pupils and at present anxious to pass their semi-annual test. The subject matter for this test was taken from the "Manual of Music" by Mr. George O. Bowen. Each teacher is soon to receive a revised copy of this manual, and therefore will be able to teach the definitions of the various technicalities according to the most up-to-date methods of the New Educational System.

By the middle of the winter term the general outline followed last year will be completed, so that the work of the spring term will be far more advanced than the work finished last year.

The faithfulness and enthusiasm of both teachers and pupils is greatly appreciated. I also wish to thank the superintendent for his interest and co-operation in this department.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH C. SPRAGUE,

*Supervisor of Music.*

## REPORT OF DRAWING SUPERVISOR

*Mr. C. C. Richardson,  
Superintendent of Schools.*

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to submit my report as supervisor of drawing in the public schools of Greenwich.

Drawing as usually taught in the schools may be divided into some five different branches. First, representative drawing, which consists of making as careful and accurate a picture as possible of any object. Recently I have been using as models for this sort of work, articles from



sports or games, or sundry odd and curious things brought by the children.

Second, illustrative drawing, which gives an opportunity to select and arrange an imaginative combination of various objects.

Third, design drawing for practical projects, such as may be worked out from wood, metal, clay, textile, or paper.

Fourth, working drawings, the dimensioned outlines to which the project is finally reduced, and the mechanical means for making it intelligible to the workman.

Finally, there is the drawing of designs for industrial productions, such as furniture, utensils, fabrics, garments, and the like.

Nearly all new articles, or new designs for old ones, are evolved by means of the same process. We have an idea, make a drawing, then construct the object. It is conservation of time, money, labor, and material, to see and approve the plans of a house, for instance, before building. Almost every manufactured object is designed by somebody. Before the designer attempted to do this however, he could make a correct representative drawing, compose an imaginative drawing, was accustomed to design drawing, understood working drawings, and these we are teaching the children, who all show an excellent spirit toward their work.

In closing, I wish to express my sincere appreciation of the co-operation of the teachers and the support and helpfulness of the school officials.

Respectfully submitted,

E. MAUDE BRADLEY.

## SCHOOL PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

Greenwich, Mass., Jan. 9, 1918.

*Mr. C. C. Richardson, Supt.,  
North Dana, Mass.*

Dear Sir:-

I visited each of the schools in town during the fall term, finding all but one scholar present, all in ordinary good health. I left word with each teacher to notify me if any suspicious condition should arise. Nothing has come as yet.

Sincerely yours,

B. A. SAWTELLE, M. D.

# Honor Roll

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Pupils perfect in attendance, that is, those who were members all the time and were not absent, tardy, or excused.

## WINTER TERM OF 1917

Greenwich Village

Raymond Randall

Greenwich Plains

Emily Coit

Clarence Coit

## SPRING TERM OF 1917

Greenwich Village

Helen Bekooski

Mary Bekooski

Eva Hall

Chester King

Lindolph Parker

Lawrence Randall

Raymond Randall

Greenwich Plains

Benjamin Petfield

Robert Petfield

Rachel Twible

Ella Walker

Ruth Walker

## SCHOOL YEAR OF 1916-17

Raymond Randall

## FALL TERM OF 1917

## Greenwich Village

Anthony Gandolfo  
 Bastian Gandolfo  
 Alfred Garland  
 Gertrude Garland  
 Lindolph Parker

## Greenwich Plains

Sylvia Churchill  
 Truman Churchill  
 Clarence Coit  
 Clifton Graves  
 Benjamin Petfield  
 Ruth Walker

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATES 1916-17

## Greenwich Village

Edward Fielding  
 Raymond King

## Greenwich Plains

Eva Lyman  
 Ella Walker

## TUITION PUPILS

thus far this school year

## VILLAGE SCHOOL

Anthony Gandolfo	State Ward
Bastian Gandolfo	State Ward
Alfred Garland	State Ward
Gertrude Garland	State Ward
Doris Greene	State Ward

## PLAINS SCHOOL

Elsie Dyer	Hardwick
Hilda Dyer	Hardwick
Anna Lyman	Hardwick
Edson Lyman	Hardwick
Christine McKinnon	State Ward
Alice Whittaker	State Ward

## PUPILS ATTENDING HIGH SCHOOL

Name	School Attending
Blanche Armstrong	Athol High
Peter Billings	Athol High
Edna Gelling	Ware High
Paul Gelling	Ware High
Dorothy Hall	Springfield High
Fred Lego	Athol High
Ora Merritt	Palmer High
Alice Randall	Athol High

# School Calendar, 1918-19

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1918

- March 8, Winter Term closes, 12 weeks.
- March 9-24, Vacation of two weeks.
- March 25, Spring Term commences.
- June 14, Spring Term closes, 12 weeks.
- September 2, Fall Term commences.
- November 22, Fall Term closes, 12 weeks.
- November 23-December 1, Vacation of one week.
- December 2, Winter Term commences.
- December 21-January 5, Vacation of two weeks.

1919

- March 7, Winter Term closes, 12 weeks.
- March 8-23, Vacation of two weeks.
- March 24, Spring Term commences.
- June 13, Spring Term closes, 12 weeks.

## LEGAL HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME

1918

- Washington's Birthday, February 22.
- Patriots' Day, April 19.
- Memorial Day, May 30.
- Labor Day, September 2.



# Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

GREENWICH, *Mass.*

FOR THE YEAR

1918

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## Town Warrant.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Greenwich,*

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the tenth day of February, A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, Town Treasurer, one School Committee, one Cemetery Commissioner, two Library Trustees, all for three years. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, two Constables, Auditor, Highway Surveyor, three Fence Viewers, three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year.

Also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1919.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to defend all suits at law that may be brought against the town during the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as security on the official bond of any town officer.

ART. 10. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money provided the Massachusetts Highway Commission will add an equal amount for the purpose of improving the road leading from Greenwich to Greenwich Village, commencing at the end of 1917 work.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$50.00 for the Hampshire County Farm Bureau.

ART. 12. To see what action the town will take in regard to appropriating a sum of money for a memorial forest in honor of the town's roll of honor in the recent world war.

ART. 13. To see if the town will authorize the assessors to look up the ownership to the land west of the Town hall, near the R. R. station in Greenwich.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote taken at the annual town meeting, held February eighth 1915, in regard to electing a Highway Surveyor, by ballot.

ART. 15. To see if the town will instruct the School Committee to furnish transportation to school for two children of Peter Lego, a resident of Greenwich.

The polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and

may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least before the time and place of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the time and place of said meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this seventeenth day of January, A. D. 1919.

CHARLES B. COIT	}	<i>Selectmen</i>
GEORGE B. LOUX		<i>of</i>
JOSEPH L. THRASHER		<i>Greenwich</i>

# Report of the Town Clerk

## *Vital Statistics for the Year 1918*

### BIRTHS

	CHILD'S NAME	PARENTS' NAMES
Jan. 8	Leroy C.	Roy L. & Mae B. Graves
Mar. 31	James D.	Charles D. & Grace Walker
June 20	Vesta E.	William & Anna C. Smith
June 22	Louis A. Jr.	Louis A. & Gertrude Faverio
June 24	Alexander R.	Alex & Mary Pluff
July 10	Ralph B.	Leroy & Marjorie Blackmer
July 29	Belinda A.	Theadore & Laura Vandersingle
Aug. 16	Edward A.	Edward & Stella Frew
Oct. 11		Howard & Laura White

### MARRIAGES

October 21 Clifford E. Shene and Lena G. Tibeau

### DEATHS

		years	mos.	days
April 26	Julia A. Shene	45	6	16
April 25	Albert P. Clifford	71	4	13
June 29	Samuel E. Hale	66	4	22
July 19	Leroy J. Foster	34		16
Sept. 18	Ruth L. Ramsdell	73	3	22
Sept. 22	Simon M. Stockwell	80	4	17
Oct. 8	James T. Clark	71	7	29
Oct. 11	Stillborn Female			
Oct. 20	Lucy H. Zappey	26	11	28
Oct. 4	Stephen H. Walker	31		14
Dec. 31	Carrie B. Edson	66	4	14

## BURIAL OF NON-RESIDENTS IN GREENWICH CEMETERY

	years	mos.	days
William H. Leonard	76	10	15
Horace Vaughn	85	7	7
Jane R. Whipple	85		8
Dolly Butterfield	82	1	9
Josephine Edson	33	11	20

Very respectfully

C. E. MILLER, *Town Clerk*

# Report of Selectmen

*For the Year Ending December 31, 1918*

## CONTINGENT

1918 Appropriation		\$ 400.00
Mrs. J. L. Thrasher, copying valuation	\$ 5.00	
L. H. Blackmer, printing town reports, 1917	72.45	
C. E. Miller, ballots, blank books, etc.	43.70	
C. B. Coit, expense for Cooley home	2.00	
C. B. Coit, postage stamps	2.00	
Geo. B. Loux, expense for Cooley home	2.00	
A. W. Brownell, blank books	5.10	
W. R. King, one burial	6.00	
C. S. Edson, one burial	4.00	
E. S. Marsh, going with hearse	4.00	
Fred Foley, five burials	27.00	
J. L. Thrasher, inspector of animals	20.00	
L. T. Haskius, insurance	15.04	
E. A. Fewell, inspecting slaughtering	113.40	
David Hunter, inspecting slaughtering	3.50	
C. H. Chase, transfer list real estate	4.20	
Boston Nickel Plating Co., plating weights	4.50	
P. B. Swift, bond for treasurer	12.50	
P. B. Swift, bond for collector	25.00	
Bert V. Brooks, printing signs	12.00	
Hampshire County Farm Bureau	25.00	
C. C. Bagnall, blank books	2.32	
Giffin & Hall, water rent and repairs	7.25	
W. H. Jones, care of town hall and repairs	10.15	

F. P. Hall, supplies and stamps	\$ 28.21	
W. & L. E. Gurley, mdse. for sealer	4.72	
L. J. Giffin, paint and nails	1.74	
	<hr/>	\$ 462.78
Appropriation overdrawn		\$ 62.78

## ROADS AND BRIDGES

Appropriation		\$ 1,250.00
Expended		\$ 1,179.95
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Balance		\$ 70.05

## FOREST FIRES

## From Reserve Fund

Paid H. H. Dickinson	\$ 32.75
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## SABIN SCHOOL FUND

	From Treasury	\$ 50.00
Order to F. P. Hall, treasurer		50.00

## INTEREST

## From Reserve Fund

Order to F. P. Hall, treasurer	\$ 95.00
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## STATE AID

Appropriation		\$ 400.00
Wm. T. Alden	\$ 72.00	
Mrs. W. T. Alden	55.00	
Henry M. Brown	56.00	
John Ramsdell	48.00	
Mrs. Mary Winter	48.00	
Mrs. Elvivia Woods	24.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 303.00
Balance		\$ 97.00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

	From Treasury	\$ 100.00
Paid Miss A. M. Root		100.00

## MOTH WORK

	From Treasury	\$ 50.00	
Paid Thomas Severance		28.50	
Balance		<u>          </u>	\$ 21.50

## TREE WARDEN

	From Treasury	\$ 100.00	
Expended		100.00	

## PATHING SNOW

	From Reserve Fund		
Paid E. H. Randall		\$ 106.13	
A. J. Loux		31.95	
		<u>          </u>	\$ 138.08

## SALARIES

1918 Appropriation			\$ 500.00
C. E. Miller, town clerk		\$ 50.00	
C. B. Coit, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor		75.00	
Geo. B. Loux, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor		75.00	
J. L. Thrasher, selectman, assessor, and overseer of poor		75.00	
Frank P. Hall, treasurer		50.00	
L. A. Faverio, sealer of weights & measures		20.00	
Linwood Giffin, auditor		10.00	
W. R. Carrick, moderator		2.50	
H. H. Dickinson, justice		2.50	
J. L. Thrasher, tax coll., bal. on 1916 taxes		30.00	
“ “ “ 1917 “		30.00	
“ “ part salary, bal. on 1918 taxes		25.00	
Roy Ellsworth, election officer		6.50	
Charles Walker, “		2.00	
E. W. Coit, “		2.00	
W. H. Jones, “		1.50	
C. W. Uracius, constable		2.00	



Andrew Loux, election officer	\$ 6.50	
E. H. Randall, constable	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 470.50
Balance		\$ 29.50

Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts:

Schools	\$ 1,700.00	
Road and bridges	1,250.00	
Poor	500.00	
Salaries	500.00	
Contingent	400.00	
Reserve fund	400.00	
State road	500.00	
State aid	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,650.00

#### APPROPRIATED FROM TREASURY

Tree warden	\$ 100.00	
Cemetery	25.00	
Sabin school fund	50.00	
Moth work	50.00	
Library	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 325.00
		\$ 5,975.00

#### THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAVE BEEN EXPENDED

Schools	\$ 1,700.00
Roads and bridges	1,179.95
Salaries	470.50
Contingent	462.78
Pathing snow (from reserve fund)	138.08
State aid	303.00
Library	100.00
Moth work	28.50
Tree warden	100.00
Sabin school fund	50.00
F. P. Hall, treasurer	140.00

Forest fires (from reserve fund)	\$ 32.75	
Interest (from reserve fund)	95.00	
	—————	\$ 4,800.56
Appropriations	\$ 5,975.00	
Expended	4,800.56	
Unexpended balance	—————	\$ 1,174.44

CHARLES B. COIT	}	<i>Selectmen of Greenwich</i>
GEORGE B. LOUX		
JOSEPH L. THRASHER		

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of Highway Surveyor

## TOWN ROAD 1918

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Appropriation	\$ 1,250.00
Paid A. I. Loux, man and team	\$ 105.00
Harry Crane       “       “	154.00
Axil Almquest     “       “	28.00
W. M. Parker      “       “	10.50
Carl Kimball, sawing and team	78.25
E. H. Randall, labor	149.60
Peter Lego       “	120.00
Arthur Chapin    “	80.00
W. R. King        “	8.00
M. E. Caswell     “	56.25
T. Vandersingel  “	54.00
Thos. Severance  “	45.59
A. Twible         “	1.00
W. H. Walker, team	1.00
L. Wheeler, labor	1.50
B. V. Brooks, printing signs	2.75
Labor on village bridge, E. Randall and others	35.45
Guy Stevens, man and team	14.00
Overseers of Poor, lumber	144.83
W. H. Walker       “	19.57
W. H. Giffin, railing	29.75
I. V. Lincoln      “	5.00
F. P. Hall, supplies	3.55

Paid L. I. Giffin, supplies	\$ 10.01
H. H. Dickinson, spikes	1.55
A. Twible, gravel	2.10
A. Chapin     “	9.00
E. T. King    “	7.50
Henry Lego   “	2.20
Total expended	<u>          </u> \$ 1,179.95
Unexpended	\$ 70.05

E. H. RANDALL, *Highway Surveyor*

## Report of Tree Warden

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Appropriation	\$ 100.00
Paid E. H. Randall, cutting brush	\$ 29.00
Peter Lego,         “     “	28.25
M. E. Caswell     “     “	20.00
Arthur Chapin    “     “	22.75
	<u>          </u> \$ 100.00

E. H. RANDALL, *Tree Warden*

# Report of Overseers of Poor

*For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1918*

## EXPENSES AWAY FROM COOLEY HOME

### ACCOUNT NO. 2

Eugene McCarthy for burial expense	\$ 30.00
C. B. Coit, two trips to Turners Falls	15.00

### ACCOUNT NO. 3

Geo. B. Loux, legal advice and expenses to Springfield	5.00
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5.00 \$ 50.00

## EXPENSES AT COOLEY HOME

James D. Kimball, insurance on buildings at town farm	22.98
LeRoy L. Blackmer, warden, salary three months, Jan. 1, 1918 to Mar. 31, 1918	100.00
LeRoy L. Blackmer, money paid out for Cooley Home Jan. 1, to Mar. 31, 1918	
Frank P. Hall, groceries	1.79
S. H. Walker, "	1.88
C. D. Haskell Co. groceries	2.43
H. H. Dickinson, "	49.64
E. G. Kelley, "	14.94
E. L. Powers, horseshoeing	1.80
J. E. Hess, meat	8.77
Ryther & Warren, grain	112.70
Walker Grain Co., "	33.70
Cutler Co., grain	114.61

Frank Rogers, labor	\$ 3.50	
T. L. Severence, labor	9.00	
A. Richardson, stock service	9.00	
Goods for No. 1	13.38	
Miscellaneous	5.30	
Geo. B. Loux, advertising town farm, drawing lease, expenses to Springfield	9.00	
Expense of cutting and handling lumber by Highway Surveyor	242.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 757.57

#### INCOME AT COOLEY HOME

Jan. 1, 1918, Cash on hand	\$ 31.88	
Feed bags	12.20	
Calves	62.00	
Chickens	10.00	
Potatoes	.75	
Eggs	78.61	
Milk	329.95	
Lumber sold to Highway Surveyor, 2160 ft. at \$52 per M	112.32	
6869 ft. at \$40 per M	274.79	
Rent from April 15, 1918 to Oct. 15, 1918	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 972.48
Net income at Cooley Home		\$ 183.02
Receipt of sale of personal property March 29, 1918		\$ 1,746.07

#### EXPENSES AT SALE

Ellis A. Thayer, auctioneer	\$ 12.00
C. E. Miller, clerk	3.00
Geo. B. Loux, labor	10.00
Frank Rogers	2.50
John Eddy	4.00
Printing auction bills	3.00
J. L. Thrasher, rebate on potatoes	1.70

Uncollected bills	\$ 5.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 41.45
Net receipts of sale		<hr/>
		\$ 1,704.62

## INMATES AT COOLEY HOME

No. 1

Thirteen weeks

GEORGE B. LOUX	}	<i>Overseers of the Poor</i>
CHARLES B. COIT		
JOSEPH L. THRASHER		

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of Assessors

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State tax	\$ 770.00
County tax	908.30
Town grant	4,664.00
Overlayings	150.00
Omitted assessments	111.46
Rate of taxation per \$ 1000	18.50

## PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Congregational church	\$ 3,100.00
Independent Liberal church	2,052.00
Hillside school	11,365.00
Soldiers' exemption	4,625.00
Women worth less than \$ 1,000	5,875.00

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Total valuation	\$ 335,597.00
“ value of real estate	266,325.00
“ “ “ personal estate	69,272.00
“ “ “ omitted assessments	600,025.00
Number of polls assessed	124
“ “ “ exempt	19
Tax on each poll	2.00
Total number of persons assessed	269
“ “ paying tax on property	240
“ “ “ poll only	32
Number of horses assessed	119
“ “ cows “	227
“ “ sheep “	8



Number of neat cattle other than cows	89
“ “ swine assessed	27
“ “ dwelling houses assessed	161
“ “ acres of land “	11,048
“ “ fowls “	3,834

JOSEPH L. THRASHER	}	<i>Overseers of Greenwich</i>
GEORGE B. LOUX		
CHARLES B. COIT		

# Report of Cemetery Commissioners

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*Ending December 31, 1918*

Appropriation	\$ 50.00
Received from appropriation, nothing	
Received from Clara B. Walker fund	\$ 5.00
Lucinda Root fund	3.00
Charles Record fund	5.00
Rebecca Spooner fund	5.00
Rindge fund	5.00
Wilkinson fund	10.00
Shumway fund	9.00
Asa Spooner fund	2.00
John Warner fund	5.00
Mary Walker fund	5.00
Merrick Tourtelotte fund	1.00
Emelia Topliff fund	4.00
Justice Johnson fund	7.00
Amos Blackmer fund	3.00
Luther Fuller fund	2.00
Julia B. Rice fund	3.00
Solomon Sibley fund	2.00
Clara B. Pratt fund	2.00
D. S. Cutler fund	2.00
Cleveland & Sears fund	5.00
Sherman & Douglas fund	3.00
Wm. S. Douglas fund	3.00
Wm. Trask fund	1.00
Chas. Powers	3.00
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	\$ 95.00

Received for work on and care of lots 1917 and 1918	\$ 98.00
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Total cash received	\$ 193.00
Paid B. A. Sawtelle and help in cemetery	\$ 158.39
Mrs. Sawtelle, care of flowers	\$ 20.00
Balance cash received for care of and work on lots and paid to town treasurer	\$ 14.61
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	\$ 193.00
1918	
July 2 Received of Austin Hunter the sum of and paid to town treasurer for the perpetual care and benefit of the Austin Hunter lot as far as the interest will warrant	\$ 100.00
Total received for perpetual funds in year	\$ 100.00
May 6 Received of Dr. Dudley Carleton for lot No. 22, Walker extension of cemetery	\$ 10.00
Oct. 2 Received of E. L. Hales for lot No. 20, Walker extension of cemetery	\$ 5.00
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Paid same to town treasurer	\$ 15.00

DAVID M. HUNTER  
WILLIAM H. GIFFIN  
BENJ. A. SAWTELLE

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*Cemetery  
Commissioners*

# Treasurer's Report

## *Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1918*

Cash on hand to new account	\$ 1,146.71
Rec'd from county treasurer, refund on dog tax	66.05
Commonwealth, income Mass. school fund	1,290.98
"    national bank tax	17.72
"    income tax 1917	7.00
"    "    "	329.00
"    corporation tax	84.23
"    high school tuition	359.00
"    "    "    transportation	388.89
"    tuition of children	297.00
"    state aid	154.00
"    soldier's exemption	37.18
"    inspection of animals	10.00
"    acc't Education Ind. school	9.22
C. C. Richardson, supplies sold	.33
E. T. King, slaughtering license	1.00
cemetery commissioners for sale of lots	15.00
"    "    "    "    "    money paid for work	
on lots	14.61
overseers of poor, acc't of poor farm sale	1,704.62
"    "    "    "    "    rent	60.00
"    "    "    "    "    lumber	144.83
interest on note acc't poor farm sale	5.30
"    "    bonds	19.37
school committee, state reimbursement	

school supt.	\$ 150.00
Rec'd from L. A. Faverio, sealing fees 1918	10.25
Ware Savings Bank, int. on cemetery fund	74.00
Athol Savings Bank, int. on cemetery fund	21.00
Peoples Savings Bank, money borrowed	1,500.00
clerk of courts, fine in Kirkwood case	50.00
cem. commissioners, Austin Hunter fund	100.00
Town of Hardwick, tuition of children	55.00
J. L. Thresher, collector, bal. of 1916 tax	352.78
"    interest on 1916 tax	93.53
"    on 1917 tax	1,381.47
"    "    1918    "	4,206.10
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Total	\$ 14,156.17
Paid Peoples Savings Bank, notes and interest	\$ 2,556.13
Bureau of statistics, certifying town note	2.00
B. W. Buckley, sheriff's fees	5.40
H. B. Hess, sheriff fees	33.50
for Liberty bonds	1,900.00
Deposited in Athol Savings Bank, Austin Hunter, cemetery fund	100.00
Paid Edwin H. Bannister, county tax	908.30
state tax	770.00
assessors' certificate of tax abatement	26.20
W. B. Segur, for return of one birth	.25
selectmen's order 1917	4.50
Deposited in Athol Savings Bank, bal. town farm acc't.	9.45
int. on town farm bonds	19.37
"    "    "    "    note	5.30
Paid selectmen's orders	2,987.31
overseers of poor orders	565.32
school committees orders	3,174.82
Cash on hand to balance	1,088.32
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Total	\$ 14,156.17

## LIABILITIES

Outstanding unpaid order of school committee, 1917	\$ 1.25
Outstanding unpaid orders of selectmen	113.25

## ASSETS

Due on 1917 tax	\$ 664.23
“ “ 1918 “	2,363.43
from state on account of state aid paid	303.00

## SCHOOL FUND

Sabin school fund	\$ 214.16
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## POOR FARM ACCOUNT

Liberty bonds	\$ 1,900.00
Athol Savings Bank	43.89

## TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Rindge fund	\$ 100.00
Wilkinson fund	300.00
Shumway fund	100.00
Spooner fund	50.00
Warner fund	100.00
Mary Walker fund	100.00
Powers fund	50.00
Rebecca Spooner fund	82.65
Tourtelotte fund	25.00
Topliff fund	100.00
Johnson fund	200.00
Record fund	50.00
Blackmer fund	50.00
Clara Walker fund	100.00
Root fund	100.00
Fuller fund	100.00
Shumway and Douglas fund	100.00
Rice fund	100.00
Cutler fund	100.00
Pratt fund	50.00

Sears, Brewster and Cleveland fund	\$ 175.00
Sibley fund	100.00
Gray fund	100.00
Sly fund	100.00
Parker fund	50.00
William S. Douglas fund	100.00
William A. Trask fund	50.00
Austin Hunter fund	100.00
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	\$ 2,732.65
Interest expended in 1918	\$ 95.00
“ available Jan. 1, 1919	385.41

Respectfully submitted

FRANK P. HALL, *Treasurer*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library

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Number of days library has been open	52
books sent out	2,107
magazines given out	456
books purchased	37
books donated by Free Library Commission	40
books given by others	2
magazines subscribed for	4
magazines given	4
public documents sent	10
Whole number of volumes	3,017
Public documents	270
Circulating department	2,747

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Appropriated by the town	\$ 100.00	
From the Bailey & Spooner funds	28.00	
From fines	1.75	
Cash balance on hand	2.43	
	-----	\$ 132.18

### EXPENDITURES

Paid for books	\$ 42.63
magazines	16.00
librarian	36.40



Paid for transportation of books	\$ 13.00	
express	.71	
sundries	1.07	
postage	.31	
Money on hand	22.06	
	<hr/>	\$ 132.18

A. M. ROOT, *Treasurer*  
H. I. NEVENS, *Librarian*

B. A. SAWTELLE, M. D.  
W. H. WALKER  
ELLA M. WALKER  
LIZZIE HUNTER  
HELEN I. NEVINS  
AMELIA M. ROOT

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Lutz, Grace L. Hill. The Enchanted Barn	L97.7
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Parkman, Mary R. Heroes of Today	E P23
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# Annual Report

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

Greenwich, Mass.

For the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1918

## ORGANIZATION

### School Committee

		Term Expires
William H. Petrie, Ch.,	Greenwich Village Tel. 33-4, Enfield	1920
John H. King, Sec.,	Greenwich Village Tel. 33-5, Enfield	
William R. Carrick	Greenwich Village Tel. Cooleyville	

**Superintendent**

Arthur W. Smith                      North Dana                      Tel. Cooleyville

**School Physician**

Benjamin A. Sawtelle, M. D.      Greenwich      Tel. Enfield, 19-3

**Attendance Officer**

Henry D. Crane                      Greenwich                      Tel. Enfield, 33-3

# Report of the School Committee

*For the year ending Dec. 31, 1918*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Income of state school fund	\$ 1,290.98	
Balance from 1917	703.32	
High school tuition	359.00	
“ “ transportation	388.89	
State children tuition and transportation	297.00	
From state on account of Superintendent	150.00	
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		\$ 3,189.19
Expended		1,399.49
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Unexpended		\$ 1,789 70
Town appropriation	\$ 1,700.00	
Income Sabin school fund	20.00	
From town of Hardwick, tuition	55.00	
“ C. C. Richardson	.33	
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		\$ 1,775.33

### SALARIES OF TEACHERS

Ada S. Morrison	\$ 329.09
Annie S. Berry	232.00
Mrs. Lura L. Barnes	136.00
Paid Mass. Teachers' Retirement Board	95.41
Ruth Sprague	25.00
E. Maude Bradley	46.00

Mrs. Ruth B. Dwelley	\$ 7.50	
		<hr/> \$ 871.00
C. C. Richardson, salary	\$ 141.00	
"            expense of	.50	
Arthur W. Smith, salary	63.00	
School committee	40.00	
"            expense of	6.31	
Tuition	297.00	
		<hr/> \$ 547.81

## CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS

Lewis Graves	\$ 163.20	
Earl Hale	144.00	
Geo. Hunter	177.00	
Mrs. H. C. Adams	109.15	
Henry Lego	299.50	
Mrs. Peter Lego	60.00	
Mrs. Carl Clifford	87.00	
High school	279.79	
		<hr/> \$ 1,319.64

## EXPENDITURES

Care of rooms	\$ 69.55	
Supplies	65.12	
Books	82.04	
Fuel	86.70	
Water rent	2.25	
Repairs	95.72	
B. A. Sawtelle, M. D.	16.50	
Miscellaneous snow bills	18.49	
		<hr/> \$ 436.37
Total expenditures		\$ 3,174.82

W. H. PETRIE	}	<i>School</i>
J. H. KING		
W. R. CARRICK	}	<i>Committee</i>

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor



# Superintendent's Report

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*To the School Committee of Greenwich,—*

I herewith present the statistics of the schools for the school year 1917-1918 together with two recommendations for next year.

My short acquaintance with the schools, and the interruption of their activities by the influenza epidemic and the usual holidays, make it unwise to attempt the writing of a detailed report.

Among the necessary conditions for completing the elementary grades in eight years are a long school year, good teachers, and good attendance. A liberal allowance for books and supplies there is little question about.

A longer school year stands for more or else better work done without unduly taxing the strength of the children. The present school year is too short for satisfactory results.

Good teachers cost money these days, and are almost impossible to find. The children suffer educationally when in the hands of an untrained or inexperienced person.

I recommend that the school year be lengthened, and that at least the minimum salary per year established by the state be paid our teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. SMITH,

*Sup't. of Schools*

DATA FOR YEAR 1917—1918

Schools	Enrollment			Membership		Attendance		Number of day sessions
	Boys	Girls	Totals	Totals	Averages	Aggregate days of	Average daily	
			Totals					
Plain	14	15	19	35	28.76	4495	26.13	172
Village	13	13	26	31	26.10	4089	26.60	172
All	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>54.86</b>	<b>8584</b>	<b>52.73</b>	<b>344</b>

## SCHOOL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1918

Ages	yrs.	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Totals
Boys		1	4	4	5	5	10	7	4	6	8	1	55
Girls		2	0	3	3	0	5	4	2	1	0	2	22
Totals		3	4	7	8	5	15	11	6	7	8	3	77

Boys under 7 yrs., 5; girls, 2; total 7

Boys 7 to 14, 41; girls, 18; total 59

Boys 14 to 16, 9; girls, 2; total 11

Boys, 55; girls, 22; total, 77

# School Calendar, 1919

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Schools opened Dec. 30, 1918  
“ close March 21, 1919  
“ open “ 31, “  
Plains school closes June 20, 1919  
Village school closes June 27, 1919  
Schools open Tuesday, Sept. 2, 1919  
“ close Friday, Dec. 19, 1919  
“ open Monday, Jan. 5, 1920

## LEGAL HOLIDAYS

New Year's, January 1  
Washington's Birthday, February 22  
Patriots' Day, April 19  
Memorial Day, May 30  
July 4  
Labor Day, first Monday in September  
Columbus Day, October 12  
Thanksgiving, last Thursday in November  
Christmas, December 25

Except by special arrangement, the schools will not be in session on legal holidays. They will close at noon of the Wednesday next preceding Thanksgiving, and re-open on next Monday morning.

## Teachers, January 1918-January 1919

\*Ada S. Morrison, 172 Groveland St., Haverhill. \$ 13.00 wk.  
Plains school

\*E. Maude Bradley, 281 Chestnut St., Gardner. Sup'v. of music, \$ 3.00 trip

\*(Mrs.) Ruth B. Dwelley, Oakham, Sup'v. of drawing, \$ 2.50 trip

†Mrs. Lena L. Barnes, 99 High St., Springfield, \$ 13.00 wk. Village school

\*\*Annie L. Berry, 35 Osgood St., Salem, Village school

\*\*Ruth C. Sprague, Leicester, Sup'v. of music

\* In service January, 1919

\*\* Resigned June, 1918

† Resigned because of illness Dec. 12, 1918

Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Dwelley began service September, 1918.

## GRADUATES

Graduates of Grammar grades, June 12, 1918

### Plains

Leslie John Walker

### Village

Charles Herman King

Mary Elizabeth Sheene

# Honor Roll

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Perfect in attendance the entire school year,-  
Lindolph Parker

## TUITION PUPILS this school year

### Plains

Edson Lyman  
Edna Lyman  
Christine MacKimmon  
Eleanor Rohweder  
Ethel Rohweder  
Hazel Rohweder

### Village

Clara Caul  
Florence Caul  
Doris Greene  
Bastian Gondolfo  
Anthony Gondolfo  
Gertrude Garland  
Alfred Garland

# Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

GREENWICH, *Mass.*

FOR THE YEAR

1919

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## Town Warrant

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Greenwich,*

### GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday the ninth day of February, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz.

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, Town Treasurer, one School Committee, one Cemetery Commissioner, two Library Trustees, all for three years, and one Cemetery Commissioner for one year. Also Tax Collector, Tree Warden, two Constables, Auditor, Highway Surveyor, three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year.

Also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1920.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to defend all suits at law that may be brought against the town during the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as security on the official bond of any town officer.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to abolish the office of Highway Surveyor and return to the old system of having a Superintendent of Streets appointed by the Selectmen, or act in relation thereto.

ART. 11. To consider the declination of a legacy under the will of Sarah L. Gray, late of Greenwich, deceased, made to the town of Greenwich, in the sum of One Hundred Dollars in trust, the income therefrom to be used for the perpetual care of the burial lot of Adonijah L. Gray in the cemetery in Greenwich, the said Sarah L. Gray having made provision with the town of Greenwich during her life time for the perpetual care of said lot.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the Hampshire County Farm Bureau.

The polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least before the time and place of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the time and place of said meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this sixteenth day of January, A. D. 1920.

JOSEPH L. THRASHER  
CHARLES B. COIT  
GEORGE B. LOUX

*Selectmen of Greenwich*

# Report of the Town Clerk

## *Vital Statistics for the Year 1919*

### BIRTHS

	CHILD'S NAME	PARENTS' NAMES
June 1	Leona Eleanor Kimball	Carl and Minnie
July 17	Dorothy Saywood Clifford	Carl and Lucy
Dec. 16	George Byron Loux	Andrew and Evelyn

### MARRIAGES

Mar. 12 Orson H. Rathburn and Mary L. Edson

### DEATHS

Jan. 6 Anna C. Smith, age 33  
Feb. 9 Hattie E. Walker, age 52  
Feb. 11 William H. Giffin, age 67  
Apr. 3 Sylvanus L. Vaughn, age 68  
Apr. 21 Edna S. Hager, age 80  
Aug. 17 Flora Engelhard, age 66  
Aug. 19 William H. Petrie, age 52  
Oct. 15 Martha Ann Aiken, age 75  
Oct. 19 Mary E. Beals, age 78  
Nov. 18 George T. Gibbs, age 73

### BURIAL OF NON-RESIDENTS IN GREENWICH CEMETERY

Feb. 27 Hall E. Storer of Ludlow, age 73  
Apr. 1 Henry L. Baldwin of Eastford, Conn., age 14 days  
May 27 Charles A. Powers of Altus, Okla., age 67  
July 25 Adeline E. Cutler of Barre, age 84  
Aug. 9 Myron Hunter of Warren, age 52

Dec. 21 Carrie V. Upton of New Salem, age 51

Very respectfully,

C. E. MILLER, *Town Clerk*

## Report of Selectmen

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Feb. 10, 1919. Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts to defray town charges to Dec. 31, 1919:

Schools	\$ 1,500.00	
Roads	1,000.00	
Salaries	500.00	
Contingent	800.00	
State road	500.00	
State aid	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,700.00

Voted to appropriate from treasury:

Tree warden	\$ 100.00	
Sabin school fund	50.00	
Moth work	50.00	
Library	100.00	
Bridges	300.00	
Poor	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 900.00

### CONTINGENT

Appropriations 1919		\$ 800.00
Paid Fred A. Foley, five burials	\$ 31.00	
C. E. Miller, dog tags	3.30	
Lewis Blackmer, printing reports	46.00	
P. B. Swift, bond for treasurer	12.50	
C. E. Miller for stamps	3.00	
J. L. Thrasher, inspector of animals	30.00	
A. W. Brownell, assessors' supplies	7.25	
E. O. Fewell, inspector of slaughtering	39.90	

Paid C. H. Chase, real estate transfers	\$ 3.75	
C. D. Walker, stamps and stationery	6.00	
C. E. Miller for stamps	2.00	
J. D. Kimball, insurance, sealers' weights	19.34	
Hampshire County Farm Bureau	50.00	
P. B. Swift, collector's bond	25.00	
Balance 1917 state road appropriation	88.25	
C. E. Miller, painting sidewalk notices	3.48	
A. W. Brownell, assessors' supplies	1.25	
Cecil Bagnall, tax collector's supplies	4.89	
Hobbs & Warren, abatement record book	3.07	
W. H. Jones, care of town hall	8.35	
C. E. Miller, inspector of slaughtering	40.95	
David M. Hunter, inspector of slaughtering	12.00	
J. L. Thrasher, inspector of slaughtering	24.00	
A. A. Stevens, sawing wood for selectmen's room	2.00	
C. E. Miller, ballots and stamps	11.43	
abatement on 1917 tax	94.52	
"    "    "    "    Cheese Mfg. Co.	13.20	
J. L. Thrasher, stamps	4.00	
C. E. Miller, stamps and blanks	2.80	
"    "    supplies town clerk	29.40	
J. L. Thrasher, clerical error copying 1917 tax book	7.00	
C. D. Walker, stamps and stationery	5.00	
G. B. Loux, expense to Springfield	5.00	
J. L. Thayer, "    "	5.00	
C. B. Coit, copying valuation	8.00	
Expended	<hr/>	\$ 652.63
Balance		\$ 147.37
SALARIES		
1919 appropriation		\$ 500.00

C. E. Miller, town clerk	\$ 50.00	
George B. Loux, selectman, assessor, overseer of poor	75.00	
Charles B. Coit, selectman, assessor, overseer of poor	75.00	
Joseph L. Thrasher, selectman, assessor, overseer of poor	75.00	
Charles D. Walker, treasurer	60.00	
Linwood Giffin, auditor	10.00	
J. L. Thrasher, balance for collecting 1917 taxes	30.00	
Roy Ellsworth, election officer	3.00	
Roy Blackmer, " "	3.00	
Roy Graves, " "	3.00	
Harry D. Crane, " "	3.00	
W. R. Carrick, moderator	3.00	
Jesse Vaughn, election officer	1.50	
A. J. Loux, " "	7.50	
E. H. Randall, " "	7.50	
Peter Lego, " "	3.00	
C. W. Uracius, " "	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 412.50
Balance		\$ 87.50

The following amounts have been expended:

From the state for highways under the small town act	\$ 2,200.00
Roads and bridges	1,804.78
Tree Warden	100.00
State aid	324.00
Salaries	412.50
Contingent	652.63
Library	100.00
Moth work	35.25
Forest fires	172.97
Dr. B. A. Sawtelle, cemetery work	120.75



Sabin school fund	\$ 50.00
Total amount of orders drawn	————— \$ 5,972.88

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH L. THRASHER

GEORGE B. LOUX

CHARLES B. COIT

*Selectmen of Greenwich*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

## Report of Highway Surveyor

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Town appropriation	\$ 1,000.00	
" " permanent work		500.00
State granted		2,000.00
Total	—————	\$ 3,500.00
Paid E. H. Randall, 118 da. 3 hrs. at \$4 per da. \$ 473.50		
Raymond King, 1 da.	" 3 per da.	3.00
Harold White, 1 da. 4 hrs.	" "	4.50
W. R. King, 39 da. 2 "	" "	117.75
John James, 40 da.	" 3.25 per da.	130.00
" " 67 da. 8 hrs.	" 3 per da.	203.66
L. C. Graves, 89 da. 1½ hrs.	" "	267.57
Roy Blackmer, 45 da. 6 hrs.	" "	137.28
Jerry Marin, 44 da. 2 "	" "	132.75
Peter Lego, 47 da.	" "	141.00
E. Clark, 20 da. 6 hrs.	" "	62.25
J. Thrasher, labor		1.00
Henry Lyman, 29 da,		78.00
Roy Walker, 23 da. 4 hrs. at \$3 per da.		70.50
E. T. King, man, 1 da. at	" "	3.00
M. E. Caswell, 4 da. 4 hrs. at	" "	13.50
E. A. Moore, blacksmith bill		7.35
Thomas Severance, labor per bill		20.00
Austin Hunter, labor per bill		24.25
W. H. Walker, man and team, 44 da. 2 hrs.		
at \$7 per da.		309.75
W. M. Parker, man and team, 9 da. 5½ hrs.		
at \$7 per da.		68.00

H. D. Crane, man and team, 54 da. 2hrs. at \$7 per da.		\$ 379.75
Axel Almquest, man and team, 17 da. at \$7 per da.		119.00
E. T. King, man and team, 16 da. 5 hrs. at \$7 per da.		116.38
E. H. Randall, man and team, 53 da. 1 hr. at \$7 per da.		371.87
E. H. Randall, single horse, 8 da. 4 hrs. at \$2.00 per da.		17.00
New England Metal Culvert Co., culvert pipe		120.46
F. H. Vaughn, 3 pieces 10 in. tile		2.40
Good Roads Co., repairs for scraper		15.10
Express on repairs		1.10
F. P. Hall, 2 picks	\$ 3.00	
handles	1.55	
lines	1.00	
hoes	2.00	
rakes	1.80	
hooks	2.00	
		<u>11.35</u>
L. J. Giffin, shovel	\$ 1.35	
fork	1.65	
hoes	1.50	
shovels	5.25	
oil and can	.92	
		<u>10.97</u>
A. E. Moore, oil		.60
Mrs. Geo. Walker, 987 loads gravel at .05		49.35
Gravel bought, 156 loads gravel at .10		15.60
		<u>          </u>
Total		\$ 3,499.51
Total appropriation	\$ 3,500.00	
Total spent	3,499.51	
Balance		<u>          </u> \$ .49
Balance left on 1917 state contract		\$ 288.35

Paid E. H. Randall, 10 da. at \$4	\$ 40.00	
John James, 9 da. at 3.25	29.25	
L. C. Graves, 10 da. at 3	30.00	
Henry Lyman, 10 da. at 3	30.00	
E. Clark, 6 da. at 3	18.00	
Raymond Walker, 5 da. at 3	15.00	
E. H. Randall, man and team, 9 da. at 7	63.00	
E. T. King, man and team, 9 da. at 7	63.00	
Total		\$ 288.25
Balance		\$ .10

## BRIDGES 1919

Paid E. H. Randall, labor	\$ 41.00	
"          team	13.00	
E. O. Fewell, team	3.50	
H. D. Crane, team	14.00	
John James, labor	10.75	
M. E. Caswell, labor	3.00	
L. C. Graves, labor	1.50	
Henry Lyman, labor	6.00	
E. Clark	3.00	
Roy Blackmer, labor	3.00	
L. J. Giffin, spikes \$6.00, paint \$1.45	7.45	
E. A. Moore, posts	1.00	
W. H. Walker, lumber for bridges	167.79	
F. H. Vaughn, cement	9.60	
C. E. Miller, lettering bridge signs	20.68	
		\$ 305.27
Appropriation		300.00
Overdrawn		\$ 5.27

## CUTTING BRUSH 1919

Appropriation		\$ 100.00
Paid E. H. Randall, labor	\$ 34.50	
"          horse	11.00	

Paid John James, labor	\$ 18.50	
Peter Lego, labor	9.00	
L. C. Graves, labor	10.50	
M. E. Caswell, labor	16.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 100.00

E. H. RANDALL, *Highway Foreman*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of Overseers of Poor

*For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1919*

## EXPENSES

James D. Kimball, insurance on buildings at Cooley Home	\$ 22.20	
Springfield Hospital, care and treatment for No. 1	278.00	
C. B. Coit for telephone calls, stamps and ex- pense to North Dana for No. 1	5.00	
For legal advice	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 307.20

## INCOME RECEIVED

Allowance from State Board of Charity	\$ 34.70	
Lumber sold to Frank L. Thayer 850 ft.	17.00	
Rent from Oct. 15, 1918 to Oct. 15, 1919	120.00	
Interest on Liberty Bonds for 1919	80.12	
Appropriated from Treasury	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 551.82
Unexpended balance		\$ 244.62

CHARLES B. COIT  
GEORGE B. LOUX  
JOSEPH L. THRASHER

*Overseers of the Poor*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

## Report of Assessors

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For suitable recognition of residents of Mass. that served in the late war	\$ 46.20
State tax	770.00
County tax	726.15
Town grant	4,340.13
Overlayings	282.48
Rate of taxation per \$1,000	15.50

### PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Congregational church	\$ 3,100.00
Independent Liberal church	2,050.00
Hillside School	11,365.00
Soldiers' exemption	4,658.00
Women worth less than \$1,000	4,325.00

### TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Total valuation of assessed estate	\$ 364,549.00
" value of real estate	280,775.00
" " " personal estate	83,774.00
Number of polls assessed	115
" " " exempt	15
Tax on each poll	\$ 2.00
Total number of persons assessed	303
" " paying tax on property	280
" " " poll only	23
Number of horses assessed	107
" " cows	203
" " neat cattle other than cows	104

Number of swine assessed		20
“ “ dwelling houses assessed		155
“ “ acres of land	“	11,588
“ “ fowls	“	3,307

JOSEPH L. THRASHER

GEORGE B. LOUX

CHARLES B. COIT

*Assessors of Greenwich*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor



# Report of Cemetery Commissioners

*Ending Dec. 31, 1919*

Received special appropriation from available funds	\$ 100.00	
Received from Wilkinson fund	10.00	
“ “ Asa Spooner fund	2.00	
“ “ Chas. Powers fund	3.00	
“ “ Lucinda Root fund	3.00	
“ “ Justice Johnson fund	2.75	
“ “ work on and care of lots 1917, 1918 and 1919	129.79	
Total cash received	—————	\$ 250.54
Paid B. A. Sawtelle and help in cemetery	\$ 188.52	
Berkshire Fertilizer Co. and freight	42.02	
Mrs. Sawtelle for care of flowers	20.00	
Total cash spent	—————	\$ 250.54

## PERPETUAL FUND

- Apr. 29 Rec'd of Mrs. Lyman G. Preston \$ 50.00  
 Said sum to be paid to the town treasurer and held by him as a perpetual fund for the care and benefit of the Elisha Moody lot, as far as the interest will warrant. Said fund to be known as the Elisha Moody fund.
- Dec. 19 Received of Chas. H. Estey, Phillipston, Mass., U. S. Liberty bond for 100.00

Fourth issue, No. 3581329, said bond to make a perpetual fund, the income to be used for the care of the Walter S. and Charles H. Estey lot No. 28½ Walker extension, for the care of the Deacon Joseph Estey lot, south side old cemetery, and the Jacob Estey lot on the north side of the old cemetery, as far as the interest will warrant.

Deposited with town treasurer	—————	\$ 150.00
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LOTS SOLD IN YEAR

May 5	Lot 19, Walker extension, to Howard H. Dickinson	\$ 5.00
May 5	Lot 23, Walker extension, to Benj. A. Sawtelle	5.00
Sept. 8	Lot 24, Walker extension, to Delia H. Petrie	5.00
Nov. 11	Lot 26, Walker extension, to Chester L. Thrasher	5.00
Nov. 26	Lot 28½, Walker extension, to Walter S. and Charles H. Estey, Phillipston, Mass.	8.00
Total received and paid town treasurer	—————	\$ 28.00

DAVID M. HUNTER

BENJAMIN A. SAWTELLE

*Cemetery Commissioners*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

## Treasurer's Report

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Cash on hand to new account	\$ 1,088.32
Rec'd from county treasurer, refund on dog tax	74.75
Commonwealth, income Mass. school fund	1,240.30
"          income tax 1917	28.00
"          "      "   1918	49.00
"          "      "   1919	81.42
"          highway commission	2,199.68
"          support of sick paupers	19.70
"          burial of paupers	15.00
"          tuition of children	314.00
"          inspection of animals	15.00
"          corporation tax	67.08
"          national bank tax	18.98
"          high school tuition	240.00
"          "          "      transportation	117.53
"          state aid	303.00
"          soldiers' exemption	19.73
"          school superintendent	150.00
interest on bonds	80.12
overseers of poor, acc't, sale of town farm lumber	17.00
overseers of poor, acc't, rent of town farm	120.00
Boston & Albany R. R. for fighting fire	172.97
E. T. King, slaughtering license	1.00
cemetery commissioners, sale of lots	28.00
"          "          Elisha Moody fund	50.00
"          "          Chas. H. Estey	100.00

Rec'd from Athol Savings Bank, int. on cemetery fund	\$ 27.00
Ware " " " " "	93.75
Millers River Nat'l Bank, money borrowed	1,000.00
town of Hardwick, tuition of children	54.00
county treasurer, wild cat bounty	5.00
J. L. Thrasher, collector, bal. of 1917 tax	664.23
" " interest on 1917 tax	84.22
" " on 1918 tax	1,542.12
" " on 1919 tax	3,604.80
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 13,685.70</b>
Paid Harry D. Crane, by order of clerk of court	\$ 7.60
W. B. Segur for return of one birth	.25
Bureau of statistics, certifying town note	2.00
Edwin H. Bannister, county tax	726.15
Commonwealth, state tax	816.20
Millers River Nat'l Bank, note and interest	1,020.00
Miner Powers, wild cat bounty	5.00
Deposited in Athol Savings Bank, Elisha Moody fund	50.00
Paid 1918 selectmen's orders	111.25
1919 " "	5,886.88
overseers of poor "	307.20
school committee's orders	4,148.62
Cash on hand	504.55
U. S. Liberty bond	100.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 13,685.70</b>

#### LIABILITIES

Outstanding unpaid orders of selectmen	\$ 86.00
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#### ASSETS

Due on 1918 tax	\$ 821.31
" 1919 "	2,277.68
Due from state on account of state aid paid	324.00

#### SCHOOL FUND

Sabin school fund	\$ 274.42
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## POOR FARM ACCOUNT

Liberty bonds	\$ 1,900.00
Athol Savings Bank	49.41

## TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Pratt fund	\$ 50.00
Sibley fund	100.00
Sly fund	100.00
Austin Hunter fund	100.00
Frank L. Parker fund	50.00
Wm. S. Douglas fund	100.00
Cutler fund	100.00
Sears and Cleveland fund	175.00
Rice fund	100.00
Elisha Moody fund	50.00
A. L. Gray fund	100.00
Sherman and Douglas fund	100.00
Wm. A. Trask fund	50.00
Fuller fund	100.00
Clara Walker fund	100.00
Blackmer fund	50.00
Record fund	50.00
Topliff fund	100.00
Tourtelotte fund	25.00
Rebecca Spooner fund	82.65
Mary Walker fund	100.00
Warner fund	100.00
Shumway fund	100.00
Rindge fund	100.00
Johnson fund	200.00
Powers fund	50.00
Asa Spooner fund	50.00
Wilkinson fund	300.00
Root fund	100.00
Chas. H. Estey fund	100.00
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	\$ 2,882.65

Interest expended in 1919	\$ 120.75
“ available Jan. 1, 1920	418.19

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES D. WALKER, *Treasurer*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library

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Number of days library has been open	51
books sent out	1,643
magazines given out	268
books purchased	31
books donated by Free Library Commission	40
books given by friends	7
magazines subscribed for	4
"          given	4
public documents sent	10
Whole number of volumes	3,006
Public documents	270
Circulating department	27,600

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Appropriated by the town	\$ 100.00	
From the Bailey and Spooner funds	31.50	
From fines	2.65	
Cash balance on hand	22.06	
	\$ 156.21	

### EXPENDITURES

Paid for books	\$ 45.60
magazines	6.00
librarian	36.40
transportation of books	15.75

Paid for rebinding of books	\$ 10.00	
printing library slips	2.92	
freight	.62	
sundries	1.20	
postage	.27	
Money on hand	37.35	
	<hr/>	\$ 156.21

Two of our magazines were paid for two years, last year.

A. M. ROOT, *Treasurer*

H. L. NEVINS, *Librarian*



# Supplement Catalogue, Greenwich Public Library

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Abbott, Willis J. Soldiers of the Sea	F AB2.5
Andrews, Mary R. S. Joy in the Morning	AN2
Ayers, Leonard P. The War with Germany	F Ay8
Bacheller, Irving. A Man for the Ages	B19.7
Bailey, Marjory. Seven Peas in a Pod	jB15
Baldwin, Jas. Four Great Americans	jE B19
"      "      Bunyan's Dream Story	jB19
Benson, E. F. David Blaize and the Blue Door	jB44
Bindloss, Harold. Partners of the Out Trail	B51.9
Black, Alexander. The Great Desire	B56a
Blaisdell, Albert and Ball, Frances K. The English History Story Book	F B21
Blanchard, Amy E. A Little Maid of Picardy	B43.5
Burgess, Thornton W. Mrs. Peter Rabbit	jB91.3
"      "      "      The Burgess Bird Book for Children	L B91
Chisholm, Loney. Stories for the Seven Year Old	jC44
"      "      Stories for the Eight Year Old	jC44.2
Codman, Mrs. Russell. The Journal of Submarine Commander Van Forstner	F C64
Cody, H. A. The Touch of Abner	C64
Collins, Frances A. The Wireless Man	L C69
Comstock, Anna B. Ways of the Six Footed	L C73
Crownfield, Gertrude. The Little Taylor of the Winding Way	jC88
Curtin, D. Thomas. The Land of the Deepening	

Shadows	F C94
Curwood, Jas. Oliver. The River's End	C95.2
Davis, Arthur N. The Kaiser as I Know Him	F D29
Day, Holman. The Rider of the King Log	D33.7
Dix, Beulah Marie. Betty-Bide-at-Home	jD64.5
Duggan, Janie Prichard. Little Cuba Libre	jD87
Farmer, Florence V. Nature Myths of Many Lands	jF23
Fitzhugh, Percy K. Tom Slade on a Transport	jF57
Fultz, Francis M. The Flyaways and Other Seed Travellers	jF95
Glasglow, Ellen. The Builders	G35.8
Haines, Alice Calhoun. Indian Boys and Girls	jH12i
Hay, Ian. All in it	F H32.2
Hays, Donald Hamilton. Dragon Flies	j H32
Heilman, Eugene A. Practical Health Lessons, 2 vols.	L H36
Holt, J. Emmett. The Care and Feeding of Children	L H74
Kelland, Clarence B. The Little Moment of Happiness	K28
Kellor, Frances A. Straight America	F K29
Knibbs, Henry Hobart. The Ridin' Kid from Pow- der River	K72
Knipe, Alden A. and Emilie B. A Cavalier Maid	K73.2
Kip, Frederick. Equal Opportunity for All	Y K74
Laselle, Mary A. The Home and Country Readers, 4 vols.	jL33
Latham, Harold S. Marty Lends a Hand	L34
La Verre, Wm. Up the Mazaruni for Diamonds	jL38
Lawrence, Mary S. Old Time Hawaiians and their Work	jF L42
Lee, Jennette. The Rain-Coat Girl	L49.4
Lewis, Sinclair. Free Air	L58
Lutz, Grace L. Hill. The Search	L97.8
McCutcheon, Geo. Barr. Sherry	M149.3
Mix, Janie Irene. Mighty Animals	jL M64
Montgomery, L. M. Rainbow Valley	jM77.7
Morgan, J. H. The War Book of the German Gen-	

eral Staff	F M81
Napoleon, Foa, Madame Eugene. Boys' Life of Napoleon	jE N16.2
Nesbitt, E. Beautiful Stories from Shakespeare	jN41
Norris, Kathleen. Sisters	N53.5
Orczy, Baroness. The League of the Scarlet Pimpernell	OR4.2
Parsons, Geoffrey. The Land of Fair Play	F P24
Phillips, Ethel C. Wee Ann	jP54
Pumphrey, Margaret. Stories of the Pilgrims	jP97
Reeve, Arthur B. The Soul Scar	R25
Richardson, Norval. The World Shut Out	R39n
Roe, Vincie E. Tharon of Lost Valley	R62v
Roosevelt. Hagedorn, Hermon. Boys' Life of Theodore Roosevelt	E R72.2
Schauffler, Robt. Haven. Our Flag in Verse and Prose	Y Sch9.2
Sheridan, Bernard M. The Liberty Reader	Y Sh5
Scoville, Sam'l, Jr. Boy Scouts in Wilderness	jSCO9
Shurter, E. D. Winning Declamations and How to Speak Them	Y SH8
Shurter, E. D. Patriotic Selections	Y SH8.2
Sulzer. Blake, Geo. W. Sulzer's Short Speeches	E Su5
Sweet, Louis Mathews. The Makin' o' Joe	Sw5
Tappan, Eva March. The Golden Goose	jT13
"    "    "    Makers of Many Things	jL T13
Tarkington, Booth. The Turmoil	T 14.8
Thompson, Wm. Wigwam Wonder Tales	jT37
Thompson, John and Bigwood, Gilbert I. Lest We Forget	Y T37
Townsend, Ralph M. A Journey to the Garden Gate	jT35
Vanderlip, Frank A. What Happened to Europe	F V28
Wallare, Dillon. Grit-A-Plenty	jW15
Willsie, Honore. The Forbidden Trail	W69.2
Wodehouse, Pelham G. A Damsel in Distress	W72
Yerkes, Laura Augusta. Little Folks' Speaker	Y YE3

# Annual Report

OF THE  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF  
Greenwich, Mass.

For the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1919

## ORGANIZATION

### School Committee

		Term Expires
William H. Petrie, Ch.	Greenwich Village Tel. 33-4, Enfield	1920 Deceased
John H. King, Sec.	Greenwich Village Tel. 33-5, Enfield	1921
William R. Carrick	Greenwich Village Tel. Cooleyville	1922

### Superintendent

Arthur W. Smith      No. Dana      Tel. Cooleyville 21-11

### School Physician

Benjamin A. Sawtelle, M. D.      Greenwich      Tel. Enfield 19-3

### Attendance Officers

Fred Foley

Edwin H. Randall

# Report of the School Committee

*For the year ending Dec. 31, 1919*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Income of state school fund	\$ 1,240.30	
Balance from 1918	1,789.70	
High school tuition	240.00	
"    "    transportation	117.53	
State wards' tuition and transportation	314.00	
From state on account of superintendent	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,851.53
Expended		2,370.20
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Unexpended		\$ 1,481.33
Town appropriation	\$ 1,700.00	
Income Sabin school fund	24.42	
From town of Hardwick, tuition	54.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,778.42

## SALARIES OF TEACHERS

Gladys Brown	\$ 13.00
Gladys Johnson	26.00
Mrs. Esther Francis	13.00
Ada S. Morrison	312.00
Laura E. Walker	228.00
J. Etta Wheeler	297.00
Maryon W. Batchelder	228.00
E. Maude Bradley	71.40

Mrs. Ruth B. Dwelley	\$ 62.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,250.80
Superintendent's salary, Arthur W. Smith	\$ 216.00	
Expense of	16.99	
School committee	75.00	
Expense of	5.43	
Tuition	375.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 688.42

### CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS

Earl Hale	\$ 180.00	
Lewis Graves	108.00	
R. Chapin	240.00	
Geo. Hunter	235.00	
Atkinson Twible	21.00	
H. D. Adams	742.20	
High school	312.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,838.40

### EXPENDITURES

Care of rooms	\$ 80.30	
Supplies	98.74	
Books	91.77	
Fuel	64.65	
Repairs	24.09	
Miscellaneous small bills	11.45	
	<hr/>	\$ 371.00
Total expenditures		\$ 4,148.62

J. H. KING  
W. R. CARRICK

*School Committee of Greenwich*

Linwood J. Giffin, Auditor

# Superintendent's Report

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*To the School Committee:*

I have the pleasure of reporting to you that the schools are educationally better than they were a year ago. In filling the positions left vacant by the teachers of last year we were fortunate in securing the services of a college graduate for one, and a normal school graduate for the other. Their retention for next year would be of much value to the schools.

No extensive repairs have been made on the buildings. Sometime the interiors should be painted in soft colors that will make the rooms brighter without causing eye strain. In conjunction with that, the dark green opaque curtains should give place to light adjustable shades of suitable color and texture to harmonize with the walls and to withstand hard wear without shutting off the light.

From the standpoint of health, the distance at the Village school between the front of the building and the outhouse is too great for the children, especially the little ones, in winter and spring to walk. They make this trip from a warm or hot room without putting on rubbers or wraps. Chemical closets easily accessible to the pupils but not open to the public might be installed with profit to the health and morals of the children.

The boys' closet at the Plains is in much need of repair.

The demand for teachers is greater now than a year ago, and the supply smaller. Salaries of teachers and superintendents have increased. It will not be safe to appropriate less than \$1,400.00 for teachers for next year. Of this sum if teachers of

suitable qualifications are engaged, \$200.00 to 300.00 would be re-imbursed by the state later on.

The statistics for the year 1918-1919 are appended.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. SMITH

*Supt. of Schools*



## GREENWICH GRAMMAR GRADUATES, JUNE 1919

Village School

Edwin Lego

Helen Bekouski

## SCHOOL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1919

Ages	yrs.	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Tot.
Boys		0	2	2	5	3	4	6	4	2	0	1	0	29
Girls		0	0	3	5	4	2	3	1	4	1	0	0	23
Totals		0	2	5	10	7	6	9	5	6	1	1	0	52

Boys under 7 yrs., 2; girls under 7 yrs., 0; total 2

Boys 7 to 14 yrs., 26; girls 7 to 14 yrs., 23; total 49

Boys 14 to 16 yrs., 1; girls 14 to 16 yrs., 0; total 1

Boys, 29; girls, 23; total, 52

## SCHOOL TERMS

January 5— February 27— 8 weeks

March 8— April 23— 7 weeks

May 3— June 18— 7 weeks

August 30— December 17— 16 weeks

January 3, 1921— February 25, 1921

## HOLIDAYS

New Year's, Jan. 1

Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22

Patriots' Day, April 19

Memorial Day, May 30

July 4th

Labor Day, first Monday in September

Columbus Day, October 12

Armistice Day, November 11

Thanksgiving, last Thursday in November

Christmas, December 25

Schools should not be in session on holidays. A holiday occurring on Sunday should be observed on the next Monday.

Schools will close at noon of the Wednesday next preceding Thanksgiving and re-open on the next Monday morning.

## SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS, NOV. 1919

Number enrolled	62
Number found defective in eyesight	23
Number found defective in hearing	1
Number of parents or guardians notified	24

GREENWICH TEACHERS, SEPT. 2, 1918—JAN. 12, 1920

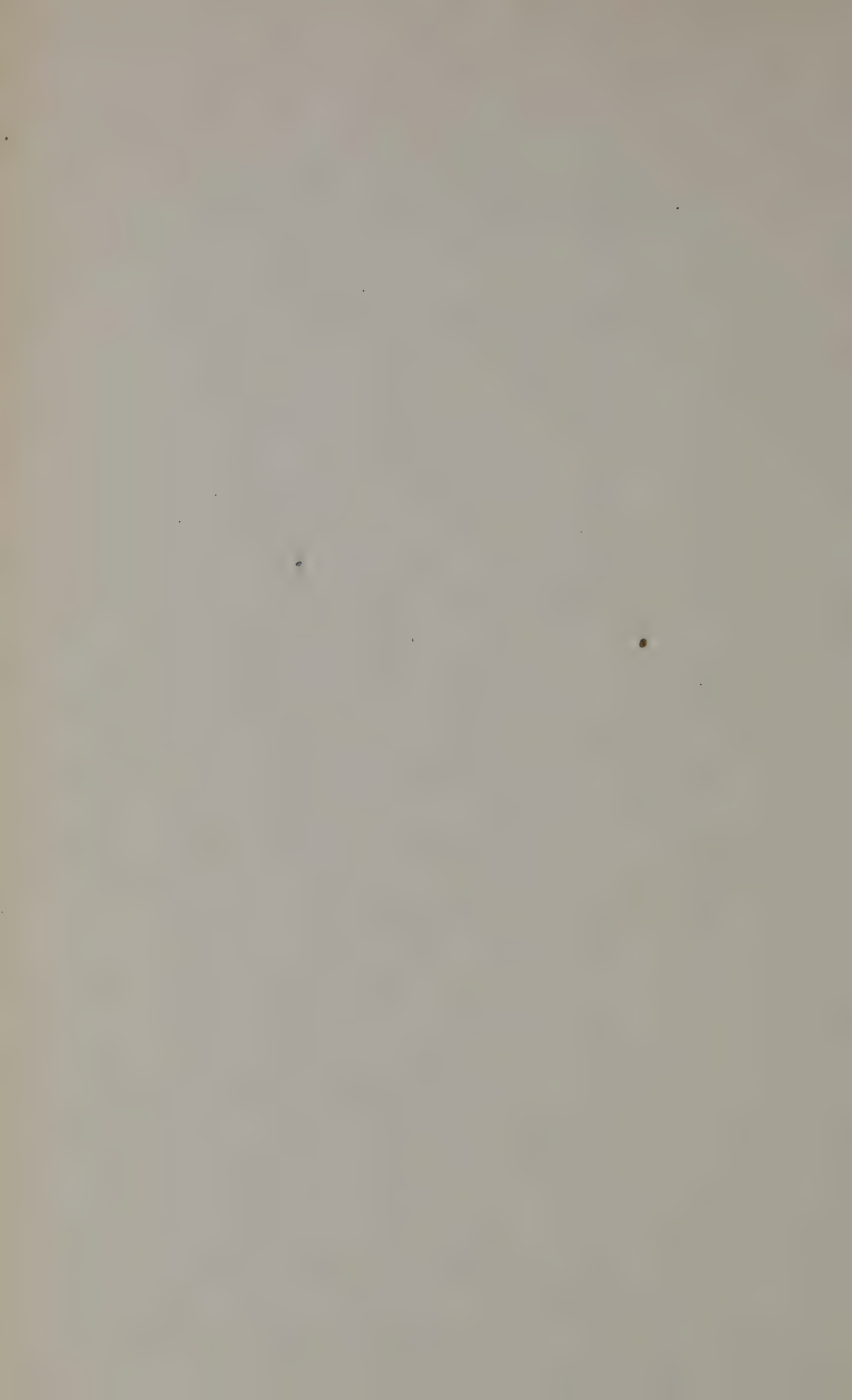
YEARLY SALARY	NAMES	SCHOOLS	HOMES	EDUCATION	Period of Service	
					From	To
*468	Ada S. Morrison	Plains	Haverhill	*No. Western Univ.	Sept. 1917	June 1919
*468	Mrs. Lura L. Barnes	Village	Springfield	*N. Salem Acad.	Sept. 2, 1918	Dec. 12, 1918
**570	J. Etta Wheeler	Village	Prescott	N. S. Academy	Feb. 11, 1919	June 27, 1919
**570	Laura Ella Walker	Village	Greenwich	Vil Mt. Holyoke	Sept. 1, 1919	Jan. 12, 1920
**570	Maryon W. Batchelder	Plains	Athol	Fitchburg Nor.	Sept. 1, 1919	Jan. 12, 1920
81	Mrs. Ruth B. Dwelley	M. Supv.	Oakham	N. E. Con.	Sept. 1917	Jan. 12, 1920
81	E. Maud Bradley	D. Supv.	Gardner	Mass. Normal Arts	Sept. 2, 1918	Jan. 12, 1920

\* 36 weeks base \*\* 38 weeks base. Supv. 18 trips each \*Not a graduate

MEMBERSHIP, GRADES, SEXES, JANUARY, 1920

Schools	I		II		III		IV		V		VI		VII		VIII		Totals	
	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G
Plains	0	2	3	0	2	0	5	2	1	1	0	0	4	3	3	2	18	10
	2		3		2		7		2		0		7		5		28	
Village	3	5	2	2	1	3	2	1	3	0	0	0	2	3	1	1	14	15
	8		4		4		3		3		0		5		2		29	
Totals	3	7	5	2	3	3	7	3	4	1	0	0	6	6	4	3	32	25
	10		7		6		10		5		0		12		7		57	





# Assessors' Valuation List

AND

## Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

GREENWICH, *Mass.*

FOR THE YEAR

1920

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## Valuation and Taxes

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Aiken, John F.	Poll		\$ 5.00
Adams, Herbert D.	Poll, machinery, 2 horses	\$ 150	8.60
Adams, Loren M.	Poll, yearling 40	40	5.96
Abbott, Fred.	Poll		5.00
Adams, Lucille.	Horse 100, house 200, barn 100, hen house 100, farm 20a 200. Ex.	700	
Alden, William F.	House 500, house lot 2a 100. Ex.	600	
Bishop, Mrs. Lillian.	House 800, barn 200, house lot 3½a 200, Leonard lot 12a 50	1250	30.00
Boutin, Lucy P.	House 400, barn 300, farm 20a 300	1000	24.00
Bacon, John L.	Poll, house 150, barn 25, house lot 1a 50	225	10.40
Barlow, Mrs. Clara.	2 horses 250, 10 cows 700, 3 yearlings 100, 125 fowls 173, house 300, barn 200, 2 hen houses 50, farm 80a 950	2723	65.35
Bosquet, Napoleon.	Sprout land 45a 500	500	12.00
Barron, Michael.	Barn 150, Joslyn farm 60a 450	600	14.40
Bourbeau, Albert.	Poll, 2 horses 100, 9 cows 630, 2 yearlings 70, 3 swine 85, 45 fowls		

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	52, house 1000, barn 800, silo 100, corn house 25, hen house 50, farm 120a 1500	4412	110.89
Billings, Catherine.	House 500, barn 100, 36a land 400	1000	24.00
Beals, Elizabeth.	House 550, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50. Ex.	600	
Billings, Joseph.	Poll, 2 horses 300, 5 cows 325, 2 two-year olds 90, 7 yearlings 265, 40 fowls 45, house 250, barn 300, ice and milk house 50, farm 104a 1100, Powers lot 5a 50, Sears lot 30a 250, Fuller lot 30a 150	3175	81.20
Beede, Daniel.	Poll, horse 125, 2 cows 160, yearling 50, 20 fowls 15, house 1000, barn 400, hen house 50, garage 100, farm 150a 1450	3350	85.40
Bombard, Moses.	Poll, farm 9a 250	250	11.00
Brown, Henry.	House 500, house lot $\frac{5}{8}$ a 75. Ex.	575	
Brooks, Ina A.	House 600, house lot $2\frac{1}{2}$ a 200	800	19.20
Blackmer, Leroy.	Poll, horse 100, cow 55, two-year old 45, yearling 30, house 450, barn 200, farm 12a 225, o. p. 175	1280	35.72
Caswell, Mylon.	Poll, horse 150, house 750, barn 150, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50	1100	26.40
Carrick, William.	Poll, 2 horses 200, 5 cows 250, two-year old 50, 2 yearlings 75, 30 fowls 30, house 550, barn 200, hen house 25, carriage house 50, o. p. 900, farm 75a 750, $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25, Root lot 75a 180, Newton		

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
lot 140a	360	3645	92.48
Chamberlain, Augusta.	House 2000, house lot $\frac{3}{8}$ a 100	2100	50.40
Chapman, Trelawney.	Horse 40, cow 50, two-year old 50, house 350, barn 200, hen house 50, farm 100a 750. Ex. 550	940	22.56
Case, Frank E.	Poll, horse 40, 7 sheep 70, 20 fowls 15, house 700, barn 150, corn house 25	1850	44.40
Cheese Mfg. Co.	Factory bldg. 750, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50	800	19.20
Churchill, Mrs. F. W.	2 horses 225, 6 cows 550, 2 yearlings 75, house 700, barn 500, farm 195a 1200	3250	78.00
Chapin, Arthur.	Poll, horse 50, cow 60, swine 35, 100 fowls 135, o. p. 150, house 750, barn 150, hen houses 350, farm 13a 250	1930	51.32
Clifford, Lucy A.	25 fowls 23, o. p. 100, house 200, 2 hen houses 50, barn 100, farm 4a 50	523	12.55
Clifford, Rutherford.	Poll, boat house 25, barn 50, Beals lot 14a 140, pond lot 18a 100, cottage 150	465	16.16
Clifford, Carl M.	Poll		5.00
Churchill, F. W.	Poll		5.00
Churchill, Fred A.	Poll		5.00
Case, Gilbert.	Poll. Ex.		
Clapp, Clifton.	Poll, 2 cows 100, house 400, hen house 50, house lot 3a 100, house 500, barn 150, part of Kelley farm 18a 400	1700	45.80

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Coit, Charles. Poll, o. p. 400, house 750, barn 200, hen house 50, house lot 1a 100, Pierce lot 29a 500		2000	53.00
Chapin, Ross D. House 500, barn 250, wag- on house 75, farm 50a 800		1625	39.00
Comee, Etta. House 600, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 25. Ex.		625	
Crane, Harry D. Poll, 3 horses 350, cow 75, swine 35, 47 fowls 58		518	17.43
Crane, Mrs. Cassie. House 700, barn 300, hen houses 700, farm 22a 450		2150	51.60
Curtis, Hermon D. Poll, 2 horses 250, 3 cows 210, two-year old 50, swine 35, 90 fowls 120		665	20.96
Curtis, Mrs. Emma. House 1000, barn 500, hen houses 100, farm 65a 650		2250	54.00
Closson, Luke W. Poll, o. p. 400, 2 cottages 1000, 5 lots $1\frac{1}{4}$ a 500		1900	50.60
Dickinson, Howard H. Poll, stock in trade 1500, cow 50, o. p. 250		1800	48.20
Dickinson, Ruby. House 400, barn 100, house lot 1a 100		600	14.40
Douglass, Miss C. C. House 750, barn 150, store house 50, house lot 1a 100		1050	25.20
Clark, Edward T. Poll, 2 horses 100, cow 40, two-year old 60, 2 swine 30, 65 fowls 115, house 750, 2 barns 200, farm 70a 700		1995	52.88
Duncan, Mrs. Jane, heirs or devisees. House 650, barn 200, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50		900	21.60
Drinkwater, Charles A. Poll, horse 150, 5			

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
cows 400, 2 swine 75, 350 fowls 495, house 250, barn 200, store house 150, hen houses 700, horse barn 200, farm 200a 1950, cottage house 150, hen house 50, house lot 2a 50, Davis lot 76a 300		5150	127.88
Dixon, Ray. Poll			5.00
Denslow, Harry C. o. p. 100		100	2.40
Edson, Mrs. Carrie, heirs or devisees. House 400, barn 250, farm 84a 700, Plain lot 25a 250		1600	38.40
Edson, Lester. Poll			5.00
Ellsworth, Ila M. House 750, barn 100, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100		950	22.80
Ellsworth, Roy. Poll			5.00
Faverio, Gertrude. House 1000, barn 300, grain house 150, hen houses 250, brooder house 500, cottage 50, farm 210a 1500		3750	90.00
Faverio, Louis. Poll, cow 80, yearling 50, 46 fowls 54, o. p. 400		584	14.02
Felton, Webster. Poll, horse 150, 7 cows 560, 75 fowls 93, house 200, barn 400, hen house 50, farm 65a 600, Pomeroy lot 15a 100		2153	56.67
Fewell, Edgar O. Poll, horse 125, 2 cows 150, yearling 40, o. p. 400, $\frac{1}{2}$ house 400, $\frac{1}{2}$ barn 150, hen house 25, garage 100, 20a 200		1590	43.16
Fewell, William H. Poll, $\frac{1}{2}$ house 400, $\frac{1}{2}$ barn 150, $\frac{1}{2}$ farm 20a 200		750	23.00
Fewell, Grace J. House 750, house lot 9a 100, Spooner lot 100, Hannum lot 20a 200		1150	27.60

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Fewell, William B.	Poll		5.00
Flanders, Robert.	Poll, hotel 1800, cottage 200, barn 300, bowling alley 100, shed 50, farm 80a 1000, Howard lot 30a 500	3950	99.80
Fuller, George A.	Poll, 75 fowls 98, house 950, barn 200, hen house 50, shop 25, house lot 2 $\frac{1}{3}$ a 225	1548	42.15
Fuller, Mrs. George.	o. p. 275	275	6.60
Foley, Fred.	Poll, o. p. 250, plain lot 8a 600	850	25.40
Gamwell, George.	Poll, house 400, barn 50, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, Phipps lot 2a 50	550	18.20
Giffin and Hall.	o. p. 500	500	12.00
Giffin, Linwood J.	Poll, stock in trade 1500, o. p. 500, Blackmer lot 25a 300	2300	60.20
Giffin, William H., heirs or devisees.	House 750, barn 150, garage 50, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, woods lot 8a 300	1300	31.20
Graves, Louis.	Poll		5.00
Graves, Ruth.	Phipps land 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 500		12.00
Graves, Roy, heirs or devisees.	House 650, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50	700	16.80
Hale, Samuel, heirs or devisees.	House 300, barn 200, wagon house 50, farm 33a 450	1000	24.00
Hale, Earl.	Russell lot 15a 200	200	4.00
Hall, F. P.	Poll, stock in trade 3000, o. p. 900, Post Office block 2400, lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100	6400	158.60
Hall, Mrs. Luella.	House 1600, barn 300, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100	2000	48.00
Hall, Luella and Martha.	Personal 100, cottage 600, garage 100, lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 200	1000	24.00
Haskell and Towne.	Cottage 600, lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100		

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	o. p. 150	850	20.40
Harrington, Martha J.	House 600, barn 200, shed 50, farm 30a 350, Plain lot 15a 200, Haskell lot 16a 150, o. p. 700	2250	54.00
Hunter, Austin.	Poll, 2 horses 125, 2 oxen 300, 10 cows 700, 4 two-year olds 180, yearling 50, 100 fowls 135, house 500, barn 500, wagon house 50, hen house 25, farm 150a 2000, Northan lot 50a 800, Pond lot 12a 200, Swamp lot 13a 150, Plain lot 7a 75	5790	138.96
Hunter Brothers.	Horse 100, 15 cows 1125, 5 yearlings 250, 95 fowls 138, house 1000, barn 500, wagon house 50, corn house 25, farm 145a 2000	5188	124.51
Hunter, Edward M.	Poll, Manley lot 30a 300, Pomeroy lot 12a 100, Old Grove lot 25a 250	650	20.60
Hunter, David M.	Poll		5.00
Hunter, Harry E.	Poll		5.00
Hunter, Henry E.	Poll		5.00
Hunter, George L.	Poll, horse 50, fowls 38, o. p. 250, house 300, barn 400, shop 100, garage 25, farm 40a 400, Johnson lot 7a 75, Ayres lot 10a 100, Phipps lot 15a 75	1813	48.51
Januszajtis, Anthony.	Poll, 2 horses 300, 9 cows 450, two-year old 45, 2 yearlings 70, 20 fowls 15, house 400, barn 350, shop 50, silo 100, farm 155a 1400, Lincoln farm 100a 500	3680	93.32
Johnston, Fannie D.	Horse 75, 175 fowls		

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
248, o. p. 250, house 500, barn 300, hen houses 300, store house 200, wagon house 100, engine house 50, house lot 4a 300, Powers lot 8a 250, Walker lot 4a 200		2773	66.55
Johnston, Henry D. Poll			5.00
Johnston, Harold D. Poll. Ex.			
Jones, Mrs. Martha. House 400, barn 100, hen house 50, house lot 2a 125. Ex.		675	
Kehl, Carl G. Poll, 2 horses 125, 5 cows 275, 2 heifers 75, 20 fowls 15		490	16.76
Kehl, Mrs. Myra A. House 250, 2 barns 150, farm 95a 500		900	21.60
Kelley, Mrs. and Misses. House 900, barn 400, house lot 4a 200, Towne lot 30a 300		1800	43.20
Kelley, Lillian. Cottage 250, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, o. p. 50, Douglas lot 20a 400, Walker lot 30a 300		1100	26.40
Kelley, Nellie. Plain lot 18a 400		400	9.60
King, John H. Poll, house 450, barn 100, hen house 50, farm 56a 560, horse 100, 2 cows 160, 25 fowls 23		1443	39.63
King, W. R. Poll, cow 100, 20 fowls 15, o. p. 200, barn 200, hay lot 20a 300, Gray lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 25		840	25.16
King, Oscar A. Poll, 3 horses 400, cow 80, 3 swine 100, 50 fowls 60, house 300, barn 200, hen house 100, wagon house 50, farm 100a 800		2090	55.16
King, Mrs. Margaret. 50 fowls 60, Wheeler house 600, Wheeler barn 200, Wheeler shop 325, garage 100, Wheeler farm 17a			



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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
500, Bacon lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100		1885	45.24
King, Edward T. Poll, 9 horses 700, 4 cows 300, 7 yearlings 280, 3 swine 60, farm barn 300, store house 25, farm 33a 500, Powers house 1100, Powers barn 200, house lot 15a 300, Douglass lot 55a 250, Haskell lot 4a 50, Russell lot 16a 400, Cutler lot 36a 800, Ayres, Fuller and Brooks lot 60a 600, Abbott lot 12a 100, Alden lot 33a 150, Jones meadow lot 3a 75		6190	153.56
Kimball, Carl. Poll, 4 horses 1000, 3 cows 180, lumber 500, wood 150, o. p. 2100, house 500, barn 100, shop 75, farm 28a 300, hotel land 27a 600		5505	137.12
Labare, Adolfus. House 400, barn 150, farm 100a 800		1350	32.40
Lego, Henry. Poll, horse 35, cow 75, 2 swine 40, 450 fowls 675, o. p. 520, house 350, barn 250, hen houses 400, grain house 100, shed 100, tool shed 150, incubator house 200, farm 75a 900		3795	96.08
Lego, Raymond. Poll, 2 horses 450		450	15.80
Lego, Peter E. Poll. horse 75, cow 75, 3 swine 60, 275 fowls 398, o. p. 250, $\frac{1}{2}$ a on pond 150		1008	29.19
Lego, Nellie. House 350, barn 125, hen houses 200, farm 15a 200, meadow 10a 50		925	22.20
Leonard, Charles, Estate. House 100, farm 20a 150, King lot 15a 100		350	8.40
Lincoln, John V. Poll, 2 horses 100, 3 cows			

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	240, 2 two-year olds 90, 24 fowls 13, o. p. 200, house 400, barn 350, shed 75, farm 28a 400, Pierce lot 40a 250, Sturtevant lot 40a 300, Sly lot 10a 75, Olds lot 50a 50	2633	68.19
Litch, Mrs. Ella.	House 500, barn 100, shed 25, farm 20a 200	825	19.80
Loux, George B.	Poll, 2 horses 250, 11 cows 715, 50 fowls 60, o. p. 400, house 800, barn 500, silo 50, shed 50, farm 120a 1400	4225	106.40
Loux, Andrew J.	Poll, horse 50	50	6.20
Mason, George H.	Poll, horse 25, 4 cows 300, yearling 45	370	13.88
Mason, Mrs. Fannie.	House 500, barn 300, shed 50, farm 80a 700	1550	37.20
Mason, George L.	Poll, o. p. 400	400	14.60
Mason, Lester.	Poll, o. p. 300	300	12.20
Merritt, Andrew J.	Poll, horse 75, cow 80, o. p. 250, hotel 2400, barn 450, hotel lot 1a 150, barn 300, farm 11a 300	4005	101.12
Miller, Clarence E.	Poll, horse 75, house 550, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, Sprout lot 11a 25	700	21.80
Moore, Charles A.	Poll, garage 500, o. p. 400, wood lot 50a 800, King lot 22a 400, garage lot 2a 100	2200	57.80
Moore, Emory A.	Poll, stock in trade 200, blacksmith shop 700, shop site 50	950	27.80
Mitchell, Robert.	Poll		5.00
Moore Mrs. Emory.	House 750, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50	800	19.20
Nevins, Mrs. George.	House 750, barn 100,		

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
house lot 6a 100, cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, Johnson lot 25a 200, o. p. 100		1850	44.40
Nevins, Helen. House 750, barn 150, house lot 100. Ex.		1000	
Parker, Abel O., Est. Bailey barn 200, Bailey lot 30a 550, barn lot 5a 150, Bailey hill lot 110a 500, Spooner lot 5a 150		1550	37.20
Parker, Webster M. Poll, 3 horses 350, 9 cows 675, 2 two-year olds 120, 4 year- lings 160, swine 35, 60 fowls 75, Lin- coln lot 75a 1000		2665	68.96
Parker, Mrs. A. O. House 750, barn 300, carriage house 50, house lot $2\frac{1}{2}$ a 150		1250	30.00
Parker, Mrs. Nellie. House 1000, barn 350, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 50, Morse house 200, Morse barn 100, Morse lot 2a 150, o. p. 250		2100	50.40
Parker, Lucy A. House 750, shed 50, house lot 3a 200		1000	24.00
Petrie, William, Est. House 300, barn 500, hen house 50, farm 50a 750		1600	38.40
Phipps, George E. Poll, 2 horses 250, house 150, barn 50, shed 50, house lot 1a 50, Fuller farm 80a 500		1050	30.20
Pomeroy, Arthur. House 300, house lot $\frac{3}{4}$ a 75. Ex.		375	
Powers, Mrs. Susan. House 300, barn 150, shop and store house 75, farm 75a 450, Barrows barn 50, Barrows farm 140a 1200		2220	53.40
Parkhurst, Pliny. Poll, house 500, barn 50, hen house 25, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, Parkhurst lot 13a 65		690	21.56

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Petfield, George. Poll, cow 75, two-year old 45, yearling 35, house 250, barn 150, farm 131a 800		1355	37.52
Patnaude, Mary A. House 300, barn 300, hen house 25, house lot 6a 200, o. p. 500		1325	31.80
Patnaude, Ambrose. Poll			5.00
Randall, E. H. Poll, 2 horses 250, yearling 40		290	11.96
Ramsdell, John. House 400, barn 250, house lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75. Ex.		725	
Richards, James L. Poll, house 300, barn 200, farm 46a 500, Plain lot 5a 50		1050	13.20
Rogers, Frank. House 250, barn 100, farm 7a 100		450	11.52
Root, Albert. Poll, house 400, barn 200, ci- der mill 50, house lot 3a 100, Doake lot 26a 100, Pomeroy lot 10a 50, Potter lot 20a 100, horse 25, o. p. 250, machinery 50		1325	36.80
Root, Amelia M. House 300, barn 150, home farm 140a 1400, lot 9a 200		2050	49.20
Ross, Ezra E. Poll, 2 horses 200, cow 45, house 450, barn 1000, hen house 25, silo 100, farm 142a		3545	90.08
Ross, Ezra M. Poll. Ex.			
Star, Fred. Poll			5.00
Sawtelle, Dr. B. A. Poll, horse 100, cow 80		180	9.32
Sawtelle, Mrs. E. House 750, barn 150, hen house 25, farm 29a 500		1425	34.20
Smith, George E. Poll, house 400, barn 500, wagon house 50, farm 57a 1000,			

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
horse 50, 8 cows 600, swine 35, 35 fowls 37		2672	69.13
Schmerhorn, Sheldon. Poll, 3 horses 250, 4 cows 240, yearling 45, 28 fowls 27		562	18.49
Schmerhorn, Mrs. Bertha. House 500, barn 250, farm 50a 600, Thomas barn 150, farm 100a 750		2250	54.00
Schmerhorn, Morris. Poll. Ex.			
Severance, Thomas. Poll, house 300, barn 300, shed 25, farm 120a 1000, 2 horses 250, 7 cows 455, 25 fowls 22, o. p. 100		2492	64.81
Severance, George. Poll. Ex. o. p. 300		300	7.20
Severance, Thomas Jr. Poll. Ex.			
Sargeant, W. R. Poll. Ex.			
Stevens, Burton. House 400, barn 200, silo 100, farm 25a 300		1000	24.00
Simmons, William. Poll, o. p. 250		250	11.00
Society, Cong. House 600, barn 100, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50		750	18.00
Society, Ind. Liberal. Barn 300, barn lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 25		325	7.80
Smith, Justin. Poll, house 750, barn 400, shed 50, farm 120a 1200, 2 horses 150, 7 cows 490, two-year old 60, yearling 50, 30 fowls 30, o. p. 250		3430	87.32
Stockwell, Mrs. Fannie. Horse 100, house 600, barn 100, house lot 50, Jordon lot 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 125, Jordon lot 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ a 300, bldg. lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100. Ex. 875.		1375	12.00
Stevens, Albert A. Poll, house 450, lot 1a 50		500	17.00
Stone, Madison J. Poll, cottage 300, lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a			

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	75	375	14.00
Thayer, Frank.	Poll, horse 150, cow 100, 125 fowls 163	413	14.91
Thresher, Harrison L.	Poll, 2 horses 150, o. p. 150	300	12.20
Towne, Mrs. Mary.	House 750, barn 200, shed 25, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, Fuller lot 18a 400	1475	35.40
Thresher, Joseph L.	Poll, house 400, barn 300, shed 25, farm 50a 700, Paige lot 12a 50, John Thresher lot 6a 50, 2 horses 75, 4 cows 280, bull 50, yearling 40, 3 swine 80, 20 fowls 15, o. p. 300	2365	61.76
Thresher, Samuel E.	Poll		5.00
Thresher, Chester.	Poll. Ex.		
Twible, Atkinson.	Poll, house 500, barn 300, silo 75, hen house 25, farm 60a 800, Pomeroy lot 25a 200, Chatman lot 2a 25, 3 horses 350, 8 cows 520, 3 yearlings 135, 65 fowls 83	3013	77.31
Towne, Edward L.	Poll, o. p. 250	250	11.00
Upton, Edward L.	Poll, house, 350, barn 250, shed 100, hen house 25, farm 22a 200, Powers lot 25a 100, horse 35, 2 cows 150, 2 yearlings 80, 275 fowls 398, o. p. 250	1938	51.51
Uracious, Cyprian.	Poll, house 1000, barn 500, silo 100, store house 50, farm 100a 1000, 2 horses 75, 10 cows 700, yearling 40, 15 fowls 9	3474	88.38
Vaughan, Fred H.	Poll, stock in trade 500,		

## VALUATION AND TAXES OF THE TOWN OF GREENWICH

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	o. p. 550	1050	30.20
Vaughan, Mrs. Nellie.	House 1500, barn 300, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, Church lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 150	2050	49.20
Vaughan, Jessie M.	Poll, horse 125, cow 90, o. p. 800	1015	29.36
Vaughan, Mrs. Ada.	House 800, barn 300, hen house 25, farm 15a 500	1625	39.00
Vaughan, Martin E.	House 500, barn 250, hen house 25, house lot 6a 100, Plain lot 16a 100, horse 25, 15 fowls 15. Ex.	1015	
Walker, Charles D.	Poll, stock in trade 2000, 15 fowls 8, o. p. 150, house 800, house lot 1a 50	3008	77.19
Walker, George A.	Poll, house 350, barn 300, silo 50, farm 127a 1000, 5 horses 650, 4 cows 260, yearling 40, 15 fowls 8,	2658	68.79
Walker, James H., Charles D. and Laura.	Wheeler lot 60a 2000	2000	48.00
Walker, William.	Poll, stock in trade 1000, 2 horses 200, 5 cows 300, swine 35, machinery 1000, o. p. 400, house 900, barn 300, house lot $\frac{1}{2}$ a 100, store bldg. 1500, store house 100, store lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, saw and grist mill 1000, land and water power 1000, box shop 950, shop site $\frac{1}{2}$ a 50, ice house 50, Bailey lot 70a 1500, Butterfield lot 5a 100, Hale lot 20a 200, Powers lot 42a 350, Russell lot 95a 500, School lot 60a 500, Ledge lot 2a 10, Snow lot 35a 225, Warner lot 13a 100, Whipple lot 30a 75	12545	306.08

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Wheeler, John A. Poll, house 300, barn 150, farm 40a 400, Plain lot 33a 500, Lincoln lot 33a 400		1750	47.00
Worcester, Asa. Poll, house 100		100	7.40
Wheeler, Stanley. Poll, house 300, farm 85a 1000, Sly lot 55a 200		1500	41.00
Winter, Mrs. George L. House 800, barn 300, hen houses 300, house lot 2a 300, Bailey lot 4a 200, Record lot 3a 150		2050	49.20
Wilcox, Azuba, heirs or devisees. Cottage 500, lot 1a 100		600	14.40
Zappey, John. Poll			5.00



## Non-Residents

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
BOSTON			
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	o. p. 521	521	\$12.50
Western Union Tel. Co.	o. p. 1187	1187	28.49
Boston & Maine R. R.	Land 16a 400	400	9.60
COOLEYVILLE			
Highland Tel. Co.	o. p. 550	550	13.20
SPRINGFIELD			
Boston & Albany R. R.	Land 3a 300	300	7.20
Buckholz, Hermon.	Cottage 1000, 7 bldg. lots 700, 1½a each, o. p. 200	1900	45.60
Burgin, Alfred.	Cottage 800, lot 100, o. p. 200	1100	26.40
Carlton, Dr. Dudley.	Cottage 1000, 2 bldg. lots 200, o. p. 200	1400	33.60
Cohn, Julius.	Cottage lot 100	100	2.40
Eaton, Philip A.	Thomas lot 12a 300	300	7.20
Finderson, John G.	Cottage lot ¼a 100	100	2.40
Green, Edward S.	Cottage 850, house lot ½a 50, o. p. 200	1100	26.40
Howe, William S.	Rogers lot 10a 100	100	2.40
Englehard, Frank.	Cottage 1000, 5 lots 500, o. p. 200	1700	40.80
Linquist, John.	Sprout land 5a 50	50	1.20
Mansfield & Daggett.	Cottage 500, lot ¼a		

## VALUATION AND TAXES OF THE TOWN OF GREENWICH

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	100, o. p. 100	700	16.80
Sackett, Bessie E.	Cottage 800, Cooper cottage 500, land 4a 300	1800	43.20
Dennison, John A.	Cottage 500, 2 lots 200, o. p. 200	900	21.60
Bull, Florence.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, o. p. 100	700	16.80
Johnson, Ernest V.	Cottage 300, barn 50, house lot 50, o. p. 50	450	10.80
Hopkins, Frederic.	Cottage 1000, garage 75, part of King farm 10a 350, o. p. 300	1725	40.41
Appleton, Edward.	Cottage 1000, part of King farm 10a 350, o. p. 300	1650	39.60
Clifford, Kenneth.	Bldg. lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75	75	1.80
Simard, William.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, o. p. 100	700	16.80
Langdon, Charles.	House 400, barn 100, house lot $1\frac{1}{2}$ a 100	600	14.40
Whittum, Norman.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, o. p. 100	700	16.80
Morey, Bernice.	Cottage 800, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, o. p. 100	1000	24.00
Buss, Mrs. Lottie.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, o. p. 100	700	16.80
Spear, George W.	House 300, barn 100, Wheeler farm 25a 250, Beals house 400, barn 200, farm 39a 750	2000	48.00
Wood, Dwight B.	House 500, barn 300, hen house 25, house lot 2a 150	975	23.40
ENFIELD			
Eddy, John.	Wood lot 4a 25	25	.60
Flint, J. W., heirs or devisees.	Mountain		

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	lot 90a 1000	1000	24.00
Murphy, Jennie D.	Gillett lot 15a 100, Snow lot 6a 50	150	3.60
Crowther, John.	Pike cottage 500, Hess cottage 500, C. A. Wright cottage 500, Harry Wright cottage 500, Metcalf cottage 500, R. R. store house 100, leased land and track 500, Pomeroy lot 20a 500, five cottage lots 500	4100	98.00
Cooper, C. F.	o. p. 100	100	2.40
Hess, H. B.	o. p. 100	100	2.40
Wright, C. A.	o. p. 100	100	2.40
Wright, Harry.	o. p. 100	100	2.40
Metcalf, James.	o. p. 100	100	2.40
Felton, Charles W.	Richards pasture 30a 300, Sibley lot 15a 100, Joslin lot 45a 300, Hattie Joslin 22a 200	900	21.60
Kelley, Grant S. Mfg. Co.	40a 800	800	19.20
Lochlan, Helen B.	House 1000, barn 300, store house 75, house lot 9a 200, 4 bldg. lots 50	1625	39.00
Smith, Charles H.	Pasture land 8a, 100	100	2.40
Thurston, Jason.	Mowing and pasture 12a 300	200	7.20
Tyler, Coleman J.	Part of farm 20a 200	200	4.80
Ward, Mrs. Lucy F.	Cottage 800, barn 100, Potter lot 100a 500, Sturtevant lot 25a 100, o. p. 200	1700	40.80
Ware, Mrs. H. B.	Plain lot 4a 50	50	1.20
Witherell, Ernest.	Swamp land 19a 50	50	1.20
WARE			
Barnes, W. W.	Powell lot 60a 300	300	7.20

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
Otis Co. o. p. 1000		1000	24.00
Provancal, Philius. Newland lot 14a	300	300	7.20
Owens, Emily C. Sibley farm 60a	475	475	11.40
Ruggles, Reed S. Sprout land 32a	300	300	7.20
Sibley, Frank M. Sibley lot 40a	400	400	9.60
Lawton, E. W. Russell lot 25a	125	125	3.00
Camp, Cook. House 500, barn 200, farm 100a 500, Richards lot 40a 600, o. p. 100		1900	45.60
Ware Lumber Co. Bailey grove lot 25a 500 part of Bailey farm 50a 300, Smith lot 40a 350		1150	27.60
PRESCOTT			
Allen, Frank R. Ayers lot 20a 100, o. p. 6250		6350	152.40
Brown, Marshall. Estey lot 20a	250	250	6.00
Kelley, Eugene G. Plain lot 15a	300	300	7.20
Paige, Charles, heirs or devisees. White lot 15a 400		400	9.60
Smith, Jennie A., heirs or devisees. Wood land 10a 150		150	3.60
Mitchell, E. P. Hemmenway lot 10a	50	50	1.20
Powers, Miner E. Saw mill 100, site and lot 2½a 125, pasture and wood land 30a 300, o. p. 100		625	15.00
SPRINGFIELD			
Hersey, J. W., Est. 5 bldg. lots	500	500	12.00
Hersey, Helen C. 4 " " 400	400	400	9.60
Duming, James G. 1 " " 100	100	100	2.40
Pettingill, Caroline L. 2 bldg. lots	200	200	4.80
Harmon, Israel, Est. 3 " " 300	300	300	7.20
Chapin, Charles W. and Harmon, Israel.			

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
1 bldg. lot 100		100	2.40
Carpenter, Frank E. 2 bldg. lots 200		200	4.80
Harris, D. L. and Hitchcock, L. H. 1 bldg. lot 100		100	2.40
Smith, Hermon (Inc.). 3 bldg. lots 300		300	7.20
Pomeroy, Lucy E. 1 " " 100		100	2.40
Kibbe, George (Inc.), 4 " " 400		400	9.60
HARTFORD, CONN.			
Mayes, Lena. 2 bldg. lots 200		200	4.80
Woodruff, Joseph S. (Inc.). 6 bldg. lots 600		600	14.40
Case, Jane M. (Inc.) and Case, Julius A. 9 bldg. lots 900		900	21.60
Rathburn, Julius G. 2 bldg. lots 200		200	4.80
Allen, Orrin A. (Inc.). 3 bldg. lots 300		300	7.20
Holt, Lucius H. 8 bldg. lots 800		800	19.20
Jaycox, Gilbert B. (Inc.). 10 bldg. lots 1000		1000	24.00
Brown, George C. 1 bldg. lot 100		100	2.40
Sexton, George H. 6 bldg. lots 600		600	14.40
PITTSFIELD			
Clarke, Brainard J. 2 bldg. lots 200		200	4.80
Kent Stanley Co. (Inc.). 2 bldg. lots 200		200	4.80
LUDLOW			
Duby, Louis. 2 bldg. lots 200		200	4.80
PALMER			
Langlois, Joseph E. 2 bldg. lots 200		200	4.80
Gardner, Charles L. Bldg. lot 100		100	2.40
ANDOVER			
Anderson, Ella R. 2 bldg. lots 200		200	4.80

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
BRIDGEPORT, CONN.			
Dalton, Thomas, (Inc.)	5 bldg. lots 500	500	12.00
CHESHIRE, CONN.			
Rathburn, Edward A. (Inc.)	3 bldg. lots 300	300	7.20
Ward, Fred R.	Bldg. lot 100	100	2.40
Thompson, Edward A.	Bldg. lot 100	100	2.40
Preston, Howard G.	2 bldg. lots 200	200	4.80
Whitaker, Silas.	Russell lot 12a 150	150	3.60
Thayer, Fannie G.	House 700, barn 200, house lot 2a 200, 3 house lots 50	1150	27.60
NORTH DANA			
Hanson, Frank.	Beals lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 75	75	1.80
Doubleday, Whipple C.	Wood land 18a 200	200	4.80
Doubleday, Rollin.	Wood land 14a 500	500	12.00
Doubleday, Frank A.	Wood land 4a 100	100	2.40
Gee, Charles E. & Co.	Tourtelott lot 22a 200, o. p. 6400	6600	158.40
Gee & Tyler.	Paige & Lincoln lot 30a 400	400	9.60
Tyler, Edwin P.	Phelps lot 115a 700	700	16.80
ATHOL			
Diamond Match Co.	Part of Johnson farm 60a 700, Avery lot 12a 100	800	19.20
Ellis, Mrs. Adeline E.	House 400, house lot 5a 150	550	13.20
Rowe, Charles, heirs or devisees.	Sunk brook lot 2a 100	100	2.40
Root, Mrs. Mary A.	House lot 10a 150	150	3.60
Cass, N. D.	Land 10a 150	150	3.60
Powers, Orrin J.	Oakes lot 35a 1000, Wheel- er lot 7a 50, Hill lot 40a 200, Brown lot		

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
80a 500, Doubleday lot 14a 50, o. p. 8900		10700	256.80
Fay, O. A., heirs or devisees. Swamp lot 14a 140, Plain lot 50a 500, Hill lot 70a 700, Morgan lot 225a 2000, Freeman lot 19a 100, Warner lot 44a 400, Bailey lot 12a 150, Gibbs lot 2a 10		4000	96.00
WORCESTER			
Herrick, Leander F. Whitcomb lot 2a 25, Shaw lot 2a 25, Tourtelott lot 27a 500		550	13.20
Manley, Lucinda J. House 400, house lot 1a 100, garage 25		525	12.60
Manley, Frank. Fuller and Marcey lot 61a 300		300	7.20
Gates, Lewis E. Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, land 24a 500			
Wheeler, Dr. Charles D. House 2000, barn 600, farm 47a 700, cow 70, o. p. 500		3870	92.88
Smith, Ruth V., and Latham, Agnes V. House 1200, barn 300, cook house 100, boat house 25, Sly lot 30a 700, Spring lot 10a 100, Sturtevant lot 48a 800, Howard lot 46a 800, o. p. 200		4225	101.40
Vaughan, Ernest H. Plain lot 28a 300, North lot 13a 300		600	14.40
PALMER			
Holbrook, J. F., heirs or devisees. Wood land 12a 400		400	9.60
Jones, Ira L. House 450, barn 100, shed 50, house lot 2a 200		800	19.20
Jones, Mable L. House 300, barn 100, shop 100, house 500, barn 150, house 200,			

## VALUATION AND TAXES OF THE TOWN OF GREENWICH

Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
house lot 1a 25, barn 150, farm 36a 300, farm 27a 350, o. p. 50		2225	53.40
HARDWICK			
Thrasher, Fred A. Fuller lot 12a 200		200	4.80
Walker, Mrs Hattie C. Part of Bailey farm 16a 450, Sly lot 30a 300, part of Bailey grove 5a 150		900	21.60
Spooner, Steven H. Barn 25, hen house 25, farm 107a 1500		1550	37.20
WESTFIELD			
Holmes, Abraham D. W. Lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100			
Sackett, Herbert H. Meadow land 2a 50		50	1.20
MONSON			
Homer, Mrs. Frank S. Cottage 500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, o. p. 100		700	16.80
FITCHBURG			
McKenney, Arthur and Mary. House 500, barn 450, store house 200, farm 80a 1100, Shaw lot 18a 150, Tourtellott farm 100a 1000		3400	81.60
Thompson, Effie Clifford. Land 10a 100		100	2.40
HYDE PARK			
Maxin, Jane, heirs or devisees. Lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100		100	2.40
EAST NORTHFIELD			
Morgan, Mrs. J. H. Hill lot 75a 1000		1000	24.00
INDIAN ORCHARD			
Tredeau, Edessie D. Cottage 500, 3 lots 225, o. p. 100		825	19.80
OXFORD			
Estey, Walter. House 500, barn 100, farm			



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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
12a 150, Hill lot 50a 250, o. p. 100		1100	26.40
PHILLIPSTON			
Estey Bros. Estey farm	500	500	12.00
HOLYOKE			
Dunham, Benj. W. Store	900, store site 100	1000	24.00
Bullard, Ralph. Cottage	500, lot $\frac{1}{4}$ a 100, o. p. 100	700	16.80
NORTHAMPTON			
Bailey, Sidney A. Gibbs lot	85a 800, Kelley lot 5a 50, Joslyn lot 35a 200, Fuller lot 8a 50	1100	26.40
ORANGE			
Powers and Gilbert. Manley lot	50a 200	200	4.80
LYNN			
Devine, Lucy. Pasture and wood land	32a 300	300	7.20
AVON, CONN.			
Hunter, Walter L. Cleveland lot	20a 300, Plain lot 20a 150	450	10.80
WILSON, CONN.			
Young, Fred H. House, 400, barn	100, farm 140a 1300	1800	43.20
BROOKFIELD			
Allen, George H., heirs or devisees. Wood land	11a 300	300	7.20
CLIFTON SPRINGS, N. Y.			
Thayer, Mary A. Wood land	25a 750	750	18.00
THREE RIVERS			
Portras, Wilfred. Cottage	500, lot $\frac{3}{4}$ a 225,		

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Names	Valuation	Total	Tax
	o. p. 100	825	19.80
Palin, Delina.	Cottage 500, lot $\frac{3}{4}$ a 225, o. p. 100	825	19.80
BELCHERTOWN			
Moore, Addison.	Ice house 5000, land $1\frac{3}{4}$ a 300, o. p. 3500	8800	211.20
Peeso, James A. and Elmer E.	Manley lot 44a 1000	1000	24.00
GREENWICH			
Hillside Industrial School.	House 400, barn 2000, hen houses 700, wood house 75, School house 300, Sanborn cottage 5000, 2 silos 200, Munsel cottage 800, wagon and tool house, 200, farm 185a 1690, 5 horses 1000, 5 cows 500, 2 two-year olds 175, yearling 40, 5 swine 175, 250 fowls 360, o. p. 250. Ex. Sec. 5-C-327, Acts 1909	11365	

# Report of Assessors

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For suitable recognition of residents that served in the late war	\$ 46.20
State tax	980.00
County tax	659.57
Town grant	8,271.71
Rate of taxation per \$ 1000	24.00

## PROPERTY EXEMPT TAXATION

Congregational Church	\$ 3,100.00
Independent Liberal Church	2,050.00
Hillside School	11,365.00
Soldiers' exemption	5,315.00
Women worth less than \$ 1,000	3,660.00

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Total valuation of assessed estate	\$ 391,095.00
Value of real estate	294,145.00
"    personal estate	96,950.00
Number polls assessed	108
"    "    exempt	15
Tax on each poll	\$ 5.00
Total number persons assessed	341
"    "    paying tax on property	321
"    "    "    poll tax only	20
Number horses assessed	113
"    cows assessed	216
Neat cattle other than cows	75
Number of swine assessed	26
"    dwelling houses assessed	155
"    cottages assessed	40

Number of acres of land assessed	10,666
“ fowls assessed	3,220
Omitted assessments	\$31.20

JOSEPH L. THRASHER  
CHARLES B. COIT  
GEORGE B. LOUX

*Assessors of Greenwich*

# Town Warrant

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Greenwich,*

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in their Town Hall in said Greenwich, on Monday, the fourteenth day of February A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for Town Clerk, one Selectman, one Overseer of the Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, one Cemetery Commissioner, two Library Trustees, all for three years, Tax Collector, Tree Warden, two Constables, Auditor, three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year,

Also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing:

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1921.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to defend all suits at law that may be brought against the town during the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as security on the official bond of any town officer.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50 for the Hampshire Co. Farm Bureau and elect a director of that organization who will be the official town representative for the County Board of Trustees as per Chapter 273, Acts of 1918.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to call for the resignation of the Cemetery Commissioners and make said office appointive instead of elective, or act in relation thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred dollars to finish a room for school purposes above the present school room in Greenwich Village, shingling roof, change in basement and other needed repairs.

ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to accept by the last will and testament of Ella F. Towne, deceased, the sum of Five Hundred dollars for the upkeep of the Andrew J. Towne lot in Greenwich Cemetery.

ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to path the snow when necessary on the sidewalks in both villages or act in relation thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote taken at the annual town meeting held Feb. 10, 1918 to instruct

the school committee to furnish transportation for two children of Peter Lego.

ART. 16. To see if the town will vote to set the price for Slaughter House License or act in relation thereto.

ART. 17. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

The polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this fifteenth day of January, A. D. 1921.

GEORGE B. LOUX  
CHARLES B. COIT  
JOSEPH L. THRASHER

*Selectmen of Greenwich*

# Report of the Town Clerk

## *Vital Statistics for the year 1920*

### BIRTHS

	CHILD'S NAME	PARENTS' NAMES
Jan. 9,	Elmer Eugene Thrasher	Harrison and Ida
Aug. 21,	Wilbur Sheldon Scher- merhorn	Maurice and Blanch
Sept. 14,	Raymond Forest Blackmer	Leroy and Marjoire
Sept. 28,	Raymond Sidney Johnston	Richard and Bessie
Dec. 16,	Olive Mildred Walker	George and Beatrice

### MARRIAGES

Apr. 3,	Warren R. Sargent and Dora F. Sunderland
June 9,	Harold D. Johnston and Irene B. Merritt
July 26,	Raymond H. Bressette and Ora B. Merritt
Sept. 6,	Clarence G. Hall and Marion I. Hall

### DEATHS

		years	months	days
Feb. 6,	Roy L. Graves	34	4	3
Feb. 28,	Delia A. Read	73	7	22
Mar. 12,	Mary J. Duncan	81	7	4
Mar. 18,	William H. Jones	82	1	23
Apr. 14,	Julia M. Nevins	92	0	11
June 2,	Lillian M. Corning	58	2	26
June 27,	Lottie A. Gamwell	64	9	15
Aug. 14,	Ira Austin Hunter	96	7	23
Aug. 26,	William T. Alden	90	7	23



		years	months	days
Sept. 3,	Nellie M. Kelley	58	3	1
Dec. 15,	William Simmons	69	1	16

BURIAL OF NON-RESIDENTS IN GREENWICH CEMETERY

Mar. 19	Mary E. Sibley	71	6	8
July 31	Ella F. Towne	53	1	1

Very respectfully,

C. E. MILLER, *Town Clerk.*

# Selectmen's Report

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*For the year ending Dec. 31, 1920*

Feb. 9, 1920 Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts to defray town charges to Dec. 31, 1920:

Schools	\$ 4,148.00
Bridges and railings	500.00
Highways	1,500.00
Salaries	600.00
Contingent	1,000.00
State Aid	400.00
Sabin School Fund	50.00
Moth Work	50.00
Library	100.00
Poor	300.00
Cemetery	100.00
Hampshire County Farm Bureau	50.00
Special appropriation	100.00

Voted that the cemetery commissioners use same from available fund.

## AT SPECIAL MEETING

Nov. 29, 1920 Voted to appropriate from the treasury:

for schools	\$ 1,300.00
“ contingent	600.00
State allotments for highways	1,950.00
	————— \$12,748.00

THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAVE BEEN EXPENDED

Schools	\$ 5,363.63
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Contingent	\$ 1,478.53	
State Aid	302.00	
Library	100.00	
Moth work	46.50	
Hampshire County Farm Bureau	50.00	
Sabin School Fund	50.00	
Highways	3,451.57	
Bridges and railing	74.50	
Cemetery	126.65	
Poor	168.98	
Salaries	531.00	
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		\$ 1,004.64

## STATE AID

Appropriation		\$ 400.00
Wm. T. Alden	\$ 48.00	
Florilla M. Alden	62.00	
Henry M. Brown	72.00	
Mrs. Geo. L. Winter	48.00	
John M. Ransdell	72.00	
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		\$ 98.00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation		\$ 100.00
Paid Miss Amelia M. Root	\$ 100.00	

## MOTH WORK

Appropriation		\$ 50.00
Paid Thomas Severance, Jr.	\$ 46.50	46.50
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		\$ 3.50

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Appropriation		\$ 50.00
Paid Hampshire County Farm Bureau	\$ 50.00	

## SABIN SCHOOL FUND

Appropriation		\$ 50.00
Order to C. D. Walker, Treas.	\$ 50.00	

## CEMETERY

Appropriation		\$ 100.00
Appropriation not used.		
Special appropriation from available funds		100.00
Order to cemetery commissioners	\$ 70.00	70.00
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 30.00
Order to cemetery commissioners from int. of cemetery funds	\$ 56.65	

## HIGHWAYS

Town appropriation		\$ 1,500.00
State allotment		1,950.00
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 3,450.00
Orders drawn to E. H. Randall, road foreman		
For material	\$ 661.87	
For labor	2,789.70	
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 3,451.57
Appropriation overdrawn		\$ 1.57

## BRIDGES AND RAILINGS

Appropriation		\$ 500.00
Order to E. H. Randall, road foreman	\$ 74.50	74.50
		<u>          </u>
		\$ 425.50

## CONTINGENT

Appropriation		\$ 1,600.00
Pathing snow: orders drawn to E. H. Randall, road foreman	\$ 895.15	
C. E. Miller, ballots and stationery	9.10	
W. & L. E. Gurley, mdse. for sealer of weights and measures	6.42	

Lewis H. Blackmer, printing town reports	\$ 60.45
J. H. Schoonmaker, consultation with cemetery commissioners	2.30
C. E. Miller for dog tags	2.55
Park B. Swift, bond for treasurer	12.50
A. A. Stevens, sawing wood for selectmen's room	1.50
F. P. Hall, supplies for year 1919	14.12
Giffen & Hall, water rent and repairs to Apr. 1, 1920	7.50
C. E. Miller for stamps	3.00
Geo. B. Loux, perambulating town lines	25.00
L. H. Giffin, soda for fire extinguisher	5.00
J. L. Thresher, telephone and stamps	3.00
C. H. Chase, real estate transfers	6.60
J. L. Thresher, inspector of animals	20.00
J. D. Clark, examination of titles, lots on property of B. Haskell	50.00
L. T. Haskins, insurance on town hall	22.50
Dover Stamping Mfg. Co., 1 No. 310 automatic testing measure	8.82
W. & L. E. Gurley, supplies for sealer of weights and measures	5.62
Town of Prescott, 1 50-lb. weight	3.50
L. T. Haskins, insurance on village school building	28.13
C. E. Miller for stamps	5.00
C. T. Bagnell, tax bills	3.08
Park B. Swift, bond for tax collector	25.00
Giffen & Hall, water rent to Oct. 1, 1920	4.50
C. D. Walker, stamps and rent of safe deposit box	10.00
A. W. Brownell Corp., assessors' supplies	7.75
Carter's Ink Co., 1 doz. 8 oz. Mass. State record ink	2.75

Geo. B. Loux, cash paid for stamps	\$ 5.00
F. P. Hall, supplies for town clerk	1.42
C. E. Miller, town clerk expenses	28.82
D. M. Hunter, inspector of slaughtering	13.50
E. O. Fewell, " "	24.85
C. E. Miller, " "	107.10
F. F. Foley, 9 burials	47.00
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	\$ 1,478.53
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	\$ 121.47

## SALARIES

Appropriation	\$ 600.00
L. J. Giffen, Justice, 1919	\$ 5.00
L. J. Giffen, Auditor, 1919	10.00
J. L. Thrasher, Tax Collector, part of salary 1918	25.00
part of salary 1919	25.00
Geo. B. Loux, Moderator 1 meeting	3.00
E. H. Randall, Constable 2 meetings	6.00
C. W. Uracius, " " "	6.00
E. A. Moore, Election Officer 4 meetings	9.00
John King, " " 1 "	3.00
A. J. Loux, " " 2 "	6.00
L. L. Blackmer, " " 3 "	6.00
L. A. Faverio, Sealer of Weights and Measures 1919	20.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures 1920	20.00
C. E. Miller, Town Clerk and Registrar of voters	55.00
C. D. Walker, Treasurer	75.00
C. B. Coit, Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor	75.00
J. L. Thrasher, Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor	75.00
Geo. B. Loux, Selectman, Assessor	

and Overseer of Poor	\$ 75.00	
C. B. Coit, Registrar of Voters	5.00	
J. L. Thrasher " " "	5.00	
G. B. Loux " " "	5.00	
F. F. Foley, Janitor of Town Hall	12.00	
L. J. Giffen, Justice 1920	5.00	531.00
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		\$ 69.00
Total amount of orders drawn		\$ 6,210.75
Received from E. T. King and R. O. Dixon for Slaughter House License	\$ 1.00	
from F. P. Hall as omission and interest from report of 1918	600.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 601.25

The accounts of the town have been examined by the State from Jan. 1, 1920 to Nov. 4, 1920; report of audit will be read at 1 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE B. LOUX

CHARLES B. COIT

JOSEPH L. THRASHER

*Selectmen of Greenwich*

# Report of Highway Surveyor

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Paid E. H. Randail	Labor	\$ 578.80
Ray Dixon	“	177.30
Harold Johnston	“	284.35
A. Patenaude	“	277.65
Frank Gifford	“	48.00
T. Peterson	“	15.25
A. Anderson	“	33.00
M. E. Caswell	“	102.00
Albert Root	“	2.20
Guy Stevens	“	2.00
Hunter Bros.	“	2.00
R. Adams	“	1.25
E. H. Randall	man and team	756.00
O. A. King	“ “ “	104.00
H. D. Crane	“ “ “	342.50
W. M. Parker	“ “ “	16.00
Guy Stevens	“ “ “	4.00
E. H. Randall, single horse		44.50
E. A. Moore, blacksmith		3.10

## MATERIALS

L. T. Giffin, hoes		\$ 2.00
fork		1.75
rake		.55
shovels		2.70
scythes		3.75
oil		1.11
	<hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>	11.86



Paid F. P. Hall, scythes	\$ 1.50	
postage	2.50	
plow bolt	.10	
axe handle	.60	
hooks	2.00	
lines	1.00	
fork handle	.75	
	<hr/>	8.45
Gravel, 1,159 loads at .10 per load		115.90
Scraper		300.00
Freight on scraper		8.20
Culverts		207.24
Ryther and Warren, scythes		5.25
A. E. Moore, oil		.63
G. B. Loux, oil		.14
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Total		\$ 3,451.57
Appropriation	\$ 1,500.00	
State allotment	1,950.00	
	<hr/>	3,450.00
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Overdrawn		\$ 1.57

## BRIDGES

Paid E. H. Randall, labor	\$ 10.30	
E. H. Randall, team	10.00	
Harold Johnston, labor	4.00	
L. J. Giffen, spikes and nails	10.20	
A. J. Loux, railing	40.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 74.50
Appropriation	\$ 500.00	
Expended	74.50	
Balance	<hr/>	\$ 425.50

## PATHING SNOW

Paid E. H. Randall	\$ 74.20
W. H. Walker	45.70

Paid Guy Stevens	\$ 10.40
Charles Sumner	7.20
M. Schermerhorn	4.00
S. Schermerhorn	6.60
A. J. Loux	61.00
H. D. Crane	50.50
Roy Blackmer	11.40
O. A. King	35.05
W. R. King	18.50
John King	4.80
Herman King	12.80
Frank Gifford	16.90
C. A. Moore	16.90
J. M. Vaughn	8.90
Albert Stevens	5.70
Harold Johnston	5.70
T. Chapman	.50
F. A. Churchill	16.00
Thomas Severance and Son	88.70
Geo. Pitfield	34.80
M. Bombard	29.40
Henry Lego	81.00
Justin Smith	27.90
L. C. Graves	4.00
A. Patenaude	.85
Geo. Walker	40.40
E. T. King	13.40
J. V. Lincoln	8.15
E. O. Fewell	3.30
Albert Bourbeau	15.80
Fred Foley	8.20
C. Uracius	16.40
C. Kiel	2.00
E. Clark	8.00
Hunter Bros.	38.60
E. M. Ross	6.80

Paid Albert Root	\$ 5.00	
A. Twible	5.20	
Geo. Mason	2.40	
A. Stewart	5.00	
W. R. Carrick	8.40	
Hillside School	28.70	
Total	<hr/>	\$ 895.15

E. H. Randall, *Highway Surveyor*

# Report of Overseers of Poor

*\* For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1920*

## EXPENSES

James D. Kimball, insurance on buildings at Cooley Home	\$ 22.20	
Dickinson Home; board and care for No. 1	140.78	
C. B. Coit, expense to Montague for No. 1	6.00	
	—————	\$ 168.98

## INCOME RECEIVED

Rent from Oct. 15, 1919 to Oct. 15, 1920	\$ 120.00	
Interest on Liberty Bonds for 1920	80.75	
Received on account of No. 1	100.00	
Appropriation	300.00	
	—————	\$ 600.75
Unexpended balance		\$ 431.77

CHARLES B. COIT  
GEORGE B. LOUX  
JOSEPH L. THRASHER

*Overseers of the Poor*

# Report of Cemetery Commissioners

*Ending Dec. 31, 1920*

Appropriation from town, unused	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Special appropriation from available fund	100.00	
Still in hands of town treasurer	30.00	
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Balance used	\$ 70.00	
Received from Sibley fund	2.00	
"    "    Sly fund	2.00	
"    "    Austin Hunter fund	2.00	
"    "    Frank L. Parker fund	2.00	
"    "    Wm. S. Douglas fund	4.00	
"    "    Sears & Cleveland fund	5.65	
"    "    Rice fund	2.00	
"    "    Elisha Moody fund	2.00	
"    "    A. L. Gray fund	2.00	
"    "    Sherman & Douglas fund	2.00	
"    "    William A. Trask fund	2.00	
"    "    Luther Fuller fund	2.00	
"    "    Clara Walker fund	2.00	
"    "    Blackmer fund	1.00	
"    "    Record fund	2.00	
"    "    Rindge fund	5.00	
"    "    Justice Johnson fund	5.00	
"    "    Wilkinson fund	10.00	
"    "    Rebecca Spooner fund	2.00	
"    care of lots 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920	100.00	
Total cash received	<hr/>	\$ 226.65

Paid F. F. Foley and help in cemetery	\$ 163.10	
Berkshire Fertilizer Co.	40.00	
Freight and cartage on same	3.80	
J. N. King for lawn mower	8.00	
B. A. Sawtelle as secretary	10.00	
Stationery and postage	1.75	
Total cash spent	————	\$ 226.65

#### PERPETUAL FUND

Sept. 7 Rec'd of J. D. Williams, 509 Ferry St., New Haven, Conn., executor estate of Mary E. Sibley the sum of \$ 100.00

Said sum to be deposited with the town treasurer of Greenwich as a perpetual fund, the interest to be used for the care and benefit of the Clark R. and Mary E. Sibley lot, Walker extension of Greenwich Cemetery, as far as the interest will warrant, and to be known as the Clark R. and Mary E. Sibley fund.

Deposited same with town treasurer \$ 100.00

#### LOTS SOLD IN YEAR

May 11 Lot 28, Walker extension, to Edward L. Upton \$ 5.00

June 6 Lot 25, Walker extension, to Miss Mabel Caswell 5.00

Total received and paid town treasurer ———— \$ 10.00

DAVID M. HUNTER  
FRED F. FOLEY  
BENJ. A. SAWTELLE

*Cemetery Commissioners*

## Treasurer's Report

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Cash on hand to new account	\$ 604.55
Rec'd from County Treasurer, refund on dog tax	56.43
"    "    Commonwealth, income tax 1917	8.75
"                "    "    1918	10.50
"                "    "    1919	210.00
"                "    "    1920	524.00
"                "    Mass. School	
fund	1,057.38
"    tuition of children	433.25
"    highway commission	1,950.00
"    inspection of animals	10.00
"    school superintendent	150.00
"    corporation tax	60.44
"    national bank tax	15.76
"    high school tuition	457.00
"                "    "    transportation	257.38
"    state aid	324.00
"    soldiers' exemption	30.92
interest on bonds	80.75
overseers of poor, rent of town farm	120.00
"    "    "    "    "    "	100.00
cemetery commissioners, sale of lots	10.00
"                "    Clark R. & and	
Mary E. Sibley fund	100.00
E. T. King, slaughtering license	1.00
Athol Savings Bank, int. on cemetery funds	52.65
Ware    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "	104.00

Rec'd from Millers River Nat'l Bank, money borrowed	1,200.00
George B. Loux, " "	800.00
Chairman of Selectmen on 1918 account	600.25
L. A. Faverio, sealing fees for 1919	9.41
" " " 1920	12.18
town of Hardwick, tuition	54.00
J. L. Thrasher, tax collector on 1918 tax	433.81
" " 1919 "	1,429.37
C. E. Miller, tax collector on 1920 tax	6,610.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 17,877.78</b>

Paid Dept. of Corporation and Taxation for certifying town notes	4.00
Deposited Athol Savings Bank, C. R. & M. E. Sibley fund	100.00
Paid County of Hampshire, county tax	659.57
Commonwealth, state tax	980.00
special state tax	46.20
civilian war poll tax	324.00
Millers River Nat'l Bank, note and interest	1,236.00
Geo. B. Loux, note and interest	824.00
Deposited Athol Savings Bank, Poor Farm Account	76.39
Paid 1918 Selectmen's orders	2.00
1919 " "	86.00
1920 " "	6,210.75
overseers of poor "	168.98
school	5,363.63
Cash on hand	1,796.26
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 17,877.78</b>

## ASSETS

Due on 1918 tax	\$ 387.50
" " 1919 "	848.31
" " 1920 "	3,278.80
" from state on account of state aid paid	302.00



## SCHOOL FUND

Sabin School Fund	\$ 338.09
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## POOR FARM ACCOUNT

Liberty bonds	\$ 1,900.00
Athol Savings Bank	128.28

## TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Sibley Fund	\$ 100.00
Cutler “	100.00
Pratt “	50.00
Root “	100.00
Asa Spooner Fund	50.00
Powers Fund	50.00
Shumway Fund	100.00
Warner “	100.00
Walker “	100.00
Topliff “	100.00
Tourtelotte “	25.00
Rebecca Spooner Fund	82.65
Wilkinson “	300.00
Johnson “	200.00
Rindge “	100.00
Clara Walker “	100.00
Record “	50.00
Blackmer “	50.00
Fuller “	100.00
Trask “	50.00
Sherman and Douglas Fund	100.00
Gray Fund	100.00
Moody Fund	50.00
Rice “	100.00
Sears and Cleveland Fund	175.00
Wm. S. Douglas “	100.00
Parker Fund	50.00
Hunter “	100.00
Sly “	100.00

Sibley, Sol. Fund	\$ 100.00	
Estey Fund	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,982.65
Interest withdrawn in 1920	\$ 156.65	
"    available Jan. 1, 1921	416.31	

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES D. WALKER, *Treasurer*

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library

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Number of days library has been open	48
books sent out	1,298
magazines given out	244
books purchased	35
donated by Free Library Commission	29
magazines subscribed for	4
" given	4
public documents sent	10
Whole number of volumes	3,080
Public documents	280
Circulating department	2,800

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Appropriated by the town	\$ 100.00	
From the Bailey and Spooner funds	31.50	
From fines	1.45	
From sale of old magazines	6.25	
Money on hand	37.35	
	\$ 176.55	

### EXPENDITURES

Paid for books	\$ 66.93	
magazines	14.00	
rebinding books	17.40	

Paid for salary	\$ 36.56	
transportation	13.00	
freight	2.34	
incidentals	3.93	
postage and money orders	.51	
Money on hand	21.88	
	—————	\$ 176.55

*Trustees*

Benjamin A. Sawtelle, M. D.  
 Ella M. Walker  
 Helen L. Nevins  
 William H. Walker  
 Amelia M. Root

A. M. Root, *Treasurer*  
 H. L. Nevins, *Librarian*  
 M. E. Towne, *Asst.* "

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Brown, Alice. Homespun and Gold  
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Day, Holman. All Wool Morrison  
Deland, Margaret. An Old Chester Secret  
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Grey, Zane. The Man of the Forest  
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Miller, Alice Duer. The Beintz and the Bolshevik  
Norris, Kathleen. Harriet and the Piper  
Oppenheim, Phillip. The Great Impersonator OP33  
Otterman. J. Wilbur Chapman EO14  
Packard. Old Plymouth Trails  
Rhinehart, Mary R. A Poor Wise Man

Roosevelt, H. H.	The Happy Hunting Ground	
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Sawyer, Ruth.	Leerie	
Stackpoole.	The Man Who Found Himself	
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Walpole.	Jeremy	W17.2
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Beard, Dan.	American Boys' Book of Bugs and Beetles	jLB38.3
Bond and Russell.	The American Boys' Engineering Book	jLB64
Brown, Helen Davis.	Little Jean	jB81
Burges, Thornton W.	Bowser the Hound	B
Butterworth, Hezekiah.	The Pilot of the Mayflower	jB98.4
Bye-lo-series	{ Better Blue	jB99
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Chaffee, Allen.	Old Rye and Son	jC14
	The Adventures of Twinkly Eyes	jC33
Chapman, Frank.	What Bird Is That?	jLC37
French, Allen.	The Junior Cup	jF79
Gould, Geanir T.	Marjorie's Quest	jG69
Hurd, Marion R.		jH89
Kellogg, Charlott.	Mercier	jK29
Lafere, Felicitite		jL51
Lincoln, Joseph.		jL63
Lindsey, Maud.	Bobby and the Big Road	jL64
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Peattie, Elia W.	Sarah Brewster's Relatives	jP32
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Porter, Laura Spencer.	Genevieve	jP84
Pyle, Catherine.	Nancy Rutledge	jP99
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# Annual Report

of the

## School Committee

of

## Greenwich, Mass.

For the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1920

### ORGANIZATION

#### School Committee

		Term expires
William R. Carrick, Ch.	Greenwich Village Tel. Cooleyville	1922
John H. King, Sec.	Greenwich Village Tel. 33-5, Enfield	1921
Fred F. Foley	Greenwich Tel. 33-2, Enfield	1923

#### Superintendent

Arthur W. Smith, No. Dana Tel. Cooleyville, 21-11

#### School Physician

Benj. A. Sawtelle, M. D. Greenwich Tel. Enfield 19-3

#### Attendance Officers

Fred F. Foley

Edwin H. Randall

# Report of the School Committee

*For the year ending Dec. 31, 1920*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Income of state school fund	\$ 1,057.38	
High school tuition	457.00	
"    "    transportation	257.38	
State wards' tuition and transportation	433.25	
From state on account of Supt.	150.00	
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		\$ 2,355.01
Income Sabin School fund	\$ 38.09	
From town of Hardwick, tuition	54.00	
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		92.09
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		\$ 2,447.10
Town appropriation at annual meeting	4,148.00	
"    "    "    Nov. 29    "	1,300.00	
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		5,448.00
Expended		5,363.63
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Unexpended		\$ 84.37

## SALARIES OF TEACHERS

Laura E. Walker	\$ 422.00
Maryon W. Batchelder	422.00
Susie Winslow	13.69
Mrs. William Buell	11.85
Ivah C. Cody	190.45
Helen A. Holmes	290.00



Doris Bruce	\$ 190.45	
E. Maude Bradley	36.00	
Mrs. Ruth B. Dwelley	67.50	
	—————	\$1,643.94
Superintendent's salary, Arthur W. Smith	\$ 258.00	
Expenses of	70.08	
School committee, salary	75.00	
Expense of school committee	30.64	
Tuition	602.00	
	—————	\$1,035.72

#### CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS

Ross Chapin	\$ 75.00	
Atkinson Twible	307.00	
H. D. Adams	697.00	
F. A. Churchill	45.00	
Cyprian Uracious	235.00	
A. C. Corey	320.00	
High School	397.22	
	—————	\$2,076.22

#### EXPENDITURES

Care of rooms	\$ 118.00	
Supplies	171.72	
Books	99.45	
Fuel	127.10	
Repairs	28.22	
Maintenance	25.10	
Sundries	21.89	
Miscellaneous operation	16.27	
	—————	607.75
Total expenditures		\$5,363.63

Respectfully submitted,

W. R. CARRICK

J. H. KING

FRED F. FOLEY

*School Committee of Greenwich*

# Superintendent's Report

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*To the Greenwich School Committee:*

At the opening of the school year the Village school had about forty pupils distributed through eight grades. This large school was unlooked for, and proved too difficult for the two teachers who tried it for three days each. Assuring her that the committee would make conditions more pleasant, the superintendent did his best to persuade the second teacher to return. He failed. A teacher of thirty pupils and one grade has enough to do.

With your consent the superintendent, after much search, found two young ladies to take the school. One of them, Miss Cody, has charge of the upper grades, and general control of the school; the other, Miss Bruce, has charge of the lower grades. A portable blackboard was placed in the library, and there several of the classes recite.

This school lost nearly five weeks. One week was made up at Christmas time; most of the remaining time will be made up by July 1, the date on which it is scheduled to close for summer vacation.

The health of this school is yet menaced by long, cold, wet trips to the outhouse from a warm and at times overheated room. With spring water available, it would seem as though this danger to health, and an indirect cause of poor scholarship, could be eliminated by a flush closet.

The outhouse at the Plains is an offense to decency and an invitation to filth that may be removed by placing a chemical closet for the exclusive use of the school. Then the school

may be held responsible for its condition. No one now is responsible for the care of toilets at the school buildings.

As to the interior of buildings, I repeat what I said a year ago. The interiors should be painted in soft colors that will make the rooms brighter without causing eye strain. In conjunction with that, the dark green opaque shades should give place to light adjustable shades of suitable color and texture to harmonize with the walls without shutting out the light, and to withstand hard usage.

The desks should be re-arranged so that the large ones will be on one side of the room and the small ones on the other. Then all the members of a given grade may be assembled directly in front of the teacher, thus enabling her to hold their attention more closely and to do better teaching.

The introduction of Stone-Milles' arithmetic and the language series of Scott-Southworth, begun by my immediate predecessor, has been completed. New-World spellers are displacing the worn out spellers formerly in use. These spellers focus the attention upon the words used by the ordinarily intelligent person in his writing, and provide for drill on the more troublesome words. Our text-books in history and geography are badly worn, and of out-of-date editions. New books should take their places. Almost the same may be said in regard to books in civics and physiology.

The new feature of moment in the schools this year is the systematic combination of two grades in one subject without promotion of the pupils in the lower grade to the higher. It is an application of alternation of subjects as practised in small high schools. When the work of adjoining grades is not sequential, the plan of alternation may be used. It makes no material difference whether a class in the seventh grade studies eighth grade spelling this year or next, so the classes of the two grades may be combined in eighth grade spelling this year and in seventh grade spelling next year. A class in two years does the work of both grades. The object of the plan is to make fewer classes, longer recitation periods, and to gain the

interest that comes of larger classes through companionship and competition.

It is becoming increasingly difficult to find good teachers for large schools of all grades, and not at all easy to find them for small schools of five or six grades. It is unfortunate we have not one large building for all the pupils of the town. Such a building would be to the advantage of the children. There would be fewer classes to the teacher, yet they would not be too large. The recitation periods would be longer. Fair and accurate grading would be more in evidence. Sewing, woodwork, cooking and other forms of vocational activities could be introduced. It would be easier to get and retain teachers.

There is strong possibility that the minimum annual salary of teachers throughout the state for the next school year will be eight hundred dollars. Since that would be the salary of inexperienced high school graduates, one may readily see that if we want better than that we must pay more. A teacher of given qualifications, judging from experiences of the last three years, will cost more than the sum associated with those qualifications in the bill now before the legislature. I therefore urge a large appropriation for teachers' salaries.

The following three paragraphs from the bill now before the legislature show the re-imburements allowed.

(1) Three hundred and fifty dollars for every such person who has received as salary not less than one thousand dollars and who is a graduate of an approved normal school or college and has had at least two years' teaching experience or who possesses preparation and teaching experience accepted in lieu thereof.

(2) Three hundred dollars for every such person, not included in the foregoing classification, who has received as salary not less than nine hundred dollars, and (a) who has satisfactorily completed one year of professional training in an approved normal school or teachers' training school, and has had at least three years of teaching experience; or (b) is a

graduate of an approved normal school or college, and has had at least one year of teaching experience; or (c) who possesses preparation and teaching experience accepted in lieu of either of the foregoing requirements in this paragraph.

(3) Two hundred and fifty dollars for every such person, not included in either paragraph (1) or (2), who has received as salary not less than eight hundred dollars.

The school statistics will be found on the following pages.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. SMITH,

*Superintendent of Schools*

## SCHOOL TERMS

## Plains School

January 3, 1921 — February 25, 1921

March 7, 1921 — April 22, 1921

May 2, 1921 — June 17, 1921

## Village School

January 3, 1921 — April 22, 1921

May 2, 1921 — July 1, 1921

## Both Schools

Wednesday, Sept. 7, 1921 — Friday, Dec. 23, 1921

Tuesday, January 3, 1922 — February 24, 1922

Tuesday, September 6, 1921, general meeting of teachers  
at school building at North Dana.

## HOLIDAYS

New Year's, January 1

Washington's Birthday, February 22

Patriots' Day, April 19

Memorial Day, May 30

July 4th

Labor Day, first Monday in September

Columbus Day, October 12

Thanksgiving, last Thursday in November

Christmas, December 25

Schools will not be in session on holidays. A holiday occurring on Sunday will be observed by closing the schools on the next Monday.

## SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS, OCTOBER, 1920

Number of pupils enrolled	48
Number found defective in eyesight	3
Number found defective in hearing	2
Number of parents or guardians notified	4

## CENSUS, April 1, 1920

	Male	Female	Totals
Five years old and under seven	4	4	8
Seven years old and under fourteen	53	17	70
Fourteen years old and under sixteen	9	4	13
Illiterate minors over sixteen	0	0	0
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	66	25	91

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATES, JUNE, 1920

## Plains School

Sylvia Churchill  
 Christine MacKinnon  
 Merton Walker  
 Robert Petfield

## Village School

Lindolph Otis Parker  
 Mary Dorothy Bekovski

TEACHERS, SEPTEMBER 1, 1919--JANUARY, 1921

NAMES	SCHOOLS	EDUCATION	HOMES	PERIOD OF SERVICE	
				From	To
Maryon W. Batchelder	Plains	Fitchburg Nor.	Athol	Sept. 1, 1919	June 25, 1920
Laura E. Walker	Village	Mt. Holyoke	Greenwich	Sept. 1, 1919	June 25, 1920
Helen A. Holmes	Plains		Charlestown, N. H.	Aug. 30, 1920	Date
Ivah C. Cody	Village	Barre High	Coldbrooke Springs	Oct. 11, 1920	Date
Doris Bruce	"	"	"	"	"
Susie Winslow	"	"	"	Sept. 7, 1920	Sept. 10, 1920
Mrs. Wm. Buell	"		Petersham	Sept. 15, 1920	Sept. 17, 1920
Mrs. Ruth B. Dwellley	Music	N. H. Conser- vatory	Oakham	Sept. 2, 1918	Date
E. Maude Bradley	Draw. Supv.	Mass. Nor. Art	Gardner	Sept. 1917	June 25, 1920



DATA FOR YEAR 1919--1920

SCHOOLS	ENROLMENT						ATTENDANCE			MEMBERSHIP		NUMBER of day sessions		
	5 to 7 years		7 to 14 years		14 to 16 years		16 to 21 years		Aggregate days of	Average age daily	Totals		Average	
	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G						
Plains	21	12	1	3	17	7	2	2	4	4586	26	37	30.4	176
	33	4	24	4	1									
Village	13	15	0	2	13	12	0	1		4399	24.71	33	27.32	178
	28	2	25	1										
Totals	34	27	1	5	30	19	2	3	1	8985	50.71	70	57.72	354
	61	6	49	5	1									

MEMBERSHIP, GRADES, SEXES, DECEMBER, 1920

Schools	I		II		III		IV		V		VI		VII		VIII			
	B G		B G		B G		B G		B G		B G		B G		B G			
	Totals		Totals		Totals		Totals		Totals		Totals		Totals		Totals			
Plains	13	16	0	3	1	1	2	1	1	0	5	2	0	2	1	1	3	6
	29	3	3	2	3	1	1	7	2									9
Village	19	18	3	5	1	2	3	3	4	4	1	1	4	0	3	3		
	37	8	3	3	6	8	2	4	6									6
Totals	32	34	3	8	2	3	5	4	5	4	6	3	4	2	4	4	3	6
	66	11	5	9	9	9	9	9	6	8	8	9	6	8	9	8	9	9

# Report of Music Supervisor

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*Mr. A. W. Smith,*  
*Superintendent of Schools.*

*Dear Sir:*

It has been my aim to stimulate an appreciation of the best music, to develop tone quality, and to teach the fundamental principles of note reading. The music period should be a bright spot in the day's regular routine, one to be looked forward to with pleasure and a sense of appreciation.

No subject taught in the public schools is more capable of giving the child active, independent work than music, and eminent educators, with remarkable unanimity have welcomed it as an important part of the course of study.

It develops a love for the beautiful, cultivates exactness, serves as a relaxation and awakens the emotional nature.

In the lower grades rote songs are taught, which are selected for their musical value as well as for the value of the thought and suggestion. A school song in the heart of a child will do as much for his character as a principle in his intellect.

It is my desire to continue the work along the same lines as formerly, so that, in spite of various handicaps, such as too many grades working together, I feel that we shall complete a well defined course of study.

I take pleasure in acknowledging here the courtesy extended to me by the superintendent, also the kindly reception and advances made by the pupils.

Respectfully submitted,  
RUTH B. DWELLEY,  
*Supervisor of Music*

# Annual Reports

OF THE

## Town Officers and Committees

OF

GREENWICH, *Mass.*

FOR THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

1921



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## Town Warrant

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.  
HAMPSHIRE, SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Greenwich,*

### GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Greenwich, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in their Town Hall in said Greenwich on Monday, the 13th day of February A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for one Selectman, one Overseer of Poor, one Assessor, one School Committee, one Cemetery Commissioner, two Library Trustees, all for three years, Tax Collector, Tree Warden, two Constables, Auditor, three Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, all for one year.

Also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town?

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To receive the reports of the town officers and

act thereon.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

ART. 6. To fix the salary of the Tax Collector.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize the treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1922.

ART. 8. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to defend all suits at law that may be brought against the town during the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to pay a proper charge of a bonding company for acting as security on the official bond of any town officer.

ART. 10. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money provided the Massachusetts Highway Commission will add an equal amount for the purpose of improving the road leading north from Greenwich Village.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to set the price for Slaughter House License or act in relation thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to appoint a first Selectman to act as Chairman of Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseer of the Poor, and set the salary for the same, or act in relation thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to make the office of auditor appointive instead of elective or act in relation thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to close Quabbin Lake (so-called) to winter fishing for a term of three years and request the Commissioners on fisheries to cause the same to be stocked with food fish.

ART. 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars for the Hampshire County Farm Bureau.

ART. 16. To transact any other business that may legally

come before this meeting.

The polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies at each of the Post Offices in Greenwich seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the town clerk on or before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands, this sixteenth day of January,  
A. D. 1922.

GEORGE B. LOUX

JOSEPH L. THRASHER

*Selectmen of Greenwich*

# Report of the Town Clerk

## *Vital Statistics for the year 1921*

### BIRTHS

	CHILD'S NAME	PARENTS' NAMES
Apr. 3	Johnston	Harold & Irene
May 6	Donald B. Walker	Charles & Grace
May 11	Elliott B. Kimball	Carl & Minnie
May 23	Jacques F. Bourbeau	Albert & Novia

### MARRIAGES

June 19	Harold Allen Moulthrop & Esther Alberta Southworth
Oct. 31	John Blanchard & Mary Elizabeth Lego
Nov. 18	Ralph Everet Tower & Sophia Snow Walker
Dec. 8	Lester Edson & Jennie ( Watkins ) Pickering

### DEATHS

		Years	Months	Days
Apr. 6	Johnston			3
Apr. 26	Catherine C. Douglass	80	11	
Sept. 11	Abby Ann Lincoln	73	6	7
Oct. 20	Harfield L. Vaughn	81	11	20
Nov. 20	Webster F. Felton	67	5	2
Nov. 25	Pliny T. Parkhurst	92	3	10
Dec. 4	Lena Lisk Bryons	74		
Dec. 25	Trelawney C. Chapman	79	7	12
Dec. 29	Nathan A. Beals	86	9	20



## BURIAL OF NON-RESIDENTS IN GREENWICH CEMETERY

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Jan.	8	Lutie H. Joy	70	2	21	of Boston
Apr.	24	Daniel G. Weston	71	1	27	of Enfield
May	6	Jane E. Johnson	75	10	4	of Longmeadow
May	7	Emma M. Fuller	89	6	15	of Belchertown
Aug.	1	William M. Tourtelott	83	2	24	of Athol
Nov.	5	Marcia S. Sherman	85	8	19	of Hartford, Ct.

Very respectfully,

C. E. MILLER,

*Town Clerk*

## Report of Selectmen

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Feb. 14. Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts to defray town charges to Dec. 31, 1921:

Schools	\$6,500.00
Bridges and railings	1,000.00
Highways, Chap. 155	1,000.00
Small Town Act	500.00
Salaries	600.00
Contingent	1,000.00
State aid	400.00
Sabin school fund	50.00
Moth work	50.00
Public library	100.00
Hampshire County Farm Bureau	50.00
Reserve fund	1,000.00
Poor	300.00
To appropriate for a bronze tablet	100.00
Special appropriation for use of school committee	1,200.00
Cemetery	100.00
Special appropriation, voted that the Cemetery commissioners use same from available funds	100.00
State allotment for highways	1,950.00
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	\$16,000.00

The following amounts have been expended:

Schools	7,507.26
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Bridges and railings	844.21	
Highways	2,971.49	
Salaries	564.00	
Contingent	829.16	
State aid	280.00	
Sabin school fund	50.00	
Moth work	45.00	
Public library	98.48	
Poor	237.82	
Cemetery	445.75	
Hampshire County Farm Bureau	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$13,923.17
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		\$ 2,076.83

## STATE AID

Appropriation		\$ 400.00
Paid Henry M. Brown	\$ 72.00	
Mrs. Geo. L. Winter	48.00	
J. M. Ramsdell	72.00	
Mrs. F. M. Alden	54.00	
T. J. Severence, Jr.	30.00	
Elvira Woods	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 280.00
Balance		\$ 120.00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation		\$ 100.00
Orders drawn	\$ 98.48	98.48
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Balance		\$ 1.52

## MOTH WORK

Appropriation		\$ 50.00
Paid T. J. Severence, Jr.	45.00	45.00
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Balance		\$ 5.00

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Appropriation		\$ 50.00
Paid Hampshire County Farm Bureau	\$ 50.00	

## SABIN SCHOOL FUND

Appropriation		\$ 50.00
Order to C. D. Walker, treasurer	\$ 50.00	

## CEMETERY

Appropriation	\$ 100.00	
Special appropriation from available funds	100.00	
From 1921 appropriation in hands of treas.	30.00	
Received for care of lots and work on same	172.75	
Interest from trust funds	43.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 445.75
Orders drawn to cemetery commissioners	\$ 445.75	

## HIGHWAYS

Town appropriation	\$ 1,000.00	
State allotment	1,950.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 2,950.00

Orders drawn to E. H. Randall, road foreman:

For material	\$ 108.94	
For labor	2,862.55	
	<u>          </u>	2,971.49

Appropriation overdrawn \$ 21.49

## BRIDGES AND RAILINGS

Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
Orders to E. H. Randall, foreman	\$ 844.21	844.21
		<u>          </u>
Balance		\$ 155.79

## CONTINGENT

Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
Pathing snow, orders drawn to E. H. Randall and others	57.00	
C. E. Miller for cash paid for stamps	5.00	
“                    dog tags and stationery	6.72	

Parke B. Swift, bond for treasurer	12.50
L. H. Blackmer, printing town reports	119.00
C. T. Bagnall for field and order books	6.62
A. H. Bartlett for ballots	10.95
H. H. Dickinson for freight on fire ext.	1.99
Badger Fire Extinguisher Company for six copper fire extinguishers	81.00
A. H. Bartlett, stationery for town clerk	11.95
C. B. Coit, T. Coll. book	2.00
C. H. Chase, transfers	11.40
Giffin & Hall, water and labor to Dec. 1, 1920	2.50
Johnson's Bookstore, journal for auditor	1.75
G. B. Loux, expense to Springfield	5.00
Cash paid for stamps and telephone	5.00
A. A. Patenaude for 4 burials	20.00
L. T. Haskins, insurance on library and school building	14.27
Miller's River Bank for rent of safe depos- it box	2.60
C. E. Miller, cash paid for stamps	5.00
R. D. Tolman for 1 ballot box	70.00
C. T. Bagnall, stationery for town clerk	4.48
W. & L. E. Gurley, merchandise for sealer	6.30
Giffin & Hall, water rent to Dec. 1, 1921	4.50
Parke B. Swift, bond for T. Coll.	25.00
C. E. Miller, cash paid for dog tags	5.95
"          "          "          stamps	5.00
Giffin and Hall, labor on water to date	2.45
J. L. Thrasher, T. Coll., taxes on Village hall for 1918 and 1919	27.20
C. E. Miller, T. Coll., taxes on Village hall for 1920 and 1921	37.31
C. D. Walker, cash paid for stamps	9.00
G. B. Loux, cash paid for stamps and tele- phone to date	5.00

C. E. Miller for drawing town warrants, recording and expenses	23.15	
C. E. Miller, inspector of slaughtering	83.57	
E. O. Fewell, " "	13.40	
G. B. Loux, inspecting slaughtering	2.50	
J. L. Thrasher, T. Coll.		
Abatement on 1918 tax	59.27	
" " 1919 tax	62.83	
	<hr/>	829.16
Balance		<hr/> \$ 170.84

## SALARIES

Appropriation		\$ 600.00
J. L. Thrasher, inspecting animals	\$ 35.00	
" copying valuations	8.00	
C. E. Miller, Tax Coll., part of salary on 1920 tax	50.00	
W. R. Carrick, moderator 2 meetings	6.00	
A. J. Loux, election officer 1 meeting	3.00	
L. L. Blackmer, 1 "	3.00	
E. A. Moore, 1 "	3.00	
Roy Ellsworth, 1 "	3.00	
E. H. Randall, 1 "	3.00	
C. W. Uracius, 1 "	3.00	
C. D. Walker, treasurer	75.00	
F. F. Foley, janitor of town hall	12.00	
J. L. Thrasher, selectman, assessor and over- seer of the poor	75.00	
C. B. Coit, selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor	75.00	
G. B. Loux, selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor and registrar of voters	80.00	
C. E. Miller, town clerk and registrar of voters	55.00	
L. H. Giffin, justice of the peace	10.00	
Mrs. Grace B. Walker, auditor	20.00	
L. A. Faverio, sealer of weights and measures	20.00	

J. L. Thrasher, T. Coll., balance for collecting the 1918 taxes	25.00	
	<hr/>	564.00
<b>Balance</b>		<b>\$ 36.00</b>
<b>Total amount of orders drawn</b>	<b>\$ 6,178.09</b>	

Respectfully submitted

GEORGE B. LOUX  
 JOSEPH L. THRASHER  
 CHARLES B. COIT

*Selectmen of Greenwich*

Grace B. Walker, Auditor

# Report of Road Foreman

## HIGHWAYS

E. H. Randall,	13 days	at \$ 5.00	\$ 65.00
E. H. Randall,	79 "	2 hrs. • 4.80	380.40
John James,	43 "	6 "	157.50
Harold Johnston,	88 "	7 "	319.95
W. R. King,	7 "		25.20
W. H. Walker, man	1 "		3.60
Clarence Pierce,	2 "		7.20
Clarence Pierce,	22 "	6 "	72.80
M. F. Caswell,	64 "	4 "	206.40
Ralph Norwood,	1 "		3.20
L. C. Graves,	40 "	5 "	130.00
T. M. Vaughn,	6 "		21.60
Ray Hopkins,	21 "	4 "	68.80
A. J. Loux,	3 "		9.60
M. E. Caswell, horse			4.00
E. H. Randall, "	10 "	2 "	20.50
W. M. Parker, man & team	71 "	3 "	571.00
E. H. Randall, " "	84 "	2 "	674.00
A. J. Loux, " "	7 "	5 "	61.00
W. H. Walker, " "	5 "		40.00
E. A. Moore, blacksmith			4.00
Hunter Bros., labor			16.80
Express on scraper blade			.73
Scraper blade			10.00



L. L. Giffin, 5 lbs. grease		1.25
3 rakes		3.00
shovels		5.65
2 hoes		2.00
oil		.56
scythes		6.00
H. H. Dickinson		
1 shovel		1.75
1 rake		1.00
F. P. Hall, 2 pick handles		1.50
J. B. Sibley, 100 ft. fuse		1.50
100 caps		2.50
2 sticks dynamite		.70
708 loads gravel at \$10		70.80
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Total		\$ 2,971.49
Town appropriated	\$ 1,000	
State grant	1,950	
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	\$ 2,950	2,950.00
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Overdrawn		\$ 21.49

## BRIDGES 1921

E. H. Randall,	19 days	at \$ 4.80	\$ 91.20
John James,	2 "	1 hr.	3.60
			7.65
Harold Johnston,	17 "		3.60
			61.20
F. M. Vaughn,	11 "		4.00
			44.00
M. E. Caswell,	11 "	4 "	3.20
			36.80
L. C. Graves,	13 "	4 "	3.20
			43.20
Clarence Pierce,	2 "		3.20
			6.40
W. M. Parker, man	7 "		3.20
			22.40
George Smith, labor and wire			8.00
E. H. Randall, man & team	16 da,	4 hr,	8.00
			132.00
H. H. Dickinson, spikes			.70

L. J. Giffin, nails		2.12
shovels and pail		6.70
oil		.18
F. P. Hall, shovel		2.00
axe		2.00
oil		.10
W. H. Walker, lumber		269.03
F. H. Vaughn, 28 $\frac{1}{4}$ bbl. cement		104.53
E. H. Randall, single horse		4.00
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Total		\$ 844.21
Appropriated	\$ 1,000.00	
Total spent	844.21	
Balance	<hr/>	\$ 155.79

. PATHING SNOW 1921

E. H. Randall, man and team	\$ 6.50
W. M. Parker, " "	5.00
W. R. King, labor	3.25
Lester Hall " "	2.25
W. M. Parker, " "	2.25
A. J. Loux, man and team	6.50
A. Labare, labor	3.25
H. D. Crane, man and team	7.00
Roy Blackmer, labor	3.50
Guy Stevens, man and team	5.00
Charles Sumner, labor	2.50
H. R. Lego, man and team	6.00
Thomas Severance,	4.00
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	\$ 57.00

E. H. RANDALL,

*Foreman*

Grace B. Walker, Auditor

# Report of Overseers of Poor

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## EXPENSES

James D. Kimball, insurance on buildings at Cooley Home	\$22.20	
Dickinson Home, board and care for No. 1	215.62	
	<hr/>	\$ 237.82

## INCOME RECEIVED

Rent from Oct. 15, 1920 to Oct. 15, 1921	120.00	
Interest on Liberty Bonds	80.75	
Received on account of No. 1	175.00	
Appropriation	300.00	
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JOSEPH L. THRASHER  
GEORGE B. LOUX

*Overseers of the Poor*

Grace B. Walker, Auditor

## Report of Assessors

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Special tax in recognition of residents that served in the late war	\$ 46.20
Special tax to pay State Auditor	116.65
State tax	980.00
County tax	729.08
Town grant	8,629.44
Rate of taxation per \$1,000	17.25

### PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Congregational church	\$ 6,100.00
Independent Liberal church	4,050.00
Hillside School	18,065.00

### TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Total valuation of assessed estate	\$565,572.00
Value of real estate	466,474.00
"    "    personal estate	99,098.00
Number of polls assessed	110
"    "    "    exempt	17
Tax on each pole	\$5.00
Number persons paying on property	300
"    paying poll tax only	19
Total number persons assessed	319
Number of horses assessed	108
"    "    cows	228
Neat cattle other than cows	81

Number of swine assessed	22
“ “ sheep “	7
“ “ dwelling houses assessed	169
“ “ fowls	3,646
Omitted assessments	\$ 195.26

CHARLES B. COIT  
JOSEPH L. THRASHER  
GEORGE B. LOUX

*Assessors of Greenwich*

# Report of Cemetery Commissioners

*Ending Dec. 31, 1921.*

## Received Resources

Town appropriation 1921	\$ 100.00	
Special appropriation available fund	100.00	
Balance, special appropriation of last year		
in hands of town treasurer	30.00	
in year from care of lots & work on same	172.75	
Received from Rindge fund	6.00	
“       “   Justice Johnson fund	6.00	
“       “   Wilkinson fund	10.00	
“       “   Warner fund	6.00	
“       “   Ella J. Towne fund	12.00	
“       “   W. S. Douglas fund	3.00	
Rec'd above by selectmen's orders	—————	\$ 445.75
Paid B. A. Sawtelle and help in cemetery	\$ 335.55	
G. L. Mason, repairs, lawn mower	1.00	
H. H. Dickinson, rake and grass seed	2.20	
Berkshire Fertilizer Co., bill for sheep		
manure, 1500 lbs., freight and cartage		
on same	37.55	
F. H. Vaughn, bill for cement	2.00	
F. P. Hall for paint	36.37	
Mrs. Sawtelle, bill for care of flowers	20.00	
“       postage in year	1.08	
B. A. Sawtelle as secretary	10.00	
<b>Total spent</b>	—————	<b>\$ 445.75</b>

## PERPETUAL FUND

Received by C. E. Miller, town clerk, from the administrator of Ella J. Towne estate, the sum of five hundred dollars, said sum to be paid to the town treasurer and held by him as a perpetual fund, the interest to be used for the care and benefit of the Andrew J. Towne lot as the interest will warrant.

Paid by C. E. Miller, to the town treasurer. \$ 500.00

## LOTS SOLD IN YEAR

Aug. 1	Sold Mrs. Ethel N. Closson, lot 29, Walker extension	5.00	
Nov. 9	Sold W. F. Felton estate, lot 30, Walker extension	5.00	
Dec. 13	Sold Fred H. Vaughn, lot 31, Walker extension	5.00	
Total received and paid town treasurer		—————	\$ 15.00

DAVID M. HUNTER

C. E. MILLER

B. A. SAWTELLE

*Cemetery Commissioners*

Grace B. Walker, Auditor





Rec'd from Athol Savings Bank, int. on cemetery funds	53.00
Ware " " " " " "	90.00
George B. Loux, money borrowed	1,500.00
L. A. Faverio, sealing fees for 1921	11.31
Town of Hardwick, tuition	57.00
" Dana "	57.00
District Court of Eastern Hampshire, case No. 2349	75.00
J. L. Thrasher, Coll., bal. of 1918 tax	387.50
" " interest on 1918 tax	125.28
" " " 1919 "	82.97
" " on 1919 tax	383.34
C. E. Miller, Coll. on 1920 tax	1,515.00
" " on 1921 tax	6,075.00
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Total	\$ 19,575.07
Paid District Court of Eastern Hampshire	8.70
Deposited in Athol Savings Bank, Andrew J. Towne fund	500.00
Paid County of Hampshire, county tax	729.08
Commonwealth, state tax	980.00
" special state tax	46.20
" war poll tax	333.00
" auditing municipal accounts	116.65
George B. Loux, note and interest	1,545.00
Dept. of Corporation, taxation for certifying note	2.00
1921 Selectmen's orders	6,178.09
Overseers of Poor "	237.82
School "	7,507.26
Cash on hand	1,391.27
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	\$ 19,575.07

## ASSETS

Due on 1919 tax	\$ 464.97
" 1920 tax	1,805.00

Due on 1921 tax	4,337.82
"    from state on account of state aid paid	280.00

### SCHOOL FUND

Sabin School Fund	\$ 405.19
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### POOR FARM ACCOUNT

Liberty bonds	\$ 1,900.00
Athol Savings Bank	134.76

### TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Sibley Fund	\$ 100.00
Cutler " "	100.00
Pratt " "	50.00
Root " "	100.00
Asa Spooner Fund	50.00
Powers Fund	50.00
Shumway " "	100.00
Warner " "	100.00
Mary Walker " "	100.00
Topliff Fund	100.00
Tourtelotte Fund	25.00
Rebecca Spooner Fund	82.65
Wilkinson Fund	300.00
Johnson Fund	200.00
Rindge " "	100.00
Clara Walker Fund	100.00
Record Fund	50.00
Blackmer Fund	50.00
Fuller " "	100.00
Trask " "	50.00
Sherman & Douglas Fund	100.00
Gray Fund	100.00
Moody " "	50.00
Rice " "	100.00
Sears & Cleveland Fund	175.00

Wm. S. Douglas Fund	100.00	
Parker Fund	50.00	
Hunter Fund	100.00	
Sly	100.00	
Sol. Sibley Fund	100.00	
Estey Fund	100.00	
Towne Fund	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,482.65
Interest withdrawn in 1921	\$ 143.00	
"    available Jan. 1, 1922	450.61	

## LIBRARY FUNDS

Stephen R. Bailey Fund	\$ 200.00	
Rebecca Spooner Fund	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 700.00
Interest available Jan. 1, 1922	\$ 31.50	

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES D. WALKER

Grace B. Walker *Auditor*

# Report of the Trustees of Free Public Library

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Number of days library has been open	52
books sent out	2,049
magazines given out	378
books purchased	56
books loaned by Free Library Commission	33
magazines subscribed for	6
" given	4
public documents sent	10
Whole number of volumes	3,136
Public documents	280
Circulating department	2,856

AMELIA M. ROOT, *Secretary*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Appropriated by town	\$100.00
From fines	.99
A gift from 4th of July fund	11.48
Money on hand	21.88
	\$ 134.35

## EXPENDITURES

Paid for books	57.14	
magazines	21.50	
salary	36.40	
transportation	6.50	
postage and money orders	.89	
express and cartage	1.23	
4 gals. of oil	1.17	
Money on hand	8.00	
	<hr/>	132.83
Unexpended balance		<hr/> \$ 1.52

*Trustees*

B. A. Sawtelle, M. D.  
W. H. Walker  
Mrs. H. H. Dickinson  
Ella M. Walker  
L. M. Chapman  
A. M. Root

A. M. Root, *Treasurer*  
M. E. Towne, *Librarian*

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# Annual Report

OF THE

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF

GREENWICH, MASS.

For School Year July 1920—June 1921

### ORGANIZATION

#### School Committee

		Term expires
William R. Carrick, Ch.	Greenwich Village Tel. Cooleyville	1922
Fred F. Foley	Greenwich Tel. 33-2, Enfield	1923
Dr. George A. Fuller	Greenwich Village	1924

#### Superintendent

Arthur W. Smith, No. Dana                      Tel. Cooleyville, 23-23

#### Attendance Officers

Fred F. Foley

Edwin H. Randall

# Report of School Committee

*For year ending Dec. 31, 1921*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Received from Mass. School Fund	\$1,260.52	
Reimbursement on Supt's salary	232.79	
"          "    High School tuition	678.00	
"          "    "    "    "    transportation	249.48	
Town of Hardwick, tuition	57.00	
Town of Dana,                  "	57.00	
State wards,                  "	780.07	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,314.86
Town appropriation at annual meeting	\$ 6,500.00	
Special Reserve Fund at meeting of Apr. 20	1,200.00	
	<hr/>	7,700.00
Expended		7,507.26
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Unexpended		\$ 192.74
Total amt. appropriated		\$ 7,700.00

## TEACHERS' SALARIES

Helen A. Holmes	\$ 435.00
Ivah C. Cody	440.46
Doris Bruce	440.46
Marguerite Moran	357.79
Harlow O. Howard	420.86

Vera Thurston	315.80	
Mrs. Ruth B. Dwelley	98.75	
Mrs. Clara W. Whitaker	64.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,573.12
Salaries of school committee	\$ 75.00	
Other expenses of school committee	6.72	
Labor on Superintendent's office	8.89	
Rent of " "	6.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 99.86
Supt. Arthur W. Smith, salary	\$ 370.59	
" " " expenses	80.14	
	<hr/>	\$ 450.73

#### ELEMENTARY TRANSPORTATION

A. C. Corey	\$ 760.00	
H. D. Adams	555.50	
Atkinson Twible	220.00	
Mrs. R. P. Bartlett	4.90	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,540.40
High School tuition	\$ 786.05	
" " transportation	614.08	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,400.13
Text books	\$ 316.69	
Supplies for teaching	257.69	
Sundries	17.42	
School Physician	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 596.80
Janitor service	\$ 125.00	
Miscellaneous operation	26.77	
Maintenance	34.47	
Repairs on school buildings	516.65	
New equipment	28.00	
Fuel	115.33	
	<hr/>	\$ 846.22
<b>Total expended</b>		<hr/> <b>\$ 7,507.26</b>

Unexpended

\$ 192.74

Respectfully submitted,

W. R. CARRICK  
FRED F. FOLEY  
GEO. A. FULLER

*School Committee*

Grace B. Walker, Auditor

# School Calendar

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Jan. 3, 1922—Feb. 24	8 weeks
Vacation 1 week	
March 6—April 21	7 weeks
Vacation 1 week	
May 1—June 16	7 weeks
Summer vacation	
Tuesday, Sept. 5. Union Teachers' meeting	
Sept. 6, 1922—Dec. 22	16 weeks
Vacation 2 weeks	
Jan. 8, 1923—March 2	8 weeks
Vacation 1 week	
March 12—April 27	7 weeks
Vacation 1 week	
May 7—June 22	7 weeks
Summer vacation	
Sept. 3, 1923—Dec. 21	16 weeks

## HOLIDAYS

New Year's, Washington's Birthday, Patriots' Day, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas.

Schools will not be in session on holidays. A holiday coming on Sunday will be observed by closing schools on the next Monday. The schools will remain closed from the noon just before Thanksgiving until the next Monday.

# Report of Superintendent

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*To the School Committee of Greenwich:*

I herewith submit my fourth annual report.

Something should be done this year to remove the health endangering outhouse conditions at the Village. While these conditions are not so noisome to the public as those at the Plains, yet the possible ill effects upon the health of the pupils is greater.

There is a health risk at the Plains, but the greater evil there is that of accustoming the boys and girls to publicity at times when privacy and modesty should prevail.

The interiors of the buildings should be finished in soft, light colors, easy for the eyes, and the windows should be curtained with light, adjustable shades. On winter days, as well as on cloudy days at other seasons, the rooms at the Village and the Plains are dark. That means that young eyes are obliged to perform strenuous service that gradually weakens them. As bad conditions obtain where there are no curtains and the sun streams in upon the desks and into the eyes.

In seeking a way of handling the large number of pupils at the Village, modification of the present building was given up in favor of re-opening the North school. Compared with conditions that prevailed last year, the change is to the advantage of the children.

For not too large classes, fewer grades to the teacher, better grading, longer teaching periods, fewer changes of teachers,

one building for all pupils of the town would be best. From the educational standpoint, the next best plan would be to have a primary school at each end of the town, and one grammar school elsewhere.

While the teaching of a group of eight grades may be passed as satisfactory under given conditions, it may not be satisfactory when measured by the needs and abilities of the children. Not all are receiving their due. Generally the grammar grades have more teacher-time given to them than of right belongs to them, and it is done at the expense of the primary grades. Have you ever asked what grades are most mature, best able to work independently, and what grades most need the personal help of the teacher? It requires a first class teacher to handle primary grades successfully.

To hear each grade separately would necessitate not less than forty-five teacher-periods a day. That being impossible, the teacher combines grades, sometimes judiciously, and has every-other day periods in some subjects, to reduce the number of class periods.

In our schools we form larger classes with longer teacher time periods by systematic combinations of grades and yearly alternation of text studies. Every other year the work of the lower grade of the combination may be a little more difficult than perhaps it would otherwise have, but that year is then followed by an easy year. Moreover, not as much is expected of a lower grade pupil as of a higher grade pupil to receive an equal scholarship mark.

Most of the texts are covered twice in two years; once as reading, once as a basis of study. The scheme calls for discriminating judgment from the teacher in its application. The Outline of Study must be followed closely without overcrowding the lower grade and without permitting the higher grades to enter the slacker class.

New texts in geography and history have been placed in the grammar grades, and the sets in civics filled out. The main text-book needs for next year will be in eighth grade

physiology, in sixth grade history, and in reading of all grades. We are very short in good reading material.

The superintendent believes there will be no decrease in salaries of teachers. When school committees cease hiring teachers of no experience because no others are available, then we may think of the teacher shortage as being over, and the law of supply and demand operating to reduce salaries.

The State minimum on which it makes reimbursement is now seven hundred fifty dollars, while for a normal school graduate of two years' experience who is paid not less than nine hundred fifty dollars a reimbursement of two hundred dollars is allowed.

This helps us but little since we cannot hire normal graduates without experience for the larger sum above. The normal graduates are wanted in the larger towns and in the cities that offer stronger attraction in their salaries and social life.

Our schools as a whole are in better condition now than at any time within the three years just passed. As you know, all the teachers are new to Greenwich. They are faithful to their school duties and endeavor to cooperate with the superintendent in management and instruction. They are gradually and surely overcoming the perplexities that arise from inexperience.

This year in the person of Mrs. Clara W. Whitaker of New Salem, North Prescott, we have a supervisor of drawing whose work to date gives promise of achievement in the future. I invite your attention to her report.

Respectfully yours,

ARTHUR W. SMITH,

*Supt. of Schools*



TEACHERS, SEPTEMBER 1, 1920—JANUARY 7, 1922

TEACHERS	SCHOOLS	HOMES	EDUCATION	PERIOD OF SERVICE	
				From	To
Helen A. Holmes	Plains	Charlestown, N. H.	Northfield	Aug. 30, 1920	June 17, 1921
Ivah C. Cody	Village	Coldbrook Springs	Barre High	Oct. 11, 1920	July 1, 1921
Doris Bruce	Village	Coldbrook Springs	Barre High	Oct. 11, 1920	July 1, 1921
Harlow O. Howard	Village	Westminster	Cushing Academy	Sept. 5, 1921	Date
Marguerite A. Moran	Plains	Springfield	Springfield High	Sept. 5, 1921	Date
Vera Thurston	North	Foxboro	Amherst High	Sept. 5, 1921	Date
Mrs. Ruth B. Dwelley Supv. of Music		Oakham	N. E. Conser. of Music	Sept. 2, 1918	Date
Mrs. Clara W. Whitaker Supv. of Music		North Prescott	Am. Institute of Normal Arts	Sept. 5, 1921	Date

MEMBERSHIP, GRADES, SEXES, JANUARY 7, 1922

Schools	Totals		I		II		III		IV		V		VI		VII		VIII		
	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	
Plains	11	13	1	0	0	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	5	3	0	2	1	2
		24	1		3		2		3		2		8		2		3		
Village	18	12	1	0	3	5	1	1	2	0	4	4	1	0	2	0	4	2	
		30	1		8		2		2		8		1		2		6		
North	7	5	2	0	0	1			2	2	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	
		12	2		1				4		1		1		2		1		
Totals	36	30	4	0	3	9	2	2	6	3	6	5	6	4	4	2	5	5	
		66	4		12		4		9		11		10		6		10		

# Report of Supervisor of Music

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Mr. A. W. Smith,  
Superintendent of Schools,

Dear Sir:

In compliance with your request I submit my report as music supervisor.

It has been my aim to stimulate an appreciation of the best music, to develop tone quality, and to teach the fundamental principles of note reading.

The quality of tone which the child is to produce in singing and the vocal habits formed are of the utmost importance.

The value of note reading cannot be overestimated. The one great aim for the average child is to be able to sing with enough feeling and comprehension to enable him to derive enjoyment from this branch. The enjoyment does not come from the mere naming of notes, but from the ability to hear and reproduce the tones represented by the notes.

The work is presented in very definite form, and it largely depends upon the regular teacher to see this work properly carried out according to the original intention.

Throughout the schools there is a splendid spirit for real work, so that, in spite of various handicaps, such as too many grades working together, I feel that we shall complete a well defined course of study.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH B. DWELLEY

*Supervisor of Music*

# Report of Supervisor of Drawing

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North Prescott, Mass.

Dec. 30, 1921.

Supt. Arthur W. Smith,  
North Dana, Mass.

Dear Sir:

In complying with your request for a report on the drawing in the Greenwich schools I would first call your attention to the fact that I have been supervising there only four months and the report must, of necessity, be incomplete.

Eight visits have been made by me at each of the Greenwich schools, and sixteen drawing lessons have been given to each class. Each school is divided into three classes, namely, Primary Intermediate and Grammar.

The Primary classes have learned the colors of the spectrum. They have done much free-hand cutting, a limited amount of free-hand drawing and some simple construction work.

The Intermediate classes have learned elementary color values. They have done much landscape and nature drawing. One lesson has been given in free-hand brush and ink work; more will follow during the winter term. They have learned to use the ruler and compass correctly. Very creditable construction work has been accomplished to the measurements of  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{8}$  inches.

The Grammar classes have used water-colors mostly. They have done a great deal of landscape and nature work il-

illustrating the several color harmonies. The rest of the time has been spent on cover designs, lettering and advanced construction work.

The rural teachers display the drawings on the wall where parents and visitors may see them. One has only to glance at these to notice the marked improvement in neatness and accuracy.

Much credit is due the regular teachers who have complied faithfully with all requests; and to the superintendent who has been so prompt in furnishing supplies.

For this hearty cooperation I extend sincere thanks.

Very truly yours,

CLARA W. WHITAKER,  
*Supervisor of Drawing*











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