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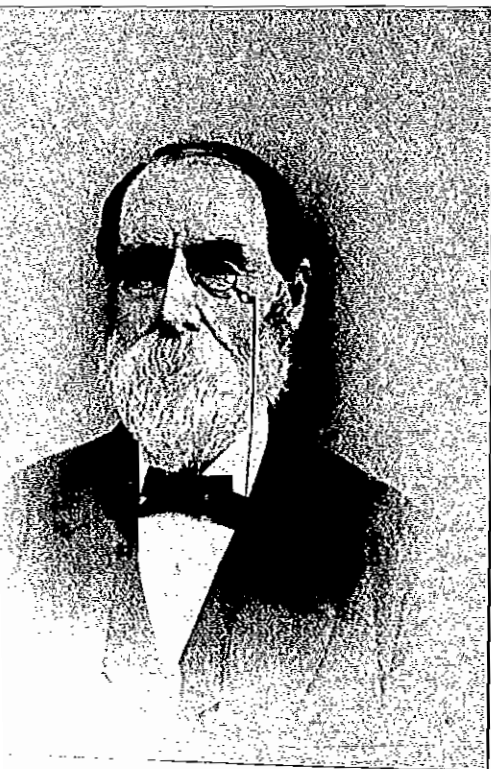
TOWN OF  
KINGSTON



ANNUAL REPORT

FOR THE YEAR

1904



Portrait of Samuel and Lydia (Pamsey) Bradford.  
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ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF  
KINGSTON  
MASSACHUSETTS.

For the Financial Year Ending

December 31, 1904.

WITH THE  
REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE  
For the School Year, 1904.

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TOWN OF KINGSTON, MASS.

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ANNUAL MARCH MEETING.

The inhabitants of the town, qualified to vote in town affairs met at their Town Hall in response to a warrant duly served, on Monday the seventh day of March 1904, at 9 o'clock A. M.

The meeting was called to order by Henry S. Everson, the Town Clerk, and was organized by choice of Walter H. Farnce as moderator.

Balloted and chose for:—

SELECTMEN AND ASSESSORS.—Samuel Atwell, David Delaro and Walter H. Farnce, and they were sworn by the Town Clerk.

TOWN CLERK, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES—Henry S. Everson, and he was sworn by the Moderator.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR—Samuel Atwell, John N. Drew and Walter H. Farnce, and they were sworn by the Town Clerk.

AUDITOR—Lemuel R. Ford.

WATER COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS.—George B. Holmes.

ROAD COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS—Frederic G. Brackett.

CONSTABLES—Ellsworth C. Bailey, accepted and was sworn by the Moderator, Ephraim Pratt.

TREE WARDEN—Alexander Holmes.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS—Ernest M. Bartlett, John W. Cobb.

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY—Horatio Adams Henry B. Maglathlin.

Upon the question, shall licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?

41 voted YES, 103 voted NO.

The meeting for the transaction of other business was opened at 2 o'clock P. M. and the following persons were chosen to fill other offices and the following votes were passed.

Voted and chose—

FOR POUND KEEPER—Caleb E. Bailey.

FIELD DRIVERS—Philander Cobb and John F. Hartin.

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER—Stillman B. Small, Walter Hammond and M. Parker Delano.

SURVEYORS OF WOOD—E. Elbridge Atwood and Alexander Holmes.

FISH COMMITTEE—Wendell O. Chandler, James A. Hickey, John N. Drew.

TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE—Selectmen.

FENCE VIEWERS—Alexander Holmes, Carl C. Faunce, Nahum Sampson.

*Voted.* That the care of the Burying Ground be placed in the hands of the Tree Warden.

*Voted.* That no payment be made from the Treasury except upon orders of the Selectmen or by direct vote of the

Town authorizing the same, and that no order upon the Treasury shall be paid after the collector shall have received his warrant for the collection of taxes until the person in whose favor the warrant is drawn shall have paid his tax.

*Voted.* That all taxes be paid on or before the 10th day of October next and that the collector proceed to collect by legal process all taxes unpaid after that date.

*Voted.* That interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum be charged on all unpaid taxes after the 10th of October next.

*Voted.* That the Treasurer be authorized to hire money, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, in anticipation of the taxes of the current year, and to be paid from the same.

*Voted.* That the financial year of the Town close Dec. 31, 1904, and that the Annual Town Meeting be held on the first Monday in March, 1905.

*Voted.* That the Water Commissioners employ a superintendent and a clerk at an expense not exceeding \$600.

*Voted.* To accept the following list of Jurors:—

Adams, Charles H.

Baker, Thatcher

Bancroft, George P.

Berry, Roscoe G.

Chandler Fred C.

Clemons, Joseph W.

Cole, Frank L.

Delano, David

Delano, M. Parker

Everson, Henry S.

Faunce, Charles T.

Fuller, Truman H.

McLauthlen, Philemon W.

Myers, William H.  
O'Brien, William J.  
Kosson, Edward A.  
Rendel, Robert  
Savery, Winsor S.  
Thompson, John E.  
Weston, Daniel  
Woodward, Fred C.  
Wright, Nathaniel T.

*Vote.* That each member of the Fire Companies be allowed a salary of \$8 per year and 50 cents per hour additional for actual service at fires.

*Vote.* To accept the Town way as laid out by the Road Commissioners on petition of Eugene F. Elder and others.

*Vote.* That the School Committee be paid for services as follows, viz: to the chairman \$50, the secretary \$25 and \$125 each of the other members.

*Vote.* That the Road Commissioners be instructed to ask the State Highway Commissioners for information in regard to the roads in their hands from this town.

*Vote.* That the town instruct the Selectmen to ask the State Highway Commissioners for a portion of State Highway.

*Vote.* That a sum of \$7,500 be appropriated for highway purposes and not exceeding \$3,200 be expended for the same.

*Vote.* That there be a Committee on Old Highway.

*Vote.* To accept the report of the Committee on School buildings.

*Vote.* That the following appropriations were:

Unappropriated	\$1,825 00
Supplies	3,500 00
Town expenses	5,200 00

Books and supplies,	800 00
Fuel and care,	1,100 00
Repairs,	800 00
Conveyance,	400 00
Incidentals,	225 00
Superintendence,	300 00
Music,	275 00
Drawing,	250 00
Highways,	7,500 00
Soldiers' Relief,	300 00
State aid,	750 00
Memorial Day,	100 00
Tree Warden,	150 00
Water Department,	800 00
Water bond, notes and interest,	2,800 00
Fire Department,	825 00
Town House,	350 00
Suppression of crime,	150 00
Treasurer and Collector,	400 00
Public Library,	900 00
Old Home Week,	100 00

*Vote.* That the sum of \$20,500 be raised by taxation for Town purposes and that the Assessors be authorized and directed to assess the same.

*Vote.* To adjourn.

HENRY S. EVERSON,

*Town Clerk.*

### ASSESSMENT OF TAXES.

Valuation of assessed personal estate,	\$457,430 00
Valuation of assessed real estate,	959,010 00
Total valuation,	\$1,416,440 00

Rate of taxation, \$16.50 per \$1,000	
Number of polls, 553; poll tax, \$2.	
Town grant	\$20,500 00
County tax.	1,924 19
State tax.	1,275 00
Overlay,	778 07
Total,	<hr/> \$24,477 26
Amount assessed on polls.	\$1,106 00
Amount assessed on personal estate.	7,547 60
Amount assessed on real estate,	15,823 66
Total for collection.	<hr/> \$24,477 26
Number of horses taxed,	244
Number of cows taxed,	187
Number of neat cattle, other than cows,	53
Number of swine taxed,	34
Number of dwelling-houses taxed,	525
Number of acres of land taxed,	10,217.9
Number of tax payers,	847
Number paying tax on property,	620
Number paying tax on poll only,	227

## TAXES.

	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Adams, Charles H.	\$2.00	\$53.62	\$36.30	\$91.92
Adams, Harriet		57.75	48.26	106.01
Adams Horatio	2.00	62.70	751.33	816.03
Adams, Horatio, guardian,		100.65		100.65
Adams, Horatio, guardian			.83	.83
Adams, Horatio, trustee,		247.50		247.50
Adams, Wendell H.	2.00	7.43	61.87	71.30
Alscheimer, Edward	2.00		11.14	13.14
Anderson, August	2.00		13.20	15.20
Anderson, Robert	2.00			2.00
Andrews, Charles	2.00			2.00
Anziluthe, Jacob	2.00			2.00
Antenetto, Guido	2.00			2.00
Atwell, Charles F.	2.00		27.64	29.64
Atwell, Samuel	2.00	8.25		10.25
Atwood, E. Elbridge	2.00	16.50	122.93	141.43
Atwood, Herbert H.	2.00	.82	10.72	13.54
Austin, Samuel G.	2.00		18.15	20.15
Avery, Charles	2.00			2.00
Ayer, Eugene G.	2.00	16.50	96.11	112.61
Bagnell, Charles C.	2.00		3.30	5.30
Bagnell, John C.	2.00		33.00	35.00
Bailey, Caleb C.	2.00	16.50	64.35	82.85
Bailey, Edwin R.	2.00			2.00
Bailey, Ellsworth C.,	2.00	4.95	12.37	19.32
Bailey, Fred C.	2.00		40.43	42.43
Bailey, George E.	2.00			2.00

	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL
Ailey, Justus A.	2.00		26.40	28.40
Ailey, Thomas W.	2.00			2.00
Ailey, Herbert W.	2.00			2.00
Ailey, Ichabod C.	2.00			2.00
Am, James	2.00			2.00
Am, Robert	2.00		18.98	20.98
Baker, Chester A.	2.00	24.75	31.35	58.10
Baker, Edgar A.	2.00		37.95	39.95
Baker, Emily K.			14.85	14.85
Baker, Henry P.	2.00			2.00
Baker, Thatcher	2.00	4.95	36.30	43.25
Baker, Walter	2.00		27.22	29.22
Balboni, Andrew	2.00			2.00
Baldner, Abraham F.	2.00			2.00
Baldner, Thomas W.	2.00		14.85	16.85
Bancroft, George P.	2.00			2.00
Barker, Edward T.			24.75	24.75
Barker, Henry L.	2.00	1.65		3.65
Barry, Edward P.	2.00			2.00
Barstow, Benjamin P.	2.00	9.90	72.60	84.50
Barstow, Daniel W.	2.00		18.15	20.15
Bartlett, Clement D.	2.00		3.30	5.30
Bartlett, Mattie M.			43.72	43.72
Bartlett, Susan A.			31.35	31.35
Bartz, Louis F.	2.00			2.00
Basler, John	2.00	1.65	31.35	35.00
Basler, Peter	2.00			2.00
Basler, Philip	2.00		21.45	23.45
Basler, Philip G.	2.00			2.00
Bates, Andrew W.	2.00			2.00
Bates, Caleb, heirs of			35.48	35.48
Bates, C. Maskell	2.00			2.00
Bates, Louis E.	2.00		1.65	3.65
Benson, Edmund W.	2.00			2.00

	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Berry, Edward	2.00			2.00
Berry, Roscoe E.	2.00		.83	2.83
Berry, Roscoe G.	2.00		14.85	16.85
Beytes, Nancy			8.25	8.25
Bicknell, Henry S.	2.00			2.00
Bird, Edward E.	2.00			2.00
Bisbee, Daniel	2.00		16.50	18.50
Bisbee, Daniel, heirs of			2.47	2.47
Bishop, Fabian	2.00	.42	4.96	7.38
Blanchard, Elliot W.	2.00	2.14	14.85	18.99
Blanchard, Harriet N.			8.25	8.25
Blanchard, Henry N.	2.00	1.65	37.95	41.60
Blanchard, Herbert A.	2.00		4.95	6.95
Blank, Rebecca W.			4.95	4.95
Bonney, Arthur M.	2.00			2.00
Bonney, Charles E. A.	2.00	4.95	13.20	20.15
Bonney, George H.	2.00		10.84	12.84
Bonney, James F.	2.00			2.00
Bonney, Wallace	2.00		23.10	25.10
Bonney, Wilfred	2.00			2.00
Bonviller, Moses	2.00			2.00
Bopp, Jacob	2.00	.83	30.54	33.37
Borghi, Henry	2.00		14.85	16.85
Bouchard, Napoleon	2.00			2.00
Bouse, Jacob	2.00		23.10	25.10
Rowker, Davis W.	2.00	4.13	.83	6.96
Brackett, Fred G.	2.00	71.78	59.40	133.18
Bradford, Alden S., heirs of			37.95	37.95
Bradford, Amos P.	2.00			2.00
Bradford, Edmund	2.00	1.65	19.80	23.45
Bradford, Sumner	2.00			2.00
Breach, Henry F.	2.00	3.30		5.30
Brewster, Ernest E. W.	2.00			2.00
Brockton & Plymouth St. Railway			9.90	9.90

	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Brown, Alfred	2.00			2.00
Brown, Alfred C.	2.00			2.00
Brown, David			51.15	51.15
Brown, Edward G.	2.00		60.23	62.23
Brown, Russell B.	2.00			2.00
Brown, William	2.00			2.00
Brown, William M.	2.00		28.05	30.05
Bryant, Charles E.		.42	14.02	14.44
Bryant, Edgar W.	2.00			2.00
Bryant, Frank L.	2.00	.57	7.43	10.00
Bryant, George B.	2.00		11.55	13.55
Bryant, George W.	2.00	4.12	1.82	7.94
Bryant, Lewis D.	2.00			2.00
Bryant, Nathaniel			16.50	16.50
Bryant, Peleg, heirs of			15.68	15.68
Bryant, Sylvanus			24.33	24.33
Bryant, Warren L.	2.00	2.47		4.47
Bryant, William B.	2.00		.83	2.83
Bunker, Esther A.			4.95	4.95
Bunker, George C.	2.00		.82	2.82
Bumpus, William A.	2.00		19.80	21.80
Burbeck, Edward	2.00			2.00
Butler, James	2.00		36.30	38.30
Cahoon, Gertrude L.			10.68	10.68
Callahan, James	2.00			2.00
Callahan, Michael T.			29.70	29.70
Candine, Alphonzo	2.00			2.00
Cantori, Jack	2.00			2.00
Cantori, Raphael	2.00	5.77	21.45	29.22
Carey, Dennis		1.65		1.65
Carey, James	2.00			2.00
Carey, John P.			18.98	18.98
Carrow, Joseph	2.00	.66	29.70	32.36
Carrow, Joseph, Jr.	2.00		3.30	5.30

	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Carrow, Lawrence	2.00			2.00
Carrow, William	2.00			2.00
Carullo, John M.	2.00		11.55	13.55
Casper, Jacob	2.00	1.65		3.65
Center, John S.	2.00		7.07	9.07
Chandler, Alfred W.	2.00		22.28	24.28
Chandler, Algernon S.	2.00	16.50	158.40	176.90
Chandler, Claud M.	2.00		23.10	25.10
Chandler, Elbridge H.	2.00	52.80	47.03	101.83
Chandler, Elwood B.	2.00	4.95	30.53	37.48
Chandler, Frank E.	2.00			2.00
Chandler, Frank L.	2.00	46.20	4.13	52.33
Chandler, Fred C.	2.00		.41	2.41
Chandler, George F.	2.00	1.65	16.50	20.15
Chandler, George T.	2.00		17.33	19.33
Chandler, Horace J.	2.00	2.89	23.51	28.40
Chandler, John F.	2.00	1.65	12.37	16.02
Chandler, John S.	2.00		15.66	17.66
Chandler, Noah J.	2.00			2.00
Chandler, Wendell O.	2.00		18.15	20.15
Childs, Charles H.	2.00	4.95	30.53	37.48
Churchill, George L.	2.00	1.65	7.43	11.08
Churchill, Henry	2.00	8.25	48.26	58.51
Churchill, Herbert	2.00			2.00
Churchill Otis,	2.00		24.33	26.33
Cilley, Lewis W.	2.00			2.00
Clark, George H.	2.00	8.25	52.80	63.05
Clark, George Herbert	2.00	2.47	36.30	40.77
Clemons, Harry W.	2.00			2.00
Clemons, Joseph W.	2.00	7.42	20.63	30.05
Clifton, John D.	2.00	3.30		5.30
Clifton, John W.	2.00			2.00
Clinch, Matthew	2.00			2.00
Cobb, Henry, heirs of			30.12	30.12



	PERSONAL	REAL	TOTAL
			2.00
Cobb, Charles S.	1.25		1.25
Cobb & Drew	1.25	214.50	1,278.75
Cobb, Herbert W.	2.00	34.65	36.65
Cobb, John W.	2.00		2.00
Cobb, Philander, 2nd	2.00	2.47	4.47
Cobb, Rebecca R.		33.83	33.83
Cole, Ann E.	8.25	43.73	51.98
Cole, Charles H.	2.40	41.25	46.55
Cole, Frank L.	2.00	5.77	10.24
Cole, Horace C.	2.00	1.05	36.65
Cole, H. C. & W. S.	7.00	4.13	75.08
Cole, Leander S.	2.00		2.00
Cole, R. S.	117.15	202.12	649.27
Cole, Samuel, heirs of		33.83	33.83
Cole, Ward S.	2.00	3.30	56.10
Collins, Lawrence	2.00	28.05	30.05
Conner, James S.	2.00		2.00
Conner, Joseph K.	2.00		2.00
Cook, Edwin	2.00	18.15	20.15
Cook, Fred W.	2.00	1.24	11.55
Cook, Harold	2.00		14.79
Cook, Henry T.	2.00	1.54	25.16
Cook, Josiah	2.00		31.70
Cook, Gustav		27.23	2.00
Cumby, Harrah, heirs of		63.52	63.52
Cumby, T. H.		71.77	71.77
Cushing, George	2.00		2.00
Cushing, Wash. W.	2.00	10.50	18.50
Cushman, Briggs	2.00		2.00
Cushman & Baggett		20.40	10.50
Cushman, David, Jr.		9.08	9.08
Cushman, David W.	2.00		2.00
Cushman, Fred L.	2.00	1.65	18.56
Cushman, George		16.50	16.50

	POLL	PERSONAL	REAL	TOTAL
Cushman, George E., trustee,			38.78	38.78
Cushman, Joseph S., heirs of			.82	.82
Cushman, George E.	4.00	91.57	138.60	234.17
Cushman, James H.		1.24	11.88	13.12
Cushman, Lyman T.	2.00			2.00
Darey, James W.	2.00		18.98	20.98
Davis, Solomon	2.00	2.48	34.65	39.13
Dawes, James H.	2.00	9.90	67.65	79.55
Dawes, John C.	2.00	1.65	105.19	108.84
Dawes, Theodore F.	2.00			2.00
Delano, David	2.00	.83	39.60	42.43
Delano, John H.	2.00		.82	2.82
Delano, Joshua	2.00	4.12	68.06	74.18
Delano, Joshua, heirs of			26.40	26.40
Delano, Leander S.	2.00	3.30		5.30
Delano, Lewis S., heirs of			23.10	23.10
Delano, M. Parker	2.00			2.00
DeMar, John A.	2.00			2.00
DeMar, Elizabeth S.		1.65	24.75	26.40
DeNormandie, Courtland Y.	2.00		36.30	38.30
Devine, Arthur	2.00	2.47		4.47
Devine, John C.	2.00		33.00	35.00
Devine, Mary A., est. of			24.75	24.75
Dick, Michael	2.00			2.00
Donley, James	4.00		5.78	9.78
Douglass, Truman H.	2.00			2.00
Doulay, Joseph	2.00	.41	3.30	5.71
Drake, Ella B.			36.30	36.30
Drew, C. & Co.		66.00	79.20	145.20
Drew, Charles H.	4.00	2.47	32.18	38.65
Drew, Christopher P.		17.00	46.20	63.20
Drew, Eli C., heirs of		.41	49.91	50.32
Drew, John I.	2.00		.41	2.41

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	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Drew, J. L. A.			19.80	19.80
Drew, Lester B.	2.00			2.00
Drew, Nellie			14.85	14.85
Dries, Henry	4.00		16.91	20.91
Dunbar, Ruel W.	2.00	3.30	17.82	23.12
Eager, Robert	2.00		21.04	23.04
Elder, Eugene F.	2.00		16.50	18.50
Elder, Walter A.	2.00		21.45	23.45
Emond, Arthur	2.00	19.40	42.90	64.04
Emond, Napoleon	2.00			2.00
Emond, Mitchell	2.00	.41		2.41
Evans, George N.	2.00			2.00
Evans, Green	2.00		42.90	44.90
Evans, Willis	2.00		27.22	29.22
Everson, Henry S.	2.00	2.48	22.27	26.75
Everson, Warren N.			16.91	16.91
Edwards, Abnzo	2.00	1.65		3.65
Farrington, John B.	2.00		12.38	14.38
Farrington, John P.	2.00	19.80		21.80
Faunce, Carl C.	2.00		.41	2.41
Faunce, Charles T.	2.00	.66	48.84	51.50
Faunce, Elezer, est. of			21.04	21.04
Faunce, George, heirs of		1.65	24.34	25.99
Faunce, Lucy D.			29.70	29.70
Faunce, Myron	2.00			2.00
Faunce, Sarah			7.42	7.42
Faunce, Walter H.	2.00	172.84	86.62	261.46
Flackton, William	2.00			2.00
Finney, Stephen	2.00	1.24	9.90	13.14
Finney, Rebecca			51.15	51.15
Flynn, Thomas	2.00			2.00
Font, Lewis	2.00			2.00
Ford, Ellis B.	2.00			2.00
Ford, Isabel			37.95	37.95

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	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Ford, James H.	2.00			2.00
Ford, Lemuel R.	2.00	.50	35.89	38.39
Ford, Levi E.	2.00	62.70	50.32	115.02
Ford, Murcer W.	2.00		53.63	55.63
Ford, Robert E.	2.00			2.00
Foster, Herbert	2.00			2.00
Foster H. Waldo	2.00		30.94	32.94
Foster, Lewis S.	2.00	1.40	9.07	12.47
Freeman, D. Clifton	2.00		19.80	21.80
Freeman, Henry J.	2.00			2.00
Frost, Pliny	2.00			2.00
Fuller, Chester H.	2.00		22.28	24.28
Fuller, Truman H.	2.00		75.07	77.07
Geel, Benjamin H.	2.00	2.48	23.10	27.58
Gegne, Arthur	2.00	.41	6.60	9.01
Gilbert, Charles	2.00			2.00
Gilbert, Joseph	2.00	1.24	18.15	21.39
Gilbert, Leon	2.00		3.30	5.30
Gilpin, Joseph			19.80	19.80
Gleason, Ernest M.	2.00			2.00
Glass, Arthur M.	2.00	1.65	6.60	10.25
Glass, Herbert	2.00			2.00
Glass, William F.	2.00			2.00
Glover, Cyrus J.	2.00			2.00
Glover, Elizabeth F.			33.82	33.82
Gorham, Allen R.	2.00		19.80	21.80
Graves, George A.	2.00		17.33	19.33
Gray, Anna A.		.41	31.35	31.76
Gray, John, heirs of			33.82	33.82
Gray, Samuel W.	2.00		.83	2.83
Groat, George	2.00			2.00
Grozenger, Andrew	2.00			2.00
Grozenger, George, est. of		1.65	23.93	25.58
Grozenger, John W.	2.00			2.00

	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Christopher	2.00	1.65	20.63	24.28
Wm., heirs of			18.98	18.98
Henry	2.00		16.50	18.50
James L.	2.00	2.47	91.82	96.29
John F.	2.00	17.32	84.98	104.30
Wm., heirs of			31.35	31.35
Lawrence E.	2.00			2.00
Asa C.	2.00	3.71	31.76	37.47
Chester H.	2.00			2.00
James C.	2.00		15.68	17.68
Lester C.	2.00			2.00
Walter C.	2.00	3.30	138.60	143.90
Orin	2.00		14.03	16.03
Marcus	2.00			2.00
Deeds	2.00		18.15	20.15
Prof. W.	2.00			2.00
Thomas	2.00			2.00
John	2.00	3.30	16.50	21.80
Albert L.	2.00			2.00
Wm.	2.00		32.17	34.17
Wm.	2.00			2.00
Wm.	2.00	.41	22.28	24.69
Wm.	2.00	13.20		15.20
Wm.	2.00	2.47	18.15	22.62
Wm.	2.00			2.00
Wm.	2.00	1.65		3.65
Wm.	2.00	.41	2.06	4.48
Wm.	2.00	.41	23.10	25.51
Wm.	2.00			2.00
Wm.	2.00			2.00
Wm.	2.00	3.30		5.30
Wm.	2.00	4.12		6.12
Wm.	2.00			2.00
Wm.	2.00	4.95		6.95

	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Holman, Edward F.	2.00	18.15		20.15
Holman, Myron	2.00			2.00
Holman, William	2.00			2.00
Holmes, Albert	2.00			2.00
Holmes, Albert E.	2.00		23.10	25.10
Holmes, Alexander	2.00	115.50	214.50	332.00
Holmes, Alexander, trustee.		41.25		41.25
Holmes, Arthur B.	2.00	134.05	211.20	347.25
Holmes, Clyntia D.		331.24	152.62	483.86
Holmes, Elnathan S.	2.00		29.70	31.70
Holmes, George B.	2.00	.83	34.65	37.48
Holmes, Helen		170.36	29.70	200.06
Holmes, Horace	2.00	10.81	108.08	120.89
Holmes, Joseph A.	2.00	1,037.85	445.50	1,485.35
Holmes, Joseph, trustee		47.03	110.55	157.58
Holmes, Joseph	2.00		8.66	10.66
Holmes, Roger C.	2.00		36.30	38.30
Hunter, George	2.00	5.53	33.00	40.53
Hutchinson, Albert	2.00			2.00
Howe, Lucy H.			25.16	25.16
Howe, Caroline F.			26.40	26.40
Houghton, Walter L.	2.00			2.00
Howland, Charles F.	2.00		12.37	14.37
Howard, Isaac H.	2.00	2.07		4.07
Hunt, Sylvia		173.25	49.50	222.75
Independent Order of Odd Fellows			41.25	41.25
Joan, Peter	2.00			2.00
Jones, Helen M.			25.74	25.74
Jones, Henry M.	2.00	258.72	137.78	398.50
Keeley, Hannah			31.35	31.35
Keene, Francis W.	2.00	.83		2.83
Keevey, Everett P.	2.00			2.00

	POLL.	PERSONAL.	REAL.	TOTAL.
Keevey, John L.	2.00			2.00
Keith, Henry K.			135.30	135.30
Keith, Lewis H.	2.00	.82	148.50	151.32
Keith & Adams			26.40	26.40
Kelley, Alonzo M.	2.00		16.50	18.50
Kelley, Orrick	2.00		2.47	4.47
Kelliner, Thomas	2.00			2.00
Kennedy, Allen	2.00			2.00
Kennedy, Frank M.	2.00		15.68	17.68
Kennedy, Frank	2.00			2.00
Kennedy, James	2.00		13.20	15.20
Kennedy, Mary and sister		5.77	91.57	97.34
Kishman, Oscar	2.00		24.34	26.34
Kriegel, Nicholas	2.00			2.00
Krueger, Rudolph	2.00		19.39	21.39
Lane, George F.	4.00	19.39	75.90	99.29
Lane, George F. Jr.	2.00			2.00
Lanman, Ellen A.		1.65	20.63	22.28
Lanman, Henry T., heirs of			33.00	33.00
Larson, Ross			6.60	6.60
Leahy, Mary E.			31.35	31.35
Leahy, William N.	2.00			2.00
Leahy, William	2.00	1.65	25.58	29.23
Leahy, William, est. of			55.28	55.28
Leahy, William	2.00		23.93	25.93
Leahy, William, Jr.	2.00		19.80	21.80
Leahy, William, Jr.	2.00			2.00
Leahy, William, Jr.	2.00			2.00
Leahy, William			8.25	8.25
Leahy, William F. G.	2.00		19.80	21.80
Leonard, Vincent	2.00			2.00
Lincoln, John W. Jr.		2.47	37.95	40.42

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Lohdell, Arthur M.	2.00			2.00
Lohdell, George G.	2.00	1.23	21.45	24.68
Loring, Edgar W.	2.00	12.37	.41	14.78
Loring, Everett G.	2.00	1.65		3.65
Lovering, Judith A.			21.45	21.45
Low, Charles E.	2.00			2.00
Low, Serena			8.25	8.25
Lowe, George S.	2.00	4.13	28.05	34.18
Lubke, Edward F.	2.00			2.00
Maglathlin, Henry B.	2.00	16.50	75.90	94.40
Mahoney, John	2.00		29.70	31.70
Malone, Eugene	2.00			2.00
Malone, James T.	2.00			2.00
Malone, John	2.00			2.00
Malone, Michael H.	2.00			2.00
Malone, Patrick T.	2.00			2.00
Malone, William H.	2.00			2.00
Mange, Winthrop H.	2.00			2.00
Manley, Herbert B.	2.00		2.47	4.47
Matterson, William	2.00			2.00
Matthews, Walter	2.00			2.00
Martin, Henry	2.00			2.00
Mauro, Sacenti			1.65	1.65
Maynard, Alfred H.	2.00			2.00
Mayo, John H.	2.00	3.30	24.75	30.05
McCarthy, Charles	2.00		16.50	18.50
McCrane, James	2.00		9.90	11.90
McDonald, Allen	2.00		16.91	18.91
McDonald, John R.	2.00			2.00
McGrath, Michael	2.00	1.24	26.40	29.64
McGrath, Michael H.	2.00			2.00
McGrath, Robert, heirs of			17.33	17.33
McGrath, Thomas			13.20	13.20

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McGuire, William	2.00	11.55	13.55
McIntyre, Daniel, estate of		13.20	13.20
McIntyre, Edward	2.00		2.00
McLauthlin, Amelia W.		28.88	28.88
McLauthlin, Edwin L.	2.00	34.05	84.15
McLauthlin, Fanny B. and sister		4.95	4.95
McLauthlin, Frances A.		48.68	48.68
McLauthlin, Frank W.	2.00	27.23	29.23
McLauthlin F. W. & Co.	80.85	30.53	111.38
McLauthlin, Fred B.	2.00	4.95	37.06
McLauthlin, Geo. W.	2.00		2.00
McLauthlin, Horace B.	2.00	72.60	86.63
McLauthlin, Onslow	2.00	2.88	44.06
McLauthlin, Philemon W.	2.00	9.90	104.36
McLauthlin, Wallace		8.25	8.25
McManus, Charles	2.00		2.00
McManus, Michael, estate of		8.25	8.25
McManus, Terrence	2.00	13.20	15.20
Merry, Everett S.	2.00	33.00	33.00
Merrill, Clarence E.	2.00		2.00
Metz, Joseph	2.00	11.13	13.13
Miller, Edgar	2.00		2.00
Miller, George	2.00	9.90	11.90
Miller, Jacob	2.00	21.45	24.28
Miller, Antoine	2.00		2.00
Mitchell, Joel K.	2.00		2.00
Monks, Charles L.	2.00	10.72	12.72
Monks, John	2.00	41.25	43.25
Monks, John R.	2.00	37.95	43.66
Morini, John	2.00	14.03	16.03

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Morey, Charles S.	2.00		23.92	25.92
Morrissey, Vincent	2.00			2.00
Mullaney, John	2.00			2.00
Mullaney, Lewis	2.00			2.00
Murray, John	2.00		8.25	10.25
Muti, Louis	2.00		13.20	15.20
Muti, Sylvia	2.00			2.00
Myrick, William H.	2.00	41.25	95.70	138.95
Myrick, William W.	4.00	9.90	103.95	117.85
Nichols, Elizabeth		16.50	36.30	52.80
Nickodemus, John	2.00		17.33	19.33
Norcross, John	2.00			2.00
Noyes, William O.	2.00			2.00
Oakley, Charles F.	2.00	2.47	3.30	7.77
O'Brien, Eugene	2.00			2.00
O'Brien, Mary A.			6.60	6.60
O'Brien, Joseph	2.00			2.00
O'Brien, Patrick	2.00		15.68	17.68
O'Brien, William J.	2.00			2.00
Ormond, James	2.00			2.00
Ormond, John	2.00			2.00
Ormond, William	2.00			2.00
Ormond, Michael, estate of			21.45	21.45
O'Rourke, Catharine			8.25	8.25
Owens, George E.	2.00	1.23	9.08	12.31
Owers, John C.	2.00			2.00
Padelford, Enoch W.	2.00	2.47	26.40	30.87
Padelford, Theodore	2.00		38.78	40.78
Page, Marion		49.50	59.40	108.90
Palmer, Herbert	2.00		16.50	18.50
Parent, Michael	2.00	1.23	9.08	12.31
Palardi, Alfred	2.00			2.00
Patterson, Winfred	2.00			2.00

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Patric, Peter	2.00	.83	9.08	11.91
Paul, Abram	2.00		3.30	5.30
Peck, Catherine			34.65	34.65
Peck, John	2.00	2.47	24.75	29.22
Peck, John, 2nd	2.00			2.00
Peckham, Mary H.		82.50	37.95	120.45
Pendergast, Edward	2.00		24.75	26.75
Pendergast, Eugene	2.00			2.00
Pickens, Arthur L.	2.00			2.00
Pierce, Arthur W.	2.00		25.58	27.58
Pierce, James B.	2.00		18.15	20.15
Puchailey, Charles	2.00			2.00
Plympton, Eben		2.47	32.17	34.64
Porter, Frank	2.00			2.00
Potter, William	2.00		20.63	22.63
Powers, Charles H.	2.00			2.00
Pratt, Alphonzo	2.00	1.65	34.65	38.30
Pratt, Bernard C.	2.00	1.65	4.95	8.60
Pratt, Ephraim	2.00	.83	2.06	4.89
Pratt, Calen E.	2.00			2.00
Quinby, Bryon C.	2.00	115.50		117.50
Quinn, Edward	2.00			2.00
Quinn, John	2.00	7.43	55.27	64.70
Randall, Arthur R.	2.00			2.00
Randall, Edward A.	2.00	1.65	14.02	17.67
Randall, Jasper L.	2.00	2.47		4.47
Randall, John F.	2.00	1.65	23.10	26.75
Randall, Robert F.	4.00		14.03	18.03
Ramson, Charles A.	2.00			2.00
Ransom, Edward A.	2.00		19.80	21.80
Raymond, Adoniram J.	2.00		13.20	15.20
Raymond, George L.	2.00			2.00
Reckenbiel, Henry	2.00		20.63	22.63
Reed, Adelaide			8.25	8.25

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Reed, Arthur A.	2.00		7.42	9.42
Reed, Porter C.			23.10	23.10
Reidle, Robert	2.00		18.15	20.15
Reidenback, Paul	2.00		11.13	13.13
Reinhardt, Elizabeth H.			29.70	29.70
Reinhardt, Henry	2.00		19.80	21.80
Reinhardt, John	2.00		16.50	18.50
Reinhardt, Louis	2.00		24.75	26.75
Ring, Daniel W.			23.92	23.92
Ring, Samuel, heirs of			18.56	18.56
Ripley, Emily A.			48.68	48.68
Ripley, Henry L.			50.33	50.33
Ripley, Obed	2.00	.83	28.05	30.88
Robbins, Joseph S. heirs of			38.77	38.77
Robinschu, Jacob	2.00			2.00
Rogerson, Hezekiah	2.00			2.00
Rogerson, Philip S.	2.00	1.65	14.85	18.50
Rudolph, Frederick	2.00	.41	15.68	18.09
Rudolph, Jacob	2.00		5.78	7.78
Rudolph, William	2.00		16.50	18.50
Rushton, Howard L.	2.00		31.35	33.35
Russell, Catharine D.			22.28	22.28
Ryan, Michael J.	2.00		14.85	16.85
Ryder, Howard C.	2.00			2.00
Sampson, Abel T.			18.98	18.98
Sampson, Albert H.	2.00	1.65		3.65
Sampson, Chester	2.00			2.00
Sampson, Elizabeth B.		140.25		140.25
Sampson, Henry H.	2.00	198.00	2.47	202.47
Sampson, Isaac L.	2.00		7.42	9.42
Sampson, Julia		239.25	57.75	297.00
Sampson, Nahum	2.00		19.80	21.80
Sampson, Seavey B.	2.00		9.08	11.08

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Sauer, William A.	2.00	.41	8.25	10.66
Sargent, James W.	2.00	1.65	23.10	26.75
Sauer, Christopher	2.00		11.55	13.55
Sauer, Leola	2.00		19.80	21.80
Sauer, Wilbur	2.00			2.00
Savery, Winsor T.	2.00			2.00
Schaefer, Charles	2.00	1.65	29.70	33.35
Schilling, Gustaf	2.00	4.95	11.55	18.50
Sever, Michael	2.00	.41	13.20	15.61
Schmidt, John	2.00		15.68	17.68
Schmidt, John, Jr.	2.00			2.00
Schelly, Henry T.	2.00			2.00
Sheppard, William	2.00		11.13	13.13
Sherman, Edwin L.	2.00	2.48		4.48
Sherman, Harry B.	2.00	.41		2.41
Sherman, Oswald	2.00			2.00
Shverick, George W.	2.00	4.12	6.60	12.72
Selenschein, Robert	2.00			2.00
Selenschein, William	2.00			2.00
Selenschein, Brothers		9.08	30.53	39.61
Simmons, Augustus	2.00	.41	18.56	20.97
Simmons, Fred M.	2.00			2.00
Simmons, Helen A.			49.50	49.50
Simmons, Maudie			34.65	34.65
Simmons, Wendell	2.00	.82	18.15	20.97
Smith, John A.	2.00		29.70	31.70
Smith, Stephen B.	2.00	4.20	28.88	35.17
Smith, Abner, est. of			13.20	13.20
Smith, John T.	2.00	24.75		26.75
Smith, Nelson	2.00	.82		2.82
Smith, Percival W.	2.00	1.65	32.18	35.83
Smith, Philip	2.00	1.23	7.42	10.65
Smith, Richard J.	2.00		9.90	11.90
Smith, William	2.00	1.65		3.65

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Society, First Congregational			13.61	13.61
Society, Second Congregational			41.25	41.25
Society, Baptist			19.80	19.80
Soule, Abby A.		8.25	69.30	77.55
Soule, Harvey A.	2.00			2.00
Soule, James C.	2.00			2.00
Soule, William	2.00			2.00
Sprague, N. D. W.	2.00		20.63	22.63
Standard Oil Co.		18.15	14.85	33.00
Steele, Arthur	2.00			2.00
Steele, George W.	2.00			2.00
Steele & Farrington		14.85	3.30	18.15
Stegmaier, John	2.00	1.65	42.07	45.72
Steidle, John G.	2.00		8.25	10.25
Stephan, Jacob	2.00	1.23	16.50	19.73
Stetson, James H., heirs of			17.33	17.33
Stevens, James H.	2.00		21.45	23.45
Stranger, Annie E.			4.95	4.95
Stranger, Chauncey R.	2.00			2.00
Stranger, Marcia W.			7.45	7.45
Stranger, William A.	2.00		16.50	18.50
Sturtevant, Helen				29.70
Sturtevant, Henry	2.00			2.00
Sturtevant, Henry T.	2.00			2.00
Sturtevant, Simeon	2.00		16.50	18.50
Sturtevant, Lloyd			1.65	1.65
Sundstrum, Martin	2.00		12.37	14.37
Sweeney, Edward	2.00			2.00
Sweeney, William	2.00			2.00
Tache, Arthur	2.00			2.00
Tache, Frank	2.00	.82	11.55	14.37

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Thomas, J.	2.00		18.15	20.15
Thomas, William L.	2.00		8.25	10.25
Thomas, George	2.00			2.00
Thomas, Eliza			21.45	21.45
Thomas, Fred W.		2.06	9.90	11.96
Thomas, William A., est. of		135.30	100.65	235.95
Thomas, William M.	2.00			2.00
Thompson, John T.	2.00		18.98	20.98
Thompson, Webster L.	2.00		15.68	17.68
Tinkham, Charles S.			93.22	93.22
Tobey, Fred J.			12.37	12.37
Tobin, James E.	2.00			2.00
Tobin, John	2.00			2.00
Tobin, John J.	2.00			2.00
Troutenwig, Albert	2.00			2.00
Turner, Rebecca			2.47	2.47
Tupper, Seth, heirs of			13.20	13.20
Tyler, Stephen			2.00	2.00
Vaccino, John	2.00		19.80	21.80
Valcourt, Joseph	2.00		4.13	6.13
Vandini, Gai	2.00			2.00
Vezzani, Alphonzo	2.00			2.00
Vezzan, David	2.00	1.65	33.00	36.65
Vezzan, Lewis	2.00			2.00
Volk, Reinhardt	2.00	.41	19.80	22.21
Wadsworth, Arthur F.	2.00			2.00
Wadsworth, Robert E.	2.00			2.00
Wadsworth, William E.	2.00			2.00
Wald, Joseph	2.00			2.00
Ward, Lester E.			.83	.83
Ward, William G., est. of			12.78	12.78
Washburn, Arthur L.	2.00			2.00

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Washburn, Azel	2.00			2.00
Washburn, George H.	2.00	2.89	15.26	20.15
Washburn, Merinda			8.25	8.25
Washburn, Julia			19.80	19.80
Washburn, Lora	2.00			2.00
Washburn, Lucy, heirs of			.82	.82
Washburn, Lucy M.		62.70		62.70
Washburn, Martin P.	2.00		33.00	35.00
Washburn, Sarah R.		13.20		13.20
Washburn, Waldo	2.00	.41	16.91	19.32
Washburn, William P.	2.00			2.00
Waterman, Amanda			25.58	25.58
Waterman, Arthur H.	2.00			2.00
Waterman, Grace S.			8.25	8.25
Waterman, Sarah F.			8.25	8.25
Watson, Nathan B.	2.00		40.84	42.84
West, Henry S.	2.00			2.00
Weston, Charles B.	2.00			2.00
Weston, Daniel	2.00		.41	2.41
Wetzel, William	2.00			2.00
Whiting, George C.	2.00	1.65		3.65
Wilbur, Charles C.	2.00		33.00	35.00
Williams, Charles	2.00		18.98	20.98
Willis, Edward			28.88	28.88
Willis, Jonah	2.00		.41	2.41
Willis, William H.			13.20	13.20
Winder, Peter	2.00		9.08	11.08
Winsor, Channing	2.00			2.00
Winsor, Edward	2.00			2.00
Winsor, Joshua T.	2.00			2.00
Witherell, Edgar F.	2.00			2.00
Wolf, John	2.00		16.50	18.50



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Woodward, Frank C.	2.00	4.95		6.95
Woodward, Fred E.	2.00	59.40	86.63	148.03
Woodward, Phosine			8.25	8.25
Wood, George C.	2.00			2.00
Wood, Ichabod F.	2.00		6.60	8.60
Wright, Ezra S.	2.00	57.75	37.13	96.88
Wright, John W.	2.00		35.47	37.47
Wright, Nathaniel T.	2.00			2.00
Wright, Philander H.	2.00		20.62	22.62
Yager, Joseph	2.00			2.00

## NON-RESIDENT TAXES.

	PERSONAL.	REAL.
Faunce, Cornelius A., Abington,		4.95
Fuller, Josiah, heirs of, Baltimore,		.83
Nolan, Thomas, Beverly,		1.65
Ayer, M. S. & Co., Boston,		15.67
Beal, Alexander, heirs of, Boston,		3.71
Beal, Joseph S., Boston,		17.33
Beal, Thomas P., Boston,		3.30
Burr, Ida, A., Boston,		24.75
Demmon, Marcia R., Boston,		99.00
Rutan, Charles H., Boston,		4.13
Foster, Charles J., Boston,		12.37
Haggerty, Dennis, Boston,		.82
Faunce, Ann E., Boston,		113.85
Hammon, William P., Boston,		3.30
United Shoe Machinery Co., Boston,	325.05	133.65
Krake, Henry, Boston,		.83
Foley, Mary J., Boston,		7.42
Burgess, George H., Boston,		6.60
Burgess, Harrison G., Boston,		6.60
Shephard, Almira, Boston,		.83
Whiting, Jasper, Boston,		.41
Wunderlitch, Gustave, Boston,		15.26
Webb, Eugenia, Boston,		40.42
Wright, Freeman, Boston,		.83
Bailey, Fred C., Boston,		4.95
Bean, Forest, Boston,		3.30
Scanlon, Andrew E., Boston,		2.06
Bagnell, George, Bröckton,		2.47

	PERSONAL.	REAL.
Bagnell, Walter, Brockton,		1.65
Burges, Luthera M., est. of, Brockton,		87.45
Eakin, William R., Brooklyn, N. Y.,	3.30	124.58
Fuller, Clarinda, Cambridge,		14.85
Lamb, Margaret E., Cambridge,		3.30
Sever, Charles W., Cambridge,		74.25
Sherman, Ebenezer, heirs of, Cambridge,		20.70
Cole, Theron M., Carver,		.83
Chandler, Henry B., Duxbury,		4.12
Chandler, Horatio, Duxbury,		5.77
Chandler, Samuel B., Duxbury,		.33
Cushing, Hattie W., Duxbury,		.83
Duprey, Oliver, Duxbury,		1.65
Loring, Edgar W., Duxbury,		3.30
Loring, Harrison G., Duxbury,		37.13
Parks, Nancy S. W., Duxbury,		16.50
Phipps, Laura M., Duxbury,		33.00
Ryan, Michael, Duxbury,		12.37
Prior, Sylvanus, Duxbury,		1.65
White, Otis, est. of, Duxbury,		26.40
Fuller, Fred C., East Bridgewater,		.83
Fuller, Isadus, East Bridgewater,		.83
Holmes, George M., Gardiner, Me.,	1.65	26.40
McLauthlin, Harriet P., Hanover,		1.65
Phillips, Lot, Hanover,		132.00
Bourne, Frank, Hanson,		1.24
Foster, John, Hanson,		4.12
Lanman, John, Hingham,		16.50
Sprague, Elisha C., Hingham,		.82
Reed, Marcia R., Kansas,		1.65
Littlefield, Horace G., Lynn,		.83
Quimby, William C., Lynn,		1.65
Foster Wm. and sister, Marshfield,		26.40
Baker, Leonard C., Marshfield,		1.65

	PERSONAL.	REAL.
Crowley, John, Medford,		3.30
Clark & Cole, Middleboro,		31.35
Chandler, Abbott, Newport,		.83
Cushman, Ann, heirs of, Newton,		4.12
Maccabee, Ellen, New York,		.83
Juchau, George, New York,		.83
Howard, Caroline, Omaha,		2.47
Ford, Baker, est. of., Pembroke,		6.60
Whitman, Fred N., Middleboro,	99.00	
Anderson, William, Plymouth,		.41
Bartlett, George D., Plymouth,		3.30
Bates, James C., Plymouth,		2.47
Brewster, Sarah, Plymouth,		6.60
Beytes, Harry, Plymouth,		1.65
Barnes, E. & J. C., Plymouth,		28.87
Shaw, Elmer, Plymouth,	16.50	
Cole, Henry A., Plymouth,		1.23
Brauncker, Joseph, Plymouth,		14.03
Callahan, Eugene, Plymouth,		13.20
Chase, George H., Plymouth,		.83
Cushman, Zack H., Plymouth,		.82
Clark, Robert, heirs of, Plymouth,		.83
Davis, Charles S., Plymouth,		.82
Diman, William C., Plymouth,		.83
Shaw, Alice G., Plymouth,		46.20
Drew, Thomas B., heirs of, Plymouth,		31.35
Douglas, Nathan W., Plymouth,	4.12	4.13
Faunce, Ann, Plymouth,		30.53
Beytes, Madeline, Plymouth,		33.00
Lendri, Elizabeth, Plymouth,		6.60
Atwood, Edward B., Plymouth,		6.60
Fostermeier, Lena, Plymouth,		1.24
Hedge, Priscilla S., Plymouth,		9.90

PERSONAL.	REAL.
Hedge, Isaac L., Plymouth,	1.65
Holmes, Nathaniel, Plymouth,	1.65
Peck & Barlow, Plymouth,	3.30
Loring, Walter S., Plymouth,	41.25
Moore, John, Plymouth,	.41
Morrison, Alexander, Plymouth,	.83
Nelson, Joseph, Plymouth,	.41
Norton, Andrew, Plymouth,	10.72
Phillips, Andrew, Plymouth,	1.65
Plymouth Savings Bank, Plymouth,	42.90
Plymouth Co-operative Bank, Plymouth,	9.90
Torgeson, Halvor, Plymouth,	9.67
Plymouth Cordage Co., Plymouth,	15.68
Robischau, Peter, Plymouth,	.82
Ryan, Michael, Plymouth,	.83
Dionigi Rossi, Plymouth,	.41
Town of Plymouth, Plymouth,	.82
Robbins, Leavitt T., Plymouth,	5.36
Sears, Nathaniel M., Plymouth,	20.63
Thomas, Gamaliel, Plymouth,	.11
Touterwig, Matthews, Plymouth,	2.47
Winsor, William H., Plymouth,	1.65
Dennett, Albert H., Plympton,	.41
Ford, Elijah S., Plympton,	19.80
Fuller, Lewis, Plympton,	.83
Keevey, Martin W., Plympton,	.83
Thompson, Josiah W., Plympton,	1.65
Wright, Samuel C., Plympton,	1.65
Fillebrown, Bessie E., Plympton,	1.65
Carll, Frank, Providence,	30.93
Faunce, Ichabod W., Quincy,	1.24
Lincoln, Sarah A., Quincy,	19.80
Swinburn, William C., Providence,	7.42

PERSONAL.	REAL.
Higgins, John, Somerville,	.82
Holmes, Lemuel B., Rochester, N. H.,	6.60
Southworth, Deborah J., Rockland,	.83
Whiting, Ernest G., Stoughton,	.83
Sias, Amanda, Ossipee, N. H.,	.82
Vincent, Charles A., Waltham,	13.20
Chessman, Elizabeth A., Waltham,	4.95
Oldham, John W., Wellesley,	16.50
Atwood, Benjamin S., Whitman,	8.25
Bryant, Frank W., Whitman,	.83
Walker, George H., Whitman,	16.50
Packard, Winthrop F., Whitman,	4.95
Peterson, Andrew H., Whitman,	7.84
Terrill, William, Whitman,	2.47
Reed, Elizabeth S., Whitman,	2.48
Prince, Thomas, Worcester,	2.47

## ORDERS PAID.

### SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

#### *Teachers' Wages.*

##### Paid—

Bagnell, Francis L.,	\$194 40
Baker, Stella B.,	249 60
Brown, Elva L.,	333 00
Carleton, Julia C.,	533 00
Curran, Mary A.,	370 00
Dunbar, Lydia W.,	407 00
Faulkner, Bessie K.,	310 00
Faunce, Sarah C.,	421 00
Gale, Joan P.,	253 00
Gleason, Ernest M.,	962 50
Marston, Maude H.,	347 00
Moran, Gertrude L.,	112 00
Packard, Josephine S.,	478 40
Shearer, E. May,	442 00
Stone, Eva E.,	407 00
Stornes, Alice B.,	478 40

##### Expended,

\$6.298 30

#### *School Books.*

##### Paid—

American School Book Co.,	\$1 92
Atkinson, Mentzer, Grover & Co.,	1 72
Edward A. Babb & Co.,	570 53

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Silver, Burdette & Co.,	15 23
Cupples & Shoenhoff,	3 00
Oliver Ditson & Co.,	93
Ginn & Co.,	79 12
D. C. Heath & Co.,	5 54
George F. King,	1 07
L. E. Knott & Co.,	10 15
Rand & McNally,	4 80
William Ware & Co.,	7 20

##### Expended,

\$701 21

#### *Repairs.*

##### Paid—

Charles A. Ransom,	\$8 95
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	13 00
C. E. Bailey & Son,	3 00
Lothrop A. Bradford,	40 78
George H. Clark,	22 86
John W. Cobb,	6 22
Frank L. Cole,	197 05
American School Furniture Co.,	81 75
H. Waldo Foster,	43 72
George B. Holmes,	8 75
Thompson & Holmes,	201 80
James McCrate,	4 50
Frank C. Woodward,	13 45

##### Expended,

\$645 83

#### *Fuel and Care.*

##### Paid—

H. Waldo Foster, janitor,	\$333 26
John W. Cobb, janitor and services as secretary of School Committee,	353 39
Kate M. Halligan, janitor,	20 50

Clinton T. Keith, janitor,	34 17
Elva L. Brown, janitor,	17 50
Archie W. Finney, janitor,	15 50
Joseph W. Clemens, janitor,	12 95
George C. Owens, janitor,	12 00
M. A. Chandler, cleaning house,	2 50
Frances Valcourt, cleaning house,	2 50
Frances Dube, cleaning house,	5 00
Ann Hartin, cleaning house,	4 50
Mary Halligan, cleaning house,	1 95
Mrs. J. Stephan, cleaning house,	2 50
Mrs. J. Walsh, cleaning house,	75
Theresa Pratt, cleaning house,	2 55
Joseph Higgins, supplies,	1 25
George E. Cushman, supplies,	7 00
Henry B. Maglathlen, supplies,	6 00
Wallace McLaithlen, supplies,	2 50
Co-operative Store Co., supplies,	33 01
Charles S. Morey, labor,	1 50
Philemon W. McLaithlen, wood,	134 25
Joshua Delano, wood,	6 25
Charles S. Shupe, wood,	17 25
George L. Churchill, wood,	15 00
Edgar W. Loring, coal,	344 38
James Millar & Co., coal,	67 50
Expended,	\$1,457 41

*Superintendence.*

Paid—	
Everett G. Loring,	\$600 00
Ernest M. Bartlett,	12 50
Est. B. P. Barslow,	20 00
Expended,	\$632 50

*Music.*

Paid—	
S. Jessie Merrill,	\$250 00

*Drawing.*

Paid—	
Lillian Newman,	\$200 00
Elizabeth Bartlett,	50 00
Expended,	\$250 00

*Conveyance.*

Paid—	
Brockton & Plymouth St. Railway,	\$200 00
George L. Churchill,	152 00
Elliot W. Blanchard,	173 00
Edwin R. Bailey, repairing wagon,	40 25
Expended,	\$565 25

*School Incidentals.*

Paid—	
William W. Myrick, labor and supplies,	\$28 76
William H. Myrick,	35
Fred. N. Whitman,	7 32
Elwood B. Chandler,	4 50
H. Waldo Foster,	2 42
Everett G. Loring,	32 14
Memorial Press,	12 40
John W. Cobb,	3 38
Winslow Cushing,	1 50
H. C. Kendall,	3 75
Oliver Ditson & Co.,	1 62
G. Herbert Clark,	9 30
R. W. Mellen,	6 50
Howard L. Cushman,	20 00

W. H. H. Co.,	1 70
W. H. H. Co.,	4 00
W. H. H. Co.,	38 40
	\$178 12
W. H. H. Co., for schools,	\$10.95 00

### SUPPORT OF HIGHWAYS.

W. H. H. Co., for machinery—	
W. H. H. Co., for steam roller,	\$3.250 50
W. H. H. Co., for sprinkling wagon,	326 50
W. H. H. Co., for building house for machinery—	
W. H. H. Co., for lumber,	145 90
W. H. H. Co., for lumber,	12 33
W. H. H. Co., labor,	60 28
W. H. H. Co., labor,	18 75
W. H. H. Co., labor and stock, building a	
W. H. H. Co.,	13 75
W. H. H. Co., labor and stock, building a snow	
W. H. H. Co.,	4 10
W. H. H. Co., labor and stock on the highway—	
W. H. H. Co.,	90 75
W. H. H. Co., sewer pipe,	254 40
W. H. H. Co.,	28 90
W. H. H. Co., & Son,	31 31
W. H. H. Co.,	8 40
W. H. H. Co.,	10 80
W. H. H. Co.,	12 90
W. H. H. Co.,	141 70
W. H. H. Co.,	3 30
W. H. H. Co.,	27 20
W. H. H. Co.,	10 00

Caspar, Jacob,	43 60
Chandler, Alfred W.,	1 20
Chandler, Horace J.,	102 25
Chandler, John S.,	3 60
Churchill, Otis,	26 20
Clabin, Charles A., & Co.,	3 35
Cobb, Philander,	10 00
Clemons Brothers,	21 60
Cole, Charles H.,	41 60
Cole, Leander S.,	2 00
Conant, Joseph,	10 40
Comeau, James,	2 75
Cook, Fred W.,	28 60
Cook, Henry T.,	4 00
Craig, D. H.,	28 55
Cushman, George E.,	16 47
Cushman & Bagnell,	1 40
Drew, C., & Co.,	4 45
Delano, John,	1 00
Emond, Arthur,	84 15
Famce, Eliezer, est. of,	3 24
Finney, Stephen,	68 80
Foster, Lewis S.,	10 80
Frost, Pliny F.,	58 10
Fuller, Truman H.,	3 40
Geel, Benjamin H.,	34 90
Good Roads Machinery Co.,	9 75
Hall, John F.,	49 28
Hart, Dennis,	1 80
Hart, David,	1 90
Hart, Fred,	10 40
Hartin, John F.,	16 90
Holmes, Alexander,	50
Holmes, Horace,	100 30
Hunter, George,	11 05
Italian, Moses,	4 00

Lane, George F.,	7 20
Lane Quarry Co.,	740 72
Latham, Wallace N.,	7 39
Lapham, Albert,	58 20
Loring, Edgar W.,	20 91
Low, Rose E.,	1 80
McCrute, James,	23 59
McIntyre, Clarence,	2 60
McIntyre, George,	16 60
Miller, Jacob,	34 40
McLauthlin, Horace B.,	3 60
McLauthlin, Onslow,	37 00
McLauthlin, P. W.,	40 00
Morey, Charles S.,	20 70
Mullaney, John,	10 10
Murray, John,	35 80
Owens, George E.,	48 40
Parent, Michael,	13 20
Pierce, James,	39 00
Pratt, Alphonzo,	9 20
Pratt, Howard,	80
Quinn, John,	36 20
Ripley, Emery,	2 80
Ripley, Obed,	13 50
Robbins, L. T.,	36 00
Rogerson, Philip S.,	21 80
Rudolph, Jacob,	29 20
Rudolph, William,	1 25
Sampson, Albert,	22 40
Sampson, Isaac L.,	73 90
Sampson, Nahum,	204 40
Sampson, William A.,	17 30
Schuler, Charles,	45 68
Schlesinger Brothers,	32 80
Simmons, Augustus,	26 70
Simmons, Fred M.,	11 80

Sauer, Christian,	1 80
Stephan, Jacob,	90 23
Sturtevant, Henry,	8 60
Tyler, Stephan,	15 60
Washburn, George H.,	25 20
Weston, Daniel,	24 70
Whitman, Fred N.,	14 74
Woodward, Fred E.,	12 60
Wright, E. S.,	12 05
Expended,	\$7,228 30

*Removing Snow.*

Alberghini, John,	\$1 00
Alberghini, Peter,	75
Anderson, August,	4 00
Atwood, E. E.,	20 90
Baker, Granville,	6 00
Balsani, Primo,	75
Bartell, George,	2 00
Bartlett, Clement D.,	3 75
Basler, Jacob,	3 37
Benson, Edmund,	1 37
Berry, Roscoe E.,	2 00
Blanchard, Elliot,	15 00
Brackett, Fred G.,	17 00
Bryant, George B.,	7 10
Bryant, Sylvanus,	7 25
Bryant, William,	2 50
Burns, Keneth,	40
Callahan, James,	1 50
Cantori, Jack,	1 50
Cantori, Raphael,	1 25
Carrow, Fred,	2 25
Carrow, Laurence,	1 87
Carrow, William,	4 00

Adams, John	5 32
Adams, Alfred W.	5 80
Adams, George T.	4 68
Adams, John	2 91
Adams, Oakley	80
Adams, S. J.	4 13
Adams, Fred W.	2 62
Adams, Jerry T.	4 25
Adams, A. Bagnell	45
Adams, John	2 60
Adams, Richard	4 00
Adams, John A.	9 75
Adams, William	2 25
Adams, Mitchell	2 25
Adams, Truman H.	4 00
Adams, Clarence R.	62
Adams, George	2 80
Adams, Henry	1 25
Adams, John	1 00
Adams, Arthur	25 35
Adams, Michael	7 00
Adams, George	60
Adams, John	4 50
Adams, Anne	8 75
Adams, Stephen W.	3 75
Adams, Andrew D.	6 87
Adams, John S.	3 00
Adams, Edward	1 50
Adams, Mary	8 74
Adams, Peter P.	1 37
Adams, Thomas H.	1 50
Adams, Foster	2 87
Adams, John H.	6 75
Adams, Arthur	3 50
Adams, Clarence	40
Adams, Dennis	4 50

Hart, William	87
Hingley, Daniel C.	2 00
Holmes, Albert E.	1 00
Holmes, Alexander	32 50
Holmes, Helen	17 25
Holmes, Joseph A.	6 00
Holmes, Ralph	50
Howe, Edward S.	1 10
Howe, Harold H.	37
Howland, Charles F.	2 50
Howland, Isaac	4 00
Howland, Wadsworth, & Co.	1 10
Joan, Peter	2 62
Keith, Clinton	40
Lapham, Albert	2 49
Loring, Fred	4 25
Lorodi, Vincent	1 25
Lowe, George S.	50
Malone, Robert	80
Malone, William	3 62
McIntyre, Daniel	50
McLauthlin, Edwin L.	6 00
McLauthlin, P. W.	22 75
Merry, Everett S.	1 25
Miller, Jacob	4 37
Mullaney, James	1 50
Mullaney, John	1 62
Murray, John	12 50
O'Brien, Joseph	1 00
O'Brien, William J.	75
Ormond, James	2 50
Owens, George E.	6 50
Palmer, Herbert B.	1 00
Pendergast, Eugene	2 00
Pierce, James B.	1 25
Plymouth Cordage Co.	1 65



Peter, William,	8 25
Phatt, Alphonzo,	7 24
Phatt, Howard,	1 60
Ross, Fred A.,	75
Raymond, A. J.,	85
Rudolph, Jacob,	1 50
Rudolph, John,	1 50
Rudolph, Martin,	1 50
Rudolph, Rudolph,	3 00
Sampson, Isaac L.,	1 62
Sampson, Nahum,	44 00
Sauer, Jacob,	1 50
Schaefer, John,	1 25
Schilling, Gottfried,	25 54
Schilling, Nicholas,	3 32
Sheppard, William,	3 62
Sherman, Harry B.,	1 50
Soule, James C.,	1 25
Stranger, Harrison,	9 00
Sturtevant, Simeon,	5 02
Sweeney, Edward,	1 00
Tachie, Archie,	4 12
Thompson, Webster L.,	3 12
Washburn, Martin P.,	5 25
Whiting, Chester,	2 37
Willet, Edward,	2 00
Woodward, Carl,	1 20
Woodward, Lester,	3 87
Woodward, Richard,	1 40
Wright, Nathaniel T.,	62
Volk, Robert,	3 37
Amount expended,	\$560 09
Sum expended in support of highways,	\$7,789 29

Section 17, Chapter 47, of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts, reads as follows:

"The commission shall expend in such towns the valuation of which does not exceed one million dollars and in which no State highway has been built, and in such amounts as it determines, five per cent. of the amount appropriated each year for the construction and repair of State highways in constructing and repairing ways in such towns. It may also expend a further amount of not more than five per cent. of said appropriation in towns the valuation of which exceeds one million dollars in such amounts as it determines, if such towns appropriate, to be expended under this and the preceding section, an amount in addition to the average annual appropriations for repairs of highways in such towns for the preceding five years, equal to the amount allotted by said Commission. Such allotments and expenditures shall be made only upon the petition of the Selectmen of the towns, and a way constructed or repaired under the provisions of this section shall not thereby become a State highway. No town shall so receive in any one year more than forty per cent. of its average annual appropriation for highway purposes for the preceding five years."

The valuation of this town exceeds one million dollars and it has raised and appropriated for repairs of highways within the past five years \$24,436. The average per year is a little less than \$5,000, and forty per cent. is \$2,000. It follows then that if the town is to receive aid from the Highway Commission, about \$5,000 must be raised for repairs of highways and a sum not exceeding \$2,000 especially for the Highway Commission. The Commission has indicated that if these conditions are complied with they will be prepared to act upon the petition of the Selectmen now before them. The Town voted at the last annual March meeting to expend \$3,200 for machinery necessary for the construction of modern stone roads.

More than \$3,800 has been paid for machinery and a building for housing, and it is no longer necessary to beg for the hire of others when such equipments are needed. It will have better railroad facilities. Crushed stone, imported abroad, can be landed at either of three railway stations. From the Central station six miles of road can be built within a radius of one mile. And it is a question for the Road Commissioners to consider whether they shall take advantage of these conditions to some extent or continue to haul inferior material two and three miles to be dressed over each season.

# SUPPORT OF POOR.

## Paid—

Taunton Insane Hospital, support of Caleb F. Washburn and Hattie E. Cobb,	\$85 42
Westboro Insane Hospital, support of S. B. Holmes,	42 71
Medfield Insane Asylum, support of Sarah Fauce,	36 80
Town of Whitman, support of Mary E. Perkins,	120 00
Maria Fuller, support of Mary F. Fuller,	312 00
George E. Cushman, support of Mary F. Fuller,	15 83
Dr. B. P. Barstow, support of Mary F. Fuller,	13 00
Dr. A. B. Holmes, support of Mary F. Fuller,	6 00
William F. Weston, support of Mrs. McDonald and family,	35 71
George E. Cushman, support of Mrs. McDonald and family,	97 54
Dr. B. P. Barstow, support of Mrs. McDonald and family,	50 50

Dr. Oscar C. Swope, support of Mrs. McDonald and family,	4 00
Edgar W. Loring, support of Mrs. McDonald and family,	7 25
Philemon W. McLaithlen, support of Mrs. McDonald and family,	8 75
Dr. A. B. Holmes, support of Mrs. McDonald and family,	6 00
Fred N. Whitman, support of Susan Bryant,	12 59
E. E. Hayden, support of Susan Bryant,	2 00
E. S. Wright, support of Susan Bryant,	60 20
John T. Smith, support of Susan Bryant,	3 60
Philemon W. McLaithlen, support of Susan Bryant,	18 10
George S. Lowe, support of Susan Bryant,	12 04
Lelia Merrick, support of Susan Bryant,	77 66
Winslow Cushing, support of Susan Bryant,	1 50
Frank L. Bryant, support of Susan Bryant,	24 00
Drs. A. B. Holmes, Hartwell and Churchill, support of Susan Bryant,	106 00
Raphael Cantori, support of Mrs. Begalky and family,	42 00
Edgar W. Loring, support of Mrs. Begalky and family,	14 90
Philemon W. McLaithlen, support of Mrs. Begalky and family,	14 85
Clifford Holman, support of Mrs. Begalky and family,	8 10
Frank L. Chandler, support of Mrs. Begalky and family,	17 25
George E. Cushman, support of Mrs. Begalky and family,	60 62
Everett S. Merry, support of Mrs. Begalky and family,	54 97
Ezra S. Wright, support of Mrs. Martin Smith and family,	124 81

Edgar W. Loring, support of Mrs. Martin Smith and family,	22 12
George E. Cushman, support of Mrs. Martin Smith and family,	9 12
Philemon W. McLaughten, support of Mrs. Martin Smith and family,	26 35
Chester A. Baker, support of Mrs. Martin Smith and family,	9 35
Dr. B. P. Barstow, support of Mrs. Martin Smith and family,	55 00
Fred N. Whitman, support of Mrs. Martin Smith and family,	2 60
Sarah R. Washburn, support of Mrs. Martin Smith and family,	36 00
William Smith, support of family of Hanaford Sherwood,	4 00
Dr. B. P. Barstow, support of family of Hanaford Sherwood,	4 50
George E. Cushman, support of family of Hanaford Sherwood,	10 23
Dr. Oscar C. Swope, support of family of Hanaford Sherwood,	9 00
Philemon W. McLaughten, support of family of Hanaford Sherwood,	17 12
Mrs. Sherwood, support of family of Hanaford Sherwood,	96 00
Frank L. Chandler, support of Mrs. I. Wood,	85 32
Philemon W. McLaughten, support of Mrs. I. Wood,	15 10
Dr. A. B. Holmes, support of Mrs. I. Wood,	7 50
George F. Love, support of Mrs. I. Wood,	17 08
E. S. Wright, support of Mrs. Ahearne,	75 23
George E. Cushman, support of Mrs. Ahearne,	1 25
Philemon W. McLaughten, support of Mrs. Ahearne,	11 87
Emily Watson, support of Mrs. Ahearne,	31 00

Gillispie Brothers, support of Frank T. Drake and family,	16 50
City of Brockton, support of Frank T. Drake and family,	6 17
George C. Holmes, support of Frank T. Drake and family,	8 25
E. S. Wright, support of Mrs. Charles Davis,	92
George E. Cushman, support of Mrs. Charles Davis,	34 67
Mrs. Robert McGrath, support of Mrs. Charles Davis,	40 00
Philemon W. McLaughten, support of Mrs. Charles Davis,	12 12
Edgar W. Loring, support of Mrs. Charles Davis,	11 13
Dr. B. P. Barstow, support of Mrs. Charles Davis,	23 00
E. S. Wright, support of Joseph Emond,	13 76
Dr. Arthur B. Holmes, support of Joseph Emond,	32 00
John Moran, support of Joseph Emond,	15 00
Joseph G. Higgins, support of Joseph Emond,	30 00
Frank L. Chandler, support of Wm. O. Nutter,	16 50
Abbie F. Hathaway, support of Nellie Nutter,	84 00
Harry W. Shurtleff, support of Mrs. R. Drew,	135 00
Isaac T. Reed, support of family,	120 00
Dr. A. B. Holmes, support of family of Jos. Yager,	9 00
Abmeda Collins, support of self,	96 00
Dr. A. B. Holmes, support of family of Mrs. Valcourt,	22 50
Frank L. Chandler, support of family of Mrs. Valcourt,	130 83
Winslow Cushing, support of Plomondo family,	2 50
Rose A. Devine, support of family,	130 00
Frank L. Chandler, support of Morisette,	5 51
George E. Cushman, support of Moses Italian,	17 23
George H. Clark, labor at Almshouse,	18 78
E. S. Wright, support of tramps,	75
Samuel Atwell,	9 38

John Drew,	10. 00
George E. Cushman,	3 77
Alexander Holmes,	4 50
Charles T. Faunce,	14. 50
P. W. McLaughlin, supplies for Nannie Gerry,	2 88
E. S. Wright, supplies for Nannie Gerry,	6 95
Frank L. Chandler, supplies for Jos. Dube,	5 94

Expended, \$3,150 53

It is reasonable to suppose that the expenses of this department may be less the coming year. Eleven recipients of aid have ceased to require it from this town. \$284 of the sum expended this year will be assumed by the State hereafter; \$472 is chargeable to other towns. \$90 will not appear again on account of death, and one has ceased to require aid for whose support the town has paid \$120 the past year. New cases are constantly arising, but it does not seem probable that this reduction in numbers can be equalled by new applicants. One hundred and eleven tramps have been accommodated at small expense.

The Overseers of the Poor are of the opinion that \$2,500 will suffice for the coming year, and recommend that that sum be appropriated.

## DISBURSEMENT OF AID TO SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

### State Aid.

Paid—

Bagnell, John C.	\$32 00
Bonney, George H.	12 00
Bradford, Cornelius	48 00
Bryant, Charles E.	48 00

Churchill, George L.	48 00
Cobb, Charles S.	24 00
Elliott, Anastasia D.	40 00
Fuller, Chester H.	48 00
Glover, Cyrus J.	48 00
Hartin, John F.	72 00
Longendyke, Lucas	72 00
Owens, George E.	48 00
Sampson, Isaac L.	62 00
Simmons, Mary J.	48 00
Thayer, William L.	48 00
Wadsworth, William E.	48 00
Whiting, Louise M.	48 00
Winsor, Joshua T.	20 00
Witherel, Jairus S.	72 00

Expended \$886 00

The State assumes and reimburses the Town for the foregoing payments.

## SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

There has been paid under Chap. 79, Sections 18 and 19 of the Revised Laws, for aid to John Bonney as follows:

To John Bonney, \$10 per month,	\$120 00
To Mary E. Brett, care,	103 00
To Dr. Arthur B. Holmes, services,	30 50
To Crofton Shupe, wood,	17 50

Expended, \$271 00

# WATER DEPARTMENT.

John M. ... services as superintendent,	\$483 14
James H. Fuller, services as clerk and collector,	81 14
Edward G. Brown, labor and supplies,	38 70
George B. Holmes, labor and supplies,	152 23
Braman Dow & Co., supplies,	251 50
Chadwick Lead Co.,	146 12
Walworth Manufacturing, supplies,	29 43
C. Drew & Co., supplies,	4 85
Perrin, Leman & Co., supplies,	13 30
Brown, Wales & Co., supplies,	8 10
C. E. Bailey & Son, supplies,	1 35
Frank L. Chandler, supplies,	3 31
George E. Cushman, rent,	25 95
Edgar W. Loring, coal,	18 49
Philemon W. McLaughlin, wood,	1 37
New York & Boston Ex. Co., expressing,	1 65
Memorial Press, printing,	2 25
John Murray, labor,	3 25
Jacob Rudolph, labor,	5 25
Daniel Bisbee, labor,	1 75
Jacob Boop, labor,	19 80
Jacob Miller,	13 20
John W. Hickey,	14 00
William Chase,	9 00
Moses Bauplin,	10 80
Harold J. Chandler,	2 50
Alexander Holmes,	5 00
William Ormrod,	5 00
Expended,	\$1,352 65

# WATER DEBT.

Paid—	
For water bond, No. 18,	\$1,000 00
For interest on bonds,	980 00
For one note,	500 00
For interest on notes,	280 00
For Eliot Bank commission,	6 90
Expended,	\$2,766 90

# FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid—	
Combination Ladder Co., supplies,	\$400 00
Frank C. Woodward, Hose No. 2, pung,	38 00
John C. Davies, Hose No. 1, pung,	10 00
Ruel W. Dunbar, Hose No. 3, pung,	10 00
Pliny Frost, supplies,	1 00
Robert E. Ford, supplies,	50
Fred R. Siddall, supplies,	2 00
George E. Cushman, supplies,	1 50
Cushman & Bagnell, supplies,	84
Frank L. Cole, supplies,	3 80
Henry S. West, supplies,	3 00
Thompson & Holmes, painting,	14 12
Albert E. Holmes, painting,	6 00
Edgar W. Loring, coal,	3 75
Philemon W. McLaughlin, wood,	2 75
Eugene F. Elder, engineer,	26 75
Albert E. Holmes, engineer,	8 50
Ellis B. Ford, engineer,	2 00
Webster L. Thompson, engineer,	2 67
George E. Bailey, steward,	12 00

Steward,	12 00
Steward,	7 00
Steward,	5 00

*Members of Hose Co. No. 1*

	\$20 00
	4 02
	2 68
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	8 00
	8 00
	8 00
	8 00
	5 30
	8 00
	8 00
	8 00
	5 36
	8 00
	8 00
	8 00
	8 00

*Members of Hose Co. No. 2*

	\$9 33
	8 00
	8 00
	8 00
	10 00
	8 00
	13 00
	3 33

Pratt, Elliot	15 00
Pratt, Ephriam	8 00
Ryder, Howard L.	4 67
Steele, Arthur	8 00
Sturtevant, Henry	8 00

*Members of Hose Co. No. 3*

Austin, Samuel	\$8 00
Blanchard, Lawrence	8 00
Brown, Alfred	8 00
Brown, William	8 00
Cobb, Philander	20 00
Everson, Horatio S.	2 68
Reinhardt, John	8 00
Schelly, Henry	8 00
Seibenschu, Robert	8 00
Smith, John	8 00
Sweeney, Edward	8 00
Sweeney, William	5 32
Thomas, William M.	8 00

Expended. \$887 29

Add to this the sum of \$99 paid and charged to Forest Fires, and we have the sum of \$950 29 expended for fire protection. The appropriation was \$825, and this account is overdrawn \$125 29.

Since \$458 of the \$887 29 charged to the Fire department was expended for permanent equipments, a reduction in the appropriation may be safely made for the year to come.

CONTINGENT.

Samuel, selectman and assessor, 1903-'04,	\$300 00
Freeman, D. Clifton, selectman and assessor,	300 00
Faunce, Walter H., selectman and assessor,	300 00
Smith, Samuel, overseer of poor,	50 00
Lee, John N., overseer of poor,	50 00
Faunce, Walter H., overseer of poor,	50 00
Freeman, Henry S., services as town clerk,	40 00
Everson, Henry S., returning births and deaths,	31 10
Everson, Henry S., cash paid, stamps and stationery,	20 34
Barley, Fred C., registrar of voters,	20 00
Cook, Edwin, registrar of voters,	20 00
Everson, Henry S., registrar of voters,	20 00
Freeman, D. Clifton, registrar of voters,	20 00
McCall, R. Elbridge, inspector of cattle,	100 00
Belley, Ellsworth C., constable,	78 3
Proctor, Edwinton, constable,	41 70
Dwight, John C., auditor,	15 00
Adams, Charles H., teller,	3 00
Lee, Charles E., teller,	3 00
Brady, Henry F., teller,	3 00
Emery, Amos P., teller,	6 00
Philander, teller,	3 00
Freeman, D. Clifton, teller,	3 00
Belley, Ellsworth C., teller,	6 00
Adams, Charles H., teller,	3 00
Emery, Amos P., ringing the bell,	1 00
Freeman, D. Clifton, special police,	2 00
Freeman, Henry S., special police,	2 00
Freeman, D. Clifton, special police,	2 00
Freeman, Fred J., special police,	2 00
Freeman, Henry S., special police,	2 00
Freeman, D. Clifton, special police,	2 00
Freeman, Henry S., special police,	8 50

Brown, William Dr., returning births,	1 25
Burns, Hiram Dr., returning births,	75
Moulter H. S. Dr., returning births,	75
Shaw, John J. Dr., returning births,	1 25
Shurtleff, W. D. Dr., returning births,	1 25
Bailey, Caleb E., pound keeper,	66 67
Memorial Press, printing,	194 00
Carrow, Fred, expense of court,	3 21
Bradley, Fred H., expense of court,	8 00
Cushman, Howard L., distributing town reports,	1 00
Chandler, Claud M., distributing town reports,	1 50
Delano, M. Parker, distributing town reports,	1 50
Padelford, Lester E., distributing town reports,	1 00
Wakefield Daily Item, for blanks,	5 40
Murphy, B. P., for blanks,	2 00
Little, Brown & Co., for blanks,	4 00
Cobb, Philander, care horse house,	2 00
Atwell, Samuel, cash paid,	15 00
Delano, David, cash paid,	15 00
Faunce, Walter H., cash paid,	15 00
Worcester Fire Insurance Co.,	26 63
Abington Fire Insurance Co.,	20 40
Holyoke Fire Insurance Co.,	27 70

Expended, \$1,934 43

The policies of insurance on the public buildings expired during the year, and were renewed at an expense of nearly \$100. One other unexpected bill was paid. The Selectmen are of the opinion that \$1,650 will be sufficient to meet all bills chargeable to this account for the year to come.

MISCELLANEOUS.

*Memorial Day Services.*

Paid—  
Martha Sever Post, \$66 80

*Free Warden.*

Paid—  
Alexander Holmes, setting out trees, and freight, \$4 32  
Alon Lowe, setting out trees, 1 80  
N. Y. Nursery Co., 23 48  
Alfred W. Chandler, labor on burying ground, 2 00  
Nahum Sampson, labor on burying ground, 16 00  
Jonah Willis, labor on burying ground, 40 00

\$87 60

*Fisheries.*

Paid—  
Truman Douglass, for labor performed in 1902, \$6 10

*Treasurer and Collector.*

Paid—  
Henry S. Everson, 400 00

*Library.*

Paid—  
Elbridge H. Chandler, treasurer of trustees, \$900 00

*Suppression of Crime.*

Paid—  
Ellsworth C. Bailey, \$21 78

TOWN HOUSE.

Paid—  
James Russell Boiler Works, new boiler, \$220 69  
Alonzo Chandler, teaming, 10 00

Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies,	1 24
H. P. Bailey & Bro., supplies,	2 32
George E. Cushman, supplies,	11 15
C. E. Bailey & Son, supplies,	8 40
Edgar W. Loring, coal,	18 32
Philemon W. McLauthlen, wood,	16 51
Samuel Atwell, shingling,	6 50
John Mullaney, labor,	17 80
George H. Clark, labor and supplies,	29 49
C. Drew & Co., labor and supplies,	2 80
Edwin L. McLauthlen, labor and supplies,	28 35

Expended, \$373 57

A large part of the expense charged to this account was occasioned by the purchase and setting of a new boiler. The old boiler, which had served the purpose of heating the house for 40 years, had been rendered useless by accident.

The Town House has been used 60 times during the year for pay, and 18 times free.

There has been received for its use \$190.20, and there has been paid to the janitors for services and cash paid, \$163.72. The balance of \$25.48 has been paid to the Town Treasurer as may be seen by his account. It is probable that one portion of the roof must be shingled, and the Committee recommend that the sum of \$200 be appropriated for this account.

ICHABOD WASHBURN FUND.

The Trustees have made their annual report to the Selectmen as they are required to do by the will of Mr. Washburn, and it is on file in the office of the Selectmen, with the report of each year since the fund was received. The report shows that the income of \$423.00 has been distributed among 47 persons.



## LIST OF JURORS.

A list of names for jurors has been prepared for consideration at the annual March meeting:

Allen, A. E. Edge,	Lapham, Albert,
Baker, B. George P.,	McLauthlen, Philemon W.,
Berry, Roscoe C.,	Myrick, William H.,
Busbee, Daniel,	Ransom, Edward A.,
Clark, George H.,	Reidel, Robert,
Chandler, Fred C.,	Savery, Winsor T.,
Cook, Henry T.,	Small, Stillman B.,
Dawes, John C.,	Smith, John T.,
Dunbar, Ruel W.,	Stegmaier, John,
Everson, Henry S.,	Stranger, Chauncey R.,
Faunce, Charles T.,	Thompson, Webster L.,
Holmes, Alexander,	Weston, Daniel,
Lane, George E.,	Wright, Nathaniel T.,

It is apparent to our tax payers that the tax rate is excessive, and that its continuance is not for the best interests of the town. There are but two ways of reducing it. Either the taxable property must be increased, an undertaking not easy to accomplish, or the appropriations must be reduced. The following table has been prepared, giving the appropriations made at the last March meeting, the expenditures for the past year and recommendations for the year to come in each department. The recommendations will meet with approval and disapproval no doubt, but if the table receives careful scrutiny by the citizens of the town before the annual appropriations are made, it will have served its purpose. Too often this part of the business of

the day is passed upon without proper consideration. Too often persons, deeply interested, sit mutely by and reserve their speech for other places and other occasions, and blame others for acts of commission and omission, and forget that they had their opportunity.

	Appropriation	Expenditures	Recommendations
Contingent acct.,	\$1,825.00	\$1,934.43	\$1,650.00
Support of poor,	3,500.00	3,134.27	2,500.00
Teachers' wages,	5,200.00	6,298.30	5,200.00
School books,	800.00	699.49	700.00
Fuel and care,	1,100.00	1,457.41	1,100.00
Repairs,	800.00	645.83	500.00
Incidentals,	225.00	178.12	200.00
Music,	250.00	250.00	250.00
Drawing,	250.00	250.00	250.00
Conveyance,	400.00	540.25	400.00
Superintendence,	300.00	632.50	300.00
Highway,	7,500.00	7,764.26	5,000.00
For State Highway Commission,			1,000.00
State Aid,	750.00	886.00	900.00
Soldiers' relief,	300.00	271.00	300.00
Memorial Day services,	100.00	66.80	100.00
Tree warden,	150.00	87.60	100.00
Water Department,	800.00	1,352.15	800.00
Water bonds, notes and interest,	2,800.00	2,766.90	2,700.00
Fire Department,	825.00	950.29	500.00
Town House,	350.00	373.57	200.00
Suppression of crime,	150.00	21.78	100.00
Treasurer and collector,	400.00	400.00	400.00
Public Library,	900.00	900.00	800.00
Old Home Week,	100.00		100.00

If the recommendations are adopted, the tax rate will be about \$13 per \$1,000, provided the assessed valuation is not materially changed.

The Annual March Meeting will be held on Monday, the 6th day of March next. The meeting will be opened for the election of officers at 9 o'clock a. m., and for the transaction of other business at 2 o'clock p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER H. FAUNCE,

SAMUEL ATWELL,

DAVID DELANO,

Selectmen of Kingston.

SAMUEL ATWELL,

JOHN N. DREW,

WALTER H. FAUNCE,

Overseers of Poor.

# Report of TOWN TREASURER

Collector and Town Clerk.

HENRY S. EVERSON, Treasurer,

in account with the TOWN OF KINGSTON.

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1904			
January 1	To uncollected taxes 1898	\$9.00	
	1899	27.70	
	1900	54.11	
	1901	355.00	
	1902	716.00	
	1903	1,896.29	
			\$3,058.10
	Cash on hand,		87
	County Treasurer, Dog Fund,		129.80
	State Treasurer, School Fund,		7.98
	Town of Webster, Poor,	\$2.50	
	Town of Weymouth, Poor,	51.34	
	Town of Plymouth, Poor,	476.10	
	City of Fall River, Poor,	226.25	
			792.48
	Plymouth National Bank, Loans,		1,000.00
	School Committee,		112.50
	R. A. Hathaway, Clerk 5th District Court,		75.36
	Henry F. Beach, 1st Class License,	\$1.00	
	Walter H. Farnice, 1 Auction License,	2.00	
	William E. Sharpley, 1 Butcher License,	1.00	
			4.00
	Daniel DeJano, Sale of Old Boiler,		15.00
	Fish Commission, Sale of Herrings,		2.00
	Town of Pembroke, Tuition,	90.07	
	Town of Plympton, Tuition,	116.07	
	Town of Duxbury, Tuition,	10.00	
			216.14
	Town of Pembroke, on acct. of Supt. of Schools,		26.40
	Brockton & Plymouth St. R. Co., Excise Tax,		27.14
	County Treasurer, Seal Tails,		15.00
	Town House Committee, Rent of House,		25.48
	Water Commissioners, Water Collections,		1,022.41
	E. P. Hurd, Rent of Water Power,		200.00
December 31	State Treasurer, Burial of Pauper,	\$15.00	
	" " Inspector of Animals,	50.00	
	" " Corporation Tax,	3,316.15	
	" " National Bank Tax,	1,159.21	
	" " State Aid,	7,86.00	
	" " Street Highway Tax,	46.91	
	" " Tuition of Children,	900.00	
			5,030.26
	Interest of Taxes,		78.70
	Pay List for Collection,		24,477.26
			\$30,884.12

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1904			
August 19.	By State Treasurer, 1-4 Liquor License		25
October 19.	County Treasurer, County Tax		1,924.19
	State Treasurer, State Tax		1,315.00
December 31.	Plymouth National Bank, Note March 1st	\$2,000.00	
	" " " " April 1st	2,000.00	
	" " " " May 31	2,000.00	
	" " " " June 1st	2,000.00	
	" " " " June 30th	2,000.00	
	" " " " Int. on above Notes	272.43	
			10,272.43
	Highway,		7,228.29
	Poor,		3,159.65
	Water Department,		1,352.65
	State Aid,		865.00
	Soldiers' Relief,		21.00
	Fuel and care,		1,455.41
	Books and supplies,		701.21
	Teachers' wages,		6,228.20
	Repairs,		645.83
	Music,		250.00
	Superintendent of Schools,		682.50
	Conveyance,		345.25
	Drawing,		250.00
	Water Bond Note and Interest,		2,565.00
	Treasurer and Collector,		40.00
	Town House,		353.57
	Incidentals,		178.12
	Library,		900.00
	Contingent,		1,531.13
	Tree Warden,		20.00
	Fisheries,		6.10
	Memorial Day,		96.80
	Old Burying Ground,		58.00
	Liquor,		21.78
	Fire Department,		285.29
	Snow and Special Highway,		590.50
	Forest fire,		38.00
	Seal Tails,		15.00
	Abatement,		35.94
	Cash on hand,		180.35
	Uncollected Taxes, 1901	\$100.50	
	" " 1902	449.26	
	" " 1903	419.26	
	" " 1904	3,149.26	
			4,118.28
			1,811.11
			59,852.12

F. C. ADAMS SCHOOL FUND.

Henry S. Everson in account with the town of Kingston.

1904--

Jan. 1	To amount on hand,	\$5,000 00
Jan. 1	To amount received for dividends,	111 00
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		\$5,111 00

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By amount paid School Committee,	<hr/>	111 00
		\$5,000 00

Leaving the above amount in the hands of the treasurer.

Kingston, Jan. 30, 1905

This is to certify that I have examined all the accounts of the Town Treasurer, and find them well and properly kept, and properly vouched for.

LEMUEL R. FORD,

*Town Auditor.*

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN KINGSTON FOR  
THE YEAR 1904.

Jan. 2. Oscar L. Clark of Brockton and Lillian Atwood of Kingston.

Jan. 30. William Henry Brown and Maude Douglass Hayward, both of Kingston.

March 5. August Augusta Cristofori and Pia Morri-sey, both of Kingston.

March 10. Ralph Tyler Hollaway of Kingston and Louise C. Willis of Hanson.

April 16. George Carroll Washburn and Nellie Forest White, both of Pembroke.

May 4. Henry Burton Eddy of Plymouth and Jennie Frances Hall of Kingston.

June 20. Henry Smith West and Annie Edwards Washburn, both of Kingston.

June 23. George Swan Thom of Kingston and Ida May Sampson of Plymouth.

June 26. John William Wetzel and Mary Kaplitzky, both of Kingston.

June 30. Herbert Lawrence Glass of Duxbury and Margaret Alice Mullaney of Kingston.

July 17. Oscar B. Soule and Frances J. Needham, both of Duxbury.

July 20. Elbert Lewis Haskell and Lucy Bartlett Atwell, both of Kingston.

DEATHS RECORDED IN KINGSTON FOR THE YEAR 1904.

1904	NAME	AGE		CAUSE OF DEATH	PARENTS' NAMES
		Yrs.	Mon.		
January	Mary P. Benson	2	2	Heart disease	William and Mary Green
"	Robert E. Blank	2	2	Heart disease	George J. Blank and Harriet E. Adams
"	Robert E. Blank	2	2	Bright's disease	Wm. T. Savory and Edwin F. Child
"	William W. Gillman	1	6	Hemorrhage	Levi Blodgett and ————
February	William W. Gillman	1	6	Tuberculosis	Charles Willing and Katherine Kunz
"	Minnie Jager	2	3	Tuberculosis	Joseph Jager and Elizabeth White
March	Joseph Edmund	2	3	Cancer	John Edmund and Elizabeth White
"	Charles J. Willing	1	1	Tuberculosis	Charles Willing and Katherine Kunz
April	John E. Loring	1	1	Convulsions	Carl Blodgett and Anna Bremer
"	Daniel Cushman	1	1	Convulsions	Everett G. Loring and Martha C. Hart
"	William A. L. Ward	1	1	Convulsions	Daniel Cushman and Phoebe Russell
May	Mary E. Bromell	1	1	Heart disease	Patrick Gedy and Julia Burns
"	Barth Hart	1	1	Heart disease	Alvin Ward and Elizabeth Russell
June	Julia H. Sampson	1	1	Heart disease	Patrick Welch and Rose Murphy
"	Charles W. Seven	1	1	Heart disease	Henry Hart and Elizabeth Russell
July	Mary Ryan	1	1	Heart disease	Charles Hart and Elizabeth Russell
"	Benjamin F. Barstow	1	1	Heart disease	Edmond C. Ruby and Ellen Russell
August	William H. Lape	1	1	Heart disease	Henry A. Barstow and Helen A. Ford
Sept.	Frederick Russell	1	1	Heart disease	John Russell and Madeline Lape
"	Frederick Russell	1	1	Heart disease	Louis Charlotte and William Russell
October	Frederick Russell	1	1	Heart disease	Samuel E. Ripley and Sally Cushman
Nov.	Andrew Perry Baker	1	1	Heart disease	Thaddeus Baker and Amanda F. Larrow

August 7. Royal Harden Nickerson and Bertha Evelyn Nickerson, both of Plymouth.

August 17. Elijah E. Douglass and Emma N. Slaunwhite, both of Marshfield.

August 27. Thomas Greenough and Mabel Hunter, both of Braintree.

August 30. Frank Hamell and Mary Ann Bishop, both of Kingston.

Sept. 1. Charles Joseph Van Amburg of Plymouth and Louise Dries of Kingston.

Oct. 25. Chester Edmund Sampson of Plymouth and Louise Smith of Kingston.

Oct. 30. James S. Chase and Nellie F. Randall, both of Duxbury.

Nov. 5. Vincent Mingotti and Gisella Drandani, both of Kingston.

Nov. 10. Everett Austin Hayden of Kingston and Minnie Schneider of Plymouth.

Nov. 12. George W. Loring and Ella M. King, both of Duxbury.

Nov. 20. Arthur L. Peterson and Ethel M. Winsor, both of Duxbury.

# BIRTHS RECORDED IN KINGSTON FOR THE YEAR 1904

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Day	Month	No.	Name	Parents	Maiden Name
Feb.	1	1	Arthur Lawrence, Mary C. Hamilton	Edgar J. Hamilton and Gladys E. Hamilton	Richardson
Feb.	2	2	Paul Edwin, Josephine	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	3	3	Alfred, William	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	4	4	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	5	5	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	6	6	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	7	7	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	8	8	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	9	9	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	10	10	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	11	11	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	12	12	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	13	13	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	14	14	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	15	15	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	16	16	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	17	17	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	18	18	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	19	19	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	20	20	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	21	21	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	22	22	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	23	23	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	24	24	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	25	25	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	26	26	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	27	27	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	28	28	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	29	29	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	30	30	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	31	31	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	32	32	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	33	33	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	34	34	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
Feb.	35	35	Elizabeth, Mary	John J. Totten and Mary	Richardson
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## WATER REPORT.

### NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS OF KINGSTON.

For the year ending, Dec. 31, 1904.

#### Fellow Citizens—

The receipts of the water department for the year are as follows:

From water takers,	\$3,971 60
From E. P. Hurd, rent of water power,	300 00
From Arthur B. Holmes, pipe, etc.,	24 50
From Thomas & Connors,	15 08
From Joshua Delano, pipe, etc.,	2 95
From Frank C. Woodward, slacking lime,	3 00
From Pilgrim Foundry Co.,	3 00
From James H. Dawes, filling cistern,	1 00
From Ernest Sampson, slacking lime,	1 68
From appropriation by the town,	800 00
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	\$5,122 81

#### Expenditures.

John Malone, superintendent,	\$480 00
John Malone, bills paid,	3 10
Walworth Mfg. Co.,	38 19
P. W. McLauthlen, wood,	1 37
Edgar W. Loring, coal,	18 49

Perrin, Seannon & Co.,	13 30
John Murray, labor,	3 25
Jacob Rudolph, labor,	5 25
Daniel Bisbee, labor,	1 75
George B. Holmes, roofing and labor,	143 47
Chadwick Boston Lead Co.,	146 12
Beaman, Dow & Co., iron pipe,	251 50
Jacob Miller, labor,	13 20
Jacob Boop, labor,	19 80
George E. Cushman, trustee, rent of room,	25 00
Moses Bonville, labor,	10 80
Wm. Chase, labor,	9 60
John Hickey, labor,	14 00
Memorial Press,	2 25
Horace J. Chandler,	2 50
Alexander Holmes, lumber,	5 00
F. L. Chandler, paint,	3 31
George E. Cushman, supplies,	95
Brown, Wales & Co., supplies,	8 10
Wm. Ormond, facing machine,	5 00
T. H. Fuller, clerk and collector,	75 00
T. H. Fuller, stamps and stationery,	6 10
C. Drew & Co.,	4 85
Edward G. Brown, labor,	38 70
C. E. Bailey,	1 35
N. Y. & Boston Dispatch Express,	1 65
Bond paid, April 1, 1904,	1,000 00
Note paid, Oct. 1, 1904,	500 00
Interest on bonds, notes and collections,	1,266 90
	<u>\$4,119 55</u>
Appropriated by the town,	\$800 00
Receipts for water,	<u>4,322 81</u>
	\$5,122 81
Amount of bills paid,	<u>4,119 55</u>
Balance,	<u>\$1,003 26</u>

## WATER BOND ACCOUNT.

Bonded debt by first issue, Jan. 1, 1904,	\$25,000 00
Second issue by notes, 1904,	<u>7,000 00</u>
	\$32,000 00
Bond paid, April 1, 1904,	\$1,000 00
Note paid, Oct. 1, 1904,	<u>500 00</u>
	\$1,500 00
	<u>\$30,500 00</u>

The interest has been paid to Oct. 1, 1904. There will be due in 1905, \$1,000 on bonded debt, and \$500 on note; also interest on whole debt.

There has been added to the system during the year 400 feet of 4-inch pipe.

Fourteen new taps have been added, supplying about 390 families.

Also free of charge:

- 6 schoolhouses,
- 8 schools,
- 3 hose houses,
- 1 town house,
- 1 almshouse,
- 3 watering troughs,
- 1 public library,
- 76 fire hydrants.

About 60,000 gallons of water have been furnished the road commissioners, all of which at scheduled rates would amount to about \$1,800.

# STOCK ON HAND, DEC. 31, 1904.

270 feet 4-inch iron pipe,  
 125 feet 1 1/2 inch tin lined pipe,  
 950 feet 2 inch tin lined pipe,  
 12 corporation cocks,  
 1 tapping machine,  
 1 steam pump,  
 1 diaphragm pump,  
 1 steam boiler,

Pipe fitting tools, etc.

During the year the reservoir and pumping station have been put in good repair, and the whole pipe line is in good condition.

Total cost of construction to Dec. 31, 1904, \$67,133.24  
 Total receipts to Dec. 31, 1904, 60,876.48

GEORGE B. HOLMES,  
 EDWARD G. BROWN,  
 TRUMAN H. FULLER,

*Water Commissioners*

This is to certify that I have examined these accounts and found them correct and properly vouched.

L. R. FORD, *Auditor.*

# LIST OF WATER TAKERS AND AMOUNT

## PAID BY EACH, 1904.

Adams, Lydia T.	\$14.00	Baker, Edgar A.	17.00
Adams, Wendall H.	22.00	Bartlett, Isabella	12.00
Adams, Horatio	153.25	Braunnecker, Joseph	6.00
Adams, Charles H.	20.00	Brown, David	23.50
Adams, Harriet	9.00	Bryant, Sylvanus	9.00
Adams Lodge, I. O. O. F.	10.00	Boop, Jacob	15.00
Atwell, Samuel	9.00	Blanchard, Harriett	6.00
Atwell, Charles F.	6.00	Barker, Edward T.	6.00
Ayer, Eugene G.	18.02	Basler, Phillip	12.00
Atwood, E. Elbridge	35.50	Bain, Robert	9.00
Atwood, Herbert	6.00	Bonney, George H.	6.00
Anderson, August	6.00	Bouse, Jacob	8.00
Alsemer, Edmund	11.00	Bradford, Horace S.	6.00
Austin, Samuel J.	5.00	Bailey, Fred C.	19.00
Brown, Wm. M.	15.50	Bray, Maria	12.00
Barstow, Benj. P.	28.50	Bumpus, Wm. A.	9.00
Bonney, Wallace	6.00	Bailey, Fred C.	2.89
Baker, Walter	6.00	Reytes, Madelena	24.00
Berry, Roscoe G.	6.00	Barsler, John	9.00
Bates, est. of Caleb	12.00	Bartlett, Susanna H.	3.00
Bagnell, John C.	9.00	Borghi, Henry	7.50
Reytes, est. of Nancy	12.00	Baker, Chester A.	17.00
Burgess, Marion B.	6.00	Bailey, Ellsworth C.	6.00
Bailey, Justus A.	8.00	Borgasarna, Louis	8.32
Baker, Thatcher	20.00	Baker, Emily K.	6.00
Brown, Edward G.	19.50	Bartlett, Hattie	25.00
Bradford, Amos P.	3.00	Briggs, Rebecca	9.00
Bunker, Esther	6.00	Cole, Leander S.	23.50
Bonville, Moses	3.00	Cole, est. of Samuel P.	2.50
Barstow, Daniel W.	9.00	Cole, Waldo S.	18.50
Baptist Society,	14.50	Cole, Horace C.	7.50
Bosley, Caleb E.	26.00	Cole, Ann E.	4.00



Cole, Charles H.	17 00	Devine, est. of Patrick	6 00
Cobb, Mary E.	14 00	Davie, Solomon	18 00
Cobb, Herbert W.	5 50	Delano, Mary J.	9 00
Cobb, Rebecca S.	16 00	Dawes, John C.	34 25
Cobb & Drew	31 00	DeNormandie C. Y.	19 00
Chandler, Algenon S.	63 00	Darey, Mrs. James W.	6 08
Challand, Eliza	12 00	Danby, James	6 00
Clark, George H.	20 00	Douglass, N. W.	8 00
Childs, Rosa	3 00	Drease, Henry	9 00
Cummincham, Wm.	7 00	Devine, John C.	17 00
Chandler, Alfred W.	6 00	Demmons, Marcia	11 50
Cushman, Joseph T.	3 00	Delano, Joshua	13 50
Cushman, Fred L.	11 00	Evans, Green	12 00
Childs, Charles H.	21 50	Evans, Willis	12 00
Cushman, George	9 00	Eager, Robert	6 00
Cushman, George E.	47 00	Everson, Henry S.	18 00
Chandler, Claud M.	10 00	Elder, Eugene F.	9 00
Chandler, Elwood B.	16 85	Eakins, Wm. R.	10 00
Carl, M. Frank	2 00	Farrington, John P.	3 00
Clark, G. Herbert	9 00	Ford, L. R.	22 50
Churchill, Henry	18 00	Ford, M. W.	20 50
Cole, Mamie	6 00	Ford, L. E.	9 00
Corrow, Joseph	10 50	Foster, Charles J.	3 00
Christopher, Gitano	9 75	Fannee, est. of Eliezer	3 00
Cook, Edwin	6 00	Fannee, Mrs. A. C.	11 00
Collins, Lawrence	17 00	Fannee, Ann E.	9 50
Canton, R.	16 50	Foster, est. of Wm. G.	18 00
Cushman & Bagnell	9 00	Foster, H. Waddo	9 00
Cushing, Winslow	13 50	Ford, Isabella	12 50
Corey, Gustavus	6 00	Freeman, David C.	12 00
Chandler, Elbridge H.	17 00	Farrington, John B.	6 00
Chandler, Wendall O.	6 00	Finney, Stephen	6 00
Drew, Charles H.	9 00	Finney, Mrs. Rebecca	26 50
Drew, C. & Co	10 00	Fuller, T. H.	15 00
Drew, C. P.	11 00	Fuller, Clarinda	6 00
Drew, John I.	6 00	Graves, George A.	9 00
Drew, John N.	6 00	Gorham, Allen R.	7 50
Delano, David	6 00	Gilpin, Joseph	9 00
Dunbar, R. W.	16 50	Glover, Mrs. Lizzie F.	13 33

Gray, heirs of John	6 00	Loring, Edgar W.	18 00
Hall, James L.	18 00	Low, George E.	9 00
Hickey, James	6 00	Lewis, Sophia	6 00
Holmes, Geo. B.	7 50	Lovering, Judith	8 50
Haggerly, est. of Wm.	9 00	McCrate, James	6 00
Howe, C. Fred	8 00	Myrick, Wm. W.	31 50
Hart, Dennis	6 00	Murry, John	6 00
Holmes, Albert E.	6 00	McGuire, Wm.	7 50
Hall, Ellen G.	2 75	McManus, Bridget	12 00
Hunt, Sylvia W.	11 50	Maglathlin, P. W.	49 50
Hurd, Edward P.	11 00	Mange, Winthrop H.	3 00
Holmes, Clyntia D.	35 00	Monks, John	18 00
Holmes, Arthur B.	38 00	Malone, James T.	3 00
Holmes, Alexander	23 00	Miller, Jacob	9 75
Holmes, Elnathan	9 00	McGrath, Michael	6 00
Holmes, Roger C.	26 28	McGrath, Thomas	6 00
Holmes, Helen	17 50	McGrath, Mrs. Robert	4 50
Holman, Edward F.	34 50	Maglathlin, Frank W.	17 00
Hatch, Charles W.	15 00	Maglathlin, F. W. & Co.	15 00
Holman, Clifford	3 25	Morey, Charles S.	9 00
Hall, Henry	9 00	McDonald, Allen	9 00
Hammond, Walter C.	56 36	McGlaughlin, Mrs. Frances	23 00
Hammond, James C.	14 00	Monks, Charles L.	6 00
Hensche, Otto	6 00	Merry, Everett S.	12 00
Holmes, Horace	24 00	Monks, John R.	21 00
Jones, Henry M.	14 00	Moody, Louis	4 34
Kennedy, Frank M.	9 00	Maglathlin, Edwin L.	12 00
Kennedy, est. of James	21 00	Mahony, John	6 00
Keith, H. K.	61 62	McCarty, Charles	6 00
Keith, L. H.	29 00	McManus, Terrence	6 00
Lapham, est. of Charles	16 00	Mayes, J. H.	10 50
Lapham, Oscar H.	14 00	Niekademus, John	8 50
Lapham, Albert	14 00	Norton, Andrew	6 00
Lanman, Mary E.	6 75	Norton, Joseph C.	3 00
Lanman, Ruth	3 00	Nichols, Elizabeth	8 50
Lanman, Edward T.	12 00	N. Y., N. H. & Hartford R.	
LePorte, Eliza R.	6 00	R. Co.,	53 50
Lowry, Charles A.	15 50	Ormand, Mrs. M.	6 00
Lamb, M. E.	6 00	O'Brien, Mary A.	6 00

Orthodox Society	4 00	Sandra, Elizabeth	3 00
O'Brien, Patrick	6 00	Sherman, Edwin I.	6 00
Oldham, J. W.	7 50	Stranger, Annie E.	1 00
Packford, Theodore	8 50	Shaw, Mrs. Edward C.	11 50
Plymouth Cordage Co.,	6 00	Sampson, Isaac L.	6 00
Potter, Wm.	6 00	Sower, Jacob	6 00
Peckham, Mary H.	3 00	Sturtevant, Helen	9 00
Phelps, Laura M.	16 00	Schmidt, John	7 00
Peck, John	17 00	Smith, est. of Adam	6 00
Pierce, Arthur W.	17 00	Siebenhue, heirs of R. G.	16 50
Page, Mrs. Marion	13 00	Shappert, Wm.	9 00
Pratt, Alphonso	15 00	Sargent, J. W.	7 00
Pendergast, Edward	6 00	Sower, Christian	5 00
Peck, John J.	9 00	Smith, Patrick	11 00
Quinn, John	33 00	Sherman, est. of Ebenezer	6 00
Randall, John	19 75	Stetson, Emma F.	15 00
Robbins, Lucy M.	12 00	Stegmaier, John M.	12 00
Ransom, Edward A.	6 50	Simmons, Mary E.	13 00
Raymond, A. J.	6 00	Smith, Richard J.	6 00
Reed, Adelaide	6 00	Sprague, N. D. W.	6 00
Ripley, Mrs. Emily	13 00	Sampson, Henry H.	23 00
Ripley, Obed	6 00	Simmons, Helen	4 50
Ripley, Henry L.	10 50	Stranger, Wm. A.	12 00
Reinhardt, Mrs. J. H.	9 00	Sampson, Seavey R.	6 00
Reinhardt, Louis	17 00	Schaefer, Charles	13 50
Reinhardt, Henry	17 00	Soule, Harvey A.	17 00
Reinhardt, John	13 00	Sever, Charles	5 25
Readel, Robert	13 00	Shiverick, George W.	4 50
Redolph, Wm.	6 00	Sampson, Nahum	6 00
Russell, C. D.	3 00	Sundstrom, Martin	6 00
Ryan, Michael	6 00	Thompson, Webster L.	12 50
Ring, Daniel W.	6 00	Thompson, John T.	6 00
Reister, Howard L.	6 00	Thomas, Mrs. Wm. A.	16 00
Ryan, James	10 00	Trustees of Willis fund,	5 41
Reckenbiel, Henry	6 00	Turner, Rebecca	6 00
Reidenbach, Carl	11 00	Taylor, Thomas J.	9 00
Skakle, John A.	19 00	Thomas, Mrs. George B.	6 00
Steidle, John G.	4 00	Tehin, James	3 00

Tribant, Minnie	3 00	Washburn, Sarah R.	12 00
Tinkham, Charles	25 50	Wright, Ezra S.	17 00
Vazzarna, David	14 75	Wilbur, Charles C.	17 00
Vachino, John	7 00	Winter, Peter.	24 00
Waterman, Grace F.	13 50	Walker, George H.	10 91
Waterman, Amanda	9 00	Webb, Eugenia	9 50
Washburn, est. of Geo. L.	6 00	Washburn, Waldo	6 00
Washburn, Lucy M.	22 50	Waterman, Sarah F.	9 00
Washburn, Julia A.	10 00	Whitman, Fred N.	10 00
Williams, Charles S.	6 00	Wolf, John	6 00
Watson, Nathan B.	16 00	Wood, Ichabod F.	6 00
Willis, Edward	6 00	Woodward, Mrs. C. C.	7 50
Woodward, Fred E.	28 00		

**FREDERIC C. ADAMS PUBLIC LIBRARY.**  
**TREASURER'S REPORT.**

**INCOME OF F. C. ADAMS FUND.**

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1904,	\$11 09	
Income for the year,	600 90	
Received from Adams School Fund,	8 00	
Received from sale of catalogues,	1 80	
Received from Librarian,	24 36	
		\$646 15
Paid for books, papers, magazines,		459 73
Balance on hand,		<u>\$186 42</u>

**TOWN APPROPRIATION.**

Balance on hand,		
Jan. 1, 1904,	\$166 03	
Appropriation for 1904,	900 00	
		\$1,066 03
Paid—		
Librarian,	\$351 00	
Janitor,	184 20	
Insurance,	70 00	
Coal and oil,	146 98	
Book case, shelves, hose,		
tools, repairing furni-		
ture, etc.,	60 16	
Cards, postals, etc.,	17 00	
Rent of Safe Deposit		
Box,	6 00	
Express charges,	7 50	
Balance on hand,		<u>\$842 85</u>
		\$223 18

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**LIBRARIAN'S CASH ACCOUNT.**

Cash received from fines,	\$41 44	
Paid by librarian for sundries,	23 11	
		\$18 33
Balance paid Treasurer,		<u>\$427 93</u>

**RECAPITULATION.**

Balance from the F. C. Adams		
Fund, 1903,	\$11 09	
Income from the F. C. Adams		
Fund, 1904,	600 90	
Received from the Adams School Fund,	8 00	
Received from sale of catalogues,	1 80	
Received from librarian, Jan. 1, 1904,	24 36	
Balance of Town appropriation, 1903,	166 03	
Town appropriation, 1904,	900 00	
Fines, 1904,	41 44	
		\$1,753 62
Paid—		
From Adams Fund,	\$459 73	
From Town appropriation,	842 85	
From fines,	23 11	
		<u>\$1,325 69</u>
Balance in hands of Treasurer,		<u>\$427 93</u>

E. H. CHANDLER, *Treasurer.*

This certifies that I have examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer of the F. C. Adams Public Library and find them well kept and properly vouched, with a balance on hand in bank of \$604.93.

L. R. FORD, Auditor.

# F. C. ADAMS FUND INVESTED AS FOLLOWS.

VIZ:

1,000 00	Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co., 4 per cent. Bond.
3,000 00	Burlington, Mo., River Railroad Co., 6 per cent. Exempt Bond.
1,000 00	Rio Grande Western Railroad Co., 4 per cent. Bond.
650 00	Mortgage Note, Pederson.
247 71	Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank.
177 00	Cash.
12	Shares, Plymouth Cordage Co.
8	Shares, Plymouth National Bank.
2	Shares, Old Colony National Bank.
12	Shares, West End Street Railway Co., Common.

During the past year 301 volumes were added to the Library.

The following gifts have been received, viz:

"The Place of Industries in Elementary Education."

"The Chocolate Plant," from John Foster.

"History of Coinage and Currency in the United States."

from National Sound Money League.

"Musical Ministries in the Church," from Kingston Choral Union.

"New Propositions in Speculative and Practical Philosophy," from L. S. Richards.

Documents from Mrs. Cornelius Bartlett.

"Centennial Memorial," from Plymouth National Bank.

"The Testimony of Reason," from Samuel L. Phillips, Washington, D. C.

"Charles Dickens Rare-Print Collections," from Miss Martha Sever.

"Mental Health of the Children of Tomorrow," from James M. Barnard.

Total number of books in the Library, 6,371

Total number of magazines, 34

Total number of weeklies, 11

Total number of daily papers, 3

Four thousand five hundred and ninety-nine people made use of the reading room during the year—an average of thirteen per day.

The total number of books loaned for home use was 10,962, classified as follows:

Fiction,	7,669
Magazines,	686
Philosophy,	42
Religion,	106
Sociology and education,	241
Science,	256
Useful arts,	277
Music and fine arts,	176
Literature,	295
History,	341
Travels,	404
Biography,	263
Bound magazines,	206
Average per day,	31

The sale of the Minneapolis house and lot has been completed and the Trustees have received,  
 Less commissions to agent,

\$3,000  
 150

\$2,850

In cash,  
 In mortgage,

\$2,200  
 650

\$2,850

Kingston, Mass., Jan. 31, 1905.

After careful consideration of the amount required for expenses of the Library for the coming year, the Trustees recommend an appropriation of \$900.

Respectfully submitted,

HORATIO ADAMS,  
 HARVEY A. SOULE,  
 HENRY B. MAGLATHLIN,  
 E. H. CHANDLER,  
 L. S. COLE,  
 J. P. FARRINGTON,

*Trustees of the Frederic C. Adams  
 Public Library.*

# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## School Committee

OF THE

## Town of Kingston

FOR THE YEAR

1904

## SCHOOL DIRECTORY

### COMMITTEE.

Joshua Delano. Term expires,	1905
John T. Thompson. Term expires,	1905
Courtland Y. De Normandie. Term expires,	1906
Henry B. Maglathlin. Term expires,	1906
John W. Cobb. Term expires,	1907
Harvey A. Soule. Term expires,	1905
Chairman, Henry B. Maglathlin.	
Secretary, John W. Cobb.	

### SUPERINTENDENT.

Everett G. Loring,  
Residence, Main Street, Rocky Nook.

The Committee meet regularly at the Intermediate School  
Room, on third Tuesday of each month, at 7.30 o'clock.  
P. M.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

*To the Citizens of Kingston—*

The following report is respectfully submitted.

### FINANCE ACCOUNT.

*Dr.*

Appropriation,	\$9,350 00
Outside tuition,	317 00
State Fund—	
For Superintendent's salary,	300 00
For increase of wages,	200 00
For approved High School,	300 00
For general school purposes,	779 86
Dog fund,	195 80
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	\$11,442 66

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Wages,	\$6,298 30
Fuel and care,	1,403 46
Repairs,	687 61
Incidentals,	185 32
Books and supplies,	724 79
Conveyance,	422 15
Superintendent,	600 00
Music,	250 00
Drawing,	250 00
Unexpended,	621 03
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# TEACHERS.

WHERE TAUGHT.	WHERE GRADUATED.	BOEISING SERVICE.
High School	Dartmouth College	September 1893
Ernest M. Gleason, Principal	Salton Normal School	December 1893
Julia C. Charleston, Assistant	Tufts College	September 1893
E. May Simpson, Assistant	Kingston High School	September 1894
Center Grammar	Bryant & Stratton Commercial College	September 1894
Josephine S. Packard	Bridgewater Normal School	September 1894
Center Intermediate	Bridgewater Normal School	September 1894
Stella H. Baker	Whitlock Kindergarten Training School	April 1894
Center Grammar	Bridgewater Normal School	January 1895
Center Grammar	Minefield, Ia., Normal School	September 1895
Isabelle F. Poulkner	Hyannis Normal School	September 1895
Mary A. Curran	Bridgewater Normal School	September 1895
Rocky Nook Grammar	Kingston High School	September 1895
Alice B. Starnes	Bridgewater Normal School	September 1895
Rocky Nook Intermediate	Concord High School	September 1895
Maudie D. Marston	State Normal Art School	September 1895
Rocky Nook Primary		September 1895
Wanda L. Stone		September 1895
Wanda L. Stone		September 1895
Suzanne C. Finney		September 1895
North West		September 1895
Gertrude L. Moran		September 1895
Silver Lake		September 1895
Edna L. Bowen		September 1895
Supervisor of Music		September 1895
S. Josie Merrill		September 1895
Supervisor of Drawing		September 1895
Lillian F. Newman		September 1895

## SCHOOL ACCOUNTS.

SCHOOLS.	WAGES.	FUEL AND CARE.	REPAIRS.	INCIDENTALS.	BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.
High	\$106 50	\$300 19	\$225 21	\$4 98	\$241 08
Center Grammar	178 40	Included with High			99 36
Center Intermediate	111 00	36 45	8 50	1 22	19 40
Center Primary	115 00	104 35	700 00	2 25	50 75
Rocky Nook Grammar	178 40	170 75	19 45	1 16	25 85
Rocky Nook Intermediate	323 00	281 30	5 02	25 50	9 14
Rocky Nook Primary	407 00	Included with Intermediate			34 45
Stony Brook	370 00	60 50	5 45		25 05
Swamp	121 00	48 12	11 15	13 85	25 05
Swamp Lake	331 00	51 85		1 12	25 05
North West	310 00	45 05	8 14	13 54	25 05
General Incidentals					

## REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS.

The much needed enlargement of the Center Primary School building was undertaken during the summer vacation and completed in season for the fall term. By this improvement an additional school room was provided, and is now occupied by lower primary classes as a separate school. The High School building has been painted. The exterior of the Rocky Nook School house, constructed in 1899, needs repainting. It may be economy to have this done the present year. The heating arrangement of the house is working badly and requires to be put in better condition.

The dreary bareness of our school grounds could be made attractive by setting out selected shrubs and flowers. This work of transformation, it is presumed, the older pupils would gladly perform under the guidance of the teachers and thus develop a willing service for the benefit of the public.

The free intercourse possible in school garden work gives teachers opportunities of knowing their pupils better, and they are consequently able to direct the education of individuals in the best way and by the most appropriate means.

It has been justly observed "that well kept yards and lawns, shrubs and beds of beautiful flowers, attractive buildings, each and all excite and strengthen good emotions, develop higher ideals, arouse a desire to realize them, and result in lives of greater culture and refinement."

## THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The placing the ninth grade pupils under the instruction of the High School teachers and making them a part of the High School has bridged the gap that had existed between the Grammar and High Schools. By early acquaintance with the High School methods pupils are better prepared and more inclined to remain longer at school.

The school now offers a preparatory course for college, as well as for technical and normal schools. But in the High School the fitting for college the few who may elect to go, should not be the primary consideration. There are other and larger classes of learners to whom the people's High School should be equally beneficial.

The industrial and commercial classes have claims that should not be ignored. The High School, to meet the popular demands, should have a business course on as high a plane as possible. It should include in addition to book-keeping, commercial geography, business forms and practices, accuracy in numbers and spelling, type writing and stenography, with branches of general culture.

For students whose schooling is to terminate with the High School, to spend time on a foreign language to the neglect of common English or other useful studies, is to acquire a superficial and enfeebling education. Of the fourteen members of the school who had elected Latin in preference to a study of more utility, it appeared at the graduation of 1904, that of the fifteen graduates only two had intention of going on to college.

According to the observation of Mr. McDonald, agent of the State Board of Education, "as a rule the schools that have broadened most have grown the fastest. The principal changes in high school courses the past year, as for the few years preceding, have been in the direction of studies and training that will fit pupils for industrial and commercial occupations."

## BROADER IDEAS OF CULTURE.

Instruction in manual training in most of the cities in the State, and in some of its towns, including the nearby town of Plymouth, has been made a part of the school system. It has been found that pupils taking manual training do the same amount of school work as their classmates, as with these hand work appears to be regarded recreation.

According to the observation of Principal Boyden of the Bridgewater Normal School, "manual training is, in its recent and technical sense, strictly educational in its aims. The benefits of this training are noticeable in all lines of school work."

"It is hoped," says Dr. John T. Prince, agent of the State Board of Education, "as soon as the broader idea of utility and culture, as expressed in the industrial work in Hyannis and other places, is caught by educational leaders and by the people, that it will have the place it deserves in all grades of schools."

"As a stimulus to mental effort manual training is of the greatest value in general education. The saw, the hammer and needle are not ends in themselves. They are rather agencies which may help the child to solve problems of achievement."

The private sewing schools of the summer vacation in town, and the interest shown by teachers and pupils of our schools in getting up industrial exhibitions, of which several have been held in the town hall, are encouraging indications of a growing appreciation of broad culture, manual and domestic.

## THE PUBLIC LIBRARY AND THE SCHOOLS.

The Public Library contains many books helpful for pupils to read in connection with their studies. It would be well for all of the teachers, as some have, to make a list of these books, after carefully consulting the library cata-



logue, and post the list in the school rooms and aid their pupils in making a selection for home reading. An intelligent oversight of the reading of the pupils is an essential qualification of an efficient teacher.

### APPROPRIATIONS.

The School Committee, after carefully estimating the necessary expenses for the current year, recommend the following appropriations:

Teachers' wages,	\$5,200 00
Books and supplies,	800 00
Fuel and care,	1,200 00
Repairs,	500 00
Conveyance,	400 00
Incidentals,	200 00
Superintendent,	300 00
Music,	275 00
Drawing,	275 00

The town is to be congratulated in having a competent Superintendent of Schools. His report, which follows, contains his views and observations. These your committee deem worthy of careful consideration.

We cannot close our report without expressing our deep sense of loss at the removal by death of two gentlemen who have been intimately associated with the school work of our town. B. Parker Barstow, M. D., one of the wisest, most economical and faithful of our number, was for years chairman of the School Committee, and died in office, August 24, 1904. The Rev. Ernest M. Bartlett had also been chairman during his residence in town, but had removed, and died in Madison, Wis., January 18. We deeply regret the death of these two men in early manhood; shall miss their counsel, and our sympathies go out to their afflicted families.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY B. MAGLATHLIN, Chairman.

JOHN W. COBB, Secretary,

*For the School Committee.*

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

*To the School Committee of Kingston:—*

The following report of the Superintendent of Schools is respectfully submitted:

### STATISTICAL.

*From the School Census of September, 1904.*

Number of boys between the ages of 5 and 15.	173
Number of girls between the ages of 5 and 15.	200
Total.	373
Number of boys between the ages of 7 and 14.	129
Number of girls between the ages of 7 and 14.	159
Total.	288

### *Membership and Attendance.*

*School Year 1902-1903.*

Total membership of all the schools.	432
Number not enrolled elsewhere in the state.	414
Average membership of all the schools.	376
Average attendance of all the schools.	346
Percentage of attendance,	.92
Percentage of attendance for the state.	.92

### MEMBERSHIP AND ATTENDANCE FOR FALL TERM, 1904.

	Total Membership.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Per cent. of Attendance.
High.	66	63.22	60.39	95.38
Center Grammar	47	44.68	43.34	96.92
Center Intermediate	41	39.23	37.63	95.89
Upper Primary	31	28.29	26.81	94.85
Lower Primary	41	39.49	34.97	88.55
Rocky Nook Grammar	35	31.92	32.16	94.51
Rocky Nook Intermediate	35	31.26	31.39	94.11
Rocky Nook Primary	41	41.51	39.44	95.01
Stony Brook	29	27.48	26.42	96.15
Wapping	27	22.29	20.38	91.43
North West	24	20.81	19.21	92.41
Silver Lake	23	19.00	17.63	92.79
<b>Totals.</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>413.69</b>	<b>\$29.61</b>	<b>94.18</b>

### MEMBERSHIP AND ATTENDANCE IN DETAIL.

	Total Membership.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Per cent. of Attendance.
High.	80	75.46	71.65	94.95
Center Grammar	34	34.60	31.89	92.05
Center Intermediate	43	39.33	35.26	93.21
Center Primary	54	51.28	49.88	97.23
Rocky Nook Grammar	25	31.65	29.53	93.37
Rocky Nook Intermediate	29	25.34	23.76	93.76
Rocky Nook Primary	33	30.77	27.37	91.66
Stony Brook	32	25.34	23.45	92.58
Wapping	38	27.00	24.57	91.81
North West	23	22.12	13.43	85.11
Silver Lake	21	17.26	15.96	92.43
<b>Totals.</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>388.16</b>	<b>337.85</b>	<b>92.17</b>

### School Year 1903-1904.

Total membership of all the schools.	462
Number not enrolled elsewhere in the state.	445
Average membership of all the schools.	388
Average attendance of all the schools.	358
Percentage of attendance.	.92
Percentage of attendance for the state.	.91

### Financial.

#### 1903.

Assessed valuation of all property in town.	\$1,415,865.
Valuation per pupil.	\$3,765.60.
Taxation cost of schools.	\$8,597.87.
Taxation cost of schools per \$1,000 of valuation.	\$6.07.
Taxation cost per pupil.	\$22.87.

#### 1904.

Assessed valuation of all property in town.	\$1,416,440.
Valuation per pupil.	\$3,650.62.
Taxation cost of schools.	\$8,259.69.
Taxation cost of schools per \$1,000 of valuation.	\$5.82.
Taxation cost per pupil.	\$21.20.
Population of town, census of 1900.	1,955.
Number of families in town.	477.

The history of our schools the past year is not marked by any great events that stand out to claim the attention. It is rather that story of quiet, constant, conscientious effort which, while it may not give as brilliant results for the moment as some of the more spectacular methods which some try to substitute, does give permanent results which nothing else can. Our teachers, individually and as a body, are earnest and faithful, interested in their work and in the pupils under their charge. There has been only one change in the force during the year. Miss Gale at the Rocky Nook Intermediate School resigned at the end of the spring term to be married. Miss Marston was transferred to fill the vacancy and the vacancy at Northwest was filled by the election of Miss Gertrude L. Moran of Weymouth, a graduate of Bridgewater Normal School. During the spring term Miss Baker of the Center Intermediate School was advised by her physician to ask for a leave of absence, which was granted, her place being filled by Mrs. Bagnell, who has had a long and successful experience in the schools of this town. Miss Newman, the Supervisor of Drawing, was granted a leave of absence to go abroad and we obtained as her substitute Miss Elizabeth M. P. Bartlett of Salisbury. Miss Bartlett, like Miss Newman, is a graduate of the Normal Art School, and for several years past has been Supervisor of Drawing in Amesbury. Under her direction the

schools are following the outlines prepared by Miss Newman and the work has gone on without any interruption.

During the year our schools have been visited by Dr. John T. Prince, Mr. Granville T. Fletcher and Mr. Walter Sargent, agents of the State Board of Education. Teachers and superintendent alike are indebted to these for kindly criticism and helpful suggestions. Mr. Sargent met the teachers at the Center Intermediate schoolroom and gave a very interesting and suggestive talk on subjects connected with art education.

During the summer vacation the small room at the rear of the Center Primary schoolroom was enlarged to twice its former size, adjustable seats and desks put in, and thus a room for the accommodation of the first two grades was provided. The results of the change in the increased efficiency of the teacher and the greater interest and better work of the pupils are very marked. While the committee has made a remarkable change with the means at its disposal and the condition is incomparably better than it formerly was, it is not to be denied that it is far from ideal. The main room has benefited greatly by the changes. The removal of the two grades to the other room has allowed a rearrangement of the seats which does away with the former crowded condition. At the same time as the other repairs the pipes from both stoves were taken to the ventilating stack which they heat abundantly to produce sufficient draft for the ventilation, while heating the rooms better and effecting a saving in the fuel.

Beginning with the fall term all-day sessions were resumed at the Rocky Hook Primary School in place of the plan followed the previous term of having one grade in the forenoon and the other in the afternoon. The room is badly crowded and this with the fact that a large proportion of the pupils are children of parents of foreign birth and in many instances not only can have no help with their studies at home but are kept out of school more frequently than is

necessary or desirable, has produced problems difficult alike to teacher and superintendent. In this connection I would like to say that there are parents who feel that children in the upper grades should be regular in their attendance at school because if they are absent for a few days it is difficult for them to make up the lost lessons, who do not hesitate to keep pupils in the first grade from school for days at a time, although there is no other place in the school course where regular attendance is so necessary and where work that is lost is so utterly lost. The habit of regular attendance formed in the early school years is likely to persist throughout the course and is one of the most valuable products that can be derived from the years of training.

Reference to the tables of membership and attendance will show a substantial increase for the past school year over the figures of the previous one, and the figures for the fall term show a still further growth. The tables show also that a considerable number of what we may call temporary pupils attend our schools, the total enrolment last year being 462, while the average membership was but 388. To twelve of these seventy-four, age and schooling certificates were issued when they left school to go to work, in most of the other cases the pupils removed from town. It will be noticed also that in spite of the severe winter of 1903-1904 the percentage of attendance for the year was a fraction of one per cent. better than that of the previous year, although the attendance for the state has fallen to 91 per cent. This increase is gratifying as it shows the effect of earnest effort on the part of both teachers and pupils. Pupils who know that the teacher will be at school even if the storm is severe will make an effort to be present which they will not make if they do not have full confidence in their teacher. Nothing so discourages this effort as to get to school and find that the teacher has thought it too stormy to come out.

It has seemed to me best to use the "no school" signal sparingly. In many instances where some might have ad-

vised its sounding we have had a fair attendance, and I have frequently seen children playing out in the storm whose parents evidently considered the storm too severe to send the children to school. There are, however, many children so delicate that exposure to the storm would be fraught with danger and in these cases no one is so well qualified to judge as the parent. For the plea for a storm signal that it ensures a high per cent. of attendance, I have no patience. When employed with that design it is misused and a high average of attendance so obtained is misleading, to say the least.

In last year's report the fact was mentioned that the High School had received the approval of the State Board for the current year. In the financial report of the Secretary of the School Committee will be noticed the receipt of \$300 granted by the State on account of this approval. Farther evidence of the character of the work of the school may be seen from the fact that of the class last graduated, the largest in the history of the school, those who are pursuing studies in other institutions give evidence of their thorough preparation, one of them having passed the examinations for college without condition and having perfect papers in mathematics, another having passed preliminary examinations, while others are securing high honors. Of the present senior class one has already passed the preliminary examinations for college.

In my report of last year I referred to the desirability of extending our commercial course as our means would permit. The course in bookkeeping has proved a very popular, and, I believe, a practical and valuable one. To do the work of this course successfully the pupil must think. In connection with the other work necessary to make up the requisite number of hours it has a real culture value which is, perhaps, of greater importance than its value considered simply as an asset in applying for a position. A large part of the value of any course of study is the formation of orderly habits of

thought, but if in that process we can make use of material in part at least whose utility the pupil can appreciate instead of being obliged to take it all on faith he will find a new interest in the pursuit of knowledge. As a consequence, perhaps, of the popularity of the course in bookkeeping there seems to be a growing desire for an opportunity to take up the study of shorthand and typewriting. That this would be a popular addition to our courses I can have no doubt. That it would also be a valuable one to the school I feel sure. While we have not emphasized the value of the classics as many have done there is some ground for the criticism that the few preparing for college or normal school have received more consideration than the many whose school days end at the close of the high school course. To add to our course the studies which I have just mentioned would require the services of a teacher who had had training in those subjects, who would also probably be able to give some time in the other departments, if necessary, and an equipment of typewriting machines. The unexpended balance which appears on the finance account would probably be ample to meet the expense if it could be reappropriated for that purpose. I commend the matter to your careful consideration.

In closing I would call attention to the report of the principal of the High School, in which Mr. Gleason refers to some matters connected with the administration of the school which will be of interest to the committee and to all thoughtful citizens.

EVERETT G. LORING.  
*Superintendent.*

## REPORT OF HIGH SCHOOL.

### *To the Superintendent of Schools:—*

I have the honor to submit the following report of the High School.

Several important changes have occurred within the last school year which I will mention in order.

Physics has been taught in the senior year, a part of the time being devoted to laboratory experiments. This course is designed to fit pupils for the technical schools and to give those whose education will not extend beyond the High School a glimpse into the laws of nature. The elementary course is still taught in the second year.

The new course in bookkeeping introduced this year, following the plan of the commercial schools, has been very successful, the students entering into the spirit of the work with marked enthusiasm, thus indicating that other commercial studies might be profitably introduced, making the course more practical without impairing the educational value.

All students are required to study English, comprising composition, grammar and the reading and study of masterpieces of literature.

During the last year one student was admitted to college, by examination, two others now in the school have passed their preliminary examinations. Several of the class of 1904 have entered other schools and are attaining excellent standing. The fact that graduates of the High School are successfully entering college by examination tends to raise the grade of the school.

An application has been made to the New England College Entrance Examination Board to be placed upon their

approved list, thereby allowing students who have obtained excellent rank in this school who wish to go to higher institutions to enter without examination.

An athletic league has been formed among the neighboring high schools to create a healthy rivalry among the members. I have encouraged the boys to join this league, believing that the development of the body is as necessary as the development of the mind. The forcing of the mind beyond its power to assimilate, due to youth and imperfect physical development, lead me to recommend this movement as an aid to scholarship.

In order to gain the best results from a high school education attendance must be regular and home study conscientiously performed. Of necessity teachers must depend upon the parents to see that this is done. Promotion is almost impossible unless the pupil realizes the necessity of faithful application throughout the year. A list of studies is sent to the parents during the spring term, that they may select the studies for the following year. It is desirable where convenient that they consult with the principal in reference to these that parents and teachers may co-operate in the welfare of each individual pupil.

The parents of our high school pupils certainly should know what their children are studying from day to day and what progress they are making. The purpose of report cards is to keep parents in touch with what their children are doing.

In conclusion I wish to invite the parents and others interested to visit the regular work of the High School at any time.

ERNEST M. GLEASON.

*Principal.*

# GRADUATING EXERCISES

CLASS OF 1904

KINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL,

TOWN HALL

Wednesday Evening, June 22, at 8 o'clock.

"Work to Win."

## PROGRAM.

March, <i>Le Commandant</i> ,	Orchestra
Chorus, <i>Morning Invitation</i> ,	Veazie
Invocation,	Rev. E. L. Hamilton
Chorus, <i>Lovely Appear</i> ,	Gowned
Salutatory and Oration, <i>An American Peril</i> ,	James Albert Holmes
Class History,	Marian Keley Cobb
Semi-chorus, <i>The Oars are Plashing Lightly</i> ,	Geibel
Essay, <i>Natural Talent</i> ,	Nettie Warren Bryant
Serenade,	Orchestra
Oration, <i>Reciprocity With Canada</i> ,	Archie Ellsworth Phinney
Semi-chorus, <i>The Woodman</i> ,	Veazie
Class Prophecy,	Harriet Bennett Thompson
Essay and Valedictory, <i>Woman in Athletics</i> ,	Flora Emeline Harrub
Presentation of Diplomas,	Supt. Everett G. Loring
Chorus, <i>Out on the Deep</i> ,	Lohr
<i>The Tar's Farewell</i> ,	Orchestra

## GRADUATES.

Marjorie Agnes Holmes,  
 Lucy Doten Maglathlin,  
 Clarence Berton Drake,  
 Flora Emeline Harrub,  
 Cynthia Warland Bailey,  
 Edward Somerset Howe,  
 Ralph Irving Simmons,  
 Nettie Warren Bryant,  
 Harold Raymond Wilbur,  
 Marion Keeley Cobb,  
 James Albert Holmes,  
 Archie Ellsworth Phinney,  
 Harriet Bennett Thompson,  
 Benjamin Barstow.

## CERTIFICATE.

Bernice Avon Ford:

## POST GRADUATE.

Eugenia Bartlett Trow.

## THE ADAMS PRIZES.

James A. Holmes,	Flora E. Harrub,
Clarence B. Drake,	Gladys S. Cole,
Richard E. Woodward,	Harriet B. Thompson,
Benjamin Barstow,	Bertha S. Kohnsman,
George H. Farrington,	Katherine M. Halligan.

CALENDAR. 1905.

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WINTER TERM.

High School closes March 24; other schools close March 17.

SPRING TERM.

All schools open April 3 and close June 23.

FALL TERM.

All schools open September 5 and close, High School,  
December 22, and other schools December 15.

WINTER TERM.

The winter term of all the schools opens January 1, 1906.