

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SELECTMEN AND OTHER TOWN OFFICERS

WITH THE
REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
OF
GREENVILLE, N. H.

FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1898.

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WARRANT

FOR

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Greenville, in the County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said Greenville, on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1.—To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
- 2.—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.
- 3.—To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 4.—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum not exceeding fifty dollars for decorating soldiers' graves.

5.—To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and town treasurer to borrow money for the use of the town.

6.—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the use of the library.

7.—To see if the town will vote to allow special work to be done on the road near Robert Brown's residence, by a committee who are to repair Lowell Hill.

8.—To see if the town will authorize their road commissioners to do special work on the road near Robert Brown's residence, and take any vote relating thereto.

9.—To see what amount the town will vote to raise and appropriate for water supply for drinking fountain or any other purpose, and take any action thereon.

10.—To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to contract for the lighting of the streets with electric lights for a term of not less than six and not more than ten years and give the contractor the right to set and keep in repair poles through the streets as may be needed for the purpose. Also, to see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the lighting of the streets.

11.—To see if the town will vote to lay out and build a highway from a point on the highway near dwelling-house of Eli Perront to the highway leading from the Chamberlin sawmill to the depot, at a point at the west end of the lumber shed on same highway.

12.—To see if the town will vote to purchase a chemical fire engine and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relating thereto.

13.—To see if the town will vote to lay out and build a highway from a point on Dunster Avenue near blacksmith shop to houses occupied by George H. Stone and George L. Nutting.

14.—To see if the town will vote to lay out any new sidewalks and designate where they shall be located and appropriate any money to construct the same.

15.—To see if the town will vote to repair any sidewalks now constructed that may need it and appropriate money for the same.

16.—To see if the town will vote to construct more experimental road work, and if so designate where it shall be constructed and make appropriation for the same.

Given under our hands and seal this nineteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and ninety-eight.

JAMES B. FRY,
F. L. PEABODY,
C. L. BATCHELDER,

SELECTMEN OF GREENVILLE.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

DR.

Cash on hand Feb. 16, 1897	\$236 50
Received from H. H. Cohen, license	8 00
Received from C. E. Marsh, dog licenses	108 00
Received from F. E. Pierce, tax collector	7441 47
Received from selectmen	7741 11
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	\$15,535 08

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Paid 286 orders	\$15,331 69
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1898	203 39
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	\$15,535 08

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. HALL, Town Treasurer.

GREENVILLE, N. H., Feb. 15, 1898.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

To amount from rent of hall	\$164 00
rent of store	359 00
insurance tax	42 00
railroad tax	311 32
savings bank tax	681 37
literary fund	94 24
borrowed on town notes	5200 00
from county	785 43
licenses	40 00
F. Boushway	62 25
from J. P. Nutting, for old stove	1 50
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	\$7741 11
CR.	
Paid town treasurer as per vouchers	\$7741 11

TOWN EXPENDITURES.

Notes and Interest.

Paid notes and interest	\$3310 57
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State and County Tax.

Paid state tax	\$1390 00
county tax	1348 84
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	\$2738 84

Support of Schools.

Paid for support of schools	\$1975 44
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County Paupers.

Paid Mrs. Bresnahan, rent for Mrs. Leonard	\$39 00
Napoleon Parront	75 00
Brown Bros., goods for Mrs. Leonard	28 70
W. E. White, goods for Mrs. Leonard	76 74
H. M. Livingston, wood for Mrs. Leonard	4 00
F. L. Peabody, wood for Mrs. Leonard	4 00
J. B. Fry, wood for Mrs. Leonard	4 00
C. L. Batchelder, wood for Mrs. Leonard	4 00
Dr. Chas. Charest, medical attendance on Mrs. Leonard	2 00
G. W. Holmes, milk for Mrs. Leonard	2 35
Brown Bros., goods for Ed. Pelletier	27 77

Paid John Bourgault & Son, goods for Ed.

Pelletier	\$2 90
H. J. Taft, milk for Ed. Pelletier	22 70
Brown Bros., goods for C. W. Allen	32 15
F. L. Peabody, wood for C. W. Allen	8 50
Gustave Doucet, goods for C. W. Allen	49 69
H. M. Livingston, wood for C. W. Allen	4 00
Calixte Chouinard, rent for C. W. Allen	10 50
W. W. Sawtell, milk for C. W. Allen	10 73
T. J. Antil, moving C. W. Allen	12 00
W. E. White, goods for C. W. Allen	60
F. L. Peabody, wood for Mrs. Boulanger	4 00
F. L. Peabody, repairing shoes for Mrs. Boulanger	1 75
G. C. Robbins, goods for Mrs. Boulanger	27 27
C. H. Hartshorn, goods for Mrs. Boulanger	64 48
H. J. Taft, milk for Mrs. Boulanger	17 45
G. C. Robbins, goods for Mrs. Bergeron	60 77
C. H. Hartshorn, goods for Mrs. Bergeron	62 51
C. L. Batchelder, wood for Mrs. Boulanger	2 75
J. B. Fry, wood for Mrs. Boulanger	4 00
Chas. E. Sawyer, wood for Mrs. Boulanger	2 00
John Bourgault & Son, goods for E. Bourgault	16 82
Gustave Doucet, goods for E. Bourgault	3 00
G. C. Robbins, goods for E. Bourgault	8 36
Hillsborough County Farm, for C. W. Russell	127 40
H. I. Whitney, taking Barber to county farm	7 97
H. S. Farrar, burial expenses Mrs. Desrosiers-	14 00

Paid Dr. C. Charest, medical attendance on C. W. Allen	\$9 00
Dr. C. Charest, medical attendance on Mrs. Boulanger	10 00
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	\$864 86
Received from county	\$785 43
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Balance due from county	\$79 43

Town Paupers.

Paid G. L. Blood, milk for Fred Moran	\$7 85
Brown Bros., goods for Fred Moran	26 18
W. E. White, goods for Fred Moran	25 21
O. D. Prescott, goods for Michael LaFournier	8 08
W. E. White, goods for Leon Strong	23 80
G. C. Robbins, goods for Michael LaFournier	6 21
H. L. Kingsbury, shoes for Mrs. Frank Brown	2 97
John Bourgault & Son, goods for Baptist Pelletier	2 80
O. D. Prescott, goods for Mrs. McGary	56 51
Brown Bros., goods for Mrs. McGary	21 72
Geo. W. Holmes, milk for Mrs. McGary	9 88
J. B. Fry, wood for Mrs. McGary	8 00
F. L. Peabody, wood for Mrs. McGary	4 00
J. P. Brown, labor for Mrs. McGary	2 75
E. J. Pratt, sawing wood for Mrs. Mc- Gary	1 50
Geo. Blanchard, sawing wood for Mrs. Gary	3 45
Dr. B. D. Pease, medical attendance on Mrs. McGary	10 00

Paid C. H. Hartshorn, goods for August Par-	
adis	\$21 00
G. C. Robbins, goods for August Par-	
adis	18 25
Gustave Doucet, goods for A. Boulanger	4 52
G. C. Robbins, goods for A. Boulanger	1 94
H. Hanks, milk for A. Boulanger	72
D. Coran, bread for A. Boulanger	50
Dr. Chas. Charest, medical attendance on	
A. Boulanger	11 75
H. I. Whitney, care of tramp	17 30
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	\$296 89

Street Lights.

Paid Wheeler Reflector Co.	\$1018 65
Wheeler Reflector Co. for lamps and	
posts	11 85
J. P. Nutting, for work on lamp posts	7 95
N. P. Farrar, for repairing lamps	6 10
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	\$1044 55

Police Expenses.

Paid H. I. Whitney	\$12 00
Paul Paradis	8 80
F. K. Parker	5 00
F. L. Peabody	5 00
E. W. Riley, enforcing dog law	4 00
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	\$34 80

Night Watchman.

Paid E. W. Riley	\$330 80
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Highways and Bridges.

Paid Fred B. Kimball, after settlement	\$9 70
Frank Boushway	1285 13
Wilson & Sanger, for bridge plank	18 12
C. L. Batchelder, after settlement	7 73
G. W. Price, repairing tools	7 15
C. H. Hartshorn, for tools	6 31
Columbian Mfg. Co., for drain pipe	2 60
Emile Casavant, sharpening tools	1 89
S. H. Bacon, for winter road	3 00
Geo. King	3 00
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	\$1344 63

Town Officers.

Paid F. W. Ely, auditor	\$2 00
C. E. Hall, auditor	2 00
F. L. Peabody, auditor of schools	1 00
J. B. Fry, services, after settlement	14 25
F. B. Heald, services, after settlement	8 70
D. J. Brown, services, after settlement	5 00
S. H. Bacon, moderator	5 00
B. P. Lamb, school treasurer	10 00
H. I. Whitney, supervisor	8 00
Geo. C. Robbins, supervisor	8 00
W. H. Sanborn, supervisor	8 00
H. S. Farrar, board of health	10 00
J. P. Nutting, board of health	13 00
F. E. Pierce, board of health	10 00
F. E. Pierce, tax collector	50 00
Victor L. Parker, member of school board	20 00
Stephen H. Bacon, member of school board	20 00
H. J. Taft, member of school board	20 00
C. E. Hall, town treasurer	30 00

Paid Chas. E. Marsh, town clerk	\$30 00
J. B. Fry, selectman	75 00
F. L. Peabody, selectman	75 00
C. L. Batchelder, selectman	75 00
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	\$499 95

Library Expenses.

Paid H. J. Taft, treasurer	\$300 00
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Fire Wards.

Paid Victor L. Parker—the money appropriated for fire purposes	\$200 00
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Road Experiment.

Paid F. W. Ely, treasurer	\$200 00
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Water Board.

Paid Alvin Green, Jr., treasurer	\$500 00
R. Twiss, for drawing water	14 35
R. Twiss, for drawing coal	2 80
F. Boushway, for drawing water	19 95
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	\$537 10

Sidewalks.

Paid F. W. Ely, treasurer	\$1000 00
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Town House Expenses.

Paid H. A. Webber, for labor	\$3 36
Mrs. Kate Hall, for cleaning	1 95
E. C. Crowley, for repairing roofs	2 65
J. P. Nutting, for repairing windows	3 31
J. P. Nutting, janitor	50 00
F. B. Heald, after settlement, as janitor	9 67

Paid O. D. Prescott, goods	\$32 30
H. J. Taft, wood and coal	15 54
H. J. Taft, insurance	20 00
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	\$138 78

Miscellaneous.

Paid Edwin C. Eastman, for warrants	\$5 62
F. H. Merriam, for town reports	65 00
J. C. Douglass, for repairing settees	10 00
H. Loisel, labor on water pipes	5 10
Geo. Blanchard, labor on water pipes	3 60
John Spillane, labor on water pipes	12 00
Fred Goshier, labor on water pipes	2 85
C. L. Batchelder, settling with county	5 70
F. L. Peabody, settling with county twice	10 70
State Industrial School, for Robichaud	67 93
H. M. Livingston, repairing railing	6 00
Herman Shedd Post	50 00
Columbian Mfg. Co., for water pipes	18 76
Concord Foundry Co., for grate	6 00
H. J. Taft, insurance	125 00
F. W. Ely, for sand screen	17 87
F. H. Merriam, for printing and sta- tionery	9 75
Dr. C. Charest, for returning births and deaths	13 00
Dr. B. D. Pease, for returning births and deaths	7 75
F. Boushway, railing Gainey corner	1 89
G. F. Merriam, reporting marriages	1 25
C. E. Hall, for stationery	2 08
F. E. Pierce, for stationery	2 10
C. E. Marsh, for stationery	5 70
C. E. Sawyer, watering tub	3 00

Paid C. E. Sawyer, use of teams	\$1 50
W. H. Sanborn, watering tub	3 00
J. B. Fry, for teams and money advanced	9 71
C. E. Marsh, for recording births, deaths and marriages	17 85
C. E. Hall, for express and telephone	1 25
E. C. Eastman, for stationery	2 04

\$494 00

Abatement of Taxes, 1896.

Mrs. Abigail S. Marshall	\$2 64
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Abatement of Taxes, 1897.

E. W. Riley	\$2 59
Silas Antil	1 10
Joseph Antil	1 10
Joseph Bourgault	1 10
John Boise	1 10
Timothy Boulanger	1 10
Philip Beggin	1 10
John Gautier	1 10
James Gamelin	1 10
Alfred Laveque	1 10
Thomas Ouillette	1 10
Wm. Ouillette	1 10
Prudent Alton	1 10
Victor Robichaud	1 10
Dennis Violet	1 10

\$20 63

Recapitulation.

Paid notes and interest	\$3,310 57
state tax	1,390 00
county tax	1,348 84
county paupers	864 86
town paupers	296 89

Paid street lights	\$1,044 55
police expenses	34 80
night watchman	330 80
highways and bridges	1,344 63
town officers	499 95
library expenses	300 00
fire wards	200 00
road experiment	200 00
water boards	537 10
sidewalks	1,000 00
town house	138 78
schools	1,975 44
abatement of taxes	20 63
miscellaneous	494 00
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	\$15,331 69

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have examined the accounts of the selectmen, cemetery trustees and treasurer for the year ending Feb. 15, 1898, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FREDERICK W. ELY,
H. P. GAINEY,

AUDITORS.

CONDITION OF FINANCE FEB. 15, 1898.

The town is indebted for outstanding notes and interest	\$6,631 25
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Available Assets of the Town.

Unexpended appropriation in the treasurer's hands	\$200 00
Balance in collector's hands	141 15
Balance in treasurer's hands	3 39
Amount due from county	79 43
Amount due for rent	13 50
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	\$437 47
Net debt of town	\$6,193 78
Increase of debt	\$1,493 71

Valuation of the Town as by Invoice taken April 1, 1897.

338 poles	\$33,800 00
123 horses	7,084 00
164 cows	4,356 00
4 neat	116 00
60 fowls	30 00
22 carriages	1,616 00
Money on hand at interest and on deposit	19,388 00
Value of stock in trade	83,450 00
Factories and machinery	233,550 00
Real estate	305,935 00
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	\$689,325 00
Amount of taxes assessed	\$7582 57
Rate of tax per thousand	\$11 00

Appropriations for 1897.

For state tax	\$1390 00
county tax	1348 84
schools	1790 00
highways and bridges	1000 00
incidentals	1000 00
library	300 00
highway experiment	200 00
firemen	200 00
quarter centennial	200 00
soldiers' graves	50 00
overlay	103 73
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	\$7582 57

The town instructed the Selectmen to borrow
 for sidewalks
 for water works

\$1000 00
\$500 00

Respectfully submitted,

JAS. B. FRY,
F. L. PEABODY,
C. L. BATCHELDER,

SELECTMEN OF GREENVILLE.

REPORT OF NEW ROAD COMMITTEE.

Your Committee built a piece of road on Main Street about 250 ft. long and 25 ft. wide, from native rock and gravel. The principal expense was in screening and teaming gravel. About 30 loads of gravel left from job was used by Road Agent in repairing roads and was paid for out of this appropriation.

F. W. ELY,
I. WHEELER,
GEO. C. ROBBINS,

COMMITTEE.

NEW ROAD ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

Received from town treasurer	\$200 00
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Expenditures.

Paid Isaiah Wheeler, 14½ days team, \$3.50	\$50 75
Isaiah Wheeler, 1 day's labor,	1 50
M. Kimball, 4½ days, team, \$3.50	15 75
Jos. Lavesque, 18½ days labor, \$1.50	27 75
Tom Bennett, 19 days labor, \$1.50	28 50
Frank Boushway, 4½ days labor, \$2.00	9 00
Frank Boushway, 7½ days team, \$3.50	26 25
Frank Boushway, laborers, 18 days, \$1.50	27 00
Isaiah Wheeler, use of roller,	5 00
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	\$191 50
Cash on hand	8 50
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	\$200 00

REPORT OF SIDEWALK COMMITTEE.

Your Committee built sidewalks in a substantial manner from Mrs. King's to Greenwood's barber shop, and from Dr. Hall's corner to connect with same, using curbing where they deemed it necessary and as far as their appropriation would allow.

We would suggest that a definite sum of money be appropriated to keep in repair all sidewalks in town, as a small expenditure at times when needed would preserve sidewalks for years to come.

F. W. ELY,
I. WHEELER,
GEO. C. ROBBINS,

COMMITTEE.

SIDEWALK ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

Received from town treasurer	\$1000 00
Received from sale of dirt	5 85
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	\$1005 85

Expenditures.

Paid W. F. Stevenson, surveying	\$6 30
W. L. Tidd, surveying	6 30
Tom Bennett, 60½ days, \$1.50	90 75
Fred Moran, 32 1-5 days, \$1.50	48 30
Jules Desrosiers, 65 days, \$1.50	97 50
Henry Loiselle, 35½ days, \$1.50	53 25
Jos. Lavesque, 23 days, \$1.50	34 50
Isaiah Wheeler, 64 days, \$2.00	128 00
Isaiah Wheeler, horses 63 days, \$2.00	126 00
Isaiah Wheeler, team 2 1-7 days, \$3.50	7 50
Isaiah Wheeler, sundry bills	25 98
Isaiah Wheeler, use of roller	5 00
John Daniels, 8½ days, \$1.50	12 75
C. M. Co., drain pipe and sundries	24 08
H. M. Livingston, 600 ft. curbing .35	210 00
H. M. Livingston, 340 ft. crossing .18	61 20
H. M. Livingston, 1½ days labor, \$2.00	3 00
H. M. Livingston, 200 ft. curbing .30	60 00
H. M. Livingston, 16 ft. crossing .10	1 60
Geo. W. Price, labor on tools	3 40
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	\$1005 41
Cash on hand	44
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	\$1005 85

REPORT OF THE FIRE WARDS.

The Fire Wards respectfully submit the following report:

During the past year the company has been called to answer fire alarms at the following dates and buildings: March, 6, 1897, shed of the house occupied by Noël Thibault. July 7, No. 4 Mill, caused by the lightning entering the same on the telephone wire. August 9, fire in the chimney and woodworks surrounding same, in the house occupied by Mitchel Fournier. October 20, forest fire near George L. Blood's residence, and November 18, fire in the house occupied by Thomas Logan.

The last and most serious fire and for which no alarm was given, owing to causes well understood by all, was the house and contents owned by Gilbert Kniveton, in the south part of the town.

The signal which blew automatically on the night of February 21, 1898, was answered by a good number of the firemen, but their services happily were not needed.

The company appeared in one public parade, on Memorial Day, by invitation of the G. A. R. and assisted in the solemn services on that occasion.

Since our last report new caps have been purchased and we hope to make such further additions in the line of uniforms as our finances will permit. We have purchased one fire extinguisher which is kept in the hose house, and which did good and efficient work at the fire on August 9.

We recommend that the town procure an additional 300 feet of first-class hose, also that the town purchase a chemical fire engine.

VICTOR L. PARKER,
JAMES H. DOWNES,
PAUL PARADIS,

FIRE WARDS.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE FIRE WARDS.

DR.

Balance on hand from last year	\$52 98
Received appropriation	200 00
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	\$252 98

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Paid V. L. Parker	\$5 00
J. H. Downes	5 00
P. Paradis	5 00
C. A. Preston	5 00
F. B. Kimball	5 00
H. M. Cheney	1 70
J. Bourgault	5 00
E. C. Conley	5 00
G. W. Price	5 00
C. P. Bales	5 00
J. McDermott	1 32
P. Charlonne	5 00
T. H. Mullen	5 00
W. C. Foss	5 00
D. J. Brown	5 00
T. Logan	5 00
P. Cutler	5 00
J. A. Caouette	5 00

Paid J. Gamelin	\$5 00
M. Hogan	5 00
M. C. Green	5 00
G. Parker	5 00
E. Casavant	5 00
J. P. Cronin	5 00
H. Loiselle	5 00
E. LeClare	5 00
J. Bernier	5 00
A. Bobilee	3 35
D. Crimmins	1 77
C. Valincourt	2 44
S. Murray	1 06
C. P. Livingston	1 06
M. C. Green, steward	7 00
28 firemen's caps	36 80
28 cap badges	3 50
1 extinguisher	12 00
O. D. Prescott, supplies	62
C. E. Marsh, 25 stamped envelopes	55
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	\$198 17
Balance in treasury	\$54 81

JAMES H. DOWNES, Treasurer.

THE CHAMBERLIN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

G. F. MERRIAM, Chairman, }
F. W. ELY, Secretary, } Trustees.
H. J. TAFT, Treasurer, }

REPORT.

The Trustees are happy to report a steady increase of interest in the patronage of both the library and the literary table. The chief improvements of the year have been the introduction of the Card Catalogue and the purchase of the Century Dictionary and Cyclopedia in an attractive case. Valuable additions of books have been received by both gift and purchase. The gain from the magazines now ready for binding will be scarcely less important. The special needs of our library to-day are a more generous supply of illustrated, attractive books, on natural science and history for the young, with more of the latest standard works of research and reference for older scholars. In choice of fiction and popular literature we have always been well furnished, but a more liberal appropriation would enable us to spread an intellectual feast for the greater profit as well as pleasure of our patrons. In the reading of the best books, those of all circumstances, creeds and parties can heartily unite, and it is among the bright possibilities of the future that some of our youth, amid the limitations of poverty, may find such an inspiration to culture and usefulness as Vice-President Wilson, when a New Hampshire boy, found in the village library.

THE TRUSTEES.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Treasurer Dr.

Balance on hand from last year	\$48 75
Received of selectmen	300 00
Received of librarian, catalogues sold and fines collected	4 95
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	\$353 70

Treasurer Cr.

Paid Miss Merriam, librarian	\$146 13
Funk & Wagnalls Co.	3 00
Library Bureau, card index outfit	41 25
Fitchburg Railroad Co., freight	50
DeWolfe, Fiske & Co., new books	45 93
C. E. Marsh, magazines	36 43
H. J. Taft, insurance	10 00
Geo. H. Ritchie & Co., library binder	1 25
H. M. Cheney, cleaning library room	1 50
H. E. Hooper, Century Dictionary	30 00
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	\$315 99
Balance in treasury	\$37 71

HERBERT J. TAFT, Treasurer.

LIBRARIANS' REPORT.

Throughout the past year the library has been open for the exchange of books and all the privileges of a public reading room every Saturday afternoon and secular evening, except holidays.

The number of books and magazines taken
has been

5047

The number of visitors to the reading table
has been

8576

The additions to the library have been by
purchase

60 volumes

from Washington

24 "

from Concord

2 "

from Frederick W. Ely

7 "

from Rev. T. J. E. Devoy

3 "

from Mrs. M. A. Chamberlin

2 "

from Mrs. Ellen Ferguson

1 "

from A Friend

1 "

from A Premium

1 "

Total increase

101

Number of volumes in the library

2715

The list of monthly magazines has included The Review of Reviews, The North American Review, The Cosmopolitan, The New England Magazine, The Peterson, The Century, Harper's, Scribner's, McClure's, Munsey's, Goddard's, Outing, St. Nicholas and the Puritan.

Other papers provided have been Harper's Weekly and Harper's Round Table, Leslie's Weekly, The Literary Digest, The Judge and Puck.

Mrs. S. M. Whitney has gratuitously furnished The Woman's Journal and Appleton's Popular Science Monthly with the numbers of four previous years for binding.

Mrs. M. A. Chamberlin is contributing The Watchman and The Christian Herald.

One of the Trustees has given The Congregationalist, The Fitchburg Sentinel, The Nashua Telegraph, The Peterboro Transcript, The Independent Statesmen and The Farmers' Cabinet.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH E. MERRIAM, Librarian.

MARY E. MERRIAM, Assistant.

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY TRUSTEES.

The care of the cemetery, during the past year, has been with such economy as the circumstances would permit. Unusual attention has been given to the early clearing of the grounds and cutting of the grass. The lots of families, whose representatives have moved elsewhere, have been looked after with special interest. Irregularities in the front wall have been removed so far as our means allowed, and the shade trees so pruned as to permit a better light without sacrificing the final symmetry of these most attractive features of the sacred place.

Bequests have been received from several estates amounting to fourteen hundred dollars, as will be seen in the details of the treasurer's report. All of this is given as a permanent fund for the perpetual care of the particular lots, except, as in the case of the large legacy of Col. Scripture, where provision is made for the improvement of the whole cemetery with the income not needed for the tidy keeping of specified lots. The amount thus received has been loaned to the town, at four per cent interest, payable at the beginning of the year, and to be carefully expended according to the conditions of the givers. As authorized by the State Statutes and the town vote, these prudent bequests have been gratefully received and should be commended as examples for general imitation. As the ranks

of the living so rapidly pass to rest in this sleeping ground of the fathers' choice, let us keep it with all the reverence and add to it all the beauty in our power.

Just as the legacy of Col. Scripture was reported to the trustees, it was found that his mother's headstone, through defect in its original setting, had fallen and was broken past all repair. Duty seemed to require that we should replace it at once with a like stone of at least equal excellence. This has been done at an expense of less than the interest already received from this single bequest.

GEORGE F. MERRIAM,
HENRY I. WHITNEY.
ISAIAH WHEELER,

TRUSTEES.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE CEMETERY TRUSTEES.

PERMANENT FUNDS.

Treasurer Dr.

Received of G. F. Merriam, estate of James Scripture	\$1000 00
Received of H. Amanda Richardson, estate of C. P. Richardson	100 00
Received of H. Amanda Richardson, estate of Frederick Mansfield	100 00
Received of F. B. Heald, estate of Jason Merrill	100 00
Received of Martha E. Lund, estate of Adeliza A. B. Lund	100 00
Total	<hr/> \$1400 00

Treasurer Cr.

Four loans to Towns of Greenville, total	\$1400 00
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INTEREST ACCOUNT.

Treasurer Dr.

Received of town treasurer as selectmen order:	
On Scripture note	\$30 00
On Richardson and Mansfield note	6 00
On Merrill Note	2 67
Total income of interest	<hr/> \$38 67

Treasurer Cr.

Paid H. M. Hersey for Scripture headstone and re-setting Mansfield stone	\$24 00
Balance in treasury	<hr/> \$14 67

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

Treasurer Dr.

Balance from last year	\$113 36
Received of C. A. Parker, for wood	2 00
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	\$115 36

Treasurer Cr.

Paid for record book	\$0 75
Isaiah Wheeler, for labor	9 75
Henry I. Whitney, for labor	7 40
Sumner L. Cowdrey, for labor	7 53
G. F. Merriam, for labor and expenses	7 00
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	\$32 43
Balance in treasury	\$82 93

Vital Statistics.

In compliance with the laws of this state, requiring clerks of cities and towns to furnish a transcript of the record of marriages, births and deaths for publication in the annual report, I herewith respectfully submit the following report of this town for the year ending December 31st, 1897, which to the best of my knowledge is correct.

CHARLES E. MARSH, Town Clerk.

Births Registered in the Town of Greenville,

Date.	Name of Child.	Male or Female	No. of Child.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
Jan. 9	Joseph	M	2	Joseph Bourgault	Marie Dupre
" 17	(Stillborn)	M	5	Philip Bobilee	Mary Salvail
" 20		M	2	Emile Casavant	Jane Fournier
" 22	Eva Josephine	F	1	Oscar Joseph Lucier	Clara Strong
" 22	Joseph Onesime	M	4	Montezuma Bélanger	Marie Boies
" 26	Idia	F	2	Peter Charlonne	Henriette Carle
Feb. 1	Marie Camille	F	2	Arthur Caron	Attila Bourgault
" 5	Marie Claudia	F	3	Joseph Goulet	Marie Demerise Bussiers
" 8	Camille Charles	M	3	Esdras Bernier	Aurelia Caouette
" 9	Mary E.	F	8	Eli Perrot	Lizzie C. Noel
" 10	Joseph Louis H.	M	4	Zod Deschènes	Amanda Bélanger
" 11	Joseph Louis A.	M	2	Arthur Bélanger	Amanda Bélanger
" 12	Philomene	F	8	Pierre Bélanger	Philomene Duval
" 14	Nazaire	M	4	Nazaire Caron	Claudine Castonguay
" 16	Maria	F	13	Arsene Antil	Virginie Cloutier
" 20	Joseph Omer	M	5	Esdras Duval	Delphinie Fortin
Mar. 10	Victoria Olivine	F	10	Nicholas Leclerc	Marie Charette
" 12	Omer Oswald	M	6	Charles Rodier	Angelina Ladoux
" 13	(Stillborn)	M	9	Esdras Duval	— Picard
" 20	Joseph Thomas	M	7	Auguste Bourgault	Adèle Thériault
" 21	Joseph Arthur	M	1	Abel Bernier	Diana Bourgault
" 31	Joseph Ernest H.	M	1	Alfred Robichaud	Marie R. Robichaud
Apr. 10	Marie Blanche	F	1	Saluste Paradis	Cedelise Robichaud
" 18	Stella Eugenie	F	12	Dosithe Girouard	Josephine Loiselle
" 19	Marie Leslie	F	1	Joseph Peltier	Gaudelie Thériault
" 19	Marie Rose	F	2	Joseph Morneau	Amanda Fortin
May 5	Joseph Alfred E.	M	1	Joseph Thibault	Dorilda Bosselait
" 18	Henri Charles	M	5	Henri Matton	Elizabeth Laverture
" 23	Marie Alexina	F	4	Raphael Boulet	Zelie Fortin

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1897.

Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Mill Hand	Canada	Canada	26	22
"	"	"	39	38
Blacksmith	"	"	25	22
Second Hand in Mill	Montreal, Can.	New Ipswich, N. H.	24	18
Weaver	Canada	Canada	25	27
Second Hand in Mill	"	Chesterfield, N. Y.	29	29
Mill Operative	"	Canada	28	29
"	"	"	27	24
Weaver	Brunswick, Me.	New Ipswich, N. H.	23	22
Carpenter	Canada	Canada	38	32
Mill Operative	"	"	35	29
"	"	"	29	20
Journeyman	"	"	41	38
Joiner	"	"	33	23
Weaver	"	"	35	43
Mill Operative	"	"	31	25
Journeyman	"	Rhode Island	45	40
Weaver	"	Canada	30	25
Journeyman	"	"	40	38
Weaver	"	"	31	30
"	"	"	24	21
"	Brunswick, Me.	"	25	24
"	Canada	"	22	26
"	"	"	22	26
Teamster	"	Manchester, N. H.	38	37
Mill Operative	"	Canada	24	22
"	"	"	22	22
Weaver	"	"	21	17
"	"	"	31	33
Mill Operative	New Ipswich, N. H.	"	26	23

Births Registered in the Town of Greenville,

Date.	Name of Child.	Male or Female	No. of Child.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
May 27	Joseph O. Emile	M		Joseph Favan	Rosie Mercier
July 7	(Stillborn)	M	2	Charles W. Pratt	Annie E. Greene
" 16	Marie Anna	F	2	Pierre Leclerc	Anna Barbeau
Aug. 3	(Stillborn)	M	4	Joseph Morneau	Celina Chouinard
" 5	Joseph Euclid	M	2	Alfred Lacasse	Eugenie Boisse
" 6	Joseph	M	5	Frank Bolduc	Alié Goulet
" 9	Marie Eva	F	5	Joseph Levesque	Celina Lacroix
" 13	Armand	M	1	Arthur Bourgault	Josephine Fournier
" 21	Frank L.	M	2	Daniel S. Twiss	Harriet Cloutier
" 25	Marie Anna Cora B.	F	2	Elzear Caron	Aurore Morneau
" 31	Joseph David A.	M	2	Phillippe Bosselet	Leopoldine St. Pierre
Sept. 4	Ivonne Nadee		3	Telesphore Lizotte	Christine Morneau
" 14		F	5	Arthur Bois	Amanda Bernier
" 26		M	8	David Duval	Josephine Duval
" 30	Katie	F	6	Jeremiah Cronin	Nora Sullivan
" 30	Nellie	F	7	Jeremiah Cronin	Nora Sullivan
Oct. 11	Mary	F	4	Alfred Duval	Caroline Dubé
" 18	Mary Rose D.	F	3	Emile Desrosier	Alice Morneau
" 25	Delia	F	3	Baptiste Violet	Delia Archambault
Nov. 16	Lucy	F	5	Joseph Daucanse	Elizabeth Fournier
Dec. 10	Mary L.	F	11	Alfred U. Moran	Mary S. St. Peters
" 11	Joseph	M	3	Arthur Bélanger	Amanda Bélanger
" 11	Louis	M	4	Arthur Bélanger	Amanda Bélanger
" 15	(Stillborn)	M	11	Joseph Caouette	Celina Tessier
" 15	Azelie Azilda	F	3	Etienne Boulét	Azilda Ricard
" 15	Joseph P.	M	5	Peter Ragotte	Celina Latraverse
" 23	Joseph Amede	M	6	Dominique St. Pierre	Philomène Bourgault
" 23	Edward John	M	4	Edward W. Harrison	Eugene Lajoie
" 30	(Stillborn)	M	7	Pierre Chouinard	Odele Labonte

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1897.

Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Mill Hand	New Ipswich, N. H.	Canada	55	36
Teamster	"	Ireland	31	29
Laborer	Canada	Canada	27	23
Baker	"	"	30	29
Laborer	Vermont	Massachusetts	23	22
"	Canada	Canada	29	25
"	"	"	27	27
Mill Operative	"	Canada	24	22
Teamster	West Warren, Mass.	Province of Quebec	25	23
Mill Operative	Canada	Canada	26	22
Weaver	"	"	26	23
"	"	Maine	28	29
Mill Operative	"	Canada	33	26
"	"	"	32	24
Hostler	County Casey, Ireland	County Casey, Ireland	32	29
"	"	"	32	29
Mill Hand	Canada	Canada	32	30
"	"	"	25	27
"	Van Buren, Me.	"	24	26
Watchman	Canada	"	36	42
Mill Hand	"	"	40	38
Mill Operative	"	"	30	21
"	"	"	30	21
Machinist	"	"	50	39
Weaver	"	"	39	27
Mill Hand	"	"	36	29
Weaver	"	"	47	31
Laborer	Lowell, Mass.	Edmundsen, N. B.	30	24
Baker	Canada	Canada	35	32

Marriages Registered in the Town of Greenville,

Date	Name of Groom and Bride.	Residence at time of Marriage.	Age	Occupation,
January 11	Arthur Jean	Greenville	23	Laborer
	Mary Jane Thibault	"	20	Mill Operative
January 21	Azarie Ricard	"	19	" "
	Adele Labelle	"	17	" "
February 22	Amedee Fournier	"	21	" "
	Celina St. Pierre	"	24	" "
March 16	John H. Fish	Temple	23	Farmer
	*Lena M. Blackbird	"	25	Housekeeper
May 9	Charles J. Perront	Greenville	27	Laborer
	Annie Chretien	"	19	Mill Operative
May 10	Henry E. Potter	Fitchburg, Mass.	23	Shoemaker
	Cora B. Powers	" "	17	
May 25	† Alfred Perront	Greenville	30	Carpenter
	† Pamela Lafortune	Lowell, Mass.	20	
June 7	Joseph Bernier	Greenville	28	Mill Operative
	Marie Chouinard	"	19	" "
June 16	H. Newton Wiggins	"	29	Clergyman
	Emily M. Kniveton	"	25	

* Second Marriage.

† Married in Lowell, Mass.

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1897.

Birthplace.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	By whom Married.
Canada	Francois Jean Agnes Jalbert	Canada	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
"	Eli Thibault Azilda Dubé	"	
"	Azarie Ricard Delima Pare	"	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
Michigan	Ludger Labelle Elmire Perron	"	
Canada	Joseph Fournier Beatrice Duval	"	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
"	Jean Baptiste St. Pierre Obeline Pelletier	"	
Temple, N. H.	Horace Fish Mary A. Fish	Lyndboro, N. H.	Rev. Geo. F. Merriam, Greenville
Blackbrook, N. Y.	Stratten Bowen Cynthia Bowen	Temple Mansonsville, P. Q.	
Provmont, Mich.	Charles Perron Des Neiges Paquette	Canada	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
Van Buren, Me.	John Chretien Philomene St. Jean	"	
Gardner Mass.	Henry D. Potter Susan S. Quinn	Deerfield, Mass. Peru, Vt.	Rev. Geo. F. Merriam, Greenville
Leland, Mich.	John Powers Hannah Ford	Canada	Rev. T. M. Perron, Lowell, Mass.
Montreal, P. Q.	Charles Perront Des Neiges Paquette	"	
Canada	Edmund Lafortune Philomene Pelado	"	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
"	Prosper Bernier Philomene Jean	"	
Queens Co., N. B.	Hermenegilde Chouinard Marguerite Fortin	Queens Co., N. B.	Rev. J. W. Higgins, Brentwood, N. H.
Derby, Eng.	Gilbert Wiggins Margaret D. Fairweather	"	
	Gilbert Kniveton Elizabeth A. Peters	Duffield, Eng. Manchester, Eng.	

Marriages Registered in the Town of Greenville,

Date	Name of Groom and Bride.	Residence at time of Marriage.	Age	Occupation.
June 26	Joseph Labrecque	Greenville	21	Mill Operative
	Malvina Fayan	"	24	" "
July 15	Narcisse Bosselet	"	30	" "
	Aurore Robichaud	"	19	" "
August 7	Henry Cherberno	"	24	" "
	Delina Violet	Winchendon, Mass.	22	" "
September 1	*Albert T. Austin	Peterboro, N. H.	34	Teamster
	Ida Belle Towns	" "	18	
October 5	William Cashmere	Mason, N. H.	20	Laborer
	Hattie F. Shirland	" "	19	
October 19	Fred A. Cushing	New Ipswich, N. H.	28	Farmer
	Ella M. Hudson	" " "	26	Domestic
November 8	*John A. Collett	Fitchburg, Mass.	27	Laborer
	Annie Kippie	" "	23	
November 27	Joseph Dion	Greenville	23	Mill Operative
	Alice St. Pierre	"	19	" "
December 28	Philip J. McDermott	"	30	Overseer
	Katie L. Greene	"	25	

* Second Marriage.

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1897.

Birthplace.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	By whom Married.
Canada	Ferdinand Labrecque Mary Beaudoin	Canada	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
"	Joseph Favan Adelaide Therault	"	
"	Narcisse Bosselet Philomene ———	"	Rev. D. C. Ling, Marlborough, N. H.
"	Joseph Robichaud Victoria Robichaud	"	
New Ipswich, N. H.	Francois Cherberno Olive Bruvet Benoni Violet Nathalie Violet	"	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
Mason, N. H.	George Austin Louisa Creighton	Mason, N. H.	Rev. Geo. F. Merriam, Greenville
Mt. Vernon, N. H.	James C. Towns Esther W. Smith	Greenfield, N. H. Mt. Vernon, N. H.	
Nova Scotia	John Cashmere	Nova Scotia	Rev. Geo. F. Merriam, Greenville
Bolton, Mass.	Amos Shirland Clara Richards	Winslow, Me. Canton, N. Y.	
New Ipswich	George Cushing Julia A. Whitney	Ashburnham, Ms. Nova Scotia	Rev. Geo. F. Merriam, Greenville
Marlboro, Mass.	Elias M. Hudson Lucy J. Watin	Millbury, Mass.	
Fitchburg, Mass.	John Collett Catherine Alexander George Kippie Annie T. Kippie		Rev. H. N. Wiggins, Greenville
Canada	Joseph Dion Mary Radier	Canada	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
"	Louis St. Pierre Eugenie Antil	"	
Ireland	John McDermott Mary Farmer	Ireland	Rev. T. J. E. Devoy, Greenville
"	James Greene Catherine Maloney	"	

Deaths Registered in the Town of Greenville,

Date.	Place.	Name of the Deceased.	Age.			Sex.	Condition *	Place of Birth.
			Years.	Months.	Days.			
Jan. 17	Greenville	Bobilee				M		Greenville
Feb. 10	"	Mitchell J. Fournier	8			"		"
Mar. 3	"	Duval				"		"
Mar. 17	"	Frederick Eugene Pierce	17	5	23	"		"
Mar. 30	"	Vicoria Olvinie Leclerc	20			F		"
Apr. 5	"	Maria Sawtelle	82	26		"	W	Mason, N. H.
Apr. 7	"	Olive Desrosiers	88			"	W	Canada
Apr. 14	"	Marie Blanche Paradis		4		"		Greenville
July 3	"	Zelie Fortin	49			"	M	St. Jean Port Joli
July 5	Wilton	Harriet Francis Woodward	52			"	W	Lyndboro
July 7	Greenville	Pratt				M		Greenville
July 17	"	James Greene	76			"	M	Ireland
July 19	Peterboro, N. H.	Frederick Mansfield	89	11	20	"	W	
Aug. 3	Greenville	Morneau						Greenville
Aug. 4	"	Lyda St. Pierre	15			F	S	Canada
Aug. 16	"	Bernice Beatrice Bales	9			"		Greenville
Aug. 18	"	Marie Jeanne Chretien	11	33		"		"
Aug. 20	"	Joseph Alfred E. Thibeault	3	5		M		"
Aug. 21	"	Philippe Bosselet	10	13		"		"
Aug. 31	"	Joseph O. Emile Fayan	3	4		"		"
Sept. 3	"	Francois Pelletier	83			"	W	Canada
Sept. 6	Ayer, Mass.	Edna M. Nutting	7	4	17	F		
Sept. 6	Greenville	Zanciede Sansterre	44	4		M	M	"
Oct. 6	Nashua, N. H.	Willis C. Arnold	14			"		Greenville
Oct. 21	Greenville	Joseph Belanger	59			"	W	Canada
Nov. 7	East Jaffrey	Louisa Williams	71	11		F	W	
Nov. 14	Greenville	Francois Belanger	3	4		M		Greenville
Nov. 17	"	Lucy Fournier	75	1	9	F	W	Canada
Dec. 11	"	Louis Belanger			1	M		Greenville
Dec. 15	"	Caouette				"		"
Dec. 23	"	Alma Thibault	5	9		M		"
Dec. 30	"	Chouinard				M		"

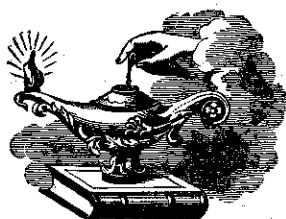
*Married, Widowed, or Single.

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1897.

Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.
Canada	Canada	Philip Bobilee	Mary Salvail
"	"	Mitchell Fournier	Odele Lezert
Greenville, N. H.	Clinton, Mass.	Esdras Duval	— Picard
Canada	Rhode Island	Frank Eugene Pierce	Annie M. Flagg
Mason, N. H.	Mason, N. H.	Nicholas Leclerc	Marie Charettee
Canada	Canada	William Whitaker	Polly Russell
"	"	Anselm Desrosiers	Olivet Caron
St. Jean Port Joli	St. Jean Port Joli	Saluste Paradis	Cedelese Robichaud
Lyndeboro	Vermont	Frederick Robichaud	Julie Fournier
New Ipswich	Ireland	William G. Lakin	Harrett Carleton
Ireland		Chas. W. Pratt	Annie E. Greene
Canada	Canada	Joseph Morneau	Celina Chouinard
"	"	Octave St. Pierre	Louise Carrier
Wilton, N. H.	Wilton, N. H.	Chester P. Bales	Susan R. Keyes
Canada	Canada	Charles Chretien	Marie Bosselet
"	"	Charles Thibeault	Dorilda Bosselet
"	"	Phillippe Bosselet	Leopoldine St. Pierre
"	"	Joseph Fayau	Rosie Mercier
		Howard Nutting	Abbie Bennett
Haverhill, Mass.	Mason, N. H.	David P. Arnold	Annie Peters
Canada	Canada	Peter Belanger	Mary Ouillett
"	"	Alphonse Belanger	Cecelia Le Blanc
"	"	Francis Fournier	Mary Belanger
"	"	Arthur Belanger	Amanda Belanger
"	"	Joseph Caouette	Celina Tessier
"	"	Noel Thibeault	Victoria Leclerc
"	"	Pierre Chouinard	Odele Lafonte



REPORT
—OF THE—
SCHOOL BOARD
—OF—
GREENVILLE, N. H.



SCHOOL REPORT.

The School Board submit the following report:

In reviewing the school work of the past year, we feel justified in saying that commendable progress has been made in all departments and the former high standard of our schools maintained.

Without particularizing, our teachers have been well qualified for their positions, and have given earnest, faithful service.

Good discipline, the first essential to success, has been maintained, but the attendance during the winter term has been very irregular, owing partly to sickness and unpleasant weather, and partly we think to the indifference of the parents. To ensure the best success scholars should be constant and punctual in attendance, and we wish to urge parents to be interested, that their children be prompt and constant in their attendance. The much discussed question, how to give our advanced scholars the benefit of high school instruction, has been happily solved by giving the grammar teacher an assistant half of the time, thereby giving ample time to the higher classes without detriment to the regular grammar grade.

The instruction in singing under the efficient direction of Annie P. Stevenson has been continued; if there is a person in town who thinks the expenditure unwise, we think a visit to the exercises will change his opinion. The

old style double desks in the primary room have been replaced by modern adjustable single desks and seats, and the change has been highly satisfactory, not only rendering the task of governing much easier, but the comfort of the scholars greatly increased. F. K. Pierce, a former respected pupil and for several years the very efficient janitor of our village school building, has passed away since our last report; we wish to place on record our appreciation of his very faithful services. The expenses of the East School have been equally divided between the towns of Mason and Greenville.

The scholars of the South School District have been transported to the village as last year.

ROLL OF HONOR.

One Term: Charles Sawyer, Napoleon Greenwood, Louis Greenwood, Esther Kingsbury, Medora Elliott, Mildred Sargent, Gustave Doucet, David Nault, Ralph Farrin, Nellie Kingsbury, Rachel Nault, Napoleon Nault, Annie Farrin, Benjamin Greene, Linus Nutting, Louis Pratt.

Two Terms: Arthur Farrar, Robert Kingsbury, Eddie Hogan, Arthur Hartshorn, Gene Sanborn, Edmund P. Salvail, Edmund Bourgault, Percy Price.

Three Terms: Thomas Conners.

EXPENDITURES.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Addie L. Wardwell, spring term, 12 weeks	\$120 00
Addie L. Wardwell, fall term, 11 weeks	110 00
Addie L. Wardwell, winter term, 13 weeks	130 00
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	\$360 00

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

Hattie A. Preston, spring term, 12 weeks	\$108 00
Hattie A. Preston, fall term, 11 weeks	99 00
Hattie A. Preston, winter term, 13 weeks	117 00
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	\$324 00

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

Marcia Richards, spring term, 12 weeks	\$108 00
Marcia Richards, fall term, 11 weeks	99 00
Marcia Richards, winter term, 13 weeks	117 00
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	\$324 00

ASSISTANT TEACHER.

Annie Kniveton, spring term, 12 weeks	\$48 00
Annie Kniveton, fall term, 11 weeks	66 00
Annie Kniveton, winter term, 11 weeks	66 00
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	\$180 00

EAST SCHOOL.

Myra R. Knowlton, spring term, 12 weeks	\$96 00
Lillie M. Bacon, fall term, 11 weeks	88 00
Lillie M. Bacon, winter term, 12 weeks	96 00
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	\$280 00

MUSIC.

Annie P. Stevenson	\$70 00
T. J. Antil, team to East School	3 85
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	\$73 85

CARE OF BUILDINGS.

Herbert J. Doonan	\$1 05
Merton Sanborn	13 50
John Hogan	48 00
Willis Parker	24 00
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	\$86 55

REPAIRS.

Geo. W. Sargent, labor and material	\$15 41
W. H. Sanborn, labor	2 12
G. H. Porter, labor	2 50
Ed. Hogan, labor	3 75
J. P. Nutting, labor	2 75
Richmond Stove Co., grates	4 77
W. W. Sawtell, setting glass	2 50
Columbian Mfg. Co., materials	1 57
G. L. Nutting, labor	15 50
Bobrick School Furniture Co., desks	149 61
Mial Davis, flooring	30 00
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	\$230 48

FUEL.

S. H. Bacon, wood	\$12 81
C. L. Batchelder, wood	2 25
H. J. Taft, coal	126 75
H. J. Taft, wood	11 50
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	\$153 31

FUEL AND SUPPLIES.

American Book Co.	\$3 82
Carter's Ink Co.	3 50
Silver, Burdette & Co.	40 00
Werner School Book Co.	1 44
Boston School Supply Co.	40 10
Geo. F. King & Co.	15 42
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.	3 44
Thomson, Brown & Co.	4 27
M. R. Warren	4 00
Oliver Ditson & Co.	5 95
Ginn & Co.	13 93
J. L. Hammett & Co.	33 49
D. L. Heath	89

O. D. Prescott	\$9 97
C. E. Hall	3 60
B. P. Lamb	80
N. P. Farrar	1 10
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	\$185 72

TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOLARS.

Martha Withington, summer term	\$45 00
Martha Withington, fall term	46 75
Martha Withington, winter term	52 00
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MISCELLANEOUS.

National Express Co.	\$7 75
Fitchburg Railroad, freight	6 54
Bobrick School Furniture Co., desks	10 00
S. H. Bacon, repairs and supplies	2 10
S. L. Cowdrey, cleaning schoolhouse	7 50
Lucinda Brown, cleaning schoolhouse	2 25
T. J. Antil, team	3 00
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	\$39 14

RECAPITULATION.

Instruction	\$1541 85
Care of building	86 55
Repairs	230 48
Fuel	153 31
Books and supplies	185 72
Transportation	143 75
Miscellaneous	39 14
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	\$2380 80

S. H. BACON,
V. L. PARKER,
H. J. TAFT,

SCHOOL BOARD.

GREENVILLE, Feb. 24, 1898.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

DR.

Balance from last year	\$258 70
From town treasurer, appropriation	1790 00
From town treasurer, literary fund	74 90
From town treasurer, dog licenses	110 54
Mason school district	167 63
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	\$2401 77

CR.

Paid 109 orders drawn on treasurer	\$2380 80
Cash in treasury Feb. 23, 1898	20 97

Respectfully submitted,

BRONSON P. LAMB, Treasurer.

GREENVILLE, Feb. 23, 1898.

We have examined the foregoing accounts and find them properly cast and properly vouched.

F. L. PEABODY,
H. L. KINGSBURY,

AUDITORS.