

ANNUAL REPORT

— OF —

THE TREASURER,

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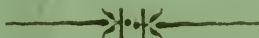
TOWN OFFICERS,

— OF —

DORCHESTER, N. H.

— FOR THE —

YEAR ENDING MAR. 1, 1891.



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Town Officers.

SELECTMEN.

IRA B. NORRIS.
ABEL BAILEY, JR.
PERLEY R. FOLLANSBEE.

TOWN CLERK.

JOHN A. NORRIS.

TREASURER.

FRANK Y. BURNHAM.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

JONATHAN W. WALLACE.

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J. M. KING.

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LEONARD S. FELLOWS.
BYRON RICHARDSON.
JONATHAN W. WALLACE.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

BYRON RICHARDSON.
GEORGE W. ROWEN.
FRANK Y. BURNHAM.

Treasurer's Report.

Receipts.

Balance in Treasury, March 1st, 1890,	666 75
Received of Selectmen,	4147 88
P. R. Follansbee, Collector, 1887,	5 00
“ “ “ 1888,	23 96
“ “ “ 1889,	1488 48
J. W. Wallace, “ 1890,	1915 08
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	\$8247 15

Disbursements.

Paid State Tax,	260 00
County Tax,	213 50
School Money,	284 93
Damage on Highway,	3 50
On Notes,	4681 61
Sheep killed by Dogs,	31 50
Miscellaneous,	910 88
Non-resident Highway Tax worked,	18 50
Highways and Bridges,	660 71
Aid for Dependent Soldiers and Families,	272 88
County Paupers,	228 95
Town Officers,	284 04
Abatements,	35 99
Balance in Treasury,	360 16
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	\$8247 15
Paid State Tax,	\$260 00

County Tax,	213 50
	<hr/> \$473 50

School Money.

Paid School Board,	\$284 93
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Damage on Highway.

Paid Caleb Monroe,	\$2 75
John P. Parker,	75
	<hr/> \$3 50

Paid on Notes.

Paid Hattie B. Whicher,	\$21 67
M. Y. Leavitt,	57 82
Geo. W. Hadley,	700 00
Elizabeth Minor,	5 00
Ira B. Norris, guardian Emma M. Smith,	45 00
Lou L. Wooster,	20 00
Geo. W. Hadley,	700 00
R. F. Martin,	129 82
Jonathan Kidder,	50 00
Geo. W. Hadley,	500 00
Luther Kidder,	25 00
Laura A. Kidder,	50 00
Hazen H. Clough,	148 85
J. Frank Reed,	10 00
Elizabeth Minor,	414 24
J. M. Minor,	116 63
R. F. Martin,	25 00
F. A. Dolloff,	130 50
I. M. Morrill,	359 60
J. F. Reed,	5 00
Samuel Stevens,	527 38
M. J. Dolloff,	73 90
J. E. Burnham,	566 20
	<hr/> \$4681 61

Sheep Killed By Dogs.

Paid S. W. Clement,	\$2 50
Jewell Jessemen,	3 00
Abel Bailey, Jr.,	5 00
John Bennett,	10 00
S. H. Whicher,	5 00
Ira B. Norris,	4 00
Hiram Reed,	2 00
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	\$31 50

Miscellaneous Bills.

Paid S. W. Clement, depositions and watering troughs,	4 50
C. O. Barney, printing town reports,	20 00
E. M. Tucker, returns of births and deaths,	1 25
A. Blodgett, labor and shingles on town house,	9 94
J. M. Fitts, nails for town house,	1 00
C. O. Barney, books and stationery,	10 25
“ “ Invoice Record Book,	10 00
P. S. Blaisdell, repairing Quimby fence,	75
P. R. Follansbee, resident land sale,	726 11
J. W. Wallace, non-resident land sale,	113 11
P. R. Follansbee, tax on town land,	11 00
Ira B. Norris, care of town house,	2 00
Ira B. Norris, blanks and stationery.	97
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	\$910 88

Non-Resident Highway Tax Worked.

Paid J. D. Weeks,	\$9 50
Hiram Reed on Hill farm,	9 00
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	\$18 50

Highways and Bridges.

Paid Edwin Whicher	4 25
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J. W. Wallace,	5 50
W. R. Park, Jr.,	150 00
C. A. Jesseman,	2 00
D. S. & T. E. Clough,	26 16
A. Blodgett,	1 34
W. M. Buck,	4 00
W. C. Youngman,	4 50
D. S. & T. E. Clough,	4 56
James Lamott,	45 71
Joseph Reed,	12 00
I. M. Burnham,	17 43
Edwin Whicher,	6 60
A. F. Bickford,	29 04
Joseph Reed,	12 19
Hiram Reed,	1 61
Emri Whicher,	7 39
P. S. Blaisdell,	13 59
A. F. Bickford,	66 55
John Bennett,	14 96
C. B. Powers,	4 83
D. S. & T. E. Clough,	11 43
Jas. Lamott, plank and labor,	17 80
W. D. Washburn,	6 09
H. Wilkinson,	3 68
John Bennett,	7 80
W. S. Brooks,	62
I. C. Mosher,	1 32
S. H. Whicher,	2 64
H. M. Merrill,	2 15
I. S. Sanborn,	1 00
J. A. Norris, plank,	41 50
W. C. Youngman,	11 22
J. A. Norris,	60 00
A. Leavitt,	13 37
J. W. Wallace,	10 80
L. S. Fellows, plank,	2 70
“ “	3 00
John Mc Grath,	6 86
“ “	11 26

Joshua Rowen,	6 10
S. A. Leavitt,	3 93
O. W. Learned,	1 23
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	\$660 71

Abatements.

PERLEY R. FOLLANSBEE, Collector.

Ira A. Jesseman, tax of 1888,	2 65
Levi Bacon, " 1889,	4 12
J. C. Parker, " "	2 75
C. O. Barnes place, "	2 75
G. F. Colburn, Hobbs' horse, 1889,	1 93
Louis Tondreau, "	2 75
Michael Landergreen, "	2 75
Daniel Gardner, "	2 75
J. F. Dow, paid in Thornton,	2 75
J. A. Youngman,	2 75
Ira B. Norris on, Albert C. Keniston, tax of '88,	6 60
Sarah Hearn, on tax of 1885,	1 44
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	\$35 99

Aid Furnished Dependent Soldiers.

Paid R. W. Leavitt for John Quimby,	\$14 64
" " " "	35 44
" " " "	57 40
" " " "	43 01
" " " "	46 81
" " " "	24 33
M. H. Milton, for John Quimby,	11 10
J. W. Burley, " "	4 40
J. M. Fitts, " "	35 75
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	\$272 88

County Paupers.

Paid F. Y. Burnham, for Aaron Reed,	\$6 00
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J. T. Reed, for Aaron Reed,	7 00
Eliza Clement, " "	26 00
" " " "	26 20
Ira B. Norris, " "	2 75
G. F. Colburn for G. C. Colburn,	16 25
" " " "	16 25
" " " "	32 50
Samuel Stevens for E. Smith,	12 50
" " " "	32 50
Ellen Buck for Nathan Clough,	4 00
" " " "	31 00
Ira B. Norris " "	6 00
E. M. Allen, " "	50
O. L. Corliss, " "	2 00
G. B. Fellows for Moses T. Fellows,	7 50

\$228 95

Town Officers' Bills.

Paid Ira B. Norris, 1st Selectman,	\$54 50
Abel Bailey, Jr., 2d " "	26 25
P. R. Follansbee, 3d " "	25 25
J. A. Norris, Town Clerk,	15 00
F. Y. Burnham, Treasurer,	15 00
Ira B. Norris, Overseer Poor,	14 00
J. W. Wallace, Moderator and Auditor,	4 50
S. W. Clement, Auditor,	1 50
G. W. Rowen, Member School Board,	4 50
M. Y. Leavitt, Supervisor,	6 00
L. S. Fellows, " "	9 00
W. C. Youngman, Supervisor,	4 50
" " " "	2 50
P. R. Follansbee, Collector for 1889,	54 00
J. W. Wallace, " 1890,	37 54
M. Y. Burnham, Member School Board,	8 00
Geo. W. Rowen, " " "	2 00

\$284 04

Respectfully Submitted,

FRANK Y. BURNHAM, Treasurer.

Selectmen's Report.

The Selectmen charge themselves as follows :

Received from Ira B. Norris, on land sale notes,	\$660 59
County of Grafton,	609 50
Abel Bailey, Jr., on land sale note,	74 95
P. S. Blaisdell, grass on Quimby place,	6 50
State Savings Bank tax,	159 70
" Literary fund,	104 86
H. M. Merrill, use of town house.	3 00
I. B. Norris, deeds of land on land sale notes,	109 36
Borrowed from Frank Martin,	225 00
Charles E. Decato,	100 00
Mary E. Decato,	125 00
Milton Y. Leavitt,	150 00
Susie F. Kidder,	25 00
Betsey Waldron,	120 00
Sybel L. Witter,	175 00
J. Frank Reed,	37 00
Elisabeth Miner,	590 00
F. A. Dolloff,	330 50
Samuel Stevens,	527 38
Martha J. Dolloff,	123 90
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	\$4257 24

Cash Paid Town Treasurer.

May 31,	\$700 00
Sept. 25,	177 73

Dec. 10,	942 32
Feb. 21,	2077 37
Feb. 27,	250 46
Deeds of land in hands of Selectmen,	109 36
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	\$4257 24

Due the Town March 1st, 1891.

From Abel Bailey, Jr., on land sale note,	\$678 16
Ira B. Norris, " "	651 63
C. O. Barnes note,	188 15
County of Grafton,	24 33
Claim on Lem Colburn place,	250 00
Lands covered by deeds,	847 10
Claim on Quimby place,	138 91
J. A. Norris, hay on Quimby place,	15 00
Albert Leavitt, grass " "	6 50
P. R. Follansbee, Collector 1887,	7 61
" " " " 1888,	33 98
" " " " 1889,	82 03
J. W. Wallace, 1890,	988 03
In hands of Treasurer,	360 16
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	\$4271 61

Notes against the town,	\$18,726 65
Due the town,	4,271 61
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Total debt above available means,	\$14,455 04
Outstanding notes less than last year,	\$1280 96
Debt less than last year,	542 84

Respectfully submitted,

IRA B. NORRIS,	} Selectmen of Dorchester.
P. R. FOLLANSBEE,	
ABEL BAILEY, JR.,	

The undersigned have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, and Overseer of the Poor of the town of Dorchester for the year ending March 1st, 1891, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. W. CLEMENT,	} Auditors.
J. M. KING,	

Valuation for 1890.

Polls, 93.	\$9300
Horses, 118,	5280
Oxen, 150,	4812
Cows, 178.	3250
Neat Stock, 136,	2280
Sheep, 584,	1202
Stock in trade,	4400
Mills,	950
Improved and unimproved land.	85692
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	\$117,166

Amount of Money Raised by Tax, 1890.

And committed to J. W. Wallace. Collector.

State, County, Town and School tax,	\$2753 40
Non-resident summer highway tax.	93 42
“ “ winter “ “	46 71
Dog tax.	10 00
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	\$2903 53

The rate was \$2.35 on a hundred dollars.

Rate of highway, .75 “ “

BIRTHS Registered in the Town of Dorchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date,	Place of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any.)	Sex & Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
			Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Mar. 11	Dorch'tr	Ray Otis Mosher.	M	F	Living	5 ^h	W	Dorches'tr	Farmer.	Barnston, Can	Groton.	
May. 6	"	Sarah Adda.	F	F	"	3 ^q		"	"	Piermont,	Dorchester.	
June 5	"		F	F	"	7 ^h		"	"	Wentworth.	Lisbon.	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. JOHN A. NORRIS, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Dorchester, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1890

Date.	Place of Marriage, of Groom and Bride	Name and Surname	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Condition.*	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan. 16	Rumney.	Orrin D. Howlett.	Conbridge Ms	30	W	Piano Reg'r		Enoch J. Howlett Angie S "	Boston Mass	Treasurer	1st	A L Smith, Rumney, N. H.
May 13	Somerville	John M. Pitts.	Dorchester	47		Merchant.	Dorchester	Malissa M Sax Thomas J Pitts	Dorchester Chazy N. Y	Housework Farmer.	1st	James H. Ross,
Aug. 31	Wentworth	Isaac M. Barnham	Somerville Ms	22		Housework	Chelsea	Thankful Moore Geo W Martin Kate S Smith	South Hampton Dorchester New York	Housework Farmer	1st	Somerville, Mass
		Clara E. Ellsworth.	Dorchester	30		Farmer.	Wentworth	Hattie You'gram J L Ellsworth Emily Ellsworth	Bath Me Antrim Winnet Wentworth	Inventor Housework Farmer	1st	Chas. W. Nelson, Plymouth, N. H.

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, &c.

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DEATHS Registered in the Town of Dorchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex & Condition			Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
			Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.		Single Married or Widowed.	Father.		
Jan. 15	Dorchester	Mary Clark	84	7	5	Dorchester	M	F	W	Housewife		Benj. Dow	Alice Burleigh	
Jan. 16	"	John A. Learned	81			No return	M	F	M	Farmer.		John McGrath	Ag'sta West	
Jan. 21	"	Charlie E. McGrath	11	7	24	"	M	F	S					
Feb. 5	"	Eliza L. Blaisdell	65	9	23	"	M	F	M	Farmer.				
Feb. 16	"	Adolphus LaMotte	75	9	23	Dorchester	M	F	M	Clergyman				
Mar. 11	Camp'n	Geo W. Jesseman	79	5	23	"	M	F	W	Farmer.				
June 26	Dorchester	Gilbert W. Burpee	28	6	23	"	M	F	S					
July 16	"	Ray Otis Mosher	28	4	5	"	M	F	S	Teamster				
Dec. 22	"	Peter Perro	29	4	4	Canada	M	F	S	Housework				
Dec. 23	"	Helen W. Rowen	65			Scotland	M	F	M					

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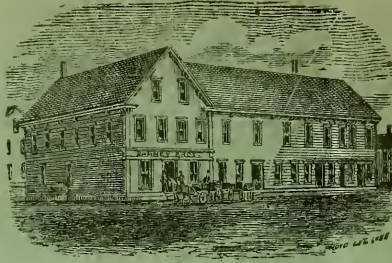
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