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TOWN OFFICERS, 1913

Moderator, Byron J. Holt
Town Clerk, Lorenzo W. Davis

SELECTMEN

Lorenzo W. Davis, Charles A. N. Nye
Ernest D. White
Town Treasurer, Perley W. Ellis
School District Treasurer, M. S. Nims
Grand Jurors, Charles A. N. Nye, Fred G. Waldo
Constable, Byron J. Holt
Sextons, Selectmen

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER

Cyrus K. Ellis, Byron J. Holt
Lorenzo W. Davis

FENCE VIEWERS

Daniel H. Ellis, Ernest D. White
Byron J. Holt

BOARD OF HEALTH

Byron J. Holt, Thomas M. Dillingham
Cyrus K. Ellis

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Lorenzo W. Davis, Charles A. N. Nye
Harriet A. Dillingham

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

Byron J. Holt, Cyrus K. Ellis
Fred G. Waldo
Tax Collector, Byron J. Holt
Auditor, Daniel H. Ellis

REPORT OF THE
SELECTMEN OF ROXBURY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 14, 1914

Inventory of Polls and Taxable Property

19 Polls,	\$1,900 00
30 Horses,	3,238 00
28 Cows,	1,004 00
5 Neat stock,	100 00
2 Oxen,	100 00
14 Sheep,	56 00
50 Hens,	30 00
1 Portable Mill,	1,000 00
Lumber,	120 00
1 Corn Grinder,	30 00
2 Automobiles,	1400 00
22 Cords of Wood,	44 00
	\$9,022 00

Value of Improved and Unimproved land and Buildings,	113,034 00
Value of Aqueducts and Reservoirs,	17,500 00

Total valuation, \$139,556 00

Appropriations and money raised by taxation

State Tax,	\$280 00
County Tax,	264 08
Town Tax,	450 00
School Tax,	307 50
Highways and Bridges,	500 00
Permanant Improvement Money,	136 00
Overplus,	21 74

Total, \$1,959 32

Amount Committed to Collector, \$1,959 32

Rate per cent., State, County, Town, School
and Highway tax, \$1 40

Number of Dogs in town April 1, 1913, 9

DISBURSEMENTS

Ordinary Town Charges

W. H. Spalter,	\$ 3 17
W. L. Metcalf, printing town reports,	10 00
R. C. Jones, repairing road machine,	13 40
L. W. Davis, moving machine to and from Keene,	3 00
Selectmen, Expense of running Town lines,	14 00
L. W. Davis, repairing State road,	6 75
Fred W. Davis, mowing out cemetery,	2 00
Nims & Whitney, a half window for the Church,	1 20
Earl J. Russell, for painting road machine,	4 00
Spencer Hardware Co., for paint,	2 55
County Tax,	264 08
State Tax,	280 00
School Tax,	262 50
Dog license to School District for 1911-1912,	52 80
Byron J. Holt, for postage,	2 00
Lorenzo W. Davis, for postage,	2 37
M. S. Nims, for printed cards and key for the Town House,	1 00
One-half the expense of a stone post between Roxbury and Marlboro',	2 50
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	\$927 32

TOWN OFFICERS

SALARY

Lorenzo W. Davis, 1st Selectman,	\$20 00
Charles A. N. Nye, 2nd "	15 00
Ernest D. White, 3rd "	10 00
Lorenzo W. Davis, Town Clerk,	8 00
Perley W. Ellis, Town Treasurer,	6 00
Byron J. Holt, Supervisor,	3 00
Cyrus K. Ellis, "	3 00
Fred G. Waldo, "	3 00
Byron J. Holt, Tax Collector,	25 00

Lorenzo W. Davis, Overseer of Poor,	2 00
Byron J. Holt, Constable,	2 00
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	\$97 00

OVERSEER OF POOR

To The Selectmen of Roxbury:

There has been no application to the town for aid from the Overseer of the Poor for the year ending Feb. 14, 1914.

LORENZO W. DAVIS,
Overseer of Poor.

JOINT MAINTENANCE

STATE HIGHWAY FUND

For the year 1913

	1912	1913	total
Town contribution,	\$9 56	175 00	184 56
Town contribution,	6 00	40 00	46 00
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Total maintenance fund,			\$230 56
State disbursements, 2 Culverts,		\$28 88	
Town disbursements,		133 11	
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Total,		\$161 99	
Town disbursement, charge town,		\$20 00	
State disbursement,		141 99	
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			\$161 99
Balance in State Treasury,		\$42 57	
Balance in Town Treasury,		26 00	
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Total Balance,		\$68 57	\$68 57

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS

Town of Roxbury, N. H., 1913

To B. J. Holt, Agt., Dr.

B. J. Holt,	labor and supplies,	\$128 60
H. C. Hastings,	“ team,	52 00
W. H. Harris,	“ “	139 00
L. W. Davis,	“ “	18 60
E. D. White,	“ “	32 37
L. C. Dawes,	“ “	3 00
P. W. Ellis,	“ “	6 66
W. A. White,	“	2 00
H. W. Wilder,	“	22 00
A. L. Stevens,	“	2 00
Chas. A. N. Nye,	“	2 60
W. B. Mark,	“	101 11
J. F. McClure,	“	2 00
T. A. McClure,	“	4 00
J. H. Holbrook,	“	4 00
Jos. Cota,	“	89 72
C. K. Ellis,	“	2 00
E. J. Russell	“	33
E. Kingsbury,	railing poles and posts,	6 70
T. A. Hastings,	B plank,	3 58
P. W. Russell,	B plank,	4 25
F. W. Davis,	16 loads gravel,	1 60
L. A. Nims,	14 loads gravel,	1 40
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.,	culverts,	85 40
Knowlton & Stone,	drain pipe, &c.,	2 79
L. E. Holt,	labor and team,	2 50
A. H. Rugg,	labor and team,	2 00
J. K. Colony,	labor,	70
G. L. Mark,	labor,	44
J. P. Rust,	B plank,	11 90
D. B. Nims, Est.,	stringers,	10 00

 \$745 25

B. J. HOLT, Road Agent

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1913,	\$952 44
Rec'd from Byron J. Holt, collector, 1912,	171 00
" " " " " " 1913,	1,847 36
Interest 1912,	12 50
Rec'd from L. W. Davis, town clerk, dog license for 1913,	5 40
Rec'd from County of Cheshire aid on branch road, 1913,	96 52
Rec'd from State treasurer, railroad tax,	11 60
Savings Bank tax,	42 22
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Total amount received,	\$3,139 04
Total amount of orders paid,	1,841 86
Balance in treasury,	\$1,297 18

LIABILITIES

School appropriation for 1913,	\$307 50
Balance of permanent highway improvement fund,	6 00
Balance of permanent highway improvement 1913,	85 36
Balance of maintenance, highway fund,	6 00
Balance of State highway department fund,	17 07
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	\$421 93

ASSETS

Due from collector, 1904,	\$ 64
" " 1905,	6 14
" " 1906,	11 43
" " 1907,	24 80
" " 1908,	12 95
" " 1909,	104 69
" " 1910,	34 39
" " 1912,	1 38
" " 1913,	111 96
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	\$308 38

PERLEY W. ELLIS, Treasurer

Having examined the foregoing accounts, I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

DANIEL H. ELLIS, Auditor

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Charles A. N. Nye was drawn grand juror to attend the April term of superior court and Fred G. Waldo was drawn grand juror to attend the October term of superior court.

Annual town meeting was held at the town hall, on the second Tuesday of March, 1913, for the election of officers and raising and appropriating of money.

LORENZO W. DAVIS,

Town Clerk

TRUST FUNDS

The Ruel H. Kingsbury Cemetery fund, \$100.00 deposited in the Keene Savings Bank. Income to be used in taking care of cemetery.

Amount of accrued interest, Thirty dollars thirty two cents.

The George G. Davis cemetery fund, \$100. deposited in the Cheshire County Savings Bank. Income to be used in taking care cemetery. Amount of accrued interest, Seventeen dollars, Twenty-six cents.

LORENZO W. DAVIS, Trustee

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

STATEMENT OF JOINT FUND ACCOUNT

Balance in town treasury,	\$17 07
“ State treasury,	20 72

Total unexpended balance left over from 1912, \$37 79

LORENZO W. DAVIS,

CHARLES A. N. NYE,

ERNEST D. WHITE,

Selectmen of Roxbury

Having examined the foregoing accounts I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

DANIEL H. ELLIS. Auditor

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND

North East Metal Culvert Co.

One Culvert 24 in. by 18 ft. long,	\$32 00
L. W. Davis, labor and supplies,	11 24
Jos. Cota, “	3 00
W. B. Mark, “	2 00
J. B. Holt, “	2 00
Telephoning,	40
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Total,	\$50 64
Balance in Town Treasury,	\$85 36

B. J. HOLT, Road Agent.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

For Year Ending February 18, 1914

Paid town of Harrisville, tuition of Lawrence and Prentice Nye, for 36 weeks' school, 1912,	\$18 00
For 36 weeks school, 1913,	18 00
Paid town of Marlboro', tuition of Lawrence and Evelyn Parker, for year of 1912,	16 00
Paid Keene Normal School, tuition of Isaac Longever, William Longever, Annie Longever, Nellie Russell, Emogene Russell, Richard Pickett attending Model Rural school at South Keene from Sept. 9, 1912-March 28, 1913,	49 00
Paid Keene Normal school, tuition of Isaac Longever, William Longever, Annie Longever, Nellie Russell, attending Model Rural school at South Keene, Spring, 1913,	27 08
Paid Union School District of Keene, tuition of Isaac Longever, William Longever, George Ellis, Florence Gordon, Richard Pickett, Fall term, 1912,	7 00
Winter, 1913, Five pupils, Spring term, 1913,	29 00
Paid transportation of before mentioned pupils, for 1912,	103 00
Paid transportation of pupils for 1913,	160 50
Paid David B. Nims, salary as treasurer, 1912,	5 00
Paid Harriet A. Dillingham, salary as chairman school board for 1912,	6 00
Paid Mabel G. Parker, salary as member of school board, 1912,	5 00
Paid Charles A. N. Nye, salary as member of school board for 1912,	5 00
	\$462 58

Paid Lorenzo W. Davis, salary as chairman of school board for 1913,	6 00
Paid Mrs. Harriet A Dillingham, salary as member of school board, 1913,	5 00
Paid Charles A. N. Nye, salary as member of school board, 1913,	5 00
Paid Madella S. Nims, salary as School treasurer, 1913,	5 00

L. W. DAVIS,
 CHAS A. N. NYE,
 School Board of Roxbury

TREASURER'S REPORT

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Balance in treasury Feb. 18, 1913,	\$308 72
Received from town treasurer,	
School money for 1912,	262 50
Dog license for 1911-1912,	52 80

Total amount received,	\$624 02
Total amount of orders paid,	462 58

Balance in treasury, —	\$161 44

ASSETS

School appropriation for 1913,	307 50
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MADELLA S. NIMS, Treasurer.

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1899, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report."

I hereby submit the following report for the year Ending Feb. 14, 1914.

Respectfully submitted,

LORENZO W. DAVIS,

Town Clerk.

Births Registered in the Town of Roxbury, for the Year Ending, Feb. 14, 1914.

Date 1913	Name of Child	Sex	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Apr. 13	Clarence Almon	M	2	Lorenzo W. Davis	Florence O. Ball	Roxbury	Roxbury	Marlboro', N. H.
Nov. 27	Maude Rosette	F	4	Willie Cunningham	Charity Ellis	Roxbury	Stoddard	Roxbury, N. H.
Jan. 2	Stella Marian	F	6	Charles A. N. Nye	Lena M. Mason	Roxbury	Roxbury	Marlboro', N. H.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Roxbury, for the Year Ending Feb. 14, 1914.

Date 1912	Name	Sex	*S, M or W	Yrs. Mo.	Days	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden name of Mother
March 3	David B. Nims	M	S.	54	7	Roxbury, N. H.	Brigham Nims	Susan Selina Gould

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District in the town of Roxbury, qualified to vote in district affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the tenth day of March 1914, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers, chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
7. To see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of Schools.
8. To see if the school District will raise money to repair schoolhouse No. 1.
9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Roxbury this 20th day of February, 1914.

LORENZO W. DAVIS, } School Board
 CHAS. A. N. NYE, } of Roxbury

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Town of Roxbury, in the County of Cheshire in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1.—To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2.—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3.—To hear the report of the Selectmen or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

4.—To raise such sum of money as may be necessary for repairing highways and bridges.

5.—To see if the Town will vote to establish a Town Library and raise money therefore.

6.—To see if the Town will apply for State Aid and raise money therefore.

7.—To see if the Town will vote to raise money to cut brush on the road side.

8. To see if the Town will permit the income of the Cemetery fund to be expended by the Roxbury Cemetery Association.]

9.—To see if the Town will vote to raise money for some steel blinds for church.

10.—To transact any other Business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fourteen.

LORENZO W. DAVIS,	}	Selectmen of Roxbury.
CHAS. A. N. NYE,		
ERNEST D. WHITE,		

New Hampshire State Library



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