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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN and TREASURER

OF THE

TOWN OF SCARBOROUGH

Together with the Report of the

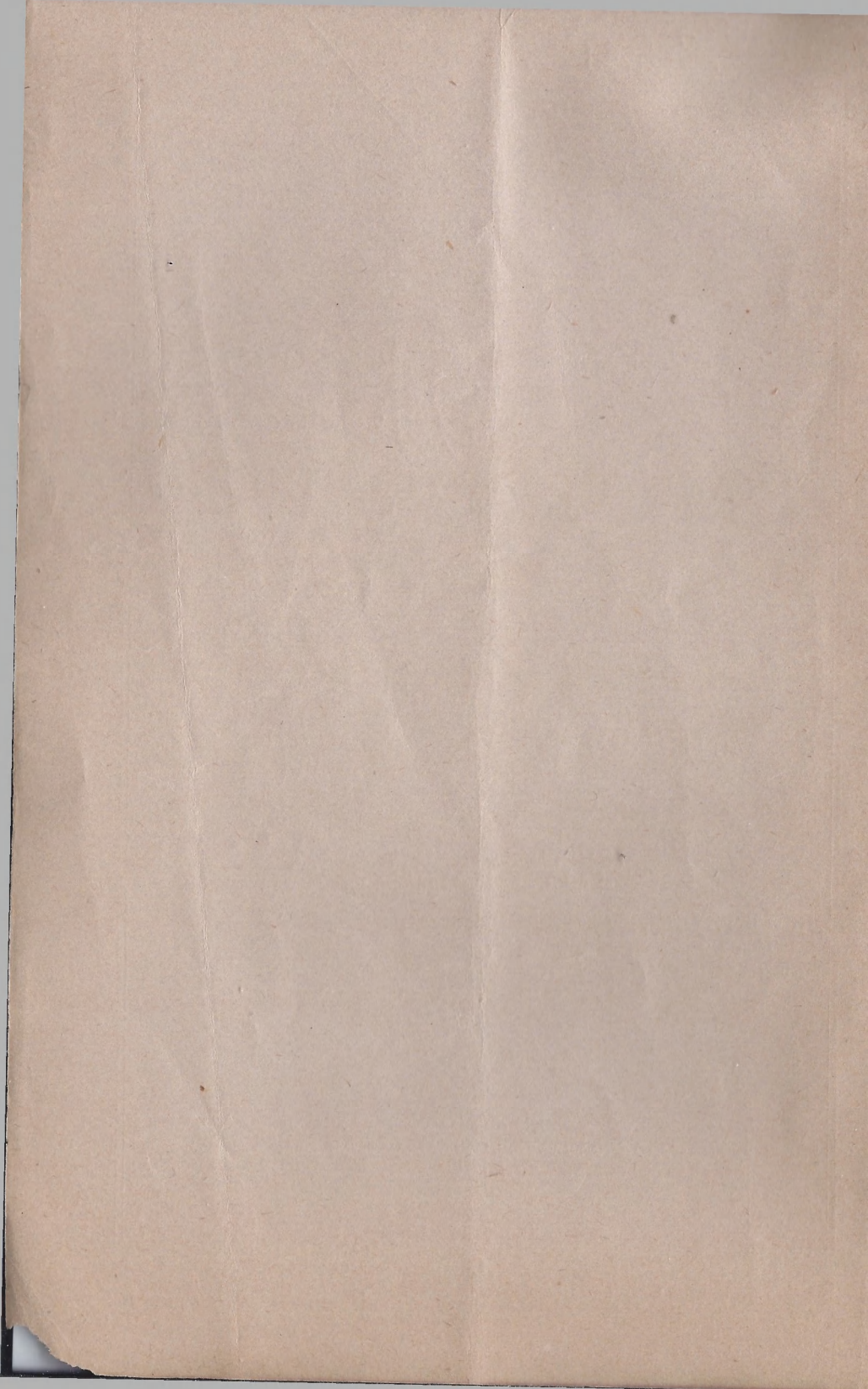
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WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING.

To John M. Kaler, a Constable in the Town of Scarboro.

GREETING :

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Scarboro, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the town house in said town of Scarboro, on the seventh (7) day of March. A. D., 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles :

- 1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2d. To choose a Clerk, Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
- 3d. To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintainance and support of schools, the poor, repairs of roads and bridges, and to defray all other town charges.
- 4th. To see what action the town will take in regard to abolishing the school district system.
- 5th. To see what action the town will take in case it does not abolish the district system in regard to school districts choosing their own agents.
- 6th. To see if the town will accept of the report of the several town officers.
- 7th. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on taxes paid on or before a given time, and charge interest on all taxes remaining unpaid after a given time.
- 8th. To see what action the town will take in regard to breaking roads the next winter.
- 9th. To see what compensation the town will vote the Collector for his services for the ensuing year.

10th. To see if the town will vote to support a free High School for the ensuing year, and raise money for the same, and locate the same.

11th. To see if the town will vote to buy an improved road machine and raise money for the same.

12th. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars to be expended on the highway "by the Selectmen" from Prout's Neck to the B. & M. R. R., near Scarboro Post Office.

13th. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of three hundred (\$300), dollars, to be expended on the bridge and road below the Baptist meeting house on the Gorham road.

14th. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one hundred (\$100) dollars, to be expended on the highway between the foot of Rock Hill and Jose Bridge.

15th. To see if the town will vote the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), to be expended on the highway between New River Bridge and Cullen S. Leavitt's.

16th. To see if the town will choose Road Commissioners for the ensuing year.

17th. To see if the town will vote a sum of money for the purpose of decorating soldiers' graves.

18th. To see if the town will vote to raise \$328.40 to meet the deficiency in the school book account of 1890-1, and also to see if the town will vote a sum of money to meet the deficiency in the breaking road account, \$688.96, 1890-1.

19th. To see if the town will vote a sum of money to meet the expense of making the valuation assessment of the 1891 tax.

20th. To see if the town will accept of the list of jurors as revised by the Selectmen, Treasurer and Clerk.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be at the town hall on Saturday, the fifth (5) day, of March, A. D., 1892, from nine (9) o'clock in the A. M., to four (4) o'clock in the P. M., for the purpose of correcting the check list and also on the morning of the day of election at nine o'clock A. M., for the same purpose.

Given under our hands this 23d day of Feb. A. D., 1892.

SETH L. PLUMMER,
GEORGE B. THURSTON,
JAMES F. STORY.

} Selectmen
of
Scarboro.

REPORT
OF THE
SELECTMEN,

For the Year Ending March, 1892.

OUTSTANDING NOTES.

No. 164,	\$ 400 00	No. 356,	1,000 00
208,	152 59	358,	1,200 00
320,	114 33	360,	800 00
355,	1,000 00	362,	1,000 00
357,	4,000 00	363,	1,000 00
359,	1,000 00	364,	1,000 00
361,	1,000 00	365,	500 00
340,	85 20		
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			\$14,252 12

ACCOUNT WITH THE SEVERAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

DISTRICT No. 1.

DR.

Paid Clara J. Libby,	\$ 75 00	
Florence A. Webb,	60 00	
Florence A. Webb,	80 00	
J. M. Wheeler,	19 20	
Clara J. Libby,	108 00	
Lewis Peterson,	4 25	
Balance unexpended,	64 33	
	<hr/>	\$410 78

CR.

Balance from last year,	\$140 78	
Appropriation,	270 00	
	<hr/>	\$410 78

DISTRICT No. 2.

DR.

Paid Mary L. Kimball,	\$ 82 50	
Chas. E. Libby,	16 86	
Mary L. Kimball,	75 00	
Mary L. Kimball,	96 00	
Chas. E. Libby,	19 63	
Balance unexpended,	124 33	
	<hr/>	\$414 32

CR.

Balance from last year,	\$ 36 32	
Appropriation,	378 00	
	<hr/>	\$414 32

DISTRICT No. 3.

DR.

Paid Lida E. Libby,	\$64 00	
J. B. Arnold,	14 65	
Frank Larrabee,	11 00	
Alice L. Johnson,	71 50	

Paid Alice L. Johnson,	88 00	
Alice L. Johnson,	66 50	
C. F. Moulton,	12 00	
Balance unexpended,	31 08	
	<hr/>	\$358 73

CR.

Balance from last year,	\$ 94 73	
Appropriation,	264 00	
	<hr/>	\$358 73

DISTRICT No. 4.

DR.

Paid Lida E. Libby,	\$70 00	
H. A. G. and B. F. Milliken,	1 50	
Horace B. Stuart,	40 00	
E. B. Carter,	15 50	
H. B. Stuart,	40 00	
H. B. Stuart,	40 00	
H. B. Stuart,	40 00	
H. B. Stuart,	27 00	
G. W. Knight,	85	
Balance unexpended,	3 22	
	<hr/>	\$278 07

CR.

Balance from last year,	\$ 2 07	
Appropriation,	276 00	
	<hr/>	\$278 07

DISTRICT No. 5.

DR.

Paid G. E. Blake,	\$ 2 25	
G. E. Blake,	2 75	
Harriet P. Stone,	96 00	
E. L. Waterhouse,	6 20	
H. A. G. & B. F. Milliken,	7 20	
W. H. Graffam,	1 62	
Harriet P. Stone,	111 60	
W. H. Graffam,	3 92	
G. E. Blake,	2 05	
Balance unexpended,	2 41	
	<hr/>	\$236 00

CR.

Balance from last year,	\$ 4 00	
Appropriation,	232 00	
	<hr/>	\$236 00

DISTRICT No. 6.

DR.

Overdrawn last year,	\$ 2 48	
Paid Hattie B. Dresser,	84 00	
Hattie B. Dresser,	56 00	
H. L. Pillsbury,	4 00	
O. F. Milliken,	10 00	
D. G. Donnocker,	50 00	
D. G. Donnocker,	56 00	
Fred J. Tucker,	4 62	
D. G. Donnocker,	47 60	
C. F. Moulton,	10 50	
Balance unexpended,	10 80	
	<hr/>	\$336 00

CR.

Appropriation,	\$336 00
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DISTRICT No. 7.

DR.

Overdrawn,	\$ 2 04	
Paid J. F. Storey,	1 75	
Hattie M. Milliken,	70 00	
Hattie M. Milliken,	70 00	
Hannah J. Stone,	64 00	
Balance unexpended,	18 21	
	<hr/>	\$226 00

CR.

Appropriation,	\$226 00
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DISTRICT No. 8.

DR.

Paid Geo. H. Merrill,	\$ 3 00
Chas. W. Staples,	6 45
Annie R. Day,	82 50

Paid H. A. G. & B. F. Milliken,	3 25	
C. W. Staples,	6 40	
Annie R. Day,	82 50	
B. A. Baker,	4 50	
C. F. Moulton,	9 00	
Balance unexpended,	93 98	
	<hr/>	\$291 58

CR.

Balance from last year,	\$ 15 58	
Appropriation,	276 00	
	<hr/>	\$291 58

DISTRICT No. 10.

DR.

Paid Annie Pillsbury,	50 00	
J. W. Bond,	13 30	
Annie Pillsbury,	70 00	
Balance unexpended,	13 66	
	<hr/>	\$146 96

CR.

Balance from last year,	\$ 20 96	
Appropriation,	126 00	
	<hr/>	\$146 96

DISTRICT No. 11.

DR.

Paid Fred E. Deering,	\$ 23 86	
H. S. Jones,	6 00	
G. E. Gilman,	22 00	
E. E. Libby,	100 00	
Annie Gilman,	3 00	
H. R. Libby,	29 42	
E. E. Libby,	100 00	
M. E. Joiner,	48 00	
H. R. Libby,	5 50	
M. E. Joiner,	75 00	
H. R. Libby,	4 85	
J. O. Libby,	3 00	
Balance unexpended.	44 26	
	<hr/>	\$464 89

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CR.

Balance from last year,	\$ 86 89	
Appropriation,	378 00	
	<hr/>	\$464 89

DISTRICT No. 13.

Overdrawn,	\$ 1 43	
Paid Annie B. Johnson,	70 00	
Ammon L. Knight,	7 25	
Chester Chapman,	75 00	
Ammon L. Knight.	15 00	
Ammon L. Knight,	35 00	
Balance unexpended,	16 32	
	<hr/>	\$220 00

CR.

Appropriation,	\$220 00
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UNION DISTRICT.

DR.

Overdrawn,	\$ 5 65	
Paid Fred E. Moulton,	11 50	
L. J. Milliken,	20 00	
Balance unexpended,	142 85	
	<hr/>	\$180 00

CR.

Appropriation,	\$180 00
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HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

DR.

Paid Chas. E. Cheney,	\$ 12 35
B. E. Clark,	230 00
Trustees Stephen Sewall Lodge,	
use of hall,	10 00
Leroy C. Thurston, janitor,	7 50
E. C. Pillsbury, janitor,	7 55
B. E. Clark,	207 00
G. W. Knight,	10 69
B. E. Clark,	161 00

Paid Leroy C. Thurston,	10 50	
Chas. E. Cheney, supplies.	12 50	
Trustees Stephen Sewall Lodge,	24 00	
F. W. Leavitt, supplies,	3 88	
E. L. Waterhouse,	45	
Balance unexpended,	167 67	
	<hr/>	\$865 09

CR.

Appropriation,	\$500 00	
Received from State,	103 50	
Balance from last year,	11 59	
Received from State,	250 00	
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SCHOOL BOOK ACCOUNT.

DR.

Paid Chas. E. Cheney,	\$ 88 08	
" "	108 86	
Harris & Williams.	3 25	
C. E. Cheney,	5 60	
	<hr/>	205 79

CR.

Appropriation,	\$150 00	
Overdrawn, 1891,	55 79	
	<hr/>	\$205 79
Overdrawn, 1890,	\$272 61	
Overdrawn, 1891,	55 79	
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Total,	\$328 40	

"PRIOR BILLS."

BILLS PAID THE PRESENT YEAR CONTRACTED PRIOR TO MARCH
1st., 1891.

Barney Wood, labor in Dis. No. 4,	\$ 7 50
Printing town reports, 1890, Tucker PrintingHouse,	28 00
Ivory Berry, Overseer of Farm, in full for 1890,	155 00
John Holmes heirs, labor on highway, Dist.4, 1890,	10 00

John H. Leavitt, labor on roads, Dist. 31, 1890,	8 75
Henry A. Libby, labor on highway, Dist. 1, 1890,	5 35
Geo. H. Andrews, watering place, 1890,	3 00
Fred C. Merrill, labor, Dist. 32, 1890,	7 87
B. A. Baker, watering place, 1890,	3 00
A. B. Libby, labor, Dist. 6, 1890,	1 50

\$229 97

AMOUNT PAID FOR CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Pd. A. F. Larrabee, care of hall,	\$ 50
C. P. Varney, stationery, for office,	1 40
T. A. Libby, wood for office,	3 00
Stevens & Jones, stationery for Assessors,	14 08
Geo. B. Thurston, removing pauper bodies to cemetery,	9 00
Stevens & Jones, stationery, for Assessors,	4 00
Stevens & Jones, Collectors's book,	1 50
Eastern Argus Co., advertising non-resident taxes 1890,	22 00
J. F. Storey, services in part as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor,	50 01
A. B. Larrabee, care hall,	1 25
G. B. Thurston, services in part as Selectman, and Overseer of Poor,	25 00
S. L. Plummer, services in part as Selectman and Overseer of Poor,	35 00
Ivory Berry, repairs on road machine,	3 40
Stevens & Jones, record books,	15 00
J. M. Kaler, collecting taxes 1890 in full,	346 50
W. Moulton, staking out Tucker road, Spurwink,	3 00
A. B. Larrabee, care of Hall,	2 50
A. S. Sawyer, services on Board of Health,	3 00
A. S. Sawyer, certificates for births and deaths,	2 00
A. B. Libby, care of hall,	1 70
E. S. Oliver, services as Clerk,	25 00
E. S. Oliver, recording marriages, births and deaths,	3 45

Pd. W. H. Graffam, services as Town Treasurer 1891,	60 00
J. F. Storey, wood for town hall,	1 75
A. F. Moulton, services as Town Agent and legal advice, 1891,	88 60
S. L. Plummer and J. F. Storey, assessing road tax,	22 50
E. C. Milliken, services as Assessor 1891,	250 50
J. A. Libby, " " "	218 00
C. L. Robinson, " " "	185 50
Emma Snow, copying for Assessors,	13 50
A. W. Larrabee, certificates of deaths,	1 25
Geo. H. Merrill, services as Police, 1891,	26 65
W. H. Graffam and others, express, postage, etc.,	5 03
C. E. Cheney, services as Supervisor 1891,	170 00
G. B. Thurston, services in full as Selectman and Overseer of Poor. 1891,	55 00
S. L. Plummer, services as Selectman and Overseer of Poor, 1891 in full,	70 00
J. F. Storey, services in full as Selectman and Overseer of Poor, 1891,	29 50
W. A. Gilman, services as Auditor, 1891,	5 00
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BILLS PAID FOR SUPPORT OF ROADS AND BRIDGES
FOR THE YEAR 1891.

Pd. T. B. Davis, powder and fuse,		\$ 3 67
Geo. H. Merrill, labor,	Dist. 32,	3 50
F. F. Merrill, labor,	" 14,	9 75
B. & M. R. R., freight on bridge plank,		2 00
Henry Bragdon, labor,	" 21,	10 50
Berlin Mills Co., bridge plank,		30 17
Benj. Larrabee, labor on drain,	" 3,	2 50
Berlin Mills Co., lumber for bridges,		2 05

Pd. John E. Mitchell, labor and material on Spurwink River Bridge,		29 87
Portland Stone Ware Co., pipe for Highway,	" 15,	3 36
Thomas Dagnon, gravel,	" 25,	4 10
Henry Bragdon, labor,	" 25,	7 66
Richardson, Walker & Co., bridge lumber,		26 89
Fred M. Newcomb, carting lumber,		4 00
Selectmen and others, labor on Libby's River Bridge,		23 25
T. B. Davis, powder and fuse,		11 85
J. F. Storey and others, labor,	" 20,	76 00
A. A. Thurston, lumber and sawing		27 23
H. A. G. & B. F. Milliken, bridge plank,		72
F. P. Waterhouse, posts,	" 15,	22 50
W. A. Mitchell, labor,	" 26,	6 00
Hiram G. Foye, labor,	" 20,	1 12
E. Corey & Co., steel for drills and hammer,		6 54
Selectmen and others, labor,	" 29,	34 75
J. S. Pillsbury, labor,	" 15,	12 00
S. L. Sanborn, and others, labor,	" 11,	24 00
Winslow & Co., pipe,	"15,16,	26 66
Simon Libby, labor, 1891,	" 2,	9 38
O. F. Milliken, labor,	" 17,	10 50
Theodore Deering, labor and material,	" 8,	35 75
B. F. Bailey, blasting ledges,	Dists. 13, 21, 26,	31 25
O. F. Milliken, gravel,	Dist. 16,	17 00
Geo. B. Thurston and others, labor on culvert,	" 16,	37 75
S. L. Plummer and others, labor on culvert,	" 29,	25 75
S. B. Carter, labor on roads,	" 13,	5 00
S. E. Higgins, labor on culvert,	" 15,	3 15
E. F. Merrill and others, labor,	" 14,	60 38
Barney Wood, labor,	" 4,	6 00
J. S. Sawyer, labor,	" 1,	2 25

Pd. S. M. Libby, labor,	Dist. 17	7 50
Edward Cook, labor,	" 6,	3 00
Wm. W. Jose, gravel,	" 10,	5 60
N. B. Lane, labor,	" 29,	28 13
John Getchel, labor,	" 29,	3 00
Abial Seavey, labor,	" 14,	8 50
Noah Pillsbury, labor,	" 15,	52 40
Geo. B. Thurston and others, labor,	" 18,	18 25
Noah Pillsbury, labor,	" 15,	3 00
James Thurston, gravel,	" 14,	2 50
Clifford Libby, labor,	" 20,	3 00
G. B. Thurston and others, labor,	" 16,	24 00
J. F. Storey, labor and material,	" 20,	9 40
Ira C. Foss, material, loam,	" 29,	7 00
B. S. Larrabee and others, labor,	" 3,	16 00
Berlin Mills Co., bridge plank,		32 49
Chas. W. Libby, labor,	" 2,	6 00
John E. Plummer, labor,	" 2,	17 75
Selectmen and others, planking bridge and railing road,	" 2,	7 50
T. B. Davis, powder and fuse,		2 40
T. A. Libby and others, labor,	" 4,	2 75
A. J. Fogg, watering place,	" 11,	3 00
James Lary, labor on highway,	" 3,	1 50
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BREAKING ROADS FOR THE YEAR 1890-91.

Pd. E. E. Tibbetts,	Dist. 24,	\$ 1 57
S. L. Bragdon,	" 24,	3 00
P. H. Nugent and others,	" 12,	33 00
H. B. Manchester and others,	" 18,	32 85
H. B. Berry and others,	" 8,	68 70
O. F. Milliken,	" 19,	11 50
O. F. Milliken,	" 17,	25 25
James L. Carter,	" 13,	38 75

Pd. Samuel M. Libby,	Dist. 17,	4 75
N. B. Lane and others,	" 29,	50 70
W. E. Seavey,	" 27,	37 30
J. M. Kaler,	" 28,	19 50
A. J. Fogg,	" 11,	54 73
W. W. Ormsby,	" 4,	58 21
G. P. Scammon and others,	" 16,	36 67
Wm. Fogg and others,	" 3,	55 50
E. A. Meserve and others,	" 9,	30 25
Royal E. Hudson and others,	" 5,	21 00
M. I. Milliken,	" 30,	10 50
J. S. Meserve and others,	" 21,	36 12
W. F. Dresser and others,	" 25,	28 09
James F. Small and others,	" 1,	52 68
F. C. McKenney,	" 20,	24 00
Peter Riley,	" 24,	34 40
G. H. Merrill,	" 32,	26 78
Geo. F. Merrill,	" 14,	46 40
Ai Plummer,	" 23,	8 50
John A. Libby and others,	" 26,	29 14
John L. Baker,	" 22,	57 65
James F. Small,	" 1,	52 62
Albert Carter,	" 18,	3 38
B. F. Larrabee and others,	" 3,	57 66
Henry Morrison,	" 31,	20 00
S. L. Bragdon,	" 24,	2 53
J. H. Leonard,	" 24,	3 60
Noah Pillsbury,	" 15,	9 75
E. H. Libby and others,	" 6, 7,	48 82
G. W. Leavitt,	" 32,	6 00
Simon Libby,	" 2,	5 50
John A. Libby,	" 2,	11 07
E. M. Sylvester,	" 1,	1 38
W. W. Jose,	" 10,	2 00
Joseph A. Harmon, heirs	" 10,	3 00
A. B. Deering,	" 10,	4 50
John E. Plummer,	" 2,	7 00
Robert McLaughlin,	" 7,	12 66

Total,

\$1,188 96

EXPENSES OF POOR OFF THE FARM.

Pd. burial expenses of William A. Roberts,	\$33 75
F. C. McKenney, wood for Mrs. Simeon Foye,	10 00
G. W. Cash, groceries for Mrs. Simeon Foye,	21 68
Alfred S. Sawyer, Med. services to Mrs. Simeon Foye,	10 00
F. C. McKenney, wood for Mrs Simeon Foye,	5 00
Orra Sherman, supplies for Wm. Temple,	22 08
E. L. Foss, medicine for Mrs. Simeon Foye,	1 00
A. A. Berry, board of Thomas Burnham,	9 00
Orra E. Sherman, supplies for Wm. Temple,	11 39
City of Portland, pauper supplies to Annie Babson, \$2.86 ; T. J. Burnham, \$6.00 ; James McKennie, \$24.60,	33 46
Dennis Tobin and others,	30 77
Total,	<hr/> \$188 13

EXPENSES OF POOR AT THE FARM, 1891.

Pd. J. C. Burnham, cow,	\$32 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	2 38
Burges, Fobes & Co., paint,	1 25
W. L. Wilson & Co., supplies,	26 20
Burges, Fobes & Co., paint,	3 97
D. Hooker, paper and curtains,	4 10
John Morris, painting,	6 00
Geo. W. Knight, supplies,	28 29
W. H. Graffam, supplies,	12 57
Kendall & Whitney, creamers,	4 00
W. L. Wilson & Co., groceries,	12 27
Geo. E. Farwell, labor,	16 00
Geo. W. Farwell, labor,	14 13
W. H. Graffam, supplies,	4 71
W. L. Wilson & Co., goods,	5 75
Geo. B. Thurston, grass,	7 50
William Warren, difference in oxen,	15 00

Pd. Ivory Berry, overseer in part,	125 00
Andrew Hawes, supplies,	68 45
W. H. Graffam, supplies,	4 85
G. B. Thurston, repairing wheels,	12 75
G. B. Thurston, express charges on body of Elizabeth Dodd,	5 00
J. W. Bond, blacksmithing,	5 45
McIntire, threshing,	5 75
Isley Bros., burial supplies for Elizabeth Dodd,	16 00
G. W. Knights, phosphate,	30 54
S. A. & J. H. True, flour,	17 25
Ivory Berry, overseer of farm in part,	25 00
W. H. Graffam, supplies,	4 03
Thomas Morrison, labor,	3 50
C. M. & H. T. Plummer, pump and pipe,	10 88
John S. Moulton, supplies,	6 89
W. L. Wilson & Co., groceries,	13 54
Marshall E. Moulton, supplies,	24 11
Ivory Berry, services in part as overseer of farm,	25 00
D. O. Plummer, shoat,	6 00
Andrew Hawes, supplies,	39 00
Winslow & Co., piping,	4 80
F. W. Leavitt, coal,	3 71
W. H. Graffam,	1 09
W. H. Graffam,	2 30
A. S. Sawyer, Med. attendance at farm,	2 50
Ivory Berry, services as overseer of farm in part	10 00
C. F. Moulton, phosphate,	20 00
Annie H. Moulton, stove,	11 00
Dr. Dinsmore, medical services,	8 30
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By cash paid Treasurer, hay etc., sold from farm,	\$277 89	
Labor on roads and I. Berry,	64 50	
	<hr/>	\$342 39
Cost of poor at farm,		\$366 42
Exchanged for groceries in butter and eggs,	\$89 45	

ROAD ACCOUNT.

CAUSEWAY BLACK POINT.

Appropriation,	\$300 00
Amount paid,	285 25
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Balance unexpended,	\$14 75

TUCKER ROAD ACCOUNT.

SPURWINK.

Amount raised by town to pay land damage,	\$30 00
Paid for land damage,	\$60 00
Balance unprovided for,	\$30 00

CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

DUNSTAN.

Received for lots sold and paid for,	\$69 00
Paid C. F. Moulton and others, labor,	25 58
Balance,	<hr/> \$43 42

LUCY M. SWEETSIR LOT.

Received interest on deposit (\$100),	\$4 50
Paid for care of lot to Susan M. Rounds,	\$4 50
In addition to the above there has been six lots sold and unpaid for.	

RECAPITULATION.

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding notes,	\$14,252 12
Due the several school districts,	565 45
Due the High School from town,	167 67
Estimated interest on town notes,	100 00
Estimated outstanding bills,	100 00
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AVAILABILITIES.

Due from State, High School,	\$ 103 50
Due from J. M. Kaler on tax bills, '91,	6,275 88
Due on non-resident bills, 1890,	154 17
131 non-resident tax deeds,	684 17
148 resident tax deeds,	2,166 69
Due from M. S. Perry, grass on Clay Pitts landing, 1891,	1 50
Due from Allen E. Libby, use of hall,	10 00
Due on 6 lots sold and unpaid for in Dunstan Cemetery,	36 00
Cash in hands of Treas'r, Feb. 23, '92,	3,479 73
	<hr/> \$12,911 64
Balance against the town,	<hr/> \$ 2,273 60

INVENTORY OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Town farm,	\$2,500 00
Town hall,	2,000 00
Town landing, Clay Pitts,	100 00
1 pair oxen,	140 00
4 cows,	120 00
8 sheep,	24 00
2 shoats,	20 00
12 tons hay,	110 00
1½ tons salt hay,	5 00
25 hens,	6 25
Mowing machine,	40 00
1 horse rake,	15 00
Road machine,	15 00
1 horse hoe,	3 00
9 chains,	10 00
2 yokes with rings, staples, and bows,	10 00
Plows and harrows,	25 00
Rakes, forks and scythes,	3 00

Shovels, manure forks, axes, hoe and potato digger,	5 00
Wheels, carts and sleds,	70 00
Iron bar and grind stone,	3 50
1 ½ bbl. pork,	21 00
Beets and turnips,	3 00
40 bushels potatoes,	20 00
44 pounds lard,	4 40
12 pounds butter,	3 00
Flour and groceries,	12 00
Oil and cask,	2 50
Beans,	20 00
Wool, 25 pounds,	5 50
Household furniture,	150 00
Cider barrel,	1 00
1 cross cut saw,	2 00
Two wood saws,	1 25
36 bushels oats,	14 40
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	\$5,484 80

All of which is respectfully submitted.

S. L. PLUMMER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Scarboro.</i>
G. B. THURSTON,		
J. F. STOREY.		

Report of the Assessors.

To the Municipal Officers of the Town of Scarboro:

Herewith please find a condensed report of the doings of the Assessors for the year 1891:

Resident valuation of the Town,	\$615,227 00
Non-resident valuation of the Town,	215,301 00

Total,	\$830,528 00
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Number of polls, 445,	
Amount of State Tax,	\$2,262 18
Amount of County Tax,	778 58
Amount voted by Town,	11,096 30
Amount of overlay,	83 62
Amount of commitment to Collector,	14,220 68
Rate of taxation, \$15.50 per \$1,000,	
Amount of abatements on tax bills of 1890, J. M. Kaler, collector,	202 29
Amount allowed for labor on highway under highway Surveyors,	2,246 46
Amount of abatements on tax in school Dist. No. 3,	4 65

ITEMS OF MONEY VOTED AT LAST ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

For schools,	2,000 00
Poor,	1,000 00

For Roads and Bridges,	3,000 00
Contingent expenses,	1,500 00
Interest on Town Debt,	700 00
Payment of Town Debt,	1,000 00
Breaking roads in winter,	500 00
High School,	500 00
Black Point causeway,	300 00
School books,	150 00
Seavey's Landing Road, land damage,	246 30
“ “ “ to build,	200 00

The Assessors take this occasion to acknowledge their appreciation of the uniform courtesy and the many favors shown them by the Municipal Officers and tax payers of the Town, and gladly return hearty thanks for the same.

E. C. MILLIKEN,	}	Assessors
C. L. ROBINSON,		of
J. A. LIBBY,		Scarboro.

Treasurer's Report.

W. H. Graffam, Treasurer, in account with the town of Scarborough, from Feb. 18, 1891, to Feb. 23d, 1892.

DR.

To cash in the treasury, Feb. 18, 1891,	\$875 81
Received from the town farm at sundry times,	277 89
from the town of Jay, pauper bill,	32 31
from State Treasurer, crow bounty,	40 70
from State Treasurer, on pension of F. M. Knight,	24 00
from State Treasurer, burial expense of F. M. Knight,	35 00
from State Treasurer, for free High School,	103 50
On Theodore Deering note, endorsed by S. D. Plummer,	22 73
from the town of Jay, for support Mrs. Simeon Foye,	21 68
on Note No. 364, issued,	1,000 00
for license of S. B. Witham,	2 00
from Thomas Morrison, fall tax, for 1889,	3 00
on Note No. 365, issued,	500 00
from the town of Jay, for support of Mrs. Foye,	64 82
for rent of town hall,	10 00
from Ira C. Foss, for deepening water course near his house,	10 00

To cash received from Eleazer Meserve, grass on	
Clay Pitts' landing,	1 50
from State Treasurer, railroad and	
telegraph tax for 1891,	3 74
from State Treasurer, for free High	
School for 1891,	250 00
from State Treasurer, school fund	
and mill tax for 1891,	1,162 14
on non-resident tax bills and inter-	
est, for the years 1880, '81, '82,	
'83, '84, '85, '86, '87, '88, '89,	
'90,	185 61
on non-resident tax deeds cancelled	11 41
resident tax deeds cancelled,	118 55
from C. F. Moulton, for 12 ceme-	
tery lots, paid for,	69 00
on town order, No. 358, refunded,	10 00
from J. M. Kaler, Collector on	
tax bills of 1890, in full,	9,160 59
from J. M. Kaler, Collector on tax	
bills of 1891, in part,	7,944 80
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	\$21,940 78

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By town Note No. 354 paid,	1,700 00
interest paid on town Note taken up,	85 00
interest paid on town notes outstand-	
ing,	577 75
Paid county tax for 1891,	778 58
Paid State tax for 1891,	2,262 18
Town orders taken up and bills paid,	13,057 54
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	\$18,461 05
Balance in the treasury,	3,479 73
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	\$21,940 78

W. H. GRAFFAM, *Treas.*

SCARBORO, Feb. 23, 1892.

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 find all the items properly vouched for and the accounts correctly cast.

W. A. GILMAN, *Auditor*.

SCARBORO, Feb. 23, 1892.

J. M. KALER'S ACCOUNT AS COLLECTOR, 1890.

DR.

To balance uncollected town tax,	\$9,160 59
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CR.

By payment of town tax,	\$9,160 59
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SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3. TAX.

DR.

To balance uncollected,	\$ 54 91
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CR.

By payment of school district tax,	\$ 54 91
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J. M. KALER'S ACCOUNT AS COLLECTOR, 1891.

DR.

To assessment of Town, County and State tax,	\$14,220 68
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CR.

By payment of Town, County and	
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State tax,	\$7,944 80
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Balance uncollected,	6,275 88
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Report of Supervisor of Schools.

To the Citizens of Scarboro :

The following report of the schools of the town for the year 1891-2 is respectfully submitted.

Amount of money raised for common schools,	\$2,000 00
“ “ “ High School,	500 00
“ “ “ text books,	150 00
“ “ Received from State,	1,162 14
“ Reimbursement,	353 50
“ Money for books,	150 00

In making a general report of the schools for this school year, I will say that the larger districts have been profitably conducted, but some of our districts have so small an attendance that it seems almost like throwing money away to continue them. Districts that were once large and had good attendance are now in a deplorable condition. There should be a union of districts, or the town system introduced, so as to make good, large, strong schools.

Many towns have adopted the town school system, abolishing the district system and making a saving of from 30 to 40 per cent. in the school expenditures. The number in each district attending school is very small in proportion to the number in census reports.

Our summer terms made a good report in average attendance and work. The winter terms were very successful as a whole. I should advise the hiring of more male teachers in

the winter. Children of a certain age need a manly ideal to look up to.

Writing in our schools has been neglected owing to the fact that there is no regular time set apart for that work. This work should be personally looked after and enforced by the Supervisor.

In conclusion, let me say that good, honest work has been done by the most of the teachers this year, notwithstanding the difficulties they have had to contend with. Let us adopt the town system. Give this your serious consideration.

HIGH SCHOOL.

This school of three terms was taught by B. E. Clark, our teacher of last year. The change in location this year was detrimental in many ways. The spring and fall terms were well attended, but the winter term was shortened on account of small attendance. The pupils pursued their studies with an interest that showed in the end good work. Such a school should be established in our town, and made a permanent thing. I would recommend the usual appropriation.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. E. CHENEY,

Supervisor of Schools.

REPORT OF TOWN AGENT.

At the date of the last annual report the town had two cases pending in the Supreme Judicial Court, namely: An appeal by the town from the decision of the County Commissioners locating a road at Seavey's Landing on petition of John Bragdon et als and petition of B. F. Libby et als, against the town for increase of damages on road laid out at Spurrwink. In the first case, the location having been changed so as to avoid litigation and the damages having been reduced about \$100 the town voted to discontinue its appeal, which was accordingly done. The time allowed by the County Commissioners for removal of incumbrances from the location will expire in May, after which time the road can be built.

In the other case an offer was made to settle for a sum, which would be less than it would cost to defend the case if successful and the offer was accepted, and the case discontinued.

Certain encroachments have been made upon the limits of the Portland and Saco road near Oak Hill, and in one case obstructions have been placed along the highway to an extent which has been complained of as dangerous. The road, which by the record of its original location should be four rods wide, now appears by reason of these encroachments to be of less width, and the Selectmen have found it necessary to apply to the County Commissioners to have the bounds run out and the limits defined according to the statute in such case provided.

There are now no cases pending in Court in which the town is interested.

AUGUSTUS F. MOULTON, *Town Agent.*

SCARBORO, Feb. 24th, 1892.

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

No. of Districts.	Location.	Agents.	Summer Terms.	Whole No. in District.	Whole Attendance.	Average Attendance.	Length in Weeks.	Wages per Week, including Board.	Fall Terms.	Whole Attendance.	Average Attendance.	Length in Weeks.	Wages per Week including Board.	Winter Terms.	Whole Attendance.	Average Attendance.	Length in Weeks.	Wages per Week including Board.
1	Beech Hill.....	Nelson Wheeler..	Florence Webb .	46	30	25	8	\$ 7.50	Florence Webb.	28	26	.....	\$ 8.00	Clara Libby.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	Black Point....	Charles Libby....	Mary Kimball....	63	41	38	11	5.00	Mary Kimball..	44	36	10	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	Libby.....	Eugene Libby....	Alice Johnson...	42	14	11	11	4.00	Alice Johnson..	15	11	11	6.00	Alice Johnson..	14	10	8	\$ 6.00
4	Blue Point.....	Thomas Seavey..	Lida Libby.....	46	28	25	10	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5	Dunstan.....	George Blake....	Harriet Stone....	34	24	20	12	.....	Harriet Stone..	19	.....	12	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6	Scottow's Hill..	Fred Tucker. ...	Hattie Dresser...	56	23	18	12	7.00	Hattie Dresser.	20	15	8	7.00	D.G. Donnocker	25	18	12	12.00
7	Beech Ridge ..	Charles Libby....	Hattie Milliken...	33	13	11	10	5.00	Hattie Milliken	16	10	10	5.00	Hannah Stone..	17	10	8	8.00
8	Pine Point.....	Charles Staples..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10	Broad Turn....	J. W. Bond.....	Anna Pillsbury..	24	8	5	8	4.25	Anna Pillsbury	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	Oak Hill.....	Henry Libby.....	Edna Libby.....	63	29	28	10	8.00	Edna Libby....	21	19	10	8.00	M. E. Joiner...	23	12	10	12.00
13	No. Scarboro...	Ammon Knight..	Annie Johnson...	32	23	20	10	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Chester Chap- man,.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
..	High School....	Supervisor.....	B. E. Clark.....	.....	36	32	10	23.00	B. E. Clark....	42	39	9	23.00	B. E. Clark ..	24	20	7	23.00

Schools in session in Districts 1, 2, 4 and 8.

HOARD