


ANNUAL REPORT



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To EZRA C. MILLIKEN, *a Constable of the Town of Scarborough,*  
*in the County of Cumberland,* GREETING.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Scarborough, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said Scarborough, on the fifth (5) day of March, A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock in forenoon, to act upon the following articles, to wit:

- 1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2nd. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 3rd. To see if the Town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for maintenance and support of schools and the poor, and repair of roads and bridges, and to defray all other Town charges.
- 4th. To see if the Town will authorize school Districts to choose their own agents.
- 5th. To see if the town will vote to establish a Free High School and locate the same.
- 6th. To see if the Town will vote to receive and act upon the reports of the Municipal Officers and S. S. Committee.
- 7th. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount on taxes paid before a given time.
- 8th. To see what action the Town will take in regard to rebuilding the bridge across Nonesuch River at Black Point.
- 9th. To see what action the Town will take in regard to lots sold and unpaid for in the Cemetery at Dunstan, and about building a tomb in said Cemetery.
- 10th. To see what action the Town will take in regard to breaking roads.
- 11th. To see if the Town will accept of a road laid out on petition of Wm. H. Holmes and others, and raise money to build the same.
- 12th. To see if the Town will accept of a road laid out on petition of John M. Kaler and others, and raise money for the same.
- 13th. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue a certain piece of road laid out by the Selectmen, beginning at the angle near the house of Seth Scamman and running Easterly in front of Ira Crocker's house to the river.
- 14th. To see if the Town will accept the bounds of the Town landing at the clay pits as laid out by the Selectmen.
- 15th. To see what action the Town will take in regard to repairing or rebuilding the Town House the present year and grading the lot, and raise money for the same.
- 16th. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell Philo E. Poland a certain piece of land adjoining his lot.
- 17th. To see what action the Town will take in regard to digging clams.
- 18th. To see if the town will raise money to gravel the road from Dunstan Landing, and raise the causeway near Ezra Milliken's.
- 19th. To see what action the Town will take in relation to the contract made between the P. S. & P. railroad and the Town in relation to the sluice way in Scarborough river under said railroad.
- 20th. To see if the Town will vote to divide school district No. 4 (Blue Point) and form a new school district on Pine Point, agreeable to a recommendation of the Selectmen and S. S. Committee.
- 21st. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase gravel beds.

The Selectmen will be in session at the Town House, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of election, for the purpose of correcting the lists of voters.

Given under our hands this 21st day of Feb., A. D., 1883.

CHARLES W. LIBBY,	) Selectmen of Scarborough.
GEO. M. OLIVER,	
J. F. STOREY,	



# SELECTMEN'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 21st, 1883.

## OUTSTANDING NOTES.

Nos.		Nos.	
58	\$ 96 92	328	\$ 100 00
106	300 00	334	100 78
164	400 00	340	85 20
183	600 00	341	200 00
202	153 00	345	200 00
208	152 59	346	300 00
230	100 00	347	153 62
231	400 00	348	157 30
246	90 00	349	108 81
273	100 00	350	4000 00
318	500 00	351	1000 00
319	676 00	353	1000 00
320	114 33	354	1700 00
325	1700 00		
			\$14,488 55

## ACC'T WITH THE SEVERAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS, 1882.

### DISTRICT No. 1.

DR.		CR.	
To Arabella Jordan,	\$88 00	By Bal. from last year,	\$74 25
" Arabella Jordan,	72 00	Appropriation,	240 00
" Chas. P. Nutter,	90 00		
" David F. Standford,	13 04		
Balance unexpended,	51 21		
	\$314 25		\$314 25

### DISTRICT No. 2.

DR.		CR.	
To Clara J. Libby,	\$78 00	By Bal. from last year,	\$80 36
" Clara J. Libby,	26 00	Appropriation,	280 00
" Josiah Harmon,	8 00		
" S. D. Plummer,	125 60		
" S. D. Plummer,	104 00		
" Stephen Harmon,	13 00		
Balance unexpended,	6 36		
	\$360 36		\$360 36



## DISTRICT No. 3.

DR.		CR.	
To Luella M. Wescott,	\$52 00	By Bal. from last year	\$5 18
" Solomon Libby,	19 45	Appropriation,	184 00
" Jennie N. Deering,	94 00		
Balance unexpended,	23 73		

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\$189 18

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\$189 18

## DISTRICT No. 4.

DR.		CR.	
To Abigail Newcomb,	\$4 00	By Bal. from last year,	\$2 29
" Ellen Parker,	77 00	Appropriation,	344 00
" A. W. Leavitt,	3 67		
" Ellen Parker,	49 00		
" Abram Lothrop,	5 00		
" M. W. Dresser,	15 50		
" John Hearne,	190 00		
Balance Unexpended,	32 12		

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\$376 29

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\$376 29

## DISTRICT No. 5.

DR.		CR.	
To Charlotte B. Taylor,	\$72 00	By Bal. from last year,	\$ 3 91
" S. P. Burnham,	4 75	Appropriation,	228 00
" S. P. Burnham,	12 25		
" A. E. Millett	146 00		\$231 91

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\$235 00

Overdrawn, 3 09

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\$235 00

## DISTRICT No. 6.

DR.		CR.	
To Carrie E. Foss,	\$66 00	By Bal. from last year,	\$ 91
" Wm. H. Cheney,	136 00	Appropriation,	244 00
" O. F. Milliken,	6 00		
Balance unexpended,	36 91		

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\$244 91

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\$244 91

## DISTRICT No. 7.

DR.		CR.	
To overdrawn last year,	\$ 2 12	By appropriation.	\$200 00
" Edna E. Libby,	78 00		
" Chas. H. Mitchell,	105 00		
" W. F. Dresser,	11 62		
Balance unexpended,	3 26		

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\$200 00

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\$200 00



## DISTRICT NO. 10.

DR.		CR.	
To Mary E. Ricker,	\$40 00	By Bal. from last year,	\$ 6 89
“ B. F. Carter,	7 20	Appropriation,	155 74
“ Thomas C. Carter,	4 18		
“ Mary E. Ricker,	100 00		
Balance unexpended,	11 24		
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	\$162 62		\$162 62

## DISTRICT NO. 11.

DR.		CR.	
To V. A. St. Clair,	\$46 00	By Bal. from last year,	\$74 52
“ M. P. Hunnenwell,	13 00	Appropriation,	324 00
“ Geo. E. Gilman,	15 60		
“ Dora Carlton,	72 50		
“ Dora Carlton,	81 00		
“ George H. Gould,	40 00		
“ A. B. Larrabee,	14 00		
“ A. B. Larrabee,	24 50		
“ George H. Gould,	70 00		
Balance unexpended,	21 92		
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	\$398 52		\$398 52

## DISTRICT NO. 13.

DR.		CR.	
To Cora E. Libby,	\$44 00	By Bal. from last year,	\$ 03
“ James W. Libby,	8 00	Appropriation,	152 00
“ W. F. Pillsbury,	100 00		
Balance unexpended,	03		
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	\$152 03		\$152 03

## UNION DISTRICT.

DR.		CR.	
To A. B. Deering,	\$22 90	By Bal. from last year,	\$88 02
“ Emma S. Smith,	56 00	Appropriation,	92 00
“ J. H. Sawyer,	84 00		
Balance unexpended,	17 12		
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	\$180 02		\$180 02



**BILLS PAID THE PRESENT YEAR CONTRACTED PRIOR  
TO MARCH, 1882.**

Francis S. Frost, for burial expenses for Earnest Libby, and supplies for the family,	\$ 30 73
Chas. E. Cheney, services as S. S. Com., for the year 1881,	25 00
J. B. Sherman, for supplies for family of Mrs. A. J. Libby,	23 27
S. P. Burnham, supplies for Town Farm,	55 15
Town of Poland for support of Uriah Berry's family,	25 40
E. L. Waterhouse, for supplies for Town Farm,	12 79
Castell & Co., for printing Town Report, for the year ending March 1st, 1882,	25 00
Dr. Henry H. Hunt, for medical services for Earnest Libby,	8 00
A. F. Moulton, for services in full as S. S. Com., for the year 1881,	13 00
E. C. Milliken, commission in full on tax bills of 1881,	366 75
E. C. Milliken abatements in full on tax bills of 1881,	190 69
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**AMOUNT PAID FOR CONTINGENT EXPENSES FOR 1882.**

To Me. Insane Hospital for support of Hannah E. Dyer,	\$25 80
J. R. Farrington for support of Leonard Libby, in the State Reform School,	13 00
John A. Milliken for services in full as town Clerk for the year 1882,	25 00
Dresser, McLellan & Co., book and stationery for town,	31 60
Maine Insane Hospital for support of Hannah E. Dyer,	26 29
Kimball Bros., for one Eureka Road Machine,	211 00
Chas. W. Libby for services in past as Selectman,	35 00
William Moulton, surveying for town,	21 00
Geo. M. Oliver for services in past as Selectman,	40 00
Leonard Berry for injuries received from defect in road near Mark Libby's,	20 00
A. F. Moulton for services in the past as S. S. Com- mittee for the year 1882,	12 00
Maine Insane Hospital for support of Hannah E. Dyer,	54 56
E. Corey & Co. for steel drills for town,	4 13
Alexander Higgins for taking care of town house,	3 00
Samuel D. Plummer for services as S. S. Committe for the year 1882,	25 00
J. R. Farrington for support of Leonard Libby in the State Reform School,	\$9 00
Chas. W. Libby, cash paid for express bill and postage,	1 85
E. C. Milliken, discount on taxes paid prior to Nov. 15th, on bills of 1882,	403 84
E. C. Milliken, error on tax bills of 1880,	6 00



James F. Storey for services in full as selectman, assessor and overseer of poor for 1882,	84 75
A. F. Moulton, services in full a S. S. Com., for 1882,	14 10
George M. Oliver for services in full as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor for 1882,	37 75
Chas. W. Libby for services in full as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor for 1882,	76 50
Granville McKenney for services in full as S. S. Committee and Auditor for the year 1882,	25 00
C. F. Moulton for services as town Treasurer and cash paid for stationery and postage,	50 65
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	\$1,286 82

#### ORDERS FOR SUPPORT OF ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Henry Temm, labor on road in Dist. No. 25,	\$ 5 04
Frank P. Waterhouse, lumber for railing road. near Dunstan Landing,	4 00
Josiah Harmon and others, building bridge in Dist. No. 29,	75 00
Eastern Railroad Co., freight on bridge plank,	6 25
Rufus Deering & Co., for bridge plank,	54 55
Edwin Clement & Co., for bridge plank,	13 06
Rumery, Burnie & Co., for bridge plank,	29 50
John C. Burnham, building culvert near J. D. Fabyan's,	10 00
Charles L. Robinson, damage to plough and hauling timber for bridge in Dist. No. 1,	14 00
B & M Railroad, freight on bridge plank,	3 00
Rumery, Burnie & Co., timber for bridge in Dist. No. 1,	26 14
Knight Bros., for bridge plank,	13 92
James F. Storey, for bridge plank,	7 86
Wm. W. Jose, for gravel in Dist. No. 10,	4 20
Samuel L. Sanborn, building culvert in Dist. No. 11,	9 00
Samuel K. Milliken, labor on road in Dist. No. 22,	17 90
Nathaniel Milliken, for bridge plank,	9 87
Granville McKenney, for use of plough and watering place in Dist. No. 11,	4 00
Wm. Merrill, labor on road in Dist. No. 22,	21 87
William Merrill, labor on road in Dist. No. 22,	21 87
James F. Storey, for blasting powder,	3 00
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	\$348 99

Orders given to E. C. Milliken, for money allowed in his tax bills of 1882 and expended on highway,—for items see Surveyor's books in office of Selectmen, \$1904 87



## BILLS PAID FOR BREAKING ROADS BY VOTE OF TOWN.

Henry Cheney,	District No. 25,	\$14 76
John Fogg,	" " 3,	15 00
Seth L. Bragdon,	" " 24,	6 84
Patrick Leonard,	" " 24,	4 85
Charles L. Robinson,	" " 3,	14 00
B. S. Larrabee,	" " 3,	12 00
James Haley,	" " 24,	1 87
Wm. H. Cheney,	" " 17,	2 25
Dominicus Libby & others,	" " 25,	11 12
Alvan Waterhouse,	" " 17,	3 75
Chas. L. Milliken & others,	" " 21,	15 62
Arthur C. Farr,	" " 17,	3 85
William Meserve,	" " 9,	8 62
John C. Burnham,	" " 31 & 27,	7 50
H. B. Manchester,	" " 18,	5 00
D. F. Stanford & others,	" " 1,	45 25
O. F. Milliken,	" " 17,	6 75
Robert Libby & others,	" " 29,	9 65
Joshua Moulton,	" " 10,	3 00
Ira Moulton,	" " 10,	3 00
G. Moulton & others,	" " 14,	13 75
Simon Libby & others,	" " 2,	21 60
F. Libby & others,	" " 24,	14 00
B. F. Carter & others,	" " 13,	20 00
G. W. Leavitt,	" " 22,	5 00
Randolph C. McKenney,	" " 7,	4 37
Reuben C. Snow,	" " 22,	2 50
Daniel M. Snow,	" " 16,	3 00
Moses Waterhouse,	" " 18,	4 37
Solmon Libby,	" " 7,	7 50
Henry Morrison,	" " 27,	6 00
" " & others,	" " 31,	8 00
Elisha Collins & others,	" " 11,	20 76
A. B. Deering,	" " 10,	2 00
Rufus Carter,	" " 18,	6 50
C. W. Libby,	" " 18,	2 25
Benjamin Larrabee,	" " 3,	3 00
Johnson Libby,	" " 7,	6 25
James S. Libby,	" " 7,	2 74
B. G. Kimball & others,	" " 5,	25 00
Frank P. Waterhouse,	" " 18,	6 11
Wm. W. Jose,	" " 10,	1 50
Henry S. Jones,	" " 12,	18 00
Henry R. Libby,	" " 12,	4 75
N. H. Fenderson,	" " 10,	2 75
E. C. Milliken & others,	" " —	9 25

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 \$415 68



## EXPENSE OF POOR OFF POOR FARM.

Frank P. Waterhouse, wood furnished Abigail Walker,	\$ 3 25
Thomas C. Carter, for support of Samuel Libby,	25 00
John H. Leavitt, supplies for Abigail Walker,	39 00
City of Saco, aid furnished Samuel Chute,	14 00
J. B. Sherman, supplies furnished Mrs. A. J. Libby,	9 64
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	\$90 89

## EXPENSES OF POOR AT THE TOWN FARM.

John W. Webster, services in full as Overseer of Town farm, for the year ending April 11, 1882,	\$30 00
W. F. Dresser, seed potatoes and superphosphate,	9 00
W. F. Studley, dry goods for Town farm,	5 25
S. P. Burnham, supplies furnished Town farm,	52 43
L. H. Daggett, goods furnished Town farm,	47 65
Chas. E. Roberts, blacksmith work for Town,	1 70
Andrew Hawes, supplies for Town farm,	68 92
James F. Storey, supplies for Town Farm,	71 93
J. W. Bond, blacksmith work,	3 91
Samuel G. Boothby, blacksmith work for the year 1881-82,	2 01
M. F. Moody, shoeing oxen for Town,	5 25
Kendall & Whitney, supplies for Town farm,	4 06
Andrew Hawes, supplies for farm,	66 34
Amos L. Millett, supplies for Town farm,	2 39
S. P. Burnham, supplies for Town farm,	4 66
Wm. H. Clifford, cash paid for labor and supplies for Town farm,	112 27
Wm. H. Clifford, for services in part as Overseer of the Town farm, for the year 1882,	167 78
J. W. Leavitt, hay for Town,	18 86
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	\$674 41

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By proceeds sold from Town farm,	\$206 84
By labor on roads,	68 87
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	\$275 71
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Cost of poor above income,	\$398 70

We have at present five inmates at the farm, all adults.



## LIABILITIES.

Outstanding notes,	\$14,488 55
Balance due the school districts,	200 81
Estimated interest now due,	350 00
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	\$15,039 36

## AVAILABILITIES,

Due from Ezra C. Milliken, on tax bills of 1882,	\$5638 32
“ State pension, paid Samuel J. Morse by Treas ,	24 00
“ State for Telegraph and Railroad tax for the year 1882,	21 08
“ thirty-nine Resident tax deeds,	667 12
“ seventy-three Non-Resident tax deeds,	454 96
“ Non- Resident taxes, advertised and unpaid on bills of 1881,	214 09
“ twenty cemetery lots sold and unpaid for,	120 00
“ Due from city of Portland for pauper,	4 00
Balance in the treasury, February 21st, 1883,	2495 39
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	\$9,638 96
Liabilities,	\$15049 36
Availabilities,	9638 96
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Balance against the Town, \$5,400 40

Town debt reduced the present year, \$2071 40

Total valuation of the Town, \$771,935 00. Number of polls,  
427. Tax percentage is 16 1-2 mills on a dollar.

State tax,	\$3518 14
County tax,	698 01
Money raised by town for poor and contingent,	2000 00
Money raised by town for schools,	1500 00
Money raised by town for roads and bridges,	2500 00
Money raised by town for principal on town debt,	2000 00
Money raised by town for interest,	1000 00
Money raised by town for breaking roads,	500 00
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	\$13,716 15
Overlay,	178 80
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Total amount of money raised for 1882,	\$13,894 95
Number of scholars 599. Amt. of money to each scholar, \$4 00	



## INVENTORY.

Town farm,	\$2500 00
Clay pits,	100 00
1 pair of oxen,	150 00
3 cows,	105 00
2 shoats,	30 00
1 One horse hoe,	10 00
9 tons of hay,	108 00
1 mowing machine,	20 00
1 road machine,	200 00
1 horse rake,	25 00
Yokes, bows, ring and staple and chains,	11 00
Harrow,	4 00
Pung,	13 00
1 harness,	15 00
Rakes, forks, scythes, and snaths,	5 00
1 pair wheels, cart and rack,	20 00
1 plough,	9 00
Grindstone,	3 00
Shovels, hoes, axes, saws and manure forks,	9 00
Sleds,	20 00
2-3 barrel pork,	12 00
50 bushels of potatoes,	37 50
10 gal. kerosene oil,	90
1 kerosene oil cask,	1 00
4 bushels beans,	12 00
2 bushels peas,	2 25
12 lbs. lard,	1 44
25 lbs. dried apples,	1 75
12 bushels oats,	6 00
25 bushels turnips and beets,	10 00
20 hens,	10 00
Household furniture,	130 00
Yarn,	3 75
Crockery,	12 00

The foregoing report is respectfully submitted.

CHARLES W. LIBBY,	} Selectmen of Scarborough.
GEORGE M. OLIVER,	
JAMES F. STOREY,	

SCARBOROUGH, February 21st, 1883.



## TREASURER'S REPORT.

C. F. MOULTON, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF  
SCARBOROUGH, FROM FEB. 27TH, 1882, TO FEB. 21ST, 1883.

	DR.
To Cash in Treasury, as per Town report Feb. 27, '82,	\$2161 19
" received of State Treasurer school fund and mill tax for the year 1882,	943 74
" received of Selectmen for clam permits for the year 1882,	32 75
" received from proceeds from Town farm,	206 84
" received for two cemetery lots a \$6 per lot,	12 00
" on note of Wm. Warren,	132 32
" for taxes, viz: from Ezra C. Milliken on tax bills of 1881,	5542 12
" for interest from Ezra C. Milliken on tax bills of 1881,	138 52
" for taxes from Ezra C. Milliken on tax bills of 1882,	4040 48
" for one Resident tax deed canceled,	2 53
" from 13 N. R. tax deeds canceled,,	119 08
" " N. R. taxes, cost & int. on bills of 1879,	17 24
" " " " " " " " " " " " 1880,	20 68
" " " " " " " " " " " " 1881,	53 61
	\$13,423 10
By cash paid, viz:	CR.
Town notes paid,	\$1102 00
Interest paid on notes taken up,	70 20
Interest paid on notes outstanding,	701 23
Town orders taken up and bills paid,	9054 25
	\$10,927 68
Balance in treasury,	2,495 42
	\$13,423 10

C. F. MOULTON, Town Treasurer.

SCARBOROUGH, February 21st, 1883.

I hereby certify that I have examined the several accounts of the Selectmen and in connection with the Selectmen have examined the accounts of the Treasurer, and compared the books and vouchers, and that I find all the items properly vouched, and the accounts correctly cast.

GRANVILLE MCKENNEY, AUDITOR.

SCARBOROUGH, February 21st, 1883.



## REPORT OF THE TOWN AGENT.

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The Boston and Maine railroad, for filling a portion of the Scarborough River, are taking the soil across the highway near the Pine Point station. They have agreed in writing to assume all risk of accident while at work there, to grade the hill to the acceptance of the Selectmen, and to furnish the town as much gravel as they take away.

The Eastern railroad have filled the river near the West Scarborough station, without any authority, and an article in the warrant calls the attention of the Town to the same.

The law relating to the taking of shell fish has attracted considerable attention in town during the past year. The law now in force throws the whole burden of regulating the matter upon the Selectmen. They have found it impossible to harmonize the many conflicting interests and the provisions of the present law seem to be cumbersome and nearly useless. The Town Agent, with the concurrence of the Selectmen, has drafted a new act which allows the town itself to control the whole matter by vote. This is now before the legislature and will probably be adopted.

The town has now no cases in court.

Respectfully submitted,

AUGUSTUS F. MOULTON, Town Agent.

SCARBOROUGH, Feb. 22, 1883.







## REPORT OF THE Superintending School Committee.

In making this, our annual report, we are glad to say that our schools the past year have been doing fully as good work as any previous year. In fact it seems to us that we can perceive a gradual but constant improvement in the standing of all the schools. They are well supplied with text books, the school buildings are in good repair, and our town's people take much interest in all that pertains to their welfare.

The following is a tabulated statement of the number of scholars in each district and the amount of money appropriated :

Districts.	Agents.	No. of Scholars,	Amt of Money
Dist. No 1,	David Stamford,	60,	\$240 00
" 2,	Stephen Harmon,	70,	280 00
" 3,	Theodore Deering,	46,	184 00
" 4,	Thomas L. Seavey,	86,	344 00
" 5,	Simeon P. Burnham,	57,	228 00
" 6,	Melville I. Milliken,	61,	244 00
" 7,	Wilbur F. Dresser,	50,	200 00
" 10,	Thomas C. Carter,	27,	*155 74
" 11,	Melville P. Hunniwell,	81,	324 00
" 13,	John S. Larrabee,	38,	152 80
Union Dist.	Ambrose V. Deering,	23,	92 00

Whole No. of scholars, 599

\*A special allowance of \$47.74 to this district.

Amount of money raised by the Town,	\$1500 00
" " " received from State,	943 74

Whole amount available for schools,	\$2,443 74
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Amount of money for each scholar,	\$4 00
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## SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

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### DISTRICT NO. 1. BEECH HILL.

Spring and Fall Terms. Miss ARABELLA S. JORDAN, Teacher. At our first visit we found the lessons well learned, and a general interest manifest throughout the school. At our subsequent visits we noticed a very marked improvement, both in deportment and recitations.

Winter Term. Mr. C. P. NUTTER, Teacher. This was Mr. Nutter's first term. At the first visit we found the school progressing finely. Good order was maintained from the first. At our closing visit it was apparent that there had been a most faithful work performed on the part of the teacher and cheerful obedience to school discipline on the part of the scholars. Mr. Nutter's first term was a decided success.

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### DISTRICT NO. 2. BLACK POINT.

The Spring and Fall terms were in charge of Miss CLARA J. LIBBY. Miss Libby commenced her labor with her usual zeal and energy. The attendance and order were good, and her efforts were attended with her usual good success.

Winter Term. Mr. SAMUEL D. PLUMMER, Teacher. We found here a teacher active and energetic, and scholars interested in their studies and prompt in recitation. It was a good business term and deserved the favor with which it was regarded by the district.

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### DISTRICT NO. 3. LIBBY.

Spring Term. Miss LUELLA M. WESCOTT, Teacher. This school although small in numbers, presented a fine appearance. The lessons were well learned, the order first rate, and a good degree of thoroughness was apparent.



Fall Term. MISS JENNIE DEERING, Teacher. The faithful work begun by Miss Wescott in the Spring term was resumed by Miss Deering in the Fall. The attendance was somewhat larger than in the Spring; the order equally as good and so very satisfactory were her efforts that she was allowed to continue the term into the Winter as far as the appropriation would permit.

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#### DISTRICT NO. 4. BLUE POINT.

Summer and Fall Terms. MISS ELLEN PARKER, Teacher. We were very well satisfied with the appearance of the school. Strict discipline was maintained, the lessons were well learned and a good degree of advancement was made "all along the line."

Winter Term. MR. JOHN HEARN, Teacher. Mr. Hearn found the school in good condition, and maintained its standing well to the end. The closing examination was creditable both to teacher and scholars.

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#### DISTRICT NO. 5. DUNSTAN.

Summer Term. MISS CHARLOTTE TAYLOR, Teacher. Miss Taylor is a careful and conscientious teacher and she gave her best efforts to promote the welfare of the school. A little attempt to defy the teacher's authority was quelled in a prompt and decisive manner, and the closing visit showed good discipline and good lessons.

Winter Term. MR. ALBERT E. MILLETT, Teacher. This term of school was of very high rank. The scholars were all interested in their studies, and in a term of twelve weeks made remarkable progress. Nearly one third were not absent a single day. All worked heartily together, and we only regret that so profitable a term could not have been longer.



## DISTRICT No. 6. SCOTTOW HILL.

Summer Term. MISS CARRIE E. FOSS, Teacher. The school was not large in point of numbers and calls for no particular mention. It was a good average term.

Winter Term. MR. WM. H. CHENEY, Teacher. The school prospered in Mr. Cheney's hands. Its general appearance was good both as regards recitations and government.

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## DISTRICT No. 7. BEECH RIDGE.

The Summer Term was taught by MISS EDNA E. LIBBY, a teacher of experience and ability, which she used to good advantage in disciplining and instructing her school.

The Winter term was taught by MR. CHARLES H. MITCHELL. He labored earnestly and successfully for the welfare of his scholars who seemed to fully appreciate their teacher's efforts, hence decided improvement was made in all branches taught.

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## DISTRICT No. 10. BROAD TURN.

The Summer and Winter Terms taught by MISS MARY E. RICKER. This district is the smallest in town and the scholars attending were mostly quite young, therefore the school could not be expected to show to such advantage as one composed of older scholars. The teacher appeared interested in her work and we think endeavored to perform her duties to her utmost and the improvement was entirely satisfactory.

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## DISTRICT No. 11. OAK HILL.

Spring and Fall Terms. MISS DORA CARLTON, Teacher. The attendance in the Spring was large, the order good and the general appearance of the school very satisfactory. In the Fall term, although we are satisfied Miss Carlton did her utmost to interest and instruct her pupils, yet they did not show so great a degree of improvement as accompanied her labors in the Spring.



Winter Term. MR. G. H. GOULD, Teacher. Mr. Gould is a teacher of experience and ability. Although certain infelicities arose at the beginning of the term, they were promptly met and set right. We think the result of his faithful work justified the means he employed, and that, everything considered, it was a very profitable term.

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DISTRICT NO. 13. COAL KILN,

Summer Term. MISS CORA LIBBY, Teacher. Miss Libby is a teacher of considerable experience. Her scholars made commendable progress, were well disciplined and carefully instructed.

Winter Term. MR. WILLIAM, F. PILLSBURY, Teacher. When we called to visit the school at the close, we found the school had closed the day previous, hence we are unable to report. We have no doubt from the teacher's reputation and his former efforts and from what we learned from the district, that the term was a profitable one.

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The above report is respectfully submitted.

GRANVILLE MCKENNEY,	} S. S. Committee
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SCARBOROUGH, February 21, 1883.



# PRINCIPAL TOWN OFFICERS

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