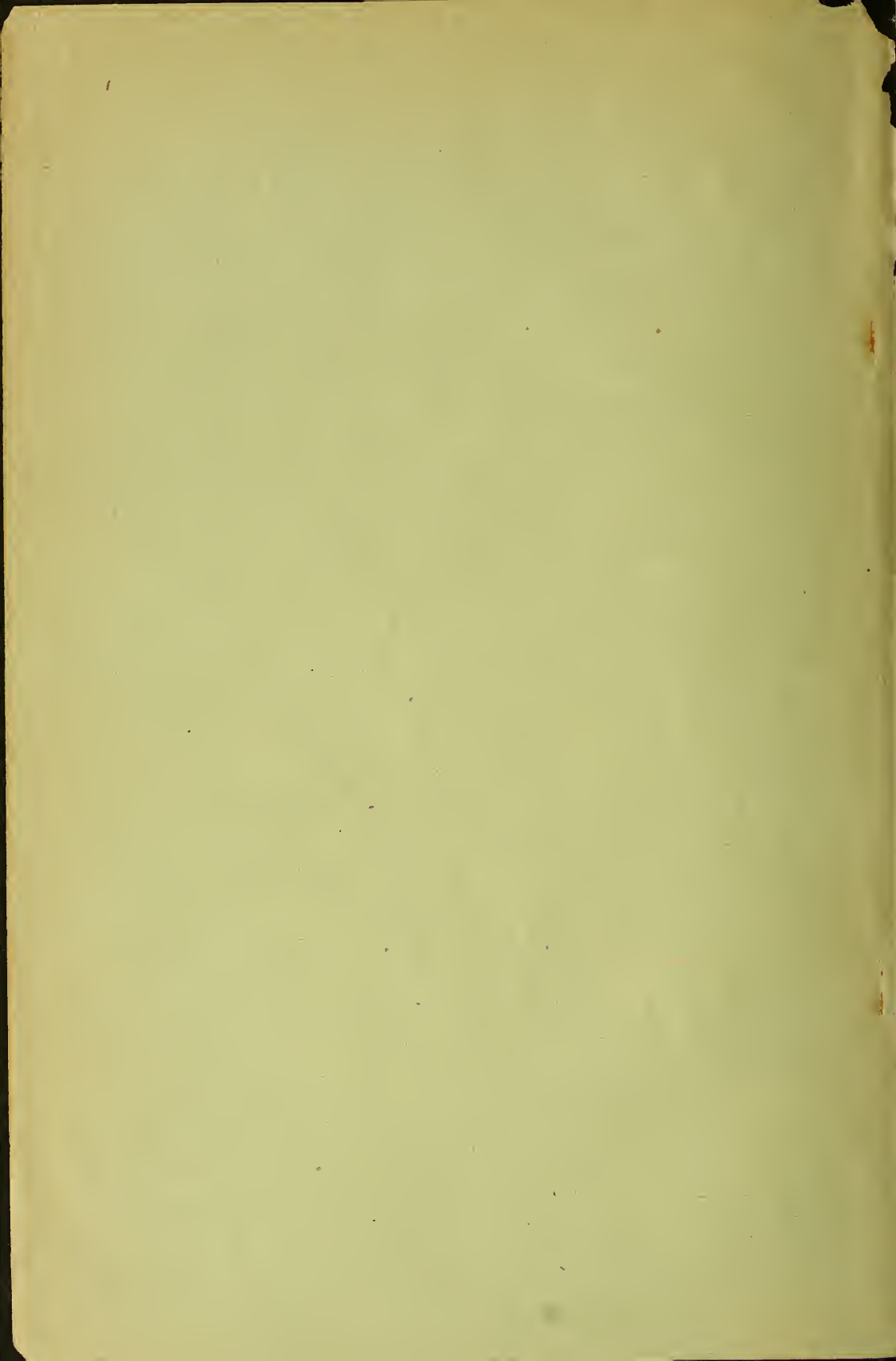


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ANNUAL REPORT

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ANNUAL REPORT

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TOWN OFFICERS

—OF—

HANOVER, N. H.

—FOR THE—

Year Ending February 15, 1898

HANOVER, N. H.
THE DARTMOUTH PRESS
1898

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

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To the inhabitants of the town of Hanover, qualified to vote in town affairs, you are hereby notified to meet in the Hall of C. W. Hayes in said town on the second Tuesday of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1st. To choose by ballot and major vote a town clerk.
- 2d. To choose by ballot and major vote three selectmen and all necessary town officers.
- 3d. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintainance of the poor.
- 4th. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools.
- 5th. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for repairing highways, for laying out and constructing highways.
- 6th. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for other necessary town charges.
- 7th. To see what sums of money the town will vote to appropriate for the care and improvement of the cemeteries in said town and direct how the same shall be expended, or choose agent or agents therefor.
- 8th. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto, and transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this February 19th, 1898.

EDWARD P. STORRS, } Selectmen of
ALBERT PINNEO, } Hanover.

A true copy of warrant attest:

EDWARD P. STORRS, } Selectmen of
ALBERT PINNEO, } Hanover.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

For the year ending February 15, 1898.

SCHOOL MONEY

Received school tax	\$2332 00
Received interest on school fund	127 35
Received dog tax	132 20
Received literary fund and rent of school land	250 60
	—————\$2842 15
Paid district No. 1	\$1794 54
Paid town district	1047 61
	—————\$2842 15
Paid town district repairs	200 00
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	\$3042 15

PAID FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES

J. L. Hammett & Co.	\$34 56
University Publishing Co.	1 80
E. P. Storrs	36 79
L. B. Downing	6 41
J. L. Hammett & Co.	2 60
Boston School Supply Co.	13 64
University Publishing Co.	4 00
Ginn & Co.	38 30
E. P. Storrs	5 00
Central School Supply House	100 00
Boston School Supply Co.	42 73
American Book Co.	3 08
Leach, Shewell & Sanborn	11 75
Prang Educational Co.	19 77
D. C. Heath & Co.	4 90
J. L. Hammett & Co.	70 48

Leach, Shewell & Sanborn	5 40
White River Paper Co.	2 20
L. S. Patterson	3 00
J. B. Lippencott Co.	34 56
American Book Co.	64 66
Frauklin Publishing Co.	58 50
C. B. Kimball	2 00
L. S. Patterson	2 25
Thompson, Brown & Co.	6 00
White River Paper Co.	3 98
White River Paper Co.	1 25
Silver, Burdett & Co.	3 75
American Book Co.	2 40
White River Paper Co.	3 61
E. P. Storrs	15 90
	———— \$605 27

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF POOR.

Inventory of property at the town farm for the year ending Feb. 20, 1897	\$1684 10
Paid miscellaneous expenses	\$777 59
Paid for paupers off the farm and overseer's bills	316 09
Paid for county paupers	201 15
	\$1294 83
Amount of inventory Feb. 19, 1898	1790 44
Paid miscellaneous expenses	\$1055 35
Paid for paupers of the farm and overseer's bills	227 77
Paid for county paupers	322 86
	\$1605 98

Inventory of property at the Town Farm for the year ending February 20, 1897.

20 tons hay, \$220.00; straw, \$7.00	\$227 00
Ensilage, 147.00; 1800 pounds middlings, 12.60	159 60
1200 bran, 8.40; 400 gluten, 3.60	12 00
4 bushels beans, 5.00; 100 bushels corn, 40.00	45 00
125 bushels oats, 43.75; 50 bushels potatoes, 25.00	68 75
15 bushels small potatoes, 2.25, 50 pounds pork, 4.50	6 75
100 pounds ham, 10.00; vinegar, 2.50	12 50
Milk at creamery, 50.00; 45 hens, 22.50	72 50
50 pounds corned beef, 2.00; 50 pounds fresh beef, 5.00	7 00
50 quarts fruit and pickles	5 00
2 bushels seed corn, 2.00; suet and tallow, 3.00	5 00
1 mowing machine, 15.00; 1 two-horse wagon, 15.00	30 00
1 express wagon, 15.00; 5 milk cans, 7.00	22 00
Scales, 8.00; harnesses, 8.00; 1 horse hoe, 18.00	34 00
1 wheel rake, 9.00; 1 wheel harrow, 8.00	17 00
1 spring tooth harrow, 8.00; 1 horse sled, 5.00	13 00
1 corn planter, 10.00; 1 ox cart, 10.00; 1 plow, 10.00	30 00

1/3 seed sower, 12.00; 1/2 roller, 5.00	17 00
1 yoke oxen, 130.00; 18 cows, 540.00	670 00
5 yearlings, 55.00; 4 three year olds, 68.00	123 00
4 shoats, 40.00; 1 bull, 17.00	57 00
1 horse, 25.00; 4 calves, 25.00	50 00
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Inventory of property at the Town Farm for the year ending
February 19, 1898.

Ensilage, \$64.00; straw, \$16.00	\$80 00
30 tons hay, 240.00, 19 cows, 665.00	905 00
4 two year olds, 72.00; 4 yearlings, 56.00	128 00
6 calves, 60.00; 1 bull, 18.00	78 00
1 yoke oxen, 145.00; 1 horse, 25.00	170 00
1 breeding sow, 16.00; 4 shoats, 22.00	38 00
45 hens, 22.00; 125 bushels oats, 48.00	70 00
5 bushels corn, 2.00; 700 meal, 5.60	7 60
3 bushels seed wheat, 3.00; beans, 2.00	5 00
70 bushels potatoes, 35.00; seed corn, 1.40	36 40
Beef, 8.00; pork, 10.00; hams, 5.00	23 00
50 pounds lard, 5.00; suet, .84, tallow, .10	5 94
3/4 barrel flour, 4.50; milk at creamery, 25.00	29 50
Beef, 8.00; corned beef, 4.00; dried beef, 3.00	15 00
Cart, 40.00, two horse wagon, 15.00,	55 00
Express wagon, 15.00; travers sleigh, 15.00	30 00
1/3 seed sower, 12.00; mowing machine, 10.00	22 00
Horse rake, 9.00; milk cans, 7.00	16 00
Scales, 8.00; 2 harnesses, 8.00	16 00
Horse hoe, 18.00; wheelbarrow, 5.00	23 00
Spring tooth harrow, 5.00; horse sled, 5.00	10 00
Corn planter, 10.00; plow, 7.00	17 00
1/2 roller, 5.00; cultivator, 5.00	10 00
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	\$1790 44

Expenses paid at Town Farm for year ending Feb. 19, 1898

H. H. Brown, milk can and rope	\$4 02
Thos. Hoyt, grinding	84
J. Carlin, straps	40
W. F. Shaw, grain	20 00
C. O. Hurlbutt, condition powders	50
W. F. Shaw, grain	10 65
Thos. Hoyt, grinding	96
N. W. Emerson, 4 shoats	15 00
J. Dawson, grain	9 60
M. Daily, 2 horse collars	2 00
Gregory, garden seeds	72
Peter Fredette, saw filing	40
Uel Spencer, 8 pigs	16 00
Davison & Ward, grain	6 75
J. Carlin, sweat pads and repairing	1 65
G. A. Elliott, cart wheels	31 00
G. A. Elliott, repairing wagon	1 10
J. Dawson, grain	4 25
Eclipse Corn Planter Co., repairs on planter	1 30
M. C. Camp, cultivator	7 50
W. N. Derby, repairs	75
L. B. Downing, strychnine	40
G. A. Elliott, repairs on wheel	3 35
— — tomato plants	50
H. P. Flint, 2000 pounds phosphate	29 00
S. B. French, dried beef	1 63
Davison & Ward, grain	3 00
W. F. Shaw, grain	20 60
S. B. French, meat	1 25
Moulton & Freeman, coffee	50
W. F. Shaw, grain	3 40
M. C. Camp, mowing machine repairs	1 70
W. F. Shaw, grain	3 70
W. F. Shaw, grain	2 85
M. C. Camp, 4 pigs	8 00
F. L. Simmons, room paper	1 00

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S. W. Cobb, lime	20
B. E. Lewin, meat bill	18 53
W. F. Shaw, grain	25 00
W. F. Shaw, grain	8 51
G. A. Elliott, wagon pole	1 75
I. F. Morse, blacksmithing	2 55
Will Poland, lantern	50
George Bailey, use of water tub	1 00
C. E. Pulsifer, barrel flour	6 00
Davison & Ward, grain, store bill	79 73
B. E. Lewin, meat bill	2 17
H. H. Brown, hardware	1 75
W. F. Shaw, grain	1 99
I. F. Morse, blacksmithing	5 30
L. C. Flanders, lumber	4 28
E. C. Kibbee, grinding	45
N. W. Emerson, repairs on wagon	1 50
C. D. Brown, seed corn and hardware	9 71
John Masterson, blacksmithing	12 30
Chris. Masterson, blacksmithing	3 50
Davison & Ward, store bill	2 53
C. W. Hayes, store bill	103 99
F. G. Emerson, agent's salary	545 83
	————— \$1055 35

Produce sold from Town Farm for year ending Feb. 19, 1898.

E. P. Storrs, 7 bushels potatoes	\$3 50
E. P. Storrs, 5 bushels potatoes	75
H. O. Bly, ½ bushel potatoes	25
L. B. Newell, 2 bushels potatoes	1 00
Etna Creamery, check	68 73
H. O. Bly, ½ bushel potatoes	25
Wm. Taylor, 5 bushels oats	1 75
Mrs. F. Camp, 2 quarts pickles	25
D. O. Hoyt, 4 bushels potatoes	2 00
Etna Creamery, check	80 88
Chas. Stone, 3 bushels oats	1 05

Will Hart, 2 bushels seed oats	90
Will Chandler, 358 pounds seed oats	5 00
J. F. Wadsworth, 2 bushels seed potatoes	80
Geo. Frost, 10 bushels seed oats	4 50
Etna Creamery, check	68 63
T. W. Praddex, 2 bushels potatoes	1 00
Sherman French, 796 pounds pork	39 80
M. C. Emerson, 115 pounds pork	5 75
Peter Fredette, 1337 pounds hay	7 57
Chas. Stone, 4 bushels oats	1 40
Chas. Stone, 1 bushel oats	35
Otis Miller, 168 pounds veal	6 72
Chas. Stone, 2 bushels oats	70
Etna Creamery, check	62 65
Sherman French, 396 pounds beef	19 80
N. W. Emerson, ½ hushel beans	75
Otis Miller, 305 pounds veal	12 20
Etna Creamery, check	53 05
Otis Miller, 1 calf	5 50
Etna Creamery, check	40 36
D. J. Hurlbutt, 1 bushel potatoes	1 00
Etna Creamery, check	38 96
O. W. Miller, 179 pounds veal	8 95
Etna Creamery, check	29 74
B. E. Lewin, 846 pounds pork	46 53
O. W. Miller, 311 pounds veal	15 55
O. W. Miller, 120 pounds veal	5 40
Etna Creamery, check	49 94
C. D. Brown, 5 bushels potatoes	5 00
B. E. Lewin, 57 pounds poultry	4 56
G. O. Abbott, 1176 pounds pork	58 80
Etna Creamery, check	59 10
Peter Fredette, salt pork, beans and eggs	3 55
Etna Creamery, check	61 51
B. E. Lewin, 32½ pounds poultry	2 27
B. E. Lewin, 54 pounds hide	3 51
D. J. Hurlbutt, 1 bushel potatoes	1 00

C. N. Camp, harrow hinges	50
Etna Creamery, check	62 27
C. D. Brown, 5 bushels potatoes	5 00
Will Poland, horse keeping	15 00
Wm. Hall, shingles	75
C. W. Hayes, eggs	25 96
Town order, C. W. Hayes	52 03
Cash to balance, F. G. Emerson	63
	<hr/> \$1055 35

Inventory, Feb. 19, 1898	\$1790 40
Inventory, Feb. 20, 1897	1684 10
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Gain in inventory	\$106 30
Received of H. H. Pike, balance of bill	6 65
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	\$112 95

Paid C. W. Hayes, balance bill	\$52 03
Paid A. Pinneo, feed	45 60
Paid A. Pinneo, feed	21 30
Balance against the town	5 98
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Paid for Support of Poor and Overseer's bills.

H. H. Marshall, for Mrs. Warren	\$2 75
H. H. Marshall, for Mrs. O'Leary	5 50
H. H. Marshall, for Mrs. Davis	6 19
E. P. Storrs, bal. overseers' bill 1897	5 00
G. W. Rand, for Mrs. Stickney	22 25
H. T. Howe, for Mrs. Stickney	6 00
G. D. Frost, for Mrs. Stickney	2 50
D. G. Brockway, for Mrs. Stickney	18 00
J. L. Bridgman, overseer poor	19 50
A. Pinneo, overseer poor	12 00
Delia A. Merrill, for Mrs. Stickney	24 00
Town of Lebanon, for S. D. Smith	60 96
Town of Lebanon, for Elias Smith	17 12
S. W. Cobb, for Mrs. O'Leary	6 00

G. L. Flanders, for Jos. Hatch	1 00
J. W. Dana, for Mrs. Stickney	3 00
E. P. Storrs, overseer poor	12 00
E. H. Marshall, transient	4 00
	—————\$227 77

Paid for County Poor.

E. P. Storrs, for transient	\$4 60
Storrs & Weston, for M. Pillsbury	3 00
G. W. Pillsbury, for M. Pillsbury	16 25
Geo. Bailey, for Mrs. Warren	1 00
H. H. Marshall, for Mrs. Warren	2 75
H. H. Marshall, for Jos. Hatch	6 88
G. M. Bridgman, for Jos. Hatch	7 79
G. W. Pillsbury, for M. Pillsbury	6 25
H. O. Bly, for Mrs. O'Leary	3 50
J. H. Foster, for Mrs. O'Leary	5 75
G. W. Pillsbury, for M. Pillsbury	10 00
C. W. Hayes, for Mrs. Warren	6 93
G. W. Pillsbury, for M. Pillsbury	17 50
D. B. Currier, for Mrs. O'Leary	5 50
G. W. Pillsbury, for M. Pillsbury	12 10
H. O. Bly, for Mrs. O'Leary	3 50
G. M. Bridgman, for Jos. Hatch	6 40
D. B. Currier, for Mrs. O'Leary	5 50
W. F. Gale, for Mrs. Warren	10 00
W. F. Gale, for Jos. Hatch	2 50
J. D. Bridgman, for Jos. Hatch	18 00
J. D. Bridgman, for Mrs. Jos. Hatch	5 75
G. W. Rand, for transient	12 00
J. M. Gile, for transient	12 35
H. H. Marshall, for Mrs. O'Leary	6 17
J. N. Chase Co., for Wm. Simons	3 50
M. H. M. Hospital, for transient	2 86
C. W. Hayes, for Jos. Hatch	5 20
Mary Stickney, for Mrs. Davis	9 00
Mary Stickney, for Mrs. Davis	16 50

Mary Stickney, for Mrs. Davis	9 00
Mary Stickney, for Mrs. Davis	7 50
Mary Stickney, for Mrs. Davis	3 00
Alice Smith, for Mrs. Davis	7 50
L. C. Flanders, for Mrs. Warren	1 50
Thomas Hoyt, for Mrs. Warren	2 00
H. W. Jones, for Mrs. Warren	94
J. N. Chase, for Mrs. O'Leary	2 50
G. M. Bridgman, for Jos. Hatch	7 95
G. M. Bridgman, for Jos. Hatch	6 31
L. C. Flanders, for Mrs. Hatch	2 50
S. W. Cobb, for Mrs. O'Leary	32 98
G. W. Pillsbury, for M. Pillsbury	2 90
A. B. Childs, for Jos. Hatch	5 75
E. H. Marshall, transient	1 50
	<hr/> \$322 86

Paid for Dependent Soldiers.

C. W. Hayes	\$34 79
C. W. Hayes	19 86
C. W. Hayes	12 47
	<hr/> \$67 12

Damage to Sheep by Dogs.

F. O. Camp	\$5 00
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MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Nellie M. Kimball, school board 1896	\$40 00
Geo. Hitchcock, supervisor	14 00
C. N. Camp, supervisor '96 and '97	34 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
E. P. Storrs, bal. selectman '96	15 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
H. J. Weston, ballot clerk '96	3 00
H. T. Howe, wood and tramp feed	6 75
E. P. Storrs, truant officer	10 00
G. F. Colby, order books	1 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
A. W. Conner, police and costs	28 00
P. H. Whitcomb, rent selectmen's room	24 00
W. G. Hurlbutt, supervisor	7 00
E. R. Ruggles, police judge	100 00
J. H. Foster, postage	2 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
C. W. Hayes, use of hall	8 00
A. W. Conner, police	17 46
E. C. Kibbe, police	2 00
A. Pinneo, feed for town farm	66 90
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
Geo. H. Turner, county tax	3110 11
W. H. Cotton, legal services '95, '96, '97	29 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
Dart. Sav. Bank, interest hospital bed	150 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
Nellie M. Kimball, school board	30 00
A. W. Conner, tramp feed	3 75
A. W. Conner, costs in Hanlon case	3 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
Solon A. Carter, state tax	2525 00
P. H. Whitecomb, rent of town office	24 00
G. D. Frost, births and deaths	6 50
H. O. Bly, engine men	39 00
E. C. Kibbe, school board	35 00

E. F. Morrill, school board	10 00
A. W. Conner, police	25 00
H. L. Carter, rent of lobby	40 00
N. A. Frost, board of education	120 00
T. W. Praddex, school clerk	2 00
G. M. Bridgman, town clerk	33 21
D. G. Brockway, births and deaths	1 00
J. L. Bridgman, selectman	128 78
D. S. Bridgman, school board	26 00
D. S. Bridgman, express on books	4 21
J. A. Leet, births and deaths	2 25
D. B. Russell, school clerk	5 00
D. B. Russell, town treasurer	30 00
D. B. Russell, furniture for town office	11 50
A. Pinneo, auditing school accounts	1 00
A. Pinneo, selectman	46 00
Martha L. Wardrobe, Mrs. Nelson	1 50
M. C. Camp, truant officer	9 00
Geo. Hitchcock, auditor	2 00
J. M. Fuller, auditor	2 00
J. L. Bridgman, bal. selectman	12 00
L. C. Gillis, town reports and posters	67 30
J. H. Foster, postage	2 00
State Ind. School, Allen Sanborn	19 50
N. F. Tilden, Jennie Nelson	2 00
B. E. Willey, births and deaths	1 25
State Ind. School, Allen Sanborn	19 50
State Ind. School, Allen Sanborn	7 50
W. T. Smith, births and deaths	1 75
H. F. Hoyt, tax collector	90 00
Wm. Hall, appraiser	2 00
M. B. Foss, appraiser	2 00
C. W. Hayes, town farm bill	52 03
H. O. Bly, tax collector	150 00
E. P. Storrs, books, stationery, telephone	26 10
E. P. Storrs, selectman	126 50

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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

C. N. Camp, \$3.00; I. B. Camp, \$6.00	\$9 00
E. L. Clifford, 102.60; Wm. Gunn, 25.50	128 10
Will Silver, 10.50; F. E. Smalley, 12.67	23 17
H. D. Ryder, 6.75; F. Marshall, 143.25	150 00
F. E. Smalley, 4.20; A. J. Baker, 22.67	26 87
Wm. Gunn, 4.50; H. Hutchins, 21.00	25 50
E. L. Clifford, 93.00; Jas. Anderson, 11.00	104 00
Wm. Gunn, 13.35; E. L. Clifford, 107.50	120 85
F. Marshall, 56.26; D. Derby, 3.00	59 26
Jas. Anderson, 14.87; C. W. Stone, 47.99	62 86
W. A. Silver, 1.50; H. M. Clifford, 25.25	26 75
W. A. Silver, 8.25; Wm. Gunn, 9.00	17 25
C. P. Hinckson, 6.00; H. Hutchins, 24.85	30 85
M. Camp, 19.20; E. C. Kibbe, 23.70	42 90
H. E. Melendy, 12.53; H. W. Williams, 2.70	15 23
H. Clark, 6.75; J. Anderson, 18.00	24 75
W. P. Hoyt, 1.50; W. F. Bullock, 4.50	6 00
F. E. Watts, 25.20; F. E. Clark, 9.50	34 70
Peter Bill, 4.50; E. D. Clark, 7.50	12 00
S. Eastman, 24.75; W. M. Brissett, 3.00	27 75
Chas. Skinner, 8.25; W. E. Goss, 16.50	24 75
R. S. Cross, 57.00; W. H. Burnham, 30.88	87 88
A. K. Hodgdon, 2.25; E. L. Clifford, 113.00	115 25
Wm. Gunn, 15.00; A. K. Hutchins, 4.72	19 72
H. A. Bugbee, 1.50; W. A. Silver, 6.00	7 50
C. W. Stone, 63.00; F. Marshall, 86.17	149 17
M. Camp, 32.40; H. M. Clifford, 17.25	49 65
S. E. Swett, 6.25; H. Hutchins, 31.50	37 75
J. M. Bryant, 32.95; Wm. Gunn, 14.25	47 20
J. Anderson, 6.75; C. W. Stone, 33.00	39 75
Fred Arno, 10.00; E. C. Kibbe, 18.00	28 00
E. L. Clifford, 95.20; D. A. Derby, 5.62	101 12
F. Marshall, 38.25; C. M. Sanborn, 6.00	44 25
C. W. Stone, 9.00; E. C. Emerson, 1.00	10 00

F. A. Pelton, 6.00; H. D. Ryder, 5.25	11 25
M. Camp, 7.50; C. W. Stone, 13.50	21 00
J. Anderson, 27.37; F. Marshall, 62.25	89 62
M. Camp, 26.25; E. C. Kibbe, 26.62	52 87
E. L. Clifford, 121.20; H. M. Clifford, 16.50	137 70
H. Donaldson, 4.60; C. H. Waterman, 16.50	21 00
Geo. Silver, 7.50; R. S. Cross, 18.15	25 65
I. K. Hatch, 3.50; H. Hutchins, 23.80	27 30
C. W. Kibbe, 3.10; J. Anderson, 6.00	9 10
E. C. Kibbe, 16.50; J. Anderson, 10.50	27 00
C. W. Stone, 10.50; J. Anderson, 9.00	19 50
Geo. Silver, 12.00; M. Camp, 6.00	18 00
H. M. Clifford, 23.55; C. W. Stone, 10 50	34 05
E. L. Clifford, 157 85; J. B. Brigham, 16.80	174 65
F. Marshall, 36.00; N. L. Huntington, 5.20	41 20
D. A. Derby, 4.50; M. W. Johnson, 19.30	23 80
E. L. Clifford, 97.50; H. Hutchins, 39.55	137 05
E. C. Kibbe, 9.00; J. Anderson, 22.50	31 50
F. Marshall, 70.70; G. W. Johnson, 17.25	87 95
H. E. Hanchett, 16.55. G. B. Foss, 4.50	21 06
R. L. Goss, 6.00; Fred Arno, 1.50	7 50
C. M. Camp, 2.77; J. M. Bryant, 24.75	27 52
H. W. Barnes, 24.39; H. T. Howe, 2.40	26 79
H. Hutchins	15 00
E. L. Clifford, 53.25; C. P. Smith, 6.60	59 85
Wm. Wardrobe, 6.37; W. C. Sanborn, 2.70	9 07
Carlos Thomas, 2.50; J. Spencer, 8.70	11 20
O. B. Hurlbutt, 6.75; L. Ammel, 6.07	12 82
Geo. Ballum, 24.00; C. A. Poland, .75	24 75
F. E. Watts, 6.90; H. Melindy, 2.50	9 40
J. F. Eastman, 4.85; E. A. Clark, 6.22	11 07
O. A. Clark, 1.43; R. L. Goss, 10.20	11 63
W. R. Goss, 1.65; W. L. Tilton, 1.05	2 70
F. E. Clark, 7.05; F. Bressett, 5.25	12 30
E. Burnham, 11.55; R. S. Cross, 5.70	17 25
J. Masterson, 14.25; C. H. Camp, 3.00	17 25
S. Eastman, 8.40; A. Pinneo, 2.70	11 10

J. Anderson, 18.00; Phil Goodrich, 1.80	19 80
M. C. Camp, 8.90; Fred Pinneo, 9.00	17 90
B. L. Merrill, .45; D. O. Hoyt, 7.50	7 95
C. H. Camp, 1.65; D. O. Hoyt, 3.60	5 25
J. D. Bridgman, 10.00; G. B. Davis, 7.65	17 65
J. B. Kinnie, 1.30; Simon Ward, 6.75	8 05
R. S. Cross, 22.60; E. A. Clark, 8.25	30 85
R. S. Cross, 21.30; F. E. Clark, 15.58	36 88
F. E. Watts, 12.90; W. F. Bullock, 8.45	21 35
H. D. Ryder, 4.85; R. S. Cross, 36.80	41 65
John Currier, 15.00; F. A. Adams, 11.00	26 00
J. W. Dana, 4.80; G. B. Frost, 3.50	8 30
Wm. Rowe, 12.18; C. H. Waterman, 3.00	15 18
F. O. Camp, 2.55; W. H. Henny, 2.85	5 40
Simon Ward, 12.75; R. S. Cross, 9.90	22 65
J. B. Kinnie, 3.45; C. C. Barden, 10.00	13 45
I. P. Fitts, 4.70; G. B. Davis, 9.70	14 40
T. W. Praddex, 2.85; S. Eastman, 6.00	8 85
Eben Lord, 4.95; H. W. Jones, 3.50	8 45
W. P. Hoyt, 9.00; J. B. Dana, 6.75	15 75
A. K. Melendy, 2.70; W. G. Hurlbutt, 4.00	6 70
D. O. Hoyt, 16.00; H. B. Fullington, 3.40	19 40
E. L. Clifford, 15.90; H. Hutchins, 7.50	23 40
L. B. Downing, 5.00; F. Marshall, 21.75	26 75
F. A. Adams, 11.25; G. D. Hill, 2.25	13 50
W. H. Jones, 2.25; F. Collins (bridge light), 11.75	14 00
F. H. Dalton, express road machine blade	1 65
Austin & Weston Co., road machine blade	8 00
F. Collins, bridge lighting	10 70
Geo. W. Tibbetts, road machine supplies	21 00
E. T. Ford, tile for culverts	71 13
W. O. Greenough, repairs road machine	8 00
F. Collins, bridge lighting	10 30
E. M. Miller, water tub	3 00
J. F. Morse, blacksmith bill	91
W. L. Tilton, water tub, 2 years	6 00
J. F. Withington, water tub	3 00

N. A. Frost, insurance on bridge	22 50
Hanover Water Works Co., water tub	3 00
M. H. Kellogg, gravel	2 00
L. L. Walker, blacksmithing	1 50
C. D. Brown, road supplies	23 76
F. Collins, bridge lighting	10 50
T. W. Praddex, water tub	3 00
W. H. Badger, bridge sign	5 00
M. J. Dewey, gravel	3 75
N. A. Frost, insurance on bridge	48 75
L. C. Flanders, lumber	134 08
N. A. Frost, insurance on bridge	18 75
W. G. Piper, lumber	15 65
R. S. Cross, water tub	3 00
L. C. Flanders, lumber	29 44
S. W. Cobb, road supplies	5 70
E. H. Marshall, highway	5 40
George Ballam	17 85
W. E. Clark, rods for Connecticut river bridge	33 23
Boston & Maine R.R. " " "	5 35
Browns Lumber Co. " " "	251 71
Boston & Maine R.R., freight, 2 cars lumber, bridge	36 00
H. L. Huntington, lumber Connecticut river bridge	74 63
E. L. Clifford, labor on Connecticut river bridge	30 00
H. Hutchins " " " "	21 75
C. Sargent " " " "	6 00
Edw. Ammel " " " "	9 00
J. Benjamin " " " "	6 00
G. E. Lewis " " " "	9 40
F. W. Illsley and H. French " " " "	38 75
Bert Hewes " " " "	7 50
J. W. Goodell " " " "	12 00
Will Silver " " " "	12 75
N. H. Stickney " " " "	8 00
F. E. Smalley " " " "	15 00

 \$4532 12

Repairs on river bridge	577 07
Due from town of Norwich for lumber and material furnished	85 76
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Net cost of repairs	\$491 31

COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT.

H. O. Bly, bill of 1895		\$9 06
Abated	\$2 20	
Collected	6 86	
	———	\$9 06
H. O. Bly, bill of 1896		\$293 34
Abated	\$4 00	
Collected	285 34	
Uncollected	4 00	
	———	\$293 34
H. O. Bly, bill of 1897		\$8131 79
Abated	\$33 22	
Discount	311 39	
Collected	7504 53	
Uncollected	282 65	
	———	\$8131 79
Collected unabated tax of 1894		\$1 05
H. F. Hoyt, bill of 1895		\$64 00
Abated	\$25 03	
Collected	38 97	
	———	\$64 00
H. F. Hoyt, bill of 1896		\$334 74
Abated	\$20 78	
Collected	273 96	
Uncollected	40 00	
	———	\$ 334 74
H. F. Hoyt, bill of 1897		\$4345 38
Abated	\$23 89	
Discount	92 69	
Collected	3793 59	
Uncollected	435 21	
	———	\$4345 38

LIQUOR AGENT'S REPORT.

Owing to the sudden death of the town agent, Mr. Samuel W. Cobb, it was impossible to secure an accounting in season for this report.

CASH RECEIVED.

Cash in treasury March 1, 1897	\$1 050 42
Town of Norwich, lighting bridge	14 43
Littlefield & Co., billiards	90 00
H. E. Sanborn, billiards	30 00
E. R. Ruggles, police court fees	21 17
C. B. Dow, rent of school land	4 97
Insurance tax	37 50
Railroad tax	402 02
Savings bank tax	1 836 45
Literary fund	99 20
Dog tax	269 65
From county	198 15
W. H. Badger	8 42
F. G. Emerson, Town Farm acct.	6 02
H. F. Hoyt, bill of 1895	38 97
" " 1896	273 96
" " 1897	3 793 59
H. O. Bly, bill of 1895	6 86
" " 1896	285 34
" " 1897	7 504 53
" abated tax of 1894	1 05
Dartmouth Nat. Bank, borrowed	1 000 00
Outstanding	59 50
	\$17 032 20

CASH PAID.

School money	\$3 042 15
School supplies	605 27
Miscellaneous expenses, state and county tax	7 641 35
Highways and bridges	4 532 12
Town paupers	227 77
County paupers	322 86
Dependent soldiers	67 12
Damage to sheep by dogs	5 00
F. G. Emerson	63
Cash in treasury	587 93
	<hr/> \$17 032 20

STATEMENT.

Due on tax bills	\$761 86
Due from county	322 86
Inventory at Town Farm	1 790 44
Town Farm	5 000 00
Hurlbutt execution	243 28
3 road machines and tools	250 00
1 wheel scraper	40 00
Cash in hands of treasurer	587 93
2 free beds in Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital	10 000 00
	\$18 996 37

LIABILITIES

School fund	\$1 422 58
Freeman fund	1 243 03
John Williams fund	200 00
Wm. Tenney fund	500 00
Dartmouth Savings Bank	3 000 00
Due schools from literary fund	99 20
Due Dartmouth National Bank, cash borrowed and interest	1 013 83
Due town free library	151 50
	\$7 630 14
Balance in favor of the town	\$11 366 23

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Your treasurer reports having received

From all sources		\$16 972 70
Paid out orders	\$16 384 77	
Cash in bank	587 93	
	—————	\$16 972 70

D. B. RUSSELL, Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen, overseers of the poor, and treasurer, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN M. FULLER, }
JOHN V. HAZEN, } Auditors.

STATISTICS.

Polls, 465	\$46 500
Lands and buildings	777 760
Horses, 493	26 718
Oxen, 26	1 274
Cows, 1059	26 592
Neat stock, 370	5 636
Sheep, 358	520
Carriages, 28	1 714
Stock in public funds	500
Stock in banks and other corporations in the state	49 730
Stock in banks and other corporations out of the state	5 150
Money on hand at interest or on deposit	75 932
Stock in trade	37 270
Mills	1 500
Hogs, 15	90
Fowls, 90	50

All of which is respectfully submitted.

EDWARD P. STORRS, } Selectmen
ALBERT PINNEO, } of Hanover.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF DISTRICT NO. 1.

The leading statistics concerning the work of each of our schools will be found on another page. The general summary for all of the schools taken collectively is as follows:

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Scholars between 5 and 15 years of age	124	146	134
Scholars over 15 years of age	44	43	45
Whole number of scholars enrolled	188	189	179
Average number belonging	178	179	176
Average attendance	165	165	161
Number not absent during term	37	32	45
Visits by committee	9	20	16
Visits by other friends	28	6	17

The results for the winter term pertain only to the time previous to the printing of this report.

A comparison of this report with that for last year will show that the whole number of pupils is somewhat less than the number for that year, but above the average for the last three or four years, and considerably above the general average. The average attendance has been better than even that of last year. By the report of that year the average attendance was 73 per cent. of the total number enrolled, this year it is 87 per cent.

An examination of the statistical summary for the High school will show an increase in numbers over that of last year and a very decided increase when compared with preceding years. By the report for 1894 the maximum number in the High school in any term was 29, in 1895 the same number, and in each of the following years 38 and 55 respectively; this year it is 60.

The entering class when it came into the High school contained 20 members, two-thirds as many as there were in the whole High school four years since. Not only have several older pupils come back to take post-graduate work, but the lower classes have been, as shown above, unusually large.

The influx was so great at the beginning of the fall term that your committee were compelled to either enlarge the seating facilities in the school room, which was hardly feasible, or to modify the rules of attendance. They adopted the plan, tentatively, of allowing the members of the senior class to study at home, requiring their attendance only at recitations. This increase has not, to any great extent, been due to additional pupils taken in from outside of the district as some may suppose. For, as will be shown later, this number of outside pupils in the High school is less by one than last year, and about the general average for the last few years.

It will thus be seen that those in our community who have children to send have been quick to avail themselves of the increased opportunities afforded. This increase in attendance and the desires and qualifications of the pupils have compelled the principal to divide his classes, and to increase quite materially his work.

While, considering the present financial status of the district, we are not prepared to advise an addition to the teaching force; the services of another teacher would be exceedingly desirable, augmenting the scope and efficiency of the school. With such a variety of subjects to teach one instructor cannot do justice to each pupil.

As a result of the agreement made with the president of Moor's Charity School, which agreement was given in full in our report of last year, we shall probably have three young men fitted for college at the end of this school year. We wish there were more in some of the lower classes who were taking such courses of study as would entitle them to a diploma and enable them to take this advanced work. Moor's Charity School, at the present time, has but one representative in the High school; last year there were two. It will thus be seen that the benefits of the agreement have thus far very largely accrued to the district.

Two young men entered the college last year from our High school, taking the Chandler Course. At the close of the spring term, Mr. Stevens having decided to begin a course of

professional study, your committee at once took measures to secure a new principal. Mr. Poor, the present incumbent, came to us highly recommended as to scholarship and general proficiency in the subjects to be taught. We feel that our confidence in him was not misplaced. He has worked earnestly and faithfully to promote the best interests of the school; his instruction has been thorough and the discipline good without any apparent effort to produce that result. We think he has the sympathy and hearty support of the scholars in his work and that he is making the school a working body.

The department furnished with an instructor by the president of Moor's Charity School has been unfortunate in having quite a number of different instructors, but very fortunate in the young men furnished. We were deprived of the earnest and efficient services of Mr. Aiken, whose noble character and earnest Christian life were felt wherever he was called upon to act, at a time when those services seemed most needed. Mr. Walter S. Adams of the then Junior class in college was secured to complete the term's work, which he did with marked success.

At the beginning of the present year, Mr. Robert H. Fletcher, a former member of the school and a graduate of the college, kindly took this work until a more permanent instructor could be secured, he himself having determined to pursue a further course of study elsewhere. His most excellent work was highly appreciated by both pupils and committee. We hope that the present incumbent, Mr. Ham, will remain with us another year, not only because changes are undesirable, but on account of the very efficient work which he is doing. The school is to be congratulated for being able to secure the services of a high school teacher who has had a most successful experience.

The maximum attendance in the High school, including five fourth-year pupils, as shown elsewhere, has been 60, while the highest average attendance has been 53, both occurring in the fall term. Of this number, those doing more advanced work are divided as follows:

Number taking fourth-year Greek	3
Number taking Cicero	4
Number taking Virgil	10
Number taking French	25
Number taking Physics	14

The number in each of the regular High school classes now taking such a course of study as will, if continued, entitle them to receive a diploma is as follows:

In the entering class	17
In the second-year class	9
In the senior year	11

We wish it could be more generally understood that the work of the school is hampered by the number of scholars who do not conform to any regular course of study.

No chemistry has been taught during the last two terms and it is not at present a prescribed study. This is a subject that should be added and one case when an addition to the teaching force is needed.

The number of pupils in all of the schools paying tuition is nineteen, two more than last year. Of this number seven are in the High school, one less than last year. Of the remaining number seven are in the Grammar school, two in the Intermediate and three in the Primary school. The total amount received therefore is about \$220 and about \$20 more than last year.

We have already taken much more space in referring to the High school than is usually given in the annual report, because the immediate and future needs of that department demand the most careful consideration of the Board and of the district, therefore we can only briefly allude to the work of the lower schools. We have nothing especially new to report as the conditions are substantially the same as last year.

In these lower schools the total number is nearly the same as last year, and as then reported, a proper and manageable number in each school. In the Primary and Sub-primary departments the numbers have fallen off a little, owing to the removal from town of some families.

As stated in last year's report the vertical system of writing was adopted in the two lowest grades. It has this year been introduced into the Grammar school with very beneficial results, especially in the line of legibility. The average penman shows evident improvement and the poorer ones a very marked change.

In previous reports your attention has been called to the value and importance of a good library. The present actual value of our library is less than it has been, owing to the fact that for the last year at least very few additions have been made to it. The books which we now possess have been so thoroughly read and used that most of our present pupils have, in a measure, lost their interest in them. The importance of a good library is recognized and urged by all of our teachers and another appropriation by the district for this purpose and gifts of books from friends would be of great benefit. We wish to hereby acknowledge and express our appreciation of some such gifts recently received.

The conscientious care and attention rendered by our janitor has contributed very much to cleanliness and good order in the school building and enhanced, in no small degree, the health and comfort of the scholars themselves.

The long continued and valuable services of two former members of this Board, who resigned at the last annual meeting, should not be passed by without some recognition. Both of the gentlemen, at the time of their resignation, had served for twelve years or more. Both were teachers of long standing and experience and both gave their thought, their time and their labor, without stint or hesitation. It would be difficult to find a more vigilant guardian of public property than Prof. Fletcher or a more faithful and conscientious visitor than Prof. Lord or wiser counselors than were both of them.

NEWTON A. FROST,	}	Board of Education.
HOWARD H. H. LANGILL,		
ELIZABETH W. WORTHEN,		
JOHN V. HAZEN,		
CHARLES D. ADAMS,		
DAVID COLLIN WELLS,		

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

HIGH SCHOOL.

MR. ROLAND E. STEVENS AND MR. JOHN M. POOR, PRINCIPALS.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
	\$88 89	\$88 89	\$88 89
Wages per month			
Scholars between 5 and 15 years old	10	20	15
Scholars over 15 years of age	39	40	39
Whole number of scholars enrolled	49	60	54
Average number belonging	45	56	52
Average attendance	43	53	49
Number not absent during term	1	3	14
Number of visits by committee	4	5	4
Number of visits by friends	12	3	1

ROLL OF HONOR.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Spring term, Gertrude Sherman.

Fall term—Albert G. Brown.

Winter term—Nellie Weston, Eddie Gunn.

The following pupils, doing a part or the whole of their preparatory work outside, have been present at each recitation required, the number following the name indicating the number of exercises per week which they attend:

Fall term—Ethel C. Bond, 15; Ethel A. Hazen, 15.

Winter term—Herbert Downing, 4; Daniel McCarthy, 15; Kenneth L. Morse, 15; Herbert N. T. Nichols, 15; Ethel A. Hazen, 15; Louise H. Langill, 15; Harriette A. Storrs, 15.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

MISS GRACE M. BICKFORD, TEACHER.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
	\$48 00	\$52 00	\$52 00
Wages per month			
Scholars between 5 and 15 years old	33	32	30
Scholars over 15 years of age	3	3	6

Whole number of scholars enrolled	36	35	36
Average number belonging	34	33	35
Average attendance	32	31	31
Number not absent during term	8	9	11
Visits by committee	1	4	3
Visits by other friends	9	1	6

ROLL OF HONOR.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

First term—Daisy Chamberlin, Emma Hall, Annie Langill, Arthur Donaldson, Arthur Lewis, Arthur Prescott, Harry Storrs, Morris Smith.

Second term—Lavinia Hutchins, Fanny Hazen, Annie Langill, Effie Howe, Sam Bartlett, Clarence Filiau, Thacher Worthen, Morris Smith, Harry Storrs.

Third term—Paul Huntington, Arthur Lewis, Morris Smith, Harry Storrs, Sam Bartlett, Clarence Filiau, Thacher Worthen, Philip Chase, Annie Langill, Laura McCarthy, Della Kendall, Effie Howe.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

MISS NINA TUELL, TEACHER.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Wages per month	\$66 66	\$66 66	\$66 66
Scholars between 5 and 15 years old	29	32	31
Scholars over 15 years of age	2	0	0
Whole number of scholars enrolled	31	32	31
Average attendance during term	30	29	30
Number not absent during term	11	9	10
Visits by committee	2	4	3

ROLL OF HONOR.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

Spring term—Mary A. Gunn, Effie M. Howe, Kate McKinsley, Annie McKinsley, Agnes McCarthy, Laura McCarthy, Ellen Sullivan, Della Kendall, Fanny V. Hazen, Joseph W. Worthen, Thacher W. Worthen.

Fall Term—Homer E. Read, Leon C. Marshal, Thayer A. Smith, Helen D. Ford, Florence B. Kelley, Charlotte P. McCarthy, Ellen M. Sullivan; tardy once, Gladys E. Marshall, Julia A. Withington.

Winter term—Ellen M. Sullivan, Joseph W. Worthen, Agnes McCarthy, Florence B. Kelley, Arthur H. Lord, Leon C. Marshall, Gladys E. Marshall, Charlotte P. McCarthy, Helen D. Ford, Ruth E. Johnson.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

MISS MARGARET L. MARTIN, TEACHER.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Wages per month	\$44 00	\$44 00	\$44 00
Scholars between 5 and 15 years old	37	29	28
Scholars over 15 years of age	0	0	0
Whole number of scholars enrolled	37	29	28
Average number belonging	37	29	28
Average attendance	33	26	25
Number not absent during term	7	5	5
Visits by committee	2	2	2
Visits by other friends	7	2	10

ROLL OF HONOR.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

First term—Leon Marshall, Thayer Smith, Charlotte McCarthy.

FIRST PRIMARY SCHOOL.

MISS MARY A. DOWNING, TEACHER.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Wages per month	\$36 00	\$40 00	\$40 00
Number of scholars under 5 years old	0	0	0
Scholars between 5 and 15 years old	35	30	10
Scholars over 15 years of age	0	0	0
Whole number of scholars enrolled	35	33	30
Average number belonging	31	29	30
Average attendance	27	26	26
Number not absent during term	7	6	5

ROLL OF HONOR.

FIRST PRIMARY SCHOOL.

Spring term—Claude Goodhue, Georgie McCarthy, Emery Stewart, Fred Trachier, Helen McCarthy, Annie Richardson, Helen Ammel (tardy once).

Fall term—Frank Foster, Fred Trachier, Florence Ford,
Mary Trachier (tardy once).

Winter term—Wilbur Stewart, Vira Marshall, Mabel Am-
mel, John Todd (tardy once).

TOWN DISTRICT.

Report of Treasurer of School Board for the year ending
March 1, 1898.

RECEIPTS

Cash in treasury March 1, 1897	\$52 52
Received from town treasurer, amount of school money	1 047 61
	—————\$1 100 13

DISBURSEMENTS

SCHOOL No. 1

W. G. Spencer, fires '96	\$4 75
Arrie V. Heath, cleaning	1 25
Bernice E. Trescott, teaching and board 10 weeks	65 00
Marion A. Morse, teaching and board 6 weeks	39 00
Celia Stone, teaching and board 4 weeks.	26 00
W. F. Gale, 2 cords wood	9 00
Geo. W. Pillsbury, ½ cord wood	2 25
	—————\$147 25

SCHOOL No. 2.

Fred Marshall, 1½ cords wood	\$6 75
Mary B. Russell, teaching and board 9 weeks	40 50
Daisy Hall, cleaning	1 00
Abbie Merrill, teaching 15 weeks and fires	46 00
	————— \$94 25

SCHOOL No. 3.

James Henagin, 2 cords wood	\$7 50
Mrs. Ella Webb, cleaning	1 50
Eva M. Stander, teaching and board 20 weeks	100 00
Joseph Bergeron, kindling	1 00
	—————\$110 00

SCHOOL No. 4.

James Henagin, 2 cords wood	\$7 50
Lena Ferson, cleaning	1 50
Joseph Bergeron, kindling	1 00
Celia Stone, teaching, board and fires 20 weeks	102 00
	—————\$112 00

SCHOOL No. 5.

Lena Chesley, teaching and board 20 weeks	\$90 00
Mrs. Geo. Rowe, cleaning	1 00
W. H. Henry, fires '97	2 00
S. D. Biathrow, 1 cord wood	4 50
	————— \$97 50

SCHOOL No. 6.

W. H. Jones, ½ cord wood	\$2 25
Hattie Boardman, teaching, board and fires 20 weeks	91 00
Mrs. M. E. Lord, cleaning	1 00
James Spencer, ½ cord wood	2 25
	————— \$96 50

SCHOOL No. 7.

Josie Flint, teaching and board 10 weeks	\$40 00
F. A. Runnals, wood	5 00
F. B. Clark, teaching and board	40 00
	————— \$85 00

SCHOOL No. 8.

I. R. Hatch, ¼ cord wood	\$1 25
Mrs. May McAllister, cleaning	1 25
Abbie Merrill, teaching and board 10 weeks	40 00
	————— \$42 50

SCHOOL No. 9.

Louise M. Bryant, teaching and board 20 weeks	\$100 00
Louise M. Bryant, cleaning	1 00
J. M. Bryant, 1 cord wood	4 00
Charlie Clark, fires	1 00
	—————\$106 00

SCHOOL No. 10.

Mary Gelo, teaching 20 weeks	\$50 00	
Ransom Goss, boarding teacher 20 weeks	30 00	
Ransom Goss, 1½ cords wood	6 00	
Mary Gelo, fires	1 00	
	<u> </u>	\$87 00

SCHOOL No. 12.

Nina Camp, teaching and board 10 weeks	\$45 00	
C. B. Kimball, cleaning	1 00	
C. P. Hinckson, 1 14-19 cords wood	6 58	
Mary Gelo, teaching	20 00	
	<u> </u>	\$72 58

MISCELLANEOUS.

N. A. Frost, treasurer Dist. 1	\$39 00	
R. L. Cross, transportation	7 50	
W. L. Tilton, transportation	7 50	
	<u> </u>	\$54 00
Total		<u> </u> \$1104 58

REPAIR FUND,

Cash in treasury March 1, 1897	None	
Received from town treasurer	\$200 00	
	<u> </u>	\$200 00
W. G. Spencer, glass, lock and work '96	\$1 49	
Geo. Bailey, plastering Nos. 3 and 4	2 80	
Spencer Bros., lumber and finish	27 38	
Chas. Greenough, labor Nos. 9 and 12	27 60	
R. M. Hayes, paint, oil and labor No, 12	16 35	
C. B. Kimball, freight, cartage and materials furnished Nos. 9 and 12	24 97	
Cleveland School Furniture Co., desks and blackboard	39 78	
C. B. Kimball, freight and cartage on black- board	1 15	
C. W. Hayes, dipper, glass and putty	71	
E. C. Kibbe, cleaning stovepipe and setting glass, Nos. 1, 3, 4	2 35	
C. P. Hinckson	3 00	
	<u> </u>	\$147 58

E. C. KIBBE, Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the Hanover Town School District, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ALBERT PINNEO, }
ASA W. FELLOWS, } Auditors.

TABULATED SCHOOL REPORT.

No. of School	NAME OF TEACHER	No. of Terms	Length in Weeks	No. of Scholars	Avg. Attendance	No. in Arithmetic	No. in Geography	No. in Grammar	No. in Composit'n	No. in History	No. in Algebra	No. in Bookkeep'g	No. in Physiology	No. Not Absent	Visits, School B'rd	Visits by Citizens
1	Bernice Trescott	1	10	21	19	19	12	7			5	1	5	12	15	
1	M. A. Morse and Celia Stone	2	10	29	25	26	15	9	8	4	5	5	6	12	29	
2	Mary B. Russell	1	9	15	11	15	10	8	8	6	2	3	4	12	6	
2	Abbie D. Merrill	2	15	19	13	19	6	9	9	7	2	2	1	12	13	
3	Eva M. Stander	1	10	13	10	10	1			1	1	6	4	1	12	15
3	Eva M. Stander	2	10	16	12	13	4	8		4	4	4	4	5	1	16
4	Celia E. Stone	1	10	19	17	19	7	6		4	4	1	9	5	2	26
4	Celia E. Stone	2	10	17	15	17	7	7	4			3	4	4	1	21
5	Lena M. Chesley	1	10	11	9	9	5	5		1			3	1	12	14
5	Lena M. Chesley	2	15	13	9	10	5	5	4	5			1	1	12	13
6	Hattie Boardman	1	7	9	9	9	8	3	4	2			2	5	2	2
6	Hattie Boardman	2	10	12	11	12	8	5	9	3			3	2	2	2
7	Josephine M. Flint	1	10	7	6	7	7	2					0	12	9	
7	Frank B. Clarke	2	16	10	7	10	8	7	8	3		1	1	3	12	
8	Abbie D. Merrill	1	10	5	5	5	5	1	1				1	2	12	
9	Louise M. Bryant	1	10	10	9	8	3	8		2	1		7	1	5	
9	Louise M. Bryant	2	10	14	11	14	7	8			2	1	5	0	5	
10	Mary G. Gelo	1	10	6	6	6	5	1	1	1			0	10		
10	Mary G. Gelo	2	10	8	7	7	6	2				2	0	1	9	
12	Nina A. Camp	1	10	10	9	10	7	7					2	3	22	
12	Mary G. Gelo	2	5	8	6	7	7	6		6			1	3	0	4

ROLL OF HONOR.

ONE TERM.

Mabel Camp, Gertrude Kibbe, Edith Plummer, Fred Plummer, Arthur Sanborn, Lucy M. Chandler, Page Johnson, Mary Elder, Alice B. Church, Fanny Elmer, May E. Hurlbutt, Mary J. White, Ethel A. Arthur, Ray E. Kenne, Ralph W. Kenne, Albina Maville, Arthur Maville, Grace L. Rowe, Burns E. Miller, Winnie Runnals, Grace Hunt, Wesley Hunt, Bessie E. Elmer, Mamie M. Elmer, Mary E. Nash, Ethel A. Clark, Grace Clark, Oren A. Clark, Albon W. Pelton, Linnie W. Hinkson, Rosie W. Bressett, Harry A. Dunham.

FOR THE YEAR—TWO TERMS.

Florence M. Camp, George B. Elder, Eddie Hennagin, Florence M. Henry, Ada Runnals, Laura Runnals, Leon O. Hatch, Frank A. Bugbee, Charles H. Clark, Mamie F. Eastman, Susie E. Eastman, Grant C. Eastman.

TOWN DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD.

It will be noticed by looking over the report of the town school district for the past year, that in some districts the amount of schooling has been more than in others, for the reason that in a few instances the scholars' parents were willing and did board the teacher, and in this way lengthened the term several weeks.

It is very much desired that at the coming school meeting all those qualified to vote on school matters, who are in any way interested, be present, and in some way provide means for having more weeks of school the coming year than it was possible to have the past year on account of the limited amount of funds at the disposal of the board.

Again would we urge all who send children to school to manifest an interest by visiting the school as often as convenient, and in this way encourage both teacher and pupil.

D. S. BRIDGMAN,
E. F. MORRILL,
E. C. KIBBE.

VITAL STATISTICS.

TO THE SELECTMEN:

In compliance with an act of the Legislature, passed June session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages and deaths to the Municipal Officers for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following.

Respectfully,

GEORGE M. BRIDGMAN, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REPORTED IN THE TOWN OF HANOVER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth		S&C Male or Fem	Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days	State			Country			
Jan 11	Horace F. Hoyt	85	9		Newport	m	Farmer	Newport	Newport	Joseph Hoyt	Polly Gould
Jan 14	Israel Merrill	23			New Hampshire	m	Laborer	Canada	United States	Doaf, Fish Merrill	India Colmby
Jan 26	Helen M. Plummer	66	4		Canaan, N. H.	f	Housekeeper	Canaan, N. H.		Oslah Daniels	Nancy B. Richardson
Feb 21	Minnie B. Bailey	29			Andover, N. H.	f	Table Girl			O. S. D. Flanders	Margaret Goodrich
Feb 24	Mary E. Smith	45			Canaan, N. H.	f	Housework			Smith	Columbia
Mar 10	Fannie Frost	60	10	24	Cornish	f	Housewife	Cornish	Cornish	John Parrott	Polly Williams
Mar 22	Eda L. Hart	31	8	7	Northfield, Vt.	f	Housewife	Sharon, Vt.	Sharon, Vt.	Simon F. Judd	Lucinda B. Preston
Mar 30	Eltha Hurlbutt	52	9	25	Hanover	f	Farmer	Hanover	Connecticut	David Hurlbutt	Betsy Taylor
Mar 31	John Niles Chase	54	4	15	Lebanon, N. H.	m	Merchant	Alexandria N. H.	Alexandria N. H.	Peter Niles Chase	Sophronia
Apr 16	Francis H. Gale	60	9	7	Danbury, N. H.	m	Blacksmith	Vermont	New Hampshire	William H. Bond	Elizabeth F. Hall
April 19	Wm. DeLoss Clough	59			Norwich, Vt.	m	Farmer	Vermont	New Hampshire	Caleb D. Leigh	Sophia Johnson
May 17	Henry O. Alken	32	9	17	Fitzwilliam, N. H.	m	Teacher	Hemiker, N. H.	Lyme, N. H.	George N. Gilbert	Sarah Cheney
May 18	Harold D. Gilbert	20	8			m	Student	Amherst, N. H.	Lyme, N. H.	Moses Emerson	O. E. Daves
June 24	Moses C. Emerson	82	4	7	Hanover	m	Farmer	Plainfield, Mass	Lyme, N. H.	Jethro Goss	Abigail Hewes
June 25	Levi M. Goss	84	8	20	Hanover	m	Farmer	Hampstead, N. H.	Lyme, N. H.	Bert C. Church	Susan Gate
July 7	Lucile Church	12	hr s.		Hanover	f	Farmer	Porsmouth, N. H.	Hanover	William Hutchinson	Florence E. Elmer
July 16	John W. Hutchinson	63	9	4	Ponpanoosuc	m	Farmer	Ireland	Ireland	Jeremiah Crowley	Eliza O'Byrne
Aug 7	Michael Crowley	66	10	13	Ireland	m	Laborer	Windsor, Vt.	Hanover	Henry D. Kyder	Carrie E. Marshall
Aug 12	Earl Abner Ryder	5	10	17	Hanover	m	At Home				
Aug 13	Clara Bryant	41			Canada	f	Housewife	Cornish	Wethersfield, [Vt.]	Edmund H. Cobb	Hannah Penniman
Aug 30	Myra Alice Clayton	35	4	29	Cornish, N. H.	f	Housewife			Augustus Wood	Sophronia Smith
Sept 2	Hortensia A. Bridgman	74	6		Townsend, Vt.	f	Housekeeper			Solomon Pozy	Kosa Rosarc
Sept 17	Rosetta Bumyear	62	11		St. Alexis, Can.	f				Waterman	Sarah Miller
Sept 18	Samuel S. Waterman	72	5	26	Irasburg	m	Carpenter			Roger S. Kibbiggs	Elizabeth Fletcher
Oct 29	Edward R. Ruggles	61	7		Union Village	m	Retired Farmer	Gilmanton, N. H.		Joshua Goss	Hannah Gile
Nov 5	Richard Goss	71	9		Canaan, N. H.	m	Housewife	Hanover		Isaac Lord	Lucy Brown
Nov 7	Rhoda W. L. Field	81	9		Hanover	f	Housewife				
Nov 8	Mary C. Stickney	74	1	17	Canaan, N. H.	f	Housewife				
Nov 7	Almira Shepard	45	1	24	Hatley, P. Q.	f	Farmer			Daniel Kimball	Louisa Packard
Dec 29	Henry Durgin Ryder					m				Abner Ryder	Judith Cass

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HANOVER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1897.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of the Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Birthplace of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Mar.	Name, residence, and Official Station of person by whom married.
Sept 25	Lebanon	Frank B. Clark Berencie Tresscott	Hanover Theford, Vt.	24 27	Law Student Teacher	Enfield, N. H. Lyne, N. H.	Henry W. Clark Emma E. Rowe James A. Tresscott Abbie E. Lampere Chester Bond Ellen Hopson	Dorchester, N. H. Lancaster, N. H. Theford, Vt. Lyne, N. H. Chelsea, Vt. Norwich, Vt.	Stone Cutter Housewife Stone Mason Housewife Farmer Housewife Janitor	1 1 1 1 1	Rev. N. F. Tilden Lebanon Rev. E. T. Farrell Lebanon
Oct 16	Lebanon	John H. Bond Annie B. Hall	Hanover Hanover	22 21	Mason Housework	Norwich, Vt. Hanover	Charles F. Platts Julia M. Stearns Charles D. Brown Mary E. Clement	Norwich, Vt. Canada Norwich, Vt. Fitzwilliam, N. H.	Grocer Housewife Houseware Dir	1	Rev. J. C. Mitchell, Lebanon
Dec 28	Lebanon	Harry S. Platts Florence M. Brown	Hanover Hanover	21 21	Physician At Home	Rindge, N. H. Lebanon, N. H.	Charles F. Platts Julia M. Stearns Charles D. Brown Mary E. Clement	Rindge, N. H. Woodstock, Vt. Grantham, N. H.	Grocer Housewife Houseware Dir Housewife	1 1	Rev. J. C. Mitchell, Lebanon

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Jan 5	Hanover	Charles E. Church Ira J. Hinkley	Hanover Hanover	24 26	Barber Cook	Randolph, Vt. Aberdeen, Scotland	Horace H. Church Miranda Harlow	Braintree, Vt. Roxbury, Vt.	Farmer Housewife	1. G. M. Bridgman, J. P., Hanover
April 28	Hanover	C. W. McCulloughs Flora E. Brown	Lebanon Hanover	22 23	Farmer House-keeper	Stoughton, Vt. Camden, N. C.	Alexander Uline R. H. McCulloughs	Aberdeen, Scotland Raleigh, N. C.	Housewife Baker	2. Rev. S. P. Leeds, Hanover
May 11	Lebanon	Albert C. Brigham Fannie F. Camp	Norwich, Vt. Hanover	47 48	Farmer House-keeper	Norwich, Vt. Hanover, Vt.	William Brigham Mary E. Bryant	Norwich, Vt. Norwich, Vt.	Farmer Farmer Housewife	2. Rev. N. F. Tilden Lebanon
June 23	Hanover	Quincy A. Scott Ida M. Gove	Haverhill, N. H. Hanover	45 45	Merchant Lady	Greensboro, Vt. Hanover, Vt.	George V. Scott Sarah A. Blood	Greensboro, Vt. Haverhill, N. H.	Physician Housewife Blacksmith	2. Rev. G. P. Huntington, Hanover
Aug 19	Lebanon	Edward M. Carter Harriet E. Goodell	Hanover Hanover	23 19	Jeweler House-keeper	Lebanon, N. H. Gaysville, Vt.	Rachel H. Gleason Mary E. Green	Hanover Stratford, Vt.	Boarding Ho. Housewife Hotel-keeper	1. Rev. R. Henry Ferguson, Hanover
Aug 23	Lebanon	Arthur Cooley Laura M. Kendall	Hanover Hanover	21 17	Hotel Clerk Housework	Rutland, Vt. Sharon, Vt.	Eugene A. Cooley Elizabeth Halpin	Pittsford, Vt. Pittsford, Vt.	Farmer Housekeeper	1. Rev. Edgar T. Farnell, Lebanon
Aug 26	Lebanon	John McCarthy Theresa C. Heney	Hanover Laconia, N. H.	39 30	Barber Waitress	Hanover Canada	Danna Goodrich Michael McCarthy	Ireland Ireland	Housewife Shoemaker Housewife	2. Rev. M. H. Egan, Lebanon
Sept 16	Hanover	Fred F. Russell Alice M. Everett	Fall River, Mass. Hanover	28 25	Clerk At Home	Anson, Me. Hanover	William Mountain Ellen Russell Celestia H. Wing Cyrus F. Everett Phebe J. Austin	Lewiston, Me. Hanover Kochester, Vt.	Housewife Farmer Housewife	1. Rev. C. E. Gordon, Lynne

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HANOVER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1897.

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex & Con		No. Children	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother	
			Male	Female										
Jan 12	Hanover	Willard Ruth	F	L	2	Alfred Bombard	Agnes Bombard	Hanover, N. H.	Farmer	Ellenburg, N. Y.	Ellenburg, N. Y.	24 21	23 21	
Jan 31			F	L	2	Albert C. Crehore	Sara Buck	" "	Teacher	Cleveland, O.	New Britain, Ct.	28 26	33 26	
Feb 15			M	L	2	Arthur H. Merrill	Ada M. Foss	Norwich, Vt.	Merchant	Hanover, N. H.	Hanover, N. H.	33 27	38 23	
Mar 19			M	L	1	Arthur Willard French	Carrie Viola Kye	" "	Prof. of Eng.	" "	Mitigan	Illinois	28 23	32 23
Mar 23			F	L	2	Charles Julius Mason	Amelia A. Stevens	" "	Farmer	" "	Hanover, N. H.	Salisbury, N. H.	42 38	42 38
Mar 31			F	L	4	Elmer T. Ford	Jennie S. Reagan	" "	Plumber	" "	Springfield, Vt.	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	44 37	44 38
Apr 2			F	L	6	Charles Hall	Nora Lewan	" "	Janitor	" "	Canada	Canada	44 38	44 38
Apr 12			M	L	1	Willis Patterson Hoyt	Ida J. Simonds	" "	Farmer	" "	Hanover, N. H.	N. H.	22 33	22 31
Apr 18			M	L	2	Frank L. Crowell	Abbie M. Weston	" "	Farmer	" "	New Hampshire	Canada	33 24	33 24
Apr 25			M	L	1	William Henry Bond	Elizabeth Florence Hall	Norwich, Vt.	Farmer	" "	Norwich, Vt.	Hanover, N. H.	32 21	34 37
Apr 25			M	L	3	Arthur E. Rogers	Cara B. Woodward	" "	Farmer	" "	N. H.	" "	24 20	24 20
Apr 26			F	L	3	Charles H. Sweet	Mary C. Lake	" "	Farmer	" "	" "	" "	34 37	34 37
June 7	M	L	1	Emmet Henry Marshall	Ida Frances Saunders	" "	Janitor	" "	" "	" "	34 37	34 37		
June 23	M	L	6	Peter Bill, Jr.	Salomie Prescott	" "	Farmer	" "	" "	" "	34 37	34 37		
June 25	F	L	3	George Henry Fairbanks	Jennie May Rabbit	" "	Farmer	" "	" "	" "	37 30	37 30		
July 6	F	L	1	Bert C. Church	Florence B. Elmer	" "	Farmer	" "	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Westfield, Vt.	35 30	35 30		
July 24	M	L	5	William Eugene Semett	Mary Ora Stone	" "	Farmer	" "	Lebanon, N. H.	Hanover, N. H.	35 30	35 30		
July 26	M	L	8	J. Frank Withington	Mary E. Tenney	" "	Farmer	" "	Windsor, Vt.	" "	24 20	24 20		
July 26	F	L	7	John Lero	Matilda Crother	" "	Farmer	" "	Pennsylvania	Canada	44 24	44 24		
July 30	M	L	1	Harvey B. Fullington	Amie E. Tenney	" "	Farmer	" "	Canada	Canada	27 37	27 37		
Aug 8	M	L	2	James F. Eastman	Alberta Stewart	" "	Farmer	" "	Hanover, N. H.	N. H.	32 29	32 29		
Sept 11	F	L	4	James Henry Riley	Lena L. Williams	" "	Farmer	" "	Hanover, N. H.	Island Pond, Vt.	39 28	39 28		
Sept 25	M	L	1	Willard Henry Jones	Mary Isabel Ellis	" "	Cook	" "	Massachusetts	Vermont	32 24	32 24		
Oct 8	M	L	6	Willard Henry Jones	Emily Simpson	" "	Farmer	" "	Canada	Canada	32 30	32 30		
Oct 22	M	L	4	Albert Stewart	Maggie McDonald	" "	Coachman	" "	Prince Edw'd I.	Prince Edw'd I.	37 34	37 34		
Nov 25	M	L	2	Gilman Doudis Moore	Margaret M. Thurston	" "	Carpenter	" "	Canada	Canada	33 26	33 26		
Nov 30	M	L	1	Frank Gardner Frost	Anna Barnard Moore	" "	Physician	" "	W. Chester, Pa.	Newburyport	33 35	33 35		
Nov 30	M	L	1	Christopher Masterson	Lily Masterson	" "	Blacksmith	" "	Hanover, N. H.	Missouri	37 24	37 24		
Dec 11	F	L	8	Alexander Kennie	Mary Glasco	" "	Farmer	" "	Hinckley, P. Q.	Prescott, Ont.	46 44	46 44		



