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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Carver

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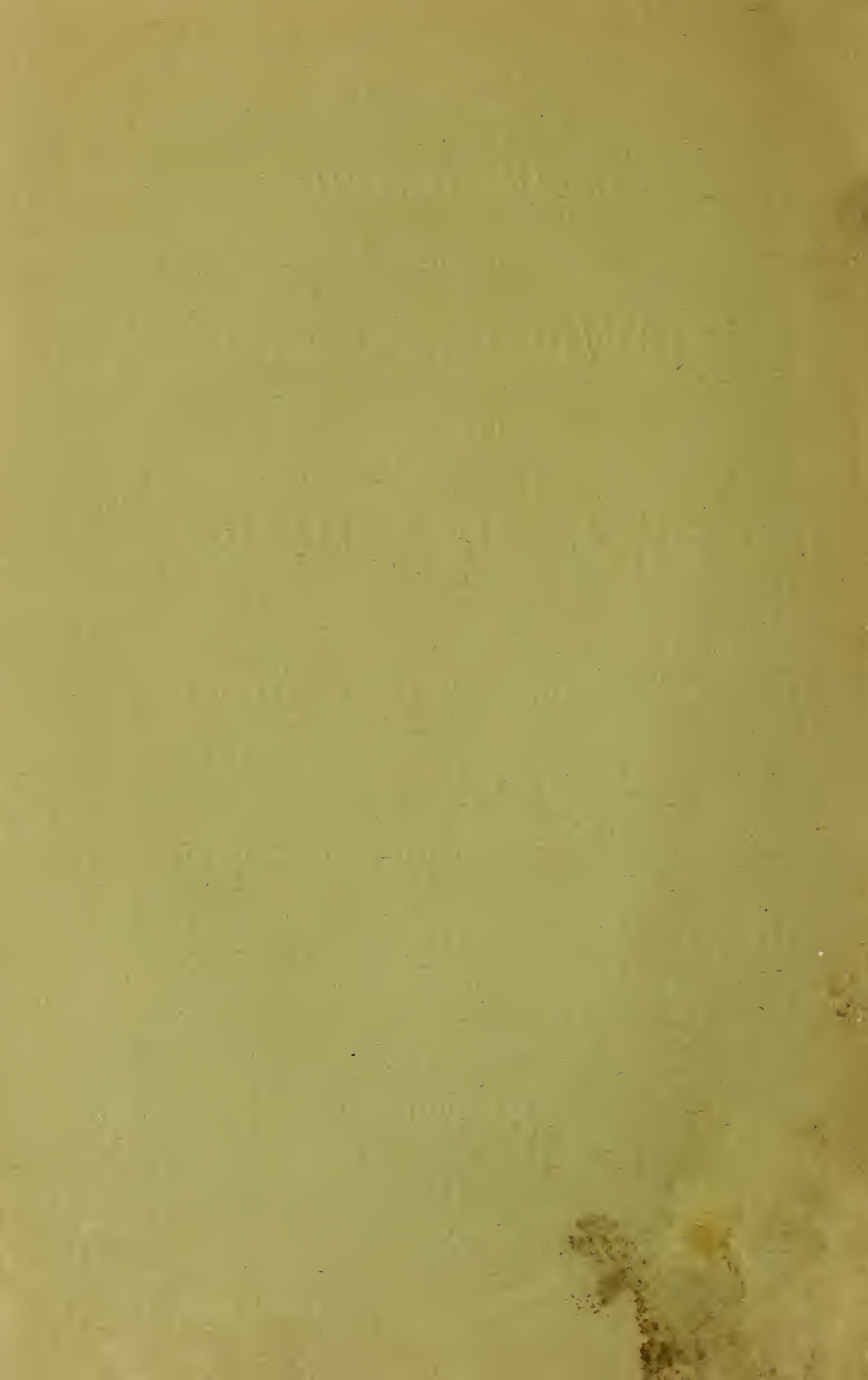
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Report of the Selectmen,

AND OTHER TOWN OFFICERS.

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES, 1905.

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector—Henry S. Griffith.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor—T. T. Vaughan, W. A. Tillson and Seth C. C. Finney.

School Committee—Mrs. Alice G. Shaw (1908), Wm. M. Shaw (1907), Charles C. Perkins (1906).

Road Commissioners—Levi F. Morse (1908), E. H. Murdock (1907), Z. W. Andrews (1906).

Constables—George H. Powers, Neil McDonald, Donald McFarlin.

Auditor—Ellis G. Cornish.

Library Trustees—Seth C. C. Finney (1908), Rev. Oscar F. Stetson (1907), Henry S. Griffith (1906).

Tree Warden—E. H. Murdock.

Fence Viewers—S. D. Atwood, J. M. Bump.

Field Drivers and Pound Keepers—Seth C. C. Finney, Donald McFarlin, Ellsworth V. Shaw.

Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood—T. T. Vaughan, Seth C. C. Finney, Wm. M. Shaw, Fred A. Ward.

Burial Agent—W. A. Tillson.

Forester—Eugene E. Shaw.

Herring Committee—Seth C. C. Finney, Arthur W. Peterson, Alton H. Griffith.

Park Commissioners—Frederic Anderson (1907), Frank E. Barrows (1908), Abbot G. Finney (1909).

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

Citizens of Carver:—

The Selectmen submit their annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the Town for the past year, with such other facts as may be of interest.

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

J. A. Vaughan, Treasurer and Collector.

DR.

Cash on hand, Jan. 15, 1905,	\$10 97
Received from—	
County Treasurer, dog license divided,	214 90
Stillman Pratt, cash paid men fighting fire,	6 70
Peleg McFarlin, cash paid men fighting fire,	18 73
Town of Franklin, aid, Grace Johnson,	23 00
Town of Middleboro, aid, Lydia Thrasher,	7 75
Town of Middleboro, aid, Laura Bradford,	2 00
T. B. Griffith, cemetery fund, money hired,	1,000 00
Charles W. Griffith, cemetery fund, money hired,	606 10
Taxes collected,	859 78
Interest on taxes,	12 46
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	\$2,762 39

CR.

Paid—	
Orders of the Selectmen,	\$956 03
Orders of the School Committee,	1,404 97
Cash on hand, March 25, 1905,	401 39
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	\$2,762 39

Carver, Mass., March 25, 1905.

I have examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer and Collector of Carver, and found them correct to this date, and a balance in the treasury of \$401.39.

ELLIS G. CORNISH, *Auditor.*

TREASURER'S CASH ACCOUNT.

Henry S. Griffith, Treasurer.

DR.

Cash received from—	
J. A. Vaughan,	\$401 39
Massachusetts school fund,	902 92
Frank P. Kief, J. P. Kief acct.,	43 32
State—Aid State paupers,	4 00
Burial State paupers,	30 00
Tuition State wards,	30 00
Superintendent's account,	300 00
Teachers' salaries,	200 00
Inspection of animals,	9 75
Stone Road account,	1,448 00
Corporation tax,	184 63
National Bank tax,	575 13
State aid,	504 00
Third District Court, D. Ross case,	3 92
Third District Court, T. Roderick case,	6 02
County, Fosdick's road,	500 00
Carl Hellen,	22 62
C. T. Bagnall,	70
Asel Cole, sale of logs,	106 84
So. Mass. Telephone Co.,	6 00
W. M. Shaw, sale of stone,	2 00

E. T. Stetson, cemetery fund,	10 95	
Ellis Griffith cemetery fund,	10 50	
C. W. Griffith, cemetery fund,	10 50	
P. W. Bump, cemetery fund,	3 00	
Town of Middleboro, Dora Bradford,	48 67	
Town of Pembroke, stone road,	7 50	
Town of Plymouth, 1-2 of Weston survey,	57 98	
J. A. Vaughan, unclaimed orders,	33 75	
S. C. C. Finney, rent, Cole House,	1 50	
W. M. Shaw, sale of lumber,	4 76	
A. H. Griffith, sale of herring privilege,	6 66	
Peleg McFarlin, Ellis School Fund,	200 00	
Gustavus Atwood, Pratt School Fund,	150 00	
Dog licenses received,	255 42	
St. Ry. loan account,	626 43	
John F. Shaw, anticipated tax loan,	299 07	
Jose, Parker & Co., anticipated tax loan,	8,346 24	
Tax Collector,	17,129 17	
Tax Collector, interest,	99 13	
	<hr/>	\$32,582 47

CR.

Paid—

Orders of Selectmen and School Committee,	\$16,525 13
County tax,	1,773 97
State tax,	1,640 00
Street Railway, note,	1,500 00
Street Railway, interest,	540 00
Wilson Shaw, cemetery fund, loan 1903,	117 00

C. W. Griffith, cemetery fund, anti-		
cipated tax loan,	632	00
John F. Shaw, anticipated tax loan,	300	00
Jose, Parker & Co., anticipated tax		
loan,	8,500	00
Cash on hand January 13, 1906.	1,054	37
	<hr/>	\$32,582 47

STATEMENT OF CEMETERY FUNDS JAN. 1, 1906.

Chas. W. Griffith Fund,		
Union Cemetery,	\$500	00
Accrued interest,	132	00
	<hr/>	\$632 00
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Expended in 1905,	\$10	50
In Wareham Savings Bank,	621	50
	<hr/>	632 00
Augustine Shurtleff Fund, 1-2 Car-		
ver cemetery; 1-2 Lakenham		
cemetery,	\$100	00
Accrued interest,	26	74
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In Plymouth Savings Bank,		126 74
Wilson Shaw Fund, Carver ceme-		
tery,	\$100	00
Accrued interest	17	00
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In Wareham Savings Bank,		117 00
E. T. Stetson Fund, Lakenham		
cemetery,	\$200	00
Accrued interest,	536	75
	<hr/>	736 75

	CR.		
Expended in 1905,	\$10 95		
In Plymouth Savings Bank,	725 80		
	<hr/>		736 75
P. W. Bump Fund, Union cemetery,	\$100 00		
Accrued interest,	29 60		
	<hr/>		129 60
	CR.		
Expended in 1905,	\$3 00		
In Plymouth Savings Bank,	126 60		
	<hr/>		129 60
Thos. B. Griffith Fund, Union cemetery,	\$1,000 00		
Accrued interest,	290 97		
	<hr/>		1,290 97
	CR.		
Expended in 1905,	\$37 00		
In Plymouth Savings Bank,	76 52		
In Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank,	171 55		
Note of Town of Carver,	1,005 90		
	<hr/>		1,290 97
Ellis Griffith Fund, Union cemetery,	\$200 00		
Accrued interest,	114 08		
	<hr/>		314 08
	CR.		
Expended in 1905,	\$10 50		
In Wareham Savings Bank,	303 58		
	<hr/>		314 08

The Town has voted that the income of funds left for the care of cemeteries shall be expended as follows:

In incorporated cemeteries to the order of the Board of Trustees; in unincorporated cemeteries, to the order of the Board of Selectmen.

PERMANENT DEBT STATEMENT.

Notes outstanding as follows:

Date.	Due.	
Oct. 1, 1903, Jose, Parker & Co.,	Oct. 1, 1906,	\$1,500 00
Oct. 1, 1903, Jose, Parker & Co.,	Oct. 1, 1907,	\$1,500 00
Oct. 1, 1903, Jose, Parker & Co.,	Oct. 1, 1908,	\$1,500 00
Oct. 1, 1903, Jose, Parker & Co.,	Oct. 1, 1909,	\$1,500 00
Oct. 1, 1903, Jose, Parker & Co.,	Oct. 1, 1910,	\$1,500 00
Oct. 1, 1903, Jose, Parker & Co.,	Oct. 1, 1911,	\$1,500 00
Oct. 1, 1903, Jose, Parker & Co.,	Oct. 1, 1912,	\$1,500 00
Oct. 1, 1903, Jose, Parker & Co.,	Oct. 1, 1913,	\$1,500 00

P. C. & W. ST. RY., LOAN ACCOUNT.

DR.

Balance on hand January 1, 1905,	\$7,946 37	
Accrued interest,	180 06	
	<u> </u>	\$8,126 43

CR.

Paid Treas. P. C. & W. St. Ry.		
Co.,	\$7,500 00	
Turned into current account,	626 43	
	<u> </u>	\$8,126 43

Carver, Mass., Feb. 5, 1906.

I have examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer of Carver, and find the same to be correct.

ELLIS G. CORNISH,
Auditor.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1905.

Uncollected taxes, books of J. A.		
Vaughan,	\$2,899 95	
Assessments for 1905,	18,039 47	
		\$20,939 42
CR.		
By taxes collected,	\$17,129 17	
By taxes abated,	43 78	
Uncollected,	3,766 47	
		\$20,939 42

STATEMENT BY YEARS

Uncollected taxes of 1899,		\$7 80
	CR.	
Taxes abated,	\$3 89	
Uncollected,	3 91	
		\$7 80
Uncollected taxes of 1900,		\$32 66
	CR.	
Taxes collected,	\$14 54	
Taxes abated,	6 62	
Uncollected,	11 50	
		\$32 66
Uncollected taxes, 1901,		\$101 28
	CR.	
By taxes collected,	\$56 90	
By taxes abated,	7 59	
Uncollected,	36 79	
		\$101 28

Uncollected taxes, 1902,		\$154 92
	CR.	
Taxes collected,	\$58 53	
Taxes abated,	13 56	
Uncollected,	82 83	
	<hr/>	\$154 92
Uncollected taxes, 1903,		\$637 69
	CR.	
Taxes collected,	\$359 00	
Taxes abated,	10 12	
Uncollected,	268 57	
	<hr/>	\$637 69
Uncollected taxes, 1904,		\$1,965 60
	CR.	
Taxes collected,	\$962 96	
Taxes abated,	2 00	
Uncollected,	1,000 64	
	<hr/>	\$1,965 60
Total assessment, 1905,		\$18,039 47
	CR.	
Taxes collected,	\$15,677 24	
Uncollected,	2,362 23	
	<hr/>	\$18,039 47

Taxes aggregating about seven hundred dollars have been held pending the settlement of the Plymouth-Carver boundary line controversy. Six hundred dollars of this amount has been paid since the account was made up, but there is still about one hundred dollars awaiting the outcome of the controversy.

HENRY S. GRIFFITH,
Tax Collector.

OLD HOME DAY.

I give below the receipts and expenses connected with the observance of Old Home Day:

Receipts.

1905.

Jan. 15, Balance on hand,	\$204 07
O. L. Shurtleff, wages of Braddock boy, returned,	50
Mrs. Leander Cole,	5 00
Abner Atwood,	5 00
J. A. Vaughan, for trays,	1 25
Dinner tickets, ice cream, and other things, sold Old Home Day,	411 96
Town appropriation,	107 45
Remnants sold by E. G. Cornish,	13 98
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	\$749 21

Expenses.

Harding regalia, badges,	\$1 08
O. F. Stetson, postage and printing,	4 82
Wood & Tinkham, printing,	4 50
S. H. Pink, postage stamps,	5 60
Roswell Shurtleff, carrying passengers,	2 50
A. D. Griffith, carrying passengers,	2 00
H. F. Atwood, cigars,	13 04
H. F. Atwood, work, and bills paid,	55 58
J. S. McKay, sausages, tonic, &c.,	28 28
E. B. Tinkham, sweet corn,	13 00
F. H. Henshaw, clams,	51 20

New Bedford Fish Co.,	11 39
W. A. Stanley, butter, &c.,	24 00
Stimpson & Co., napkins and bags,	1 60
Waxed paper,	1 25
Jos. Breck & Sons, baskets and pails,	2 73
W. W. Benjamin, melons, &c.,	26 90
T. T. Vaughan, wood,	2 64
E. E. Shaw, slabs and use of lumber,	5 63
Geo. W. Alden Co., use of dishes,	30 08
Freight and carting dishes,	2 75
Freight on goods from Boston,	81
Pastor & Klar, ice cream,	79 00
Pastor & Klar, candy, cake, &c.,	11 70
Pastor & Klar, crackers,	2 93
C. Cavicci, peanuts,	10 00
P. J. Holmes, six sacks,	25
J. A. Vaughan, supplies,	2 16
T. E. Blanding, supplies,	1 84
A. W. Peterson, ice and potatoes,	3 15
S. H. Pink, trays,	3 98
E. G. Cornish, visiting Brockton,	2 00
E. G. Cornish, fare to Bourne,	30
E. G. Cornish, miss. errands,	1 00
E. G. Cornish, telephone services,	2 20
E. G. Cornish, 4 days' labor,	8 00
E. G. Cornish, horse, work,	7 00
W. F. Stanley, labor and carfare,	4 20
L. A. Hayden, labor,	5 00
J. S. McKay, labor,	7 15
Solon Cornish, labor,	10 00
Daniel Ross, labor,	3 00
James S. Hudson, labor,	2 25
Howard Weaver, labor,	11 00
Eugene King, labor,	11 73
Sarah Wade, labor,	2 75

O. L. Shurtleff and family, labor,	4 00
A. W. Burbank, labor,	3 00
Peter Watts, labor,	1 50
Alfred Dube, labor,	1 50
H. F. Atwood, labor,	2 00
Anne Peckham, labor,	1 50
Anne Shaw, labor,	2 25
Abe Peckham, labor,	3 30
Mabel Peckham, labor,	50
William Anderson, selling ice cream,	2 00
Webster Vaughan, selling tickets,	2 00
Neil McDonald, officer,	75
44 waiters,	11 50
Charles C. Simmons, music,	29 00
Ira Murdock,	24 00
Ellis Foundry Co., base balls,	2 50
Base ball team,	5 00
James Gallagan, barge for base ball team,	7 00
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1906,	161 94
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	\$749 21

J. A. VAUGHAN,
Treasurer.

POOR.

Receipts and expenditures connected with the support of
the Poor the past year:

	DR.	
Appropriation,		\$1,700 00
Town of Franklin, aid Grace R. Johnson,		23 00

Town of Middleboro, aid Dora Bradford,	50 67	
Town of Middleboro, aid Lydia Thrasher,	7 75	
Received from Asel Cole property,	108 34	
Cash found on Carl Hellen,	22 62	
State of Massachusetts, Aid State Paupers,	4 00	
State of Massachusetts, Burial State Paupers,	30 00	
Overdrawn,	414 49	
	<hr/>	\$2,360 87

The following sums are due the Poor Account—

Town of Middleboro, aid, Dora Bradford,	\$3 00	
Town of Medway, aid John F. Stratton, Jr.	61 46	
State of Massachusetts, Aid to State Paupers,	56 75	
Estate of Zenas Chase,	26 00	
Estate of Sarah E. Chase,	66 00	
	<hr/>	\$213 21

Poor in the Almshouse—

Mrs. Celia Bradford, matron,	\$265 00
S. H. Pink, groceries,	117 62
J. S. McKay, meat,	17 68
T. T. Vaughan, wood,	36 45
T. T. Vaughan, sundries,	1 28
Mrs. J. D. Chase, washing,	5 90
Geo. A. Shurtleff, fruit and vegetables,	3 16
Mrs. Geo. A. Shurtleff, care of Mrs. Churchill,	2 50
C. F. Cornell, sawing wood,	3 35
Mrs. A. C. Bradford, cleaning,	2 24

Chesman Coombs, delivering milk, etc.,	17 55	
Dr. G. F. Morse, medical attend- ance, Mrs. Churchill,	14 00	
H. C. Robbins, milk,	9 17	
Horace Thrasher, labor,	6 50	
J. E. Wrightington, sawing wood,	5 50	
J. E. Wrightington, filing saws,	80	
George A. Shurtleff, delivering milk,	2 15	
Seth C. C. Finnev, axe,	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$511 85

EXPENSES OUTSIDE THE ALMSHOUSE.

S. H. Pink, groceries, Coombs family,	\$119 89
S. H. Pink, groceries, Dora Brad- ford,	15 68
S. H. Pink, groceries, Maria Saari,	15 99
S. H. Pink, groceries, Antone Na- ponen,	23 51
S. H. Pink, groceries, John F. Strat- ton, Jr.,	4 76
Ellis Foundry Co., aid, E. C. Westgate,	41 99
Ellis Foundry Co., aid, Ann Wright- ington,	6 57
Ellis Foundry Co., aid, Mrs. Hall,	77 61
J. S. McKay, meat, Dora Brad- ford,	13 27
J. S. McKay, meat, Coombs family,	37 65
J. S. McKay, meat, John F. Stratton, Jr.,	20
Dr. G. F. Morse, medical attend- ance, Carl Hellen,	6 00

Dr. G. F. Morse, medical attend- ance, Dora Bradford,	18 00
Dr. G. F. Morse, medical attend- ance, Amy Saari,	4 25
Dr. G. F. Morse, medical attend- ance, Antone Naponen,	13 00
Dr. G. F. Morse, medical attend- ance, Coombs family,	7 25
Dr. G. F. Morse, medical attend- ance, John F. Stratton, Jr.	10 50
A. Chandler & Son, moving Carl Hellen,	6 00
W. W. Beaman, burial Carl Hellen,	15 00
H. H. Gammons, milk, Mrs. Hall,	75
S. D. Atwood, wood, Mrs. Hall,	12 38
S. D. Atwood, wood, Ann Wright- ington,	1 50
I. W. Tillson, sawing wood, Mrs. Hall,	3 86
A. D. Griffith, moving body,	1 25
N. G. Winberg, making casket,	75
J. E. Wrightington, sawing wood, Coombs family,	3 50
Nellie C. Pierce, rent, E. Stringer,	7 00
John F. Stratton, care of J. F. Stratton, Jr.	46 00
Coombs family, aid in Middleboro,	25 50
Mrs. E. J. Hall, aid,	3 00
James Hennessy, aid, Jabez Benson,	78 00
E. B. Whitmarsh, clothes, Abby Thomas,	3 00
Town of East Bridgewater, aid, Ed. J. Lincoln,	13 75
W. A. Tillson, clothing, Ann Wright- ington,	3 75

F. A. Ward, milk, Coombs family,	16 20
W. A. Tillson, clothing, Jabez Benson,	2 00
W. A. Tillson, expenses, Abby Thomas, Mass. General Hospital,	40 05
F. T. Gibbs, digging grave, Ann Wrightington,	3 00
C. F. Cornell, sawing wood, Coombs family,	8 70
Geo. A. Shurtleff, care of tramps,	1 60
Jordan Hospital, care of Carl Hellen,	4 29
I. S. Shurtleff, milk, Mrs. Hall,	3 93
L. B. Howard, rent, E. Stringer,	63 00
Carrie Braddock, care, Dora Bradford,	9 00
C. W. Westgate, meat, E. C. West- gate,	16 37
C. W. Westgate, meat, Mrs. Hall,	8 50
S. G. Loring, moving Mrs. A. Stringer to New Bedford,	15 00
P. N. Bodfish & Co., clothing, Jabez Benson,	10 00
J. E. Vaughan, taking two State pau- pers to State Farm,	5 00
Dr. E. H. Cornish, medical attend- ance, Abby Thomas,	158 00
Dr. E. H. Cornish, medical attend- ance, Mrs. Hall,	19 50
Dr. E. H. Cornish, medical attend- ance, Ann Wrightington,	4 00
Dr. E. H. Cornish, medical attend- ance, E. C. Westgate,	5 00
T. T. Vaughan, wood, Coombs family,	24 62
Town of Plymouth, aid, Abby Thomas,	16 00
E. B. Whitmarsh, clothing, Ann Wrightington,	80

S. D. Alwood, milk, Mrs. Hall,	3 96
T. T. Vaughan, supplies, Coombs family,	2 40
J. J. Ryan, aid, E. C. Westgate,	112 42
Hiram Hathaway, board, Miles Tillson,	42 00
Dr. E. H. Cornish, medical attend- ance, Jabez Benson,	11 24
T. T. Vaughan, clothing for Benj. Wrightington,	9 83
Richard C. Lewis, care, Ann Wright- ington,	8 75
Mrs. Richard C. Lewis, care Ann Wrightington,	11 00
Mrs. Richard C. Lewis, bedding, Ann Wrightington,	1 20
Jones Bros., burial Ann Wrighting- ton,	10 00
A. D. Griffith, team, burial Ann Wrightington,	1 00
Jones Bros., burial Mildred Thomas,	12 00
Ellis Foundry Co., aid, Asel Cole family,	157 70
Harvey Cole, rent, Asel Cole family,	10 00
Rachael Johnson, cleaning house, Asel Cole family,	1 00
Geo. H. Powers, moving Asel Cole family,	7 00
I. W. Tillson, sawing wood, Asel Cole family,	6 83
Wenham Bakery, bread and pastry, Asel Cole family,	25 59
C. W. Westgate, meat, Asel Cole family,	12 97
S. N. Crocker, meat, Asel Cole family,	1 33

T. B. Kelly, groceries, Asel Cole family,	21	74	
S. D. Atwood, wood, Asel Cole family,	5	00	
A. H. Griffith, wood, Asel Cole family,	8	50	
W. A. Tillson, clothing, Asel Cole family,	15	70	
Peleg McFarlin, rent, Asel Cole family,	15	00	
Dr. E. H. Cornish, medical attendance, Asel Cole,	3	00	
Total expense outside Almshouse,			\$1,596 25
Total expense at Almshouse,			511 85
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			\$2,108 10
Overdrawn in 1904,			\$252 77
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			\$2,360 87

REPAIRS AND FURNISHING ALMSHOUSE.

	DR.		
Balance from 1904,		\$13	76
Overdrawn,		4	13
		<hr/>	\$17 89
	CR.		
Paid—			
T. T. Vaughan, dishes,		\$1	60
R. F. Shurtleff, screen door and screens,		2	04

H. E. Thrasher, putting on screen doors,	1 00	
Smith & Anthony, stove pipe,	13 25	
	<hr/>	\$17 89

STATE AID.

DR.

Due from State,		\$524 00
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Paid—

Jane Barrows,	\$48 00	
Charles A. Holmes,	48 00	
John B. Hatch,	48 00	
Abigail Hatch,	48 00	
Mary A. Shaw,	48 00	
Susan A. Shaw,	4 00	
Isaac Shaw,	48 00	
Ruth D. Shaw,	48 00	
John F. Stratton,	48 00	
Lizzie S. Stratton,	48 00	
Marshall A. Washburn,	48 00	
John M. Cobb,	12 00	
Laura A. Austin,	28 00	
	<hr/>	\$524 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

DR.

Balance from 1904,	\$27 24	
Received for aid furnished Joseph Keif,	43 32	
	<hr/>	\$70 56

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Balance to new account, \$70 56

INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

DR.

To appropriation,	\$150 00	
Overdrawn,	11 00	
	<hr/>	\$161 00

CR.

Paid—

Thomas Jackson, insuring High school building,	\$60 00	
Thomas Jackson, Treasurer's bond,	20 00	
Overdrawn in 1904,	81 00	
	<hr/>	\$161 00

SUPPRESSION OF CRIME.

DR.

Balance from last year,	\$293 92	
B. A. Hathaway, fines,	9 94	
	<hr/>	\$303 86

CR.

Paid—

Joseph T. Collingwood, Emil Sauri case,	\$1 89	
Benj. F. Goddard, Emil Sauri case,	1 00	
Freeman Manter, Emil Sauri case,	3 26	

James E. Vaughan, Emil Sauri case,	12 63	
James W. Lewis, Emil Sauri case,	10 00	
S. B. Briggs, Ida Nelson case,	4 12	
George H. Powers, Emil Sauri case,	3 70	
Samuel Ferguson, Antone M. Thatcher case,	5 00	
Balance to new account,	262 26	
	<hr/>	\$303 86

MILITARY AID.

	DR.	
Balance from last year,		\$88 00
	CR.	
Balance to new account,		\$88 00

TOWN HOUSE ACCOUNT.

	DR.	
Balance from last year,		\$5 70
	CR.	
Paid—		
J. A. Vaughan, wood,	\$1 85	
E. V. Shaw, cleaning,	1 00	
Balance to new account,	2 85	
	<hr/>	\$5 70

LIBRARY ACCOUNT.

DR.

Balance from last year,	\$29 29	
One-half the dog licenses,	107 45	
	<u> </u>	\$136 74

CR.

Paid—

Elmer B. McFarlin, books,	\$3 50	
Balance to new account,	133 24	
	<u> </u>	\$136 74

REPAIRS OF BRIDGES.

DR.

Balance from last year,	\$124 33	
Overdrawn,	118 86	
	<u> </u>	\$243 19

CR.

Paid—

Town of Middleboro, plank, Fresh Meadow bridge,	\$92 77
Z. W. Andrews, freight and carting pipe,	5 81
Waldo Bros., drain pipe,	27 28
F. E. Crapo, putting up railings,	10 36
Frank Bernier, labor,	6 35
Paul Rinker, labor,	66
T. T. Vaughan, posts,	2 16
A. Baker, labor,	75
E. H. Murdock, labor,	5 12

Z. W. Andrews, labor and team,	11 68	
T. A. Tillson, labor,	3 00	
Joseph Lavender, labor,	3 00	
O. K. Griffith, labor,	5 34	
L. N. Crocker, labor,	3 00	
Antone Burbash, labor,	3 00	
John Pena, labor,	3 00	
E. E. Gardner, rods for railing,	1 00	
T. W. Pierce, drain pipe,	2 00	
George Judway, labor,	1 50	
M. P. Azevedo, carting plank,	5 50	
Levi F. Morse, labor,	6 00	
Benj. Parker, labor,	4 50	
Charles Roberts, labor,	5 75	
Nelson Story, labor,	4 50	
Edgar S. Holmes,	2 83	
Wm. T. Southworth, labor,	1 33	
Fred A. Worth, posts and rails,	17 50	
E. E. Shaw, posts and rails,	7 50	
	<hr/>	\$243 19

REMOVAL OF SNOW.

DR.

Appropriation,	\$400 00	
Overdrawn,	44 91	
	<hr/>	\$444 91

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Paid—		
Z. W. Andrews, labor and team,	\$5 67	
O. K. Griffith, labor,	4 30	
John A. Winberg, labor,	1 57	

H. H. Gammons, labor and team,	5 99
Fefene Manta, labor,	1 00
Joseph Hayden, labor,	40
Charles Bassett, labor,	1 00
Frank Stanley, labor and team,	2 30
John Andrews, labor,	1 50
Lloyd Griffith, labor,	40
Orlando Griffith, labor,	40
Levi Thomas, labor,	80
Lemuel Crocker, labor,	1 20
Frank Manter, labor,	1 30
Albert Atwood, labor,	1 30
Carl Southworth, labor,	1 30
Julian Southworth, labor,	1 00
Lawrence Rogers, labor,	80
Elmer McFarlin, labor,	80
T. A. Tillson, labor,	60
Joseph Lavender, labor,	1 40
Charles Washburn, labor,	1 33
Joseph Peters, labor,	1 63
Manuel Alvis, labor,	80
James Peno, labor,	80
Geo. J. Johnson, labor,	1 60
E. V. Shaw, labor,	2 20
Herbert Atwood, labor and team,	5 50
T. T. Vaughn, labor and team,	3 17
Herbert J. Vaughan, labor,	1 10
John Goodreau, labor,	1 10
Wm. E. W. Vaughan, labor,	1 10
Arthur H. Wade, labor,	1 10
Levi F. Morse, labor and team,	9 00
Fred Vickery, labor,	1 00
Walter Dunham, labor,	1 00
Alton Chandler, labor and team,	6 25
Maurice Robbins, labor and team,	3 50

George Powers, labor and team,	2 30
Leonard Powers, labor,	1 00
Geo. P. Lincoln, labor,	1 40
Fred A. Dimond, labor,	2 50
Stillman Pratt, labor,	1 40
A. P. Robbins, labor,	1 30
J. M. Nothern, labor,	3 00
Henry Burgess, labor,	2 80
A. W. Shurtleff, labor,	2 00
D. A. Peckham, labor,	1 00
Phillip Weaver, labor,	1 00
Henry Peckham, labor,	1 00
Alphonse Davies, labor,	2 40
Lewis Leterneau, labor,	1 70
Harold McKay, labor,	4 40
Arnold Hammond, labor,	2 10
Malcome Mattison, labor,	2 50
Summer Braddock, labor,	1 00
Laffayette Braddock, labor,	1 00
Effie Pearson, labor,	2 40
Charles King, labor,	2 40
Arthur Beauchemin, labor,	2 00
Joseph Gaines, labor,	1 80
Joe Cote, labor,	1 80
Benjamin Parker, labor,	3 56
T. M. Cole, labor and team,	3 00
E. D. Weir, labor,	4 00
J. H. Andrews, labor,	1 45
H. Carron, labor,	2 40
Edward Broullard, labor,	1 05
Charles Hubert, labor,	1 20
S. S. Richards, labor,	1 10
A. Baker, labor,	1 20
James Thomas, labor,	4 00
E. H. Murdock, labor,	2 80

P. J. Holmes, labor and team,	12	80	
J. M. Bump, labor,	2	25	
A. H. Cornish, labor,		90	
William Stringer, labor,		80	
Andrew Stringer, labor,		80	
E. E. Shaw, labor and team,	3	40	
A. G. Finney, labor,	2	20	
Walter Dunham, labor,		66	
Embert Eames, labor,	1	00	
Charles Paine, labor,	1	00	
Herbert Stanley, labor and team,	2	30	
			\$444 41

REPAIR OF HIGHWAYS.

DR.

Appropriation,	\$2,000	00	
Balance from last year,	12	79	
Overdrawn,	174	10	
			\$2,186 89

CR.

E. H. Murdock, Commissioner.

Paid—

E. H. Murdock, labor and team,	\$210	64
James Thomas, labor,	21	00
Alton Baker, labor,	67	25
Herbert F. Atwood, labor and team,	48	05
J. M. Bump, labor, and team,	45	08
W. E. Vaughan, labor and team,	92	56
Geo. Judway, labor,	38	66
Wilfred Loring, labor,	20	25

Napoleon Aubet, labor,	18 35
John Bernier, labor,	28 41
Daniel Tinsdale, labor,	7 50
Joseph Judway, labor,	22 91
Frank Bernier, labor,	1 75
Ellis Foundry Co., tools,	50
Andrew Stringer, labor,	13 50
Felix Pauliot, labor,	20 25
T. T. Vaughan, labor and team,	4 20
Fred Masier, labor,	22 33
E. H. Murdock, drain pipe,	2 88
Lucian Atwood, labor and team,	11 40
J. A. Vaughan, tools,	12 47
Charles Herbert, labor,	13 67
Edgar L. Holmes, labor,	12 75
E. H. Murdock, carting drain pipe,	1 50
Waldo Bros, drain pipe,	19 50
Freight on drain pipe,	2 42
T. T. Vaughan, rails,	2 50
Lucius Atwood, labor and team,	3 10
S. T. Weston, gravel,	7 00
E. E. Shaw, gravel,	13 84
Mrs. Andrew Griffith, gravel,	48
A. W. Peterson, gravel,	1 20
Alvin Vaughan, gravel,	7 20
Wm. C. Richards, gravel,	3 00
E. E. Shaw, posts and rails,	7 17
Herbert Atwood, clearing out trees,	1 00
T. T. Vaughan, gravel,	3 84
H. T. Maxim, gravel,	1 36
Mrs. A. T. Shurtleff, gravel,	88
James Kennedy, gravel,	1 32
C. C. Vaughan, gravel,	3 20

\$816 88

L. Frank Morse, Commissioner.

Paid—

L. Frank Morse, labor and team,	\$284 19
Walter Dunham, labor,	51 49
Fred Vickerv, labor,	26 99
Benj. Parker, labor,	68 60
Charles Herbert, labor,	50
Arthur G. Beauchemin, labor,	32 38
Clifford Shurtleff, labor,	20 91
Roswell Shurtleff, labor and team,	37 80
Alton C. Chandler, labor and team,	29 40
Fred Wescott, labor,	24 25
A. C. Dimond, labor,	1 50
Finney Bros., tools,	16 55
Robert Shurtleff, labor,	2 85
Herbert Peck, labor,	14 00
Geo. H. Powers, labor and team,	16 80
Wm McNabb, labor,	1 17
L. Braddock, labor,	1 17
E. E. Shaw, posts,	7 50
Ezra Pearson, labor,	8 25
Nelson Story, labor,	14 75
Charles Roberts, labor,	14 75
R. F. Shurtleff, tools,	3 00
F. A. Dimond, labor,	5 00
George P. Lincoln, gravel,	8 94
Charles Caswell, gravel,	2 00
T. T. Vaughan, gravel,	2 00
Nelson Sherman, gravel,	3 78
Fred A. Ward, gravel,	3 00

\$703 52

Z. W. Andrews, Commissioner.

Paid—

Z. W. Andrews, labor and team,	\$159 97	
W. T. Jefferson, labor,	2 00	
John A. Winberg, labor and team,	65 60	
T. A. Tillson, labor,	54 33	
O. K. Griffith, labor,	73 34	
H. H. Gammons, labor and team,	42 75	
Joe Lavender, labor,	47 50	
L. N. Crocker, labor,	48 83	
J. B. McFarlin, labor,	6 00	
Antone Burbash, labor,	45 57	
Z. W. Andrews, labor,	40	
Waldo Bros., shovels,	9 00	
John Pena, labor,	33 07	
W. F. Stanley, labor and team,	15 05	
Geo. B. Washburn, labor and team,	22 80	
Mrs. Andrew Griffith, gravel,	96	
Freight on shovels,	75	
I. W. Tillson, gravel,	80	
F. C. Gammons, gravel,	4 30	
Peter Barras, labor,	3 08	
W. T. Gibbs, labor and team,	8 80	
W. T. Gibbs, gravel,	3 99	
S. D. Atwood, gravel,	1 50	
J. T. McFarlin, gravel,	1 54	
Peleg McFarlin, gravel,	90	
Frank F. Tillson, gravel,	90	
I. S. Shurtleff, gravel,	16	
C. Z. Southworth, labor,	3 00	
Frank Arnold, labor,	2 70	
Gustavus Atwood, repairing guide boards,	4 90	
	<hr/>	\$664 49
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		\$2,186 89

STONE ROAD.

DR.

Appropriation,	\$1,450 00	
Received from the State,	1,448 00	
Town of Pembroke, packing crusher		
to move,	7 50	
Mass. Highway Com., freight on		
roller,	55 00	
Due for coal sold,	23 28	
Overdrawn,	789 08	
	<hr/>	\$3,772 86

CR.

Paid—

L. F. Morse, carting stone,	\$318 70
Fred Masier, carting stone,	9 65
H. T. Maxim, carting stone,	17 38
Edgar L. Holmes, carting stone,	16 65
E. H. Murdock, carting stone,	16 14
Roswell Shurtleff, carting stone,	240 73
E. A. Richards, carting stone,	65 09
H. F. Collwell, carting stone,	77 73
Embert Eames, carting stone,	30 36
Geo. Powers, carting stone,	7 75
Harry Shurtleff, carting stone,	99 50
Benj. C. Shaw, carting stone,	67 94
Herbert Atwood, carting stone,	61 73
Geo. W. Thomas, carting stone,	23 26
Webster C. Vaughan, carting stone,	5 90
T. T. Vaughan, carting stone,	3 77
Adam Liberty, carting stone,	13 45
Joseph Ganier, carting stone,	8 64
Lucian Atwood, carting stone,	9 80
J. M. Bump, carting stone,	5 58
Dana Shaw, carting stone,	7 23

F. Letender, carting stone,	10 65
Frank Wilber, 883 tons stone,	88 05
Mr. Plymton, 74 tons stone,	7 40
L. Fisher, 18 tons stone,	1 83
James L. Jenny, 3,500 coal,	9 94
R. F. Shurtleff, paint and tools,	5 29
E. H. Murdock, labor and team,	147 55
A. Baker, labor,	42 49
Fred Masier, labor,	44 17
Daniel Ross, labor,	67 25
T. T. Vaughan, labor and team,	113 40
Herbert F. Atwood, labor and team,	108 86
Embert Eames, labor and team,	75 83
Roswell Shurtleff, labor and team,	97 06
Henry Bassett, labor and team,	64 04
Joseph Ganier, labor and team,	69 27
Joseph Judway, labor,	36 66
Louis Letender, labor,	14 25
O. P. Griffith, labor,	26 33
Horace Thrasher, labor,	21 41
Clifford Shurtleff, labor,	33 83
Walter Dunham, labor,	104 06
Benj. Parker, labor,	28 20
Fred Vickery, labor,	24 27
Frank Morse, labor,	83 00
Charles Fish, labor,	90 50
E. A. Richards, labor,	2 85
John Bernier, labor,	35 15
Geo. Powers, labor and team,	79 73
Ellis G. Cornish, labor and team,	54 15
J. M. Bump, labor and team,	39 90
Webster E. C. Vaughan, labor and team,	57 68
Lucian Atwood, labor and team,	24 22
Charles A. Claffin, pump and oil,	41 44

Staples Coal Co., 26 1-2 tons coal,	88 71	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight on coal and roller,	78 35	
Arthur Beauchemin, labor,	1 50	
Fred Westcott, labor,	3 00	
Edgar Holmes, labor,	1 00	
Ernest De Rosia, labor,	1 50	
E. E. Gardner, blacksmithing,	9 90	
S. H. Pink, telephoning,	55	
Charles Herbert, breaking stone,	45 90	
T. T. Vaughan, slabs,	13 50	
T. T. Vaughan, posts and lumber,	1 00	
Overdrawn in 1904,	584 99	
	<hr/>	\$3,772 86

The Town has on hand one five-ton wagon scales; 3,000 feet of lumber; 100 tons of crushed stone; one water tank, one force pump; five tons of coal; and tools, etc., the whole valued at \$250.

WIDENING AND STRAIGHTENING MAIN ST.

DR.

Appropriation,	\$300 00	
Balance from last year,	21 78	
	<hr/>	\$321 78

CR.

Paid—	
Fred Masier, labor,	\$16 50
T. T. Vaughan, labor and team,	9 80
George Judway, labor,	39 49
Joseph Judway, labor,	13 50

Wilfred Loring, labor,	7 50	
Napoleon Hubert, labor,	16 50	
John Bernier, labor,	24 00	
Webster E. Vaughan, labor and team,	49 27	
A. Parker, labor,	19 50	
E. H. Murdock, labor and team,	67 71	
T. T. Vaughan, gravel,	8 84	
Herbert Atwood, labor and team,	5 25	
Roswell Shurtleff, labor and team,	1 00	
Lucian Atwood, labor and team,	9 97	
W. C. Richards, sharpening tools,	1 20	
Peter Buldac, labor,	5 00	
E. E. Shaw, posts and rails,	11 00	
Balance to new account,	13 45	
	<hr/>	\$321 78

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION, TREMONT STREET.

DR.

Appropriation,	\$500 00	
Balance from last year,	25	
Overdrawn,	38 71	
	<hr/>	\$538 71

CR.

Paid—	
Z. W. Andrews, labor and team,	\$83 01
O. K. Griffith, labor,	37 33
L. N. Crocker, labor,	24 16
Antone Burbash, labor,	38 25
John Pena, labor,	38 42
Frank Barrows, labor,	10 12

Antone Barrows, labor,	3 45	
Manuel Pena, labor,	16 35	
Miquel Deas, labor,	17 01	
Sebastain Gomes, labor,	17 09	
Phillip Gomes, labor,	15 42	
Jocquien Boslvia, labor,	18 44	
Angelina Pena, labor,	7 42	
T. A. Tillson, labor and team,	21 17	
Frank Silva, labor,	7 05	
Florence Pena, labor,	1 65	
Bofail Pena, labor,	1 65	
Peter Ferdinand, labor,	5 62	
W. F. Stanley, labor and team,	32 85	
H. H. Gammons, labor and team,	17 62	
Joe Lavender, labor,	21 57	
Carl Southworth, labor,	20 76	
John A. Winberg, labor and team,	39 42	
Frank Renodo, labor,	12 15	
Joseph Gomes, labor,	1 35	
E. E. Shaw, posts and rails,	13 25	
W. T. Jefferson, labor,	7 33	
H. R. Bailey, blacksmithing,	3 35	
R. M. Andrews, carrying water,	5 70	
	<hr/>	\$538 71

WIDENING AND STRAIGHTENING FOREST AND
PURCHASE STREETS AND FOSDICK ROAD.

	DR.	
Appropriation,	\$211 92	
Received from County,	500 00	
	<hr/>	\$711 92

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Overdrawn in 1904,

\$711 92

WIDENING POND STREET.

DR.

Appropriation,

\$200 00

CR.

Paid—

L. F. Morse, labor and team,	\$57 51
Walter Dunham, labor,	9 00
Arthur G. Beauchemin, labor,	9 00
Benj. Parker, labor,	13 17
Nelson Strong, labor,	21 35
Charles Roberts, labor,	22 17
E. H. Murdock, labor and team,	18 90
A. Baker, labor,	10 50
Robert Dimond, labor,	7 50
Ezra Pearson, labor,	10 50
Alton Chandler, labor,	4 20
H. E. Washburn, dynamite,	6 25
Geo. P. Lincoln, gravel,	4 14
Balance to new account,	5 81

\$200 00

NEW ROAD, SOUTH CARVER.

DR.

Balance from 1904,

\$107 28

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Balance to new account,

\$107 28

TOWN INCIDENTALS.

DR.

Appropriation,	\$500 00
Balance from 1904,	679 63
A. H. Griffith, sale of herrings,	6 66
Received from State, one-half pay of Inspector of Animals,	9 75
Southern Mass. Telephone Co., ex- pense of hearing,	6 00
Town of Plymouth, one-half paid Wes- ton, surveying town line,	57 98
Stillman Pratt, cash paid for fighting fire,	6 70
Peleg McFarlin, cash paid for fighting fire,	18 73
Corporation tax,	184 63
Bank tax,	575 13
Interest on taxes,	100 91
Jose. Parker & Co., money hired,	8,346 24
John F. Shaw, money hired,	299 07
Chas. W. Griffith, cemetery loan,	606 10
T. B. Griffith, cemetery loan,	1,000 00

\$12,397 53

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Paid—

Ellis G. Cornish, administering oaths,	\$1 00
George Powers, truant officer,	4 00
Seth C. C. Finney, telephoning,	25

Iver Johnson & Co., handcuffs,	5 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, corpo- ration tax returned,	104 50
Ellis G. Cornish, Moderator,	5 00
Memorial Press, printing Town Reports,	82 00
Memorial Press, printing,	3 00
J. S. Fairbanks & Co., account books for Town Treasurer,	9 50
Seth C. C. Finney, purchasing agent, School Committee,	30 00
Wm. M. Shaw, purchasing agent, School Committee,	10 00
Carter Ink Co., ink,	75
C. F. Bagnall, assessors' books,	2 80
Dr. G. F. Morse, returning deaths,	1 00
Dr. G. F. Morse, returning births,	75
Hobbs, Warren & Co., collector's book,	1 00
Hobbs, Warren & Co., assessors' war- rants,	20
Ellis G. Cornish, surveying for as- sessors,	3 50
E. E. Gardner, repairing wagon for H. Morranville, broken on highway,	4 20
A. C. Bradford, inspector of meat,	15 00
Town of Plymouth, taxes on Cole land,	86
Florence Vaughan, clerk for the assessors,	10 50
Gustavus Atwood, surveying Pond Street,	3 50
J. M. Bump, inspector of animals,	22 78
Bernice E. Barrows, typewriting,	2 85
Ralph E. Holmes, men cutting brush on town line,	1 50

Mass. Board of Agriculture, stamp for inspector of meat,	1 75
A. H. Griffith, selling herrings,	2 50
Ezra Pearson, helping survey Pond Street,	1 50
Geo. P. Lincoln, ballot clerk	1 50
Albert Atwood, ballot clerk,	1 50
T. T. Vaughan, car fare and expenses, selectmen,	9 72
T. T. Vaughan, car fare and expenses, assessors,	2 00
T. T. Vaughan, car fare and expenses, overseers of poor,	2 83
T. T. Vaughan, postage and telephon- ing,	6 29
T. T. Vaughan, horse hire,	2 50
A. W. Peterson, express,	4 45
W. A. Tillson, use of horse,	46 00
W. A. Tillson, sign posts,	50
Seth C. C. Finney, use of horse, selectmen,	16 50
Seth C. C. Finney, use of horse, assessors,	19 50
Seth C. C. Finney, use of horse, overseers of poor,	9 75
Seth C. C. Finney, use of horse, registrar,	2 00
Seth C. C. Finney, use of horse, school committee,	4 00
Seth C. C. Finney, expenses, select- men,	5 00
Seth C. C. Finney, expenses, School committee,	1 25
H. S. Griffith, expenses, treasurer and collector,	44 83

H. S. Griffith, expenses, town clerk,	4 96	
Alice G. Shaw, use of horse, school committee,	23 00	
Alice G. Shaw, postage and telephone, school committee,	69	
Wm. M. Shaw, postage and telephone, school committee,	1 72	
Chas. C. Perkins, postage,	50	
Chas. C. Perkins, use of horse,	9 00	
H. L. House, one-half expense of surveying Plymouth and Carver town line,	223 50	
Nathan Washburn, counsel for town,	100 00	
Dr. E. H. Cornish, medical attendance, H. Morranville, hurt on highway,	11 00	
Interest on money hired,	238 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,126 68
Jose, Parker & Co., money hired, \$8,346	24	
John F. Shaw, money hired,	299 07	
Chas. W. Griffith, money hired,	606 10	
Wilson Shaw, money hired,	117 00	
Balance to new account,	1,902 44	
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		\$12,397 53

FIGHTING FIRE.

Paid—	
William Cornish,	\$2 30
A. Freeman Cornish,	40

Lewis Shaw,	40
Abbot Sisson,	40
Donald McFarlin,	60
Andrew Kaska, use of teams,	50
Finney Bros., one doz. shovels,	8 00
George P. Lincoln,	40
A. L. Hammond,	40
Henry T. Hammond,	40
William Holmes,	30
John Parker,	40
A. Q. Hall,	40
Caleb Robbins,	20
William Collingwood,	20
Robert Holmes,	20
Philip Weaver,	20
Henry Peckham,	20
Neopolitan Lawcote,	50
Donald McFarlin,	1 30
William B. Dunham,	1 70
Domingo Mendes,	2 30
Peter Andrew,	2 10
James Oakley,	2 10
J. Murphy,	1 50
Manuel Baptiste,	1 70
Frank Mendes,	1 50
Sylvester Rodrique,	1 70
Joe Taechara,	1 50
Jack Sintos,	1 50
George Bourjet,	1 40
Frank Rickard,	60
L. Leteauneau,	40
Sylvester Lofes,	40
J. Moran,	80
W. Wiley,	40
J. Garnett,	40

W. C. Collingwood,	40
C. T. Robbins,	40
H. M. Peckham,	40
Lawrence,	40
Manuel Cunthia,	40
Finney Bros., one-half doz. shovels,	4 00
A. Rock,	40
Peter Paul,	1 00
T. Lambert,	40
J. Doyle,	40
E. O. Donald,	40
D. Casey,	40
J. Moran,	40
F. Thomas,	40
T. Murphy,	40
P. Hardy,	40
J. Hayward,	40

Railroad Fires.

J. Moran,	1 00
F. Thomas,	1 00
J. F. Stratton, Jr.,	3 50

Fire at E. Shurtleff's Bog.

A. G. Finney,	1 00
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Fire at J. M. McKay's Bog.

J. A. Kenney,	70
Joe Rickard,	40
Mr. Hibbard,	40
H. Robbins,	40
Frank Morse,	70
James McKay,	1 00
Irving Stratton,	20
Fred A. Ward,	40

Clarence Thomas,	40
George Thomas,	40
Harold McKay,	40
Thomas Guen and team,	I 60
George Bourjet,	40
J. A. Kenney,	40
H. C. Robbins,	40
Charles King,	40
Horace Thrasher,	40
E. A. Richards,	40
Henry Burgess,	40
Alex. Parker,	40
Horace Bradford,	40
A. C. Bradford,	40
J. H. Washburn,	40
Arthur McKay,	40
Chester Atwood,	40
John S. Atwood,	40
Edward Shaw,	40
Arthur Lanier,	40
E. E. Gardner,	40
Percy Shurtleff,	40
Maurice Robbins,	40
John Bourjet,	40
Daniel Dempsey,	40
Rodolph Merry,	40
A. L. Hammond,	40
Henry Washburn,	40
Benj. Parker,	I 80
Frank Morse,	I 00
Joe Gonier,	3 00
Arthur Shurtleff,	40
Francis Meades,	2 60
J. Sonet,	2 60

Kingston and Plymouth.

H. F. Hammond,	4 00
John Parker,	1 00
C. O. Dunham,	3 30
Arthur Goodwin,	3 00
A. G. Finney,	6 50
J. C. Chase,	80
Archie Stratton,	1 80
Irving Stratton,	1 80
Irving F. Wiley,	3 00
Seth C. C. Finney,	9 00
John E. Atwood,	1 20
Herbert Vaughan,	1 20
Carl Dimond,	1 20
A. Beauchemin,	1 20
Nelson Storr,	1 20
John Goodreau,	1 20
T. T. Vaughan, team,	1 50
A. P. Robbins,	2 00
Malcolm McDonald,	2 00
James Lee,	2 00
Charles Roberts,	2 00
Arthur Wade,	1 60
Peter Larwuse,	2 00
John Bilireau,	2 00
A. W. Shurtleff,	2 00
Tom Desrosiers,	2 00
Thomas Watts,	2 00
Silas Thomas,	2 00
Ernest Desrosiers,	2 00
Stillman Pratt,	1 80
George Desteau,	2 00
Jack Disbee,	2 00
Fred Levica,	2 00
Henry Bassett,	2 00

Henry Leatenean,	2 60
D. W. Ross,	1 40
George E. Blair,	1 40
William F. Stringer,	1 40
Charles Potter,	1 40
Alfred Dube,	1 40
T. E. Blanding,	1 40
A. L. Shurtleff,	1 40
William E. Cornish,	1 40
W. M. Shaw,	1 75
Orlando Griffith,	1 50
Arthur Burbank,	1 50
Abe Peckham,	1 80
Martin Thomas,	1 80
Elbridge Shaw,	1 20
O. L. Shurtleff,	2 70
George Lincoln,	1 20
Henry Vaughan,	1 60
Trice Lopes,	1 40
Febin Ross,	1 40
J. W. Lewis, shovels,	2 50

Fire at J. McKay's.

O. L. Shurtleff,	40
Orlando P. Griffith,	40
A. W. Peters, horse,	75
Elbridge Shaw,	40

Kingston and Plymouth Line.

Zephaniah W. Andrews and team,	4 30
Lemuel N. Crocker,	1 80
Frank Manter,	1 80
F. A. Tillson,	1 80
John A. Winberg and team,	3 60
O. K. Griffith,	1 60

Joseph Lavender,	1 60
Antone Pellog,	1 60
Tom Clarke,	1 80
Isaac W. Shaw,	1 80
Donald McFarlin,	1 80
Fred Ward,	80
Harold McKay,	1 60
Frank Rickard,	2 70
Joseph Rickard,	1 80
T. Hartney,	1 60
Horace Robbins,	1 20
Obed Shaw,	1 40
Henry Burgess,	2 60
Alex. Parker,	1 80
Horace Bradford,	1 80
Clifford Shurtleff,	1 80
Maurice Robbins,	1 80
A. C. Bradford,	1 80
Henry Pink,	1 60
Charlie Thomas,	1 60
George Bourjet,	1 60
George Paniers,	2 40
Leonard Powers,	2 40
Charles King,	1 40
Percy Shurtleff,	1 60
E. E. Gardner,	1 60
John Bourjet,	1 60
Joe Gonier,	3 20
John Bourjet, Jr.,	1 60
Frank Thomas,	1 40
James McKay,	2 90
Joe April,	2 60
Eugene April,	2 60
Manuel De Huradda,	3 20
Joe Sand,	3 20

J. Tanes,	3 20
Manuel Maranda,	1 50
Manuel Loppas,	1 50
Manuel Baptiste,	1 50
Joaquin De Santos,	1 50
Frank Mendes,	1 50
Manuel De Penard,	1 50
Mr. Gageruy,	1 50
A. L. Hammond,	9 40
Horace Thrasher,	1 80
Lewis Bishop,	1 20
Émbert Eames,	1 00
J. A. Oakley,	8 50
William B. Dunham,	7 90
Domingo Fernandes,	7 00
Peter Andrews,	7 00
John Murphy,	2 40
Charles Pires,	1 60
Frank Mendes,	3 00
Frank M. Fernandes,	60
Rodenque Gonsel,	60
Henry M. Peckham,	7 40
J. H. Peckham,	4 40
Robert Holmes,	4 40
Wilfred La Rock,	3 00
Ed. Mullen,	1 80
Dan Cassey,	1 80
Dan Mace,	1 80
Pat. Hardy,	1 80
Pat. Gunn,	1 80
Frank Crowley,	1 80
John Daylle,	1 80
Russell Shurtleff,	1 80

Railroad Fire.

D. Cassey,	1 20
E. Mullen,	1 20
D. Mace,	1 20
P. Hardy,	1 20
P. Gunn,	1 20
Frank Crowley,	1 20
John Daylle,	1 20
C. O. Dunham,	75
A. Goodreau,	1 05
E. C. Shaw,	3 60
Sylvester Lopes,	1 80
Frank Mandes,	2 60
Peter Tatcher,	1 80
Manuel Maranda,	3 20
Justin Ianomantino,	1 60
Charles Mange,	1 60
Frank Amado,	60
Frank Mandes,	2 40
John Burgess and men,	2 10
Seth C. C. Finney and men,	2 80
Elec. Longtin,	1 45
Joe Besse,	1 45
John Carpenter,	1 45
Ed. Cowen,	1 45
J. F. Finier,	1 45
Philip,	1 45
W. E. W. Vaughan,	1 00
J. E. Vaughan,	1 20
George I. Johnson,	2 10
C. Doty,	1 60
Frank Lufkin,	1 60
H. C. Brown,	1 60
H. Jefferson,	1 60
Ernest Dunham,	1 40

Howard Weaver,	1 50
E. E. Shaw and men,	5 05
L. F. Morse,	2 45
Walter Dunham,	1 40
Fred Vickery,	1 40
Benj. Parker,	1 60
Herbert Peck,	1 40
George Parker,	1 40
Henry Washburn,	1 20
John Bernier,	1 50
Joe Judway,	1 50
Wilfred Loring,	1 50
Paul Rinker,	1 50
Frank Bernier,	1 50
Joe Burns,	1 50
Frank Gibbs,	1 50
E. H. Murdock,	1 50
Herbert Atwood,	3 75
A. Garnier,	2 10
Fred Westgot,	1 20

Fire at S. C. C. Finney's Bog.

Manuel Baptiste,	70
Manuel Maranda,	1 50
Manuel Penes,	1 10
Frank Main,	1 10
Joe Gonier,	1 10
Ellis G. Cornish, horse,	1 00
A. Q. Hall,	2 70
Job C. Chandler,	2 00
A. C. Chandler,	2 20
Manuel Marander,	5 20
Joaquin Santos,	7 80
S. T. Weston and horse,	1 75
William F. Atwood,	1 00

Lucian Atwood,	I 00
Frank Hart,	I 00
Frank Weston,	I 00
Domingo Mandes,	60
Peter Andrade,	60

Fire on Kingston Road.

S. C. C. Finney and horse,	6 00
John Moran,	8 00
Joe Hayward,	6 20
W. B. Dunham,	I 00
Domingo Mendes,	I 00
Peter Andrade,	I 00
A. Patenaude,	I 00
A. G. Finney,	3 00
S. C. C. Finney, tools,	5 00
S. D. Atwood,	I 30
J. T. McFarlin, horse,	I 50
Robert Holmes,	40
Frank Teboe,	75
A. L. Hammond,	80
H. T. Hammond,	20
Frank Thomas,	I 80
A. Q. Hall,	I 50
S. D. Atwood,	I 50
Christian Gomes,	60
Jules Silva,	60
Antone Gomes,	60
Joe DaGasse,	60
Antone Baptiste,	60
Joe Gonsalves,	60
Joe Martin,	60
Joe Maki,	60
Matti Maki,	60
L. M. Rogers, horse,	75

Donald McFarlin,	60
Manual Pena,	60
Frank Ferdinand,	60
Quinto Peno,	60
Joseph Peno,	60
Bruno Peno,	60
Peleg McFarlin, horse,	I 00
George Appling,	I 20
A. Patenaude,	I 60
Fred Maher,	I 60
Arthur Rock,	I 60
E. E. Shaw, 2 doz. shovels,	I5 25
H. C. McFarlin,	2 80
Frederic Anderson,	2 20
Charles H. Atwood, 2nd,	80
Edward Roue,	I 20
George Eastman,	I 00
John Hendrickson,	I 00
Jacob Lomba,	I 00
Robert Siponen,	I 00
Andrew Haleimen,	I 00
Alec. Nilmi,	I 00
Oysus Oaly,	I 00
Joseph McKay,	30
J. McCulley,	30
E. E. Shaw,	I 95
John E. Atwood,	60
William Stringer,	60

Fire on South Meadow Road.

E. V. Shaw,	50
Carlton Shurtleff,	50
J. S. Hudson,	50
Neil McDonald,	50
E. E. Shaw and horse,	I 00

William M. Shaw,	20
William Stringer,	20
Andrew Stringer,	50
William Cornish,	20
Lester Churchill,	20
Charles Potter,	20
George Johnson,	52
Arthur Wade,	30
E. E. Shaw,	20
James Hudson,	20
William Anderson,	20
Charles Johnson,	20
Thomas Blanding,	20
Elbridge Shaw,	20
Lewis Shaw,	20
Alick Lawton,	20
Philip Perarvel,	20
Adam Liberty,	20
Fred Dube,	20
G. Liberty,	20

Fire at Hoyle's Mill.

Gustavus Atwood and men,	1 65
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TOWN OFFICERS.

DR.

Appropriation,	\$1,200 00
Balance from 1904,	66 14
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\$1,266 14

CR.

Paid—

Ellis G. Cornish, auditor,	\$14 00
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J. A. Vaughan, treasurer and collector, 1904.	385 84	
Bernice E. Barrows, librarian,	68 75	
Seth C. C. Finney, school committee,	31 00	
Gustavus Atwood, school committee,	27 15	
Alice G. Shaw, school committee,	61 33	
Wm. M. Shaw, school committee,	25 03	
Chas. C. Perkins, school committee,	54 50	
Neil McDonald, constable,	18 50	
J. E. Vaughan, constable,	1 50	
H. S. Griffith, town clerk,	50 00	
T. T. Vaughan, selectman,	97 50	
T. T. Vaughan, assessor,	57 50	
T. T. Vaughan, overseer of poor,	25 00	
T. T. Vaughan, registrar,	11 00	
W. A. Tillson, selectman,	55 25	
W. A. Tillson, assessor,	47 25	
W. A. Tillson, overseer of poor,	36 05	
W. A. Tillson, registrar,	6 25	
Seth C. C. Finney, selectman,	41 00	
Seth C. C. Finney, assessor,	60 00	
Seth C. C. Finney, overseer of poor,	20 00	
Seth C. C. Finney, registrar,	4 50	
Balance to new account,	67 24	
	<hr/>	\$1,266 14

MARKING GRAVES IN TOWN.

DR.

Balance from 1904. \$25 00

CR.

Balance to new account, \$25 00

TREE WARDEN.

DR.		
Appropriation,	\$50 00	
Balance from last year,	10 72	
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CR.		
Z. W. Andrews, labor,	\$3 50	
O. K. Griffith, labor,	1 50	
L. F. Morse, labor,	1 00	
Benj. Parker, labor,	3 75	
Theron Cole, trees,	5 00	
Balance to new account,	45 97	
	<hr/>	\$60 72

TOWN ASSETS.

Cash in the treasury,	\$1,054 37	
Due from State, State Aid,	524 00	
Due from cities and towns, aid of paupers,	166 46	
Due from State, aid to paupers,	56 75	
Uncollected taxes, 1000,	11 50	
Uncollected taxes, 1901,	36 79	
Uncollected taxes, 1902,	82 83	
Uncollected taxes, 1903,	268 57	
Uncollected taxes, 1904,	1,000 64	
Uncollected taxes, 1905,	2,362 23	
Liabilities over assets,	8,935 86	
	<hr/>	\$14,500 00

TOWN LIABILITIES.

Railway loan,	\$12,000 00	
Bills for Support of Poor, estimated,	100 00	
All other bills,	400 00	
J. A. Vaughan, trustee note,	1,000 00	
T. B. Griffith, cemetery loan,	1,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$14,500 00

APPROPRIATIONS, 1906.

The following sums are recommended to meet current expenses the ensuing year :

Support of Poor by Overseers of Poor,	2,200 00
Support of Schools by School Committee,	4,400 00
Repair of Highways by Road Commissioners,	2,000 00
Repairs of Bridges by Road Commissioners,	200 00
Removal of Snow by Road Commissioners,	100 00
Town Incidentals by Selectmen,	
Town Officers by Selectmen,	1,200 00
Fighting fire by Selectmen,	606 53
Library,	
Tree Warden,	
Electric Railway, note and Interest,	1,980 00

LIST OF JURORS.

The following list of jurors is presented for your revision and acceptance :

James H. Hudson, laborer.
J. Myrick Bump, farmer,
Adelbert P. Robbins, laborer.

Truman A. Tillson, cranberry grower.
James S. McKay, peddler.
Oscar F. Stetson, clergyman.
Lawrence M. Rogers, cranberry grower.
Nelson F. Manter, cranberry grower.
George H. Powers, teamer.
Edgar G. Gardner, blacksmith.
Herbert F. Atwood, teamer.
Gustavus Atwood, surveyor.
L. Frank Morse, cranberry grower.
S. Dexter Atwood, cranberry grower.
E. Herman Murdock, trader.
Alton H. Griffith, cranberry grower.
James E. Vaughan, cranberry grower.
Carlos T. Clark, station agent.
Alton L. Shurtleff, carpenter.
Charles H. Atwood, farmer.
T. Frank Gibbs, laborer.
Abbot G. Finney, cranberry grower.
Wm. M. Shaw, sawyer.

JURORS DRAWN IN 1905.

Fred A. Ward.	Oliver L. Shurtleff.
Charles C. Perkins.	Charles F. King.
Webster E. C. Vaughan.	Henry M. Peckham.
Henry S. Griffith.	Walter H. Cassidy.
	Eugene E. Shaw.

T. T. VAUGHAN,
W. A. TILLSON,
SETH C. C. FINNEY,
Selectmen of Carver.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Raised by taxation, 1905—

Support of poor,	\$1,700 00	
Support of schools,	3,500 00	
School books and incidentals,	400 00	
Repair of schoolhouses,	500 00	
Superintendent of schools,	300 00	
Repair of highways,	2,000 00	
Town incidentals,	500 00	
Town officers,	1,200 00	
Fighting fire,	95 00	
Forest and Purchase streets, and Fos-		
dick road,	211 92	
Tree warden,	50 00	
Railway note and interest,	1,800 00	
Removal of snow,	400 00	
Insurance,	150 00	
Stone road,	1,450 00	
Widening Main street,	300 00	
Tremont street,	500 00	
County tax,	1,773 97	
State tax,	\$1,640 00	
	3,413 97	
		\$18,470 89
Value of personal estate,		\$514,590 00
Value of real estate,		1,078,575 00
Increase in value of personal estate,		7,040 00
Increase in value of real estate,		69,015 00
Tax rate per \$1,000,		11 00
Poll tax,		2 00

Number of polls,	255
On polls only,	68
On property,	589
Number of horses,	218
Number of cows,	111
Number of cattle other than cows,	30
Number of sheep,	17
Number of swine,	11
Number of dwelling houses,	447
Number of acres of land,	21,330
Number of acres of cranberry bog,	1,816
Valuation of cranberry bog,	\$614,135 00
Increase in valuation of cranberry bog,	\$68,600 00
Number of different bogs taxed,	218

T. T. VAUGHAN,

W. A. TILLSON,

SETH C. C. FINNEY,

Assessors of Carver.

TOWN WARRANT.

Contents of warrant for Town Meeting to be held at the Town House on Monday, March 5, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will accept the jury list as prepared by the selectmen.

Art. 3. To see if the Town will accept the report of the selectmen and other Town officers.

Art. 4. To choose all necessary Town officers.

Art. 5. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To determine the compensation for labor on the highway.

Art. 7. To decide when taxes shall become due, and whether any interest shall be charged after a certain date.

Art. 8. To see what pay the Town will vote the treasurer and collector for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will instruct the treasurer to borrow money, under the direction of the selectmen, if found necessary, in anticipation of taxes the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will make the yards of field drivers Town pounds, provided they are also chosen pound keepers.

Art. 11. To bring in their ballots Yes or No upon the question: "Shall licenses be granted in the Town for the sale of intoxicating liquors the ensuing year?"

Art. 12. To see if the Town will instruct the selectmen to prosecute, compromise or defend any suits for or against the Town.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for continuing the stone road, provided an allotment of money is received from the State.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK.

ABSTRACT OF TOWN MEETING RECORDS.

March 6.

Shall license be granted in the Town for the sale of intoxicating liquors?

Yes, 9

No, 64.

Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money:

Support of poor,	\$1,700 00
Support of schools,	3,500 00
School books and incidentals,	400 00
Repairs of school houses,	500 00
Superintendent of schools,	300 00
Repairs of highways,	2,000 00
Town incidentals,	500 00
Town officers' salaries,	1,200 00
Fighting fires,	95 00
Widening and straightening Forest and Purchase streets and Fosdick road,	211 92
Tree warden,	50 00
Railway note and interest,	1,800 00
Removal of snow,	400 00
Insurance,	150 00
Stone road,	1,450 00
Widening and straightening Main street,	300 00
Special repairs, Tremont street,	500 00

Voted, that one-half of the returns from dog licenses be appropriated to Old Home Week Association account.

Voted, that one-half of the returns from dog licenses be appropriated for the Public Library account.

Voted, 17 to 3, to postpone indefinitely the consideration of Art. 6 of the warrant. (Relating to fixing the compensation for labor on the highway.)

Voted, that taxes become due September 1st, and that interest be charged after Nov. 1st.

Voted, that the compensation of the treasurer and collector be the same as last year.

Voted, to instruct the treasurer to borrow money, under the direction of the selectmen, if found necessary, in anticipation of taxes the ensuing year.

Voted, to instruct the Road Commissioners to expend fifty dollars on Pond street if in their judgment it is necessary.

Voted, to lay Art. 16 on the table. (Regulating the taking of pickere!))

Voted, to authorize and instruct the selectmen to prosecute, compromise or defend any suits for or against the Town.

Voted, that the action of the selectmen in the Fairhaven-New Bedford bridge matter be approved.

November 7.

Voted, to accept Pond street as laid out by the selectmen.

Voted, to raise and appropriate two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for the improvement of Pond street.

Voted, to authorize the treasurer of the Town to sell the Asel Cole property, and to give a deed therefor.

Voted, that the committee having charge of the old North Carver schoolhouse be discharged from further duties in the matter.

Voted, to postpone action under Art. 5 until the regular

March meeting. (Disposition of old North Carver school-house.)

Noted, to accept the first fourteen sections of chapter 28, R. L. (Park Act).

Noted, to have the warrants for Town meetings posted in the several post offices in Town, and that the custom of posting them on the Town house, and on the ash tree in Wenham, be discontinued.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN CARVER 1905.

Jan. 1. Fred W. Vickery and Ada S. Dimond.

Feb. 24. Freeman N. Stevens and Lillian F. Fuller, both of Plympton.

March 11. John Kaurane and Mary Laija.

March 18. Zenas A. Tillson and Mary F. Fuller of Winthrop.

May 2. Howard C. Long of Brockton and Elmie C. Bump.

May 27. Albert C. Dimond and Bertha L. Potter.

June 17. William Neimi and Lizzie Kangas.

June 29. Donald McFarlin and Anne R. Gifford of New Bedford.

July 29. Otto Halunen and Johanna Rajaniemi.

August 4. Arthur C. Perkins of Plympton and Flora M. Perkins.

Sept. 20. Rev. Charles G. Johnson and Carrie A. Co-nant of Westerly, R. I.

Oct. 7. Mike Ericson and Valpuri Pukki.

Oct. 13. Victor Savonen and Marija Matintytar.

Oct. 17. Anson F. Cornish and Wilhelmina L. Waite of Cambridge.

Dec. 2. Wilhelm Haapakaski and Hilda J. Keskitola.

Dec. 26. Arthur F. Nye of Plymouth and Gertrude L. Mahler.

DEATHS RECORDED IN CARVER IN 1905.

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.		CAUSE OF DEATH.	BIRTHPLACE.	PARENTS.
		Yrs	Mos Dys			
Jan. 2	Joseph W. Sherman	73	3	Cancer of Stomach	Carver	Joseph and Betsey W. (Cobb)
" 11	Mildred M. Thomas	38	1	Typhoid Pneumonia	"	Geo. H. Appling, Lucy (Finney)
" 29	Annie Perkins	55	5	Tuberculosis of Throat	Nova Scotia	Thomas Wilber, Isabel (Grant)
Feb. 2	Franklyn H. Dinham	0	5	Typhoid Fever	Carver	Walter H. and Ethel F. (Morse)
" 3	Ann Wrightington	72	1	Typhoid Fever	Ireland	(Unknown)
" 4	Alvin S. Hatch	70	6	Consumption	Carver	Albert C. and Laura A. (Braddock)
" 10	Benj. S. Hatch	85	0	Old age	Wareham	Samuel S. and Mercy (Delano)
" 13	Jason Southworth	82	7	Indigestion—Malaria	Middleboro	Thomas and Lucinda (Haskins)
" 18	Susan A. Shaw	85	3	Old age	Cincinnati, O.	James Davis and Betsey Stevenson
Mar. 28	Doris M. Shurdlef	26	0	Gall Stones	Carver	Oliver L. and Annie G. (Peckham)
April 1	Susan C. Shaw	52	5	Acute Urinary Suppression	Sweden	James S. Hudson and Julia (Rickard)
" 1	August Hoganson	35	27	Pythias Pulmonalis	"	Peter Hoganson
" 18	Carrie N. Blanding	26	8	Pelvic Peritonitis	Carver	E. Watson Shaw and Mary (Whidden)
May 28	Templ S. Nyland	1	7	Cholera Infantum	"	August and Hannah (Kankaslara)
July 24	William E. Savery	63	10	Acute Uremic	Albany, N. Y.	William and Mary (Van Schaack)
" 18	Frank Coltrud	20	0	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Cape Verde Isl's	Manuel and Mary
" 8	Annibal Robit	22	0	Tuberculosis	Western Islands	Castodia and Maria
Aug. 8	Louise F. Robitac	0	3	Cholera Infantum	Plymouth	Ralph E. and Mary A. (Weeks)
" 14	Annie B. Reed	69	10	Failing Vitality	Westport	Isaac Fish and Annie (Gray)
Sept. 11	Elizabeth Lucas	85	3	Bright's Disease	Boston	Bela Beal and Mary (Marsh)
" 14	Eliza A. Lucas	66	0	Indigestion	Carver	Summer Atwood and Chlo (Humphrey)
Oct. 24	Harriet C. McFarlin	41	0	Alcoholism	Canada	Kerrier and
" 30	Charles C. Hebert	9	2	Internal Hemorrhage	"	Edward and Albena (R. I.)
Dec. 3	Wilfred B. Broulert					

BIRTHS IN CARVER IN 1905.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.	BIRTHPLACE OF PARENTS.
Feb. 27	Earl Watson Blanding	Thomas E. and Carrie W. (Shaw)	Massachusetts
March 24	Carroll Deane Griffith	Alton H. and Lena F. (Tillson)	Massachusetts
" 25	Dorris May Shurtleff	Oliver L. and _____ (Peckham)	Massachusetts
April 5	Clarence Theo Thomas	Clarence and _____ (King)	Massachusetts
" 6	Ella Bassett	Charles S. and Annie (Fries)	Father—Massachusetts Mother—Newfoundland
May 5	Illegitimate	Svante and Elsie (Johnson)	Finland
June 19	Arvi Zalmar Hahneng	Maurice F. and _____ (Linton)	Father—Massachusetts Mother—New Brunswick
July 6	Everett Warren Robbins	Wilfred and Philomena (Gondreau)	Canada
" 7	Joseph Leo Wilfred Lorange	Fred W. and Ada L. (Dimon)	Massachusetts
" 26	Maynard Franklin Vickery	Geo. W. and Lena F. (Shurtleff)	Massachusetts
" 31	Arlo Franklin Savery	Herbert and Lillian F. (Lewis)	Massachusetts
August 6	Katharine Lewis Demoranville	John and _____ (Bernies)	Canada
" 6	Marie Angelina Bernies	Oscar and Alvina (Karpenen)	Finland
" 13	Eino Johnson	Joseph and _____ (Hill)	Finland
Sept. 14	Stillborn	Richard C. and Ellen (Houise)	Father—Michigan Mother—Newfoundland
" 19	Jacob Johnson	Frank and _____ (Michand)	Canada
Oct. 10	Roy Alexander Lewis	Thomas and Josephine (_____)	Canada
" 20	Herman Garman	Carl A. and _____ (Rinteeia)	Finland
" 9	Annie Marie Stone	Albert and Edla (Personen)	Finland
" 15	Oscar David Carlson	Chas. E. and Whitford A. (Delano)	Massachusetts
Dec. 6	Albert Winkainen	Carl and Bertha (Johnson)	Massachusetts
" 7	_____ Catheart		
" 20	Hazel Alberta Dimon		

SUMMARY.

Marriages,	16
Deaths,	24
Births,	24
Dogs licensed:	
Males,	105
Females,	20

I have copied the vital statistics of Carver up to 1840, and when completed to 1850 the work will be published and a copy filed in the Town Library. This will result in much saving to the Town Clerk, and also to the records in saving them from a too constant handling, as an official printed copy will be accessible to the public. In consideration for this labor the Commissioner of Public Records has had rebound from funds available the first and second volume of Carver Town records, and our records up to 1860 are in good condition for preservation. I have opened new record books for births, marriages and deaths with this year, and our books which have been in constant use since 1860, should also be diminished and rebound.

HENRY S. GRIFFITH,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

School Committee

1905

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

In submitting the report for the past school year we mention those things which it seems to us the town will be most interested to know.

The support of schools requires so large a percentage of the total income of the town that we naturally inquire, "What use is made of it? What are we doing for the children during the years they are in school? Are the results commensurate with the cost?"

We will try to give a clear statement of the total income for the support of schools, the sources from which it comes, and the manner in which it is expended; also the results we hope, in a measure, to get from the teaching.

There is a tendency to emphasize the value of new things in educational, as in other work; sometimes without being sure that they are better than the old. Changes should be made only after careful consideration, and we should take advantage of the successful experience of others. We like to be looked upon as the originators of ideas, and to enjoy the feeling of being in the front. If we yield too much to this desire we may betray the trust imposed upon us in the care of children, and seek our own good more than theirs. It is the duty of the committee, superintendent and teachers to work quietly and conscientiously, without show or haste, or undue thought of themselves, to make the lives of the children intrusted to their care full of sunshine and happiness for the present, and to train them, so far as we may, to make such men and women as will add to the sum of the world's happiness. If we succeed in this we have done our

work well. It is our duty to do the things we believe to be best, and which the judgment of our superiors approves, and their experience justifies; and to do it without regard to adverse criticism, and without fear or favor.

The most difficult problem that confronts educators is to decide what can be taught in school that will prove to be of the greatest value in making useful men and women. Out of all that might be taught, what is the most essential?

We believe the aim of teaching should be to make the children acquainted with their surroundings and at home in the world. When they go out of their own home town they find so many new things, and new people that they are bewildered. They cannot understand the new life that surrounds them; they do not see things in their true perspective. Real knowledge of men and things comes only with actual contact with them; but we can teach them much in school that will make that first contact less abrupt, and an understanding of them more readily acquired.*

The object of teaching is not simply to store the child's mind with facts, useful as they may be to him. It is to so train him that he may do today what they could not do yesterday, and do next year what he cannot do this. We hear people speak of having finished an education when one has graduated from high school or college, when they have only been learning how to go on educating themselves. It is by solving the problems in school that they learn to solve the more difficult ones of business life.

It is well agreed that certain studies shall be taught in all elementary schools. They are the English language, history, geography and arithmetic. All these help the children to become acquainted with their surroundings and understand the world in which they live.

In planning the work to be done in these studies we should keep in mind that the majority of children leave school at the end of the eighth or ninth year, and should try

to make the education they get as symmetrical as possible; not to carry one subject beyond another, but give a small working knowledge of all. No child of grammar school age can get more than an elementary knowledge of any subject; but he can be taught in such a manner that he can carry on his own education.

It should be clearly understood that we do not aim to teach anything in the elementary, and little in the secondary schools that can be used directly and at once in earning a living. The object of the work in these schools is to so train the child's mind as to lay a foundation on which to build a special work. The teaching of this special work must be done in the technical or professional school, in the shop, the office, or on the farm. The right kind of training in school, training to think and act independently, prepares one to do better any kind of work in which he is engaged.

If the studies mentioned above, and in addition to them drawing, music and nature study, are the ones to be taught, we then have to determine what are the essential things in each subject. On the ability to select these essentials, to arrange them in an orderly course of study, and direct the teaching of them depends the success of our work. It will help us to decide what the essentials are if we can determine what use children will make of the knowledge they gain, and how it helps to make them acquainted with their surroundings. And as the majority of the children do not go beyond the grammar school we must plan the work with this in mind.

Their mathematics should be such as they will make direct and constant use of. The real use for arithmetic, after leaving school, while constant, is mostly of a very elementary character; it is measuring things exactly, and estimating measurements. We try to teach thoroughly to do these things.

The manner in which history puts one in touch with life is well illustrated by the situation of a stranger who moves into a town to make it his permanent home, and who has the intelligence and desire to take an active part in its public life. For a time he can do little but get acquainted with the people and the traditions of the place. He cannot give an intelligent opinion on the affairs of the town, for he does not know the causes that have been at work or the conditions they have produced. He does not know its past history.

One having little or no knowledge of history cannot understand the social, political or religious conditions under which he lives. He can not be as useful in a public way or as safe a man to follow. He is likely to lack wise conservatism, and forget that "customs long established should not be changed for light or transient causes." Moreover, the pleasure of the study is very great, once a taste has been acquired for it.

We try to teach in history to see why things are as they are, to know what course of action makes for stability of social and economic conditions, hoping that we may do something toward making good citizens, having respect for law and order, and willing to sacrifice something for the public good.

We believe the primary object in teaching geography, and the part of the study that will put one in closest touch with public affairs, is to fix in the mind a map of the earth's surface; and with it some knowledge of the characteristics of people and places. If one is a reader, hardly a day passes that that knowledge does not make his outlook on affairs more comprehensive. It greatly increases his acquaintance with men and things. The object of the teaching is to make one at home in the world; he wants to know the world much as he knows the roads and villages in his home town.

The other of the four subjects that all elementary schools must teach is the English language; to speak, to read and to write it.

Of the three, perhaps learning to talk well is the most important. The ability to do this requires a thorough understanding of ones subject, the power to arrange his thoughts in logical order, and tell them clearly, simply and correctly in good language. In ordinary talking we do not expect or want absolutely complete and correct language, it takes all the flavor out of conversation; but in any other case careful arrangement and expression are highly desirable. Correct ideas plainly stated are more important than grammatically correct expression. We can do something toward teaching to talk well in recitation work, and much can be learned from reading. If the reading matter used in schools is carefully selected with reference to pure, forceful English, children unconsciously imbibe something of the author's style.

We teach to read that children may read for their own pleasure and profit. The teaching and practice in school has to be largely oral, but the use of oral reading outside of school is slight compared with silent. It is for some one else, while silent reading is for one's self. It is the study par excellence that gives one a broad outlook on life.

Written English in the lower grades is not for the purpose of doing nice writing, but solely to teach the children to say with pencil or crayon what they can say in spoken words. It is too much to expect them to express themselves in the, to them, new and difficult way of writing their thoughts, and at the same time to make carefully formed letters. Neither is the writing intended to teach them to express themselves easily and fluently, that is learned in talking; it is to teach them the mechanics of written language, so that later they may readily and correctly write their own thoughts. The object of teaching

written English throughout the grades is to help the children to have something to say, and to say it accurately, in logical order, in clear, simple and correct language. There has been a noticeable improvement in this work in some of the schools.

The teaching of grammar seems to be unsatisfactory in most elementary schools. High school teachers say that pupils come to them knowing little about the subject. The reason for this is that it is a subject, most of which, is beyond the comprehension of children of grammar school age. No grammar should be taught before the sixth or seventh grade, and not much before the high school. It is largely a high school study. Those things that are necessary to know in order to use good English are few. These should be taught first, that those pupils who do not go beyond the eighth or ninth grade may get them. To show what we believe to be some of the essentials we give the course in grammar in grade six, which has just been prepared.

GRAMMAR IN GRADE VI.

Subject and Predicate—Teach the subject as the part of the sentence that tells the person, thing or event we talk about; and the predicate as the part of the sentence that tells what we say about the subject.

Give practice in analysis of sentences into these two parts.

Simple Subject—The single word or words, without modifiers.

Simple Predicate—The single verb or verb phrase.

Nouns—Teach these as the words in sentences that name persons, things, events, etc.

Common and Proper Nouns—Teach these that they may know which to begin with a capital.

Collective Nouns—Teach these that they may learn to use the singular form of the verb with them when they think of them as naming a company or group taken as a whole, not individually.

Adjectives—Words in sentences that describe the things that nouns name.

Teach that some adjectives have three forms; and to use the form that ends in “er” with only two things.

The most important thing to teach is to choose appropriate ones.

Proper Adjectives—Teach to commence with a capital.

Verbs—They are the words in sentences that tell what the subject does or has done to it.

Object of a Verb—The thing that the subject does something to is called the *object* of the verb.

In teaching verbs, select sentences, divide them into subject and predicate, find the simple subject, then the word that tells what it does or has done to it.

Copula—The words *am, is, are, was, were, be, been* are also verbs, and are called copulas. Their chief use is to connect the subject with an adjective or noun in the predicate that describes it, thus: *Sugar is sweet. Winter is cold. I am tired. A whale is not a fish.*

Commit these copulas to memory, and memorize the list of sentences, given later, using the nominative case of pronouns after them.

The following words are also sometimes copulas: *appear, become, continue, feel, look, remain, seem, sound, taste, smell*; “He appears happy.” “Velvet feels soft.” “Sugar tastes sweet.” “Violets smell sweet.”

Pronouns—Words that we use to avoid repeating names. Teach to recognize them when seen. Do not classify in this grade.

Antecedents—The words for which we use pronouns.

Adverbs—They are words in sentences that tell *how much*, in the sense of degree; and *how*, when, where and why a thing is done. Sometimes a group of words is used instead of one word.

Teach to use the form ending in “er” with only two things, and to select appropriate ones.

Prepositions—The following words are called *prepositions*; there are many more. Memorize the list to the extent that they will be recognized when seen, and teach to use “whom” after them, by much drill.

At, above, about, across, after, against, among, around, by, before, behind, below, beneath, beside, beyond, for, from, in, near, on, over, of, past, to, toward, through, under, upon, with, without.

Also teach to use “whom” as the objective of a verb. “Whom did you see?”

Me as the Object of a Verb—Teach to use “me” as the object of a verb. “Father brought mother and me some grapes.” “The boys found Frank and me on the hay-mow.”

Me after a preposition—“This dog belongs to my brother and me.” “My music teacher sang for Carrie and me.”

Obscure Subjects, in the Singular—Teach to find the simple subject in such sentences as the following, that they may use the singular form of the verb:

“One of my gloves feels too tight.” The meaning is, one glove, of my two gloves, feels too tight. Show that the real subject is *glove*, consequently takes the form *feels*, not *feel*.

“Each of the children carries flowers”; meaning that each child, of all the children, carries flowers.

Plurals—Teach the following rules for making plurals, but not at one time. Exceptions to the ordinary rules given in the text books should be taught as other spelling lessons.

1. Add *s* to the singular if you can say it easily; if not, add *es*, but do not have two *e*'s come together.

2. All words ending in *y* that are spelled like the words "day," "key," "boy," add *s*; others use *ies*. These three words, the plural of which all children can spell, fix the rule. When in doubt, compare the word to be spelled with these. It is the simplest rule to use.

3. Proper names ending in *y* simply add *s*: The two Henrys. Both Marys.

4. Nouns ending in *o*, preceded by a consonant, add *es*; others add *s*. Teach vowel and consonant, if not already known.

5. Teach to write: *a's, b's, 3's, 7's, &'s, \$'s*, etc.

Possessives—Teach to make possessives by adding *'s* to the singular and *'* to the plural, or *'s* if the plural does not end in *s*.

Teach to write "Cobb, Bates & Yerxa's stores are in many cities," if it is a firm name; but "Keith's, Emerson's and Packard's shoe stores are scattered throughout the country," if they are separate owners of stores.

Use of pronouns after the copula—Drill on the following sentences until the correct use of the nominative case of the pronouns is fixed:

It is I. It is he. It is she. It is we. It is they.
It was I. It was he. It was she. It was we. It was they.
Is it I? Is it he? Is it she? Is it we? Is it they?
Was it I? Was it he? Was it she? Was it we?
Was it they? It may be I. It may be he. It may be she.
It may be we. It may be they. If I were you. If I were he. If I were she. If I were they.

Past and Past Participles—Teach to use the following, a few at a time:

Past—Drank, ate, sat, swam.

Past Participles—Beaten, beat, broken, broke, chosen, drunk, eaten, fallen, forgotten, hidden, ridden, rung, swum,

shown, sung, spoken, stove, staved, stolen, swelled, swollen, swum, woke, waked.

Teach to use the forms of verbs in sentences.

Give special attention to the use of lie and lay and sit and sat.

Lie and Lay—

Present—Lie still. I *lie* down when I am tired.

*Past—*I was so tired that I *lay* on the couch a long time.

*Past Participle—*After I *had lain* there a while I felt rested.

*Present Participle—*Your history note book is *lying* on the table.

Present—Lay down your arms.

*Past—*I *laid* my knife down, and now I cannot find it.

*Past Participle—*I *have laid* some pears away to ripen.

*Present Participle—*I saw a mason *laying* bricks for a chimney.

Sit and Set—

Present—Sit still. I *sit* by the river fishing, but I catch no fish.

Past—“By the rivers of Babylon, there we *sat* down.”

*Past Participle—*Some times I have *sat* up all night to read a good book.

*Present Participle—*I saw a robin *sitting* on her nest in the old apple tree.

Present—Set your basket down and help me shake off these apples.

*Past—*I *set* a hen on ducks' eggs yesterday.

*Past Participle—*After I *had set* her I wondered how she would like her children. Eggs for *setting* should be very fresh, when they are put under a *sitting* hen.

This course is typical of those in other subjects, and shows what we try to teach in all studies—the essential

things, those that we can make direct and constant use of in every day life. This is the aim in all our teaching.

In addition to the four studies mentioned for all elementary schools drawing is an important addition. Few teachers can teach it successfully without the direction of a special instructor. Over ninety per cent. of all pupils in the state are taught under such direction. It is compulsory by statute law. It is not as generally appreciated as it would be if it were better understood what the object of the work is.

The subject is divided into three parts: freehand, mechanical and design. Freehand is to train the eye to see and the hand to execute; mechanical is to teach the mechanic or artisan to plan his work with a pencil that he may see more exactly what he is to do, and to work from the drawings of others who plan his work for him; design is to teach to make for others, or choose from what others have made, those things which enter into the making of attractive homes. It has to do with the furnishing of a house, the dressing of one's self or children, and the care of one's home surroundings, with the object of producing that which is simple, beautiful and attractive, without more than the common cost.

We hope the foregoing gives you some idea of what we try to do for the children during the few hours each day that we have the care of them, while in the elementary schools. We try to do such teaching as will help them to think for themselves, to better understand their surroundings, and give them the ability to do better work in whatever occupation they choose for their support.

The number of pupils enrolled in the different schools at the beginning of the present term, January 1, 1906, is: South Grammar, 20; South Primary, 28; Bates Pond, 16; Center Grammar, 22; Center Primary, 16; Popes Point, 13; North Grammar, 12; North Primary, 22; Wenham, 15; High School, 11; making a total of 165.

The record of attendance for the year ending June, 1905, is as follows:

	Avg. Memb.	Avg. Attend.	Per Cent. Attend.
South Grammar,	18.0	15.0	84.0
South Primary,	25.4	21.0	82.7
Bates Pond,	13.8	12.9	93.0
Center Grammar,	16.7	14.7	88.0
Center Primary,	15.5	13.5	84.0
Popes Point,	13.5	10.0	73.0
North Grammar,	15.3	13.3	87.0
North Primary,	27.2	24.3	87.0
Wenham,	12.5	12.1	95.0
High School,	12.6	11.6	92.1

Those having a perfect record of attendance for one or more terms are:

South Carver Grammar, one term—Elverson Atwood, Andrew Griffith, Reba Griffith.

South Carver Primary, one term—Ruth Kelley (tardy once), Bennie Kelley.

Bates Pond, two terms—Emma Hudson. *One term*—Fred Washburn, Angie Washburn, Warren Washburn, Etta Bruce Anna Bruce, Helen Mahler, Philip Hayden, Lizzie Hayden.

Center Primary, one term—Roy Atwood (tardy once), Charlotte Atwood (tardy once), Vernon Johnson.

North Grammar, three terms—Olive Perkins (tardy once). *Two terms*—Elmer Bradford (tardy once). *One term*—Elsie Cole. Ernest Gardner, Florence Washburn.

North Primary, two terms—Myrtle Gardner. *One term*—Almeda Bradford, Eva Bradford, Annie Cole, Luther Coombs (tardy once), Eva Perkins, Forrest Perkins (tardy once), Katharine Perkins, Robert Washburn, Alton Kenney (tardy once).

Wenham, two terms—Grace Pratt. *One term*—Stella White (tardy once).

High School, one term—Cordelia Shaw (tardy once).

The present teachers, their residence, school, and pay per month are:

Henry S. Griffith, South Grammar, Carver, Mass., \$36.

Elva Tillson, South Primary, Carver, Mass., \$36.

Grace R. Gammons, Bates Pond, Carver, Mass., \$36.

Ellis G. Cornish, Center Grammar, Carver, Mass., \$40.

B. Florence Vaughn, Center Primary, Carver, Mass., \$36.

Blanche E. Vinal, Popes Point, Middleboro, Mass., \$32.

Flora W. Campbell, North Grammar, Taunton, Mass., \$38.

Celia F. Bagster, North Primary, Harvard, Mass., \$36.

Laura H. Bump, Wenham, Carver, Mass., \$32.

Atherton S. Burnham, High School, Biddeford, Me., \$60.

Mildred L. Jameson, High School, Brockton, Mass., \$50.

REPAIRS.

The principal items of repairs for the past year were painting the High School building, and some minor interior repairs; grading and stone work at the North Carver buildings; new floor and doors at Wenham; new doors at Pope's Point; driving a well and papering the school room at Bates Pond; painting the outside and interior of the building at South Carver, and varnishing woodwork and desks in the primary room.

The main repairs for the coming year will be at Pope's Point. The roof of the building needs shingling, a new floor laid, some plastering done, the outside and interior woodwork painted, and the walls papered.

TRANSPORTATION.

The transportation at present is as follows: Two pupils are carried from Snappit to North Carver, eight from

North Carver to the High School, two from South Carver to the High School, and four from Federal Furnace to South Carver.

FINANCES, YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1905.

Receipts—

General appropriation,	\$3,500 00	
General appropriation, repairs,	500 00	
General appropriation, supplies and incidentals,	400 00	
State fund,	902 92	
Pratt fund,	150 00	
Ellis fund,	200 00	
Tuition of State children,	30 00	
Surplus from general appropriation,	528 16	
Surplus from repairs,	108 93	
Surplus from supplies and inci- dentials,	328 71	
Return on Superintendent's acct.,	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,848 72

Expenditures—

Teaching,	\$3,924 00	
Janitors,	289 05	
Fuel,	289 50	
Transportation,	333 00	
Cleaning,	28 10	
Supplies and incidentals,	486 98	
Repairs,	430 92	
Balance to new account,	1,067 17	
	<hr/>	\$6,848 72

On account of increased valuation the Town no longer receives the State High School fund.

A. S. Burnham, teaching,	\$570 00	
E. G. Cornish, teaching,	360 00	
H. S. Griffith, teaching,	324 00	
Florence Vaughn, teaching,	300 00	
E. B. Tillson, teaching,	324 00	
E. P. Sweetzer, teaching,	225 00	
L. H. Finlay, teaching,	239 40	
A. M. Bowley, teaching,	202 00	
J. M. Gammons, teaching,	192 00	
G. R. Gammons, teaching,	306 00	
R. A. Burn, teaching,	280 00	
Mildred Jameson, teaching,	162 50	
Blanche Vinal, teaching,	96 00	
Laura Bump, teaching,	98 00	
L. G. M. Chandler, teaching,	93 60	
P. G. Haskell, teaching,	37 50	
F. W. Campbell, teaching,	114 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,924 00

Transportation.

Oscar Johnson,	\$60 00	
Andrew Kaski,	60 00	
Roswell Shurtleff,	165 00	
August Nyland,	48 00	
	<hr/>	\$333 00

Janitors.

E. G. Cornish,	\$129 50
E. C. Churchill,	95 55
G. R. Gammons,	12 00
H. S. Griffith,	12 00
E. B. Tillson,	12 00

Florence Vaughn,	12 00	
J. M. Gammons,	9 00	
B. Vinal,	3 00	
Laura Bump,	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$289 05

Fuel.

E. C. Churchill,	\$8 16	
A. H. Griffith,	4 50	
N. F. Manter,	1 75	
E. H. Murdock,	7 00	
G. A. Shurtleff,	93 38	
H. Y. Vinal,	6 08	
Finney Bros.,	23 75	
J. M. Bump,	15 81	
A. S. Perkins,	13 50	
B. W. Robbins,	54 72	
J. A. Vaughn,	11 12	
G. Atwood,	10 88	
G. P. Lincoln,	18 85	
I. W. Tillson,	6 70	
E. G. Cornish,	4 25	
W. E. Cornish,	9 05	
	<hr/>	\$289 50

Cleaning.

Bertha Potter,	\$4 10	
Isadore Howland,	5 00	
Mrs. G. A. Shurtleff,	10 00	
E. B. Tillson,	3 00	
Helen Pettey,	3 00	
Mrs. B. T. Kelley,	50	
Blanche Vinal,	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$28 10

Repairs of Schoolhouses.

Paid—

E. C. Churchill,	\$0 40
Ansley & Co.,	55
W. H. H. Weston,	5 24
J. K. & B. Sears,	106 35
E. G. Cornish,	2 17
C. E. Cathcart,	110 00
J. E. Dunham,	117 09
Geo. A. Shurtleff,	2 50
T. E. Blanding,	20 00
C. C. Perkins,	3 45
Frank Bernier,	2 75
Geo. Lincoln,	11 17
B. T. Kelley,	2 50
Horace Thrasher,	1 50
E. B. McFarlin,	1 04
E. B. Tillson,	1 50
Daniel Ross,	1 50
W. M. Shaw,	30 55
Levi F. Morse,	9 66
James Lees,	1 00

\$430 92

School Books and Incidentals.

Ginn & Co.,	\$40 21
E. E. Babb & Co.,	133 93
H. Mifflin & Co.,	
American Book Co.,	42 27
G. F. King,	8 26
Thorp, Martin & Co.,	1 03
J. B. Tillinghast,	14 00
L. K. Hammett & Co.,	19 06
Samuel Ward Co.,	2 58

C. C. Birchard Co.,	5 65	
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	16 02	
Bausch, Lamb & Co.,	31 18	
L. E. Knott & Co.,	13 97	
MacMillian & Co.,	6 71	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	2 09	
W. B. Clark Co.,	1 35	
Allyn & Bacon,	3 13	
Plymouth Hardware Co.,	11 64	
Eagle Co.,	17 50	
Atkinson, Mintzer & Grove,	2 75	
Davis Press,	1 00	
Milton, Bradley & Co.,	1 70	
A. W. Peterson,	18 44	
C. W. Humphrey,	5 93	
E. C. Churchill,	24	
G. Atwood,	79	
W. Shaw,	3 62	
A. G. Shaw,	90	
J. E. Vaughn,	15 00	
Bridgewater Normal School,	82	
Jones Bros.,	1 80	
A. D. Griffith,	1 10	
R. A. Burn,	53	
E. G. Cornish,	2 93	
Geo. Blair,	1 25	
	<hr/>	\$486 98

SUPERINTENDENT'S ACCOUNT.

Town appropriation,	\$300 00	
Received from State,	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$600 00
Paid C. W. Humphrey,		\$600 00

MASSACHUSETTS STATE SCHOOL FUND.

Received from State,	\$902 92
Paid—	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	\$14 96
Ginn & Co.,	4 73
American Book Co.,	9 88
D. C. Heath & Co.,	2 09
L. E. Knott & Co.,	13 41
Bauch, Lamb & Co.,	2 12
Macmillan & Co.,	2 19
Geo. E. Blair,	1 25
A. W. Peterson,	1 05
E. H. Murdock,	7 00
I. W. Tillson,	4 20
Mrs. B. T. Kelley,	50
Allyn & Bacon,	3 13
C. C. Perkins,	3 45
Frank Bernier,	2 75
J. K. & B. Sears,	19 70
Geo. Lincoln,	10 42
T. E. Blanding,	10 00
B. T. Kelley,	2 50
E. G. Cornish,	73 25
J. E. Dunham,	18 46
L. H. Finley,	14 40
Flora Campbell,	38 00
Mildred Jameson,	50 00
A. S. Burnham,	60 00
L. M. Chandler,	36 00
E. B. Tillson,	37 00
G. R. Gammon,	37 00
H. S. Griffith,	37 00
B. F. Vaughn,	37 00
B. Vinal,	41 25

L. Bump,	36 00	
E. E. Babb & Co.,	12 85	
Davis Press,	1 00	
August Nyland,	16 00	
Surplus,	242 38	
	<hr/>	\$902 92

The appropriations for 1905 were: General appropriation, \$3,500; supplies and incidentals, \$400; repairs, \$500; a total of \$4,400. We recommend \$4,400 for the present year, but ask that it be made in one appropriation, "For the support of schools." It will make the accounts of the committee and treasurer much simpler. Also it frequently happens that some account has to be overdrawn, while others have a surplus. In such a case money has to be drawn from the treasury that does not belong to the schools, while there is more than sufficient appropriated to pay all school expenses.

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1905-1906.

Fall Term,	October	2, 1905	to	December	22, 1905.	12 weeks.
Winter Vacation,	December	22, 1905	to	January	1, 1906.	9 weeks.
Winter Term,	January	1, 1906	to	March	23, 1906.	12 weeks.
Spring Vacation,	March	23, 1906	to	April	2, 1906.	9 weeks.
Spring Term,	April	2, 1906	to	June	22, 1906.	12 weeks.
Summer Vacation	June	22, 1906	to	October	1, 1906.	
Fall Term.	October	1, 1906	to	December	21, 1906.	12 weeks.

Respectfully yours,

C. W. HUMPHREY,
Superintendent of Schools.

C. C. PERKINS,
MRS. A. G. SHAW,
W. M. SHAW,

School Committee.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Citizens of Carver:—

It will be seen by a reference to the Selectmen's report that we have a large balance in our account. Our books were purchased so late that the bills do not appear in this year's account. We estimate \$100 outstanding bills. At present we have five branch libraries—North, South, East, West and Bates Pond.

The time is near when we shall be obliged to have more room for our books. Our present quarters are not equal to our needs. We have increased the pay of our librarian as her labors increased.

The present year we bought quite largely of damaged books from a fire sale, and consequently got many more books for our money.

Herewith find our fines account, the librarian's report, catalogue of such books as have been added during the year.

HENRY S. GRIFFITH,
SETH C. C. FINNEY,
OSCAR F. STETSON,

Trustees.

FINES ACCOUNT.

Balance Jan., 1905,	\$2 80	
Received from Librarian,	9 54	
	<hr/>	\$12 34
Paid for cases,	\$5 00	
Paid for books,	1 50	
Balance on hand,	5 84	
	<hr/>	\$12 34

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Alger, Horatio.	
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Atherton, Gertrude.	
Rulers of Kings,	2307
The Bell in the Fog,	2308
The Californian,	2309
The Conqueror,	2310
Ames, Mary Clemmer.	
His Two Wives,	2311
Bachelor, Irving.	
Vergilius,	2312
Bacon, Edwin M.	
Historic Pilgrimages in New England,	2313
Barnum, P. T.	
Struggles and Triumphs,	2314
Barr, Amelia.	
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