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ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF THE  
TOWN OF  
MONROE, N. H.

For the Fiscal Year Ending  
FEBRUARY 15, 1909

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# TOWN REPORT

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## TREASURER'S AND SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The Selectmen charge the Treasurer with having received the following sums :

To cash in Treasury	\$ 366 03
N. T. Bolton, tax bills for 1908 and interest	3,954 88
Literary fund	74 34
Savings Bank tax,	79 41
Dog money	105 20
County for support of poor	25 65
S. J. Astle, balance of money for school house repairs,	18 38
N. T. Bolton, interest on taxes for 1907,	9 51
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	\$4,633 40

The Selectmen charge the Treasurer with having received the following orders numbering from 1 to 69 for the year ending February 15, 1909 :

No. 1, A. H. Nelson, interest on money loaned the town for 1907,	\$ 6 63
2, Selectmen, overdraft for permanent road work,	1 45
3, Oscar Frazer, services as selectman,	14 00

4, R. V. Thorpe, printing Town Reports,	24 20
5, Jennie Dickinson, care of County pauper	5 15
6, J. M. Gibson, doctoring Mrs. Freeborne Pettis, County charge	20 50
7, N. T. Bolton, interest on money loaned town for 1907,	6 55
8, National Bank of Newbury, interest on money loaned town for 1907,	12 00
9, I. F. Page, books, blanks and paper,	4 20
10, Geo. L. Plimpton, tuition for Geo. A. and Robert H. Gibson and Ruth A. Nelson,	39 99
11, D. A. Bedell, road purposes,	110 00
12, Gilbert Chamberlain, memorial purposes,	15 00
13, B. & M. R. R. Co., freight on road machine,	9 13
14, D. A. Bedell, road purposes,	252 00
15, Jeane Moore, for school books,	20 00
16, Jeane Moore, school purposes,	400 00
17, Selectmen, permanent road money,	340 00
18, Hugh Nelson, damage to sheep by dogs,	90 00
19, D. A. Bedell, road purposes,	75 00
20, Selectmen, permanent road money,	143 00
21, Homer S. Smith, work in North Monroe cemetery,	30 00
22, Geo. L. Plimpton, tuition for Ruth Nel- son, Geo. A. and Robt. H. Gibson,	40 02
23, Henry Hinman, paint and work on Monroe cemetery,	50 00
24, Jeane Moore, school purposes,	420 00
25, A. B. Black, for road machine,	215 47
26, D. A. Bedell, road purposes,	63 00
27, O. A. Brown, County tax,	438 69
28, Solon A. Carter, State tax,	500 00



29, T. J. Cree, tuition for Larkin Hosford,	25 00
30, Selectmen, permanent road money,	17 17
31, Jeane Moore, books and supplies,	71 00
32, Geo. L. Plimpton, tuition for Ruth Nelson, Geo. A. and Robert H. Gibson,	39 99
33, Jeane Moore, school purposes,	283 75
34, D. A. Bedell, road purposes,	50 00
35, Oscar Frazer, damage to sheep by dogs,	5 00
36, C. G. Emery, truant officer,	6 00
37, J. B. Jones, services as supervisor,	5 00
38, Henry Hinman, health officer,	39 66
39, Henry Hinman, work on Monroe cemetery,	10 60
40, R. S. Beattie, rent for water tub,	3 00
41, H. C. Nelson, damage to sheep by dogs	4 00
42, J. M. Gibson, reporting births and deaths,	2 00
43, D. E. Burns, reporting mariages,	50
44, D. R. Gilchrist, services dog constable,	4 00
45, R. B. Hall, rent on water tub,	1 50
46, E. C. Emery, services as selectmen for 1908,	12 00
47, Jeane P. Moore, services on school board,	39 00
48, Lizzie McBurney, " "	5 00
49, R. S. Ward, " "	12 00
50, D. A. Bedell, road purposes,	52 16
51, " " "	126 33
52, J. D. Moore, Library tax,	33 33
53, " services as supervisor	3 00
54, O. H. Schoff, services as health officer,	1 50
55, Homer S. Smith, services as health officer,	13 34
56, " interest on A. D. Mas- on fund	12 00
57, Homer S. Smith, work on No. Monroe cemetery,	20 51
58, Homer S. Smith, services as supervisor,	6 00

59, I. F. Page, services as Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, and District Clerk,	42 50
60, C. H. Hosford, housing snow roller,	2 00
61, N. T. Bolton, collecting taxes for 1908,	45 00
62, F. H. Gibson, services as selectman,	23 00
63, S. J. Astle, services as selectman,	26 00
64, N. T. Bolton, driving hearse,	19 00
65, A. H. Nelson, supplies and expenses,	5 65
66, A. H. Nelson, services as selectman,	45 00
67, H. A. Elliott, reporting births and deaths,	75
68, N. T. Bolton, abatement of taxes,	6 30
69, S. J. Astle, tileing from town of Barnet,	4 14
Amount of orders,	<hr/> \$4,469 66



## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

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### LIABILITIES

A. D. Mason fund,	\$400 00	
Ford fund	50 00	
Paddleford & Mason fund	50 00	
Amount due school district,	6 20	
		\$506 20

### ASSETS

Cash in Treasury,	\$163 74	
		163 74
		\$342 46
Decrease in Treasury,		\$202 29

These funds to the amount of \$500 have been in town several years but have not been printed in Town Report.

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. NELSON,

S. J. ASTLE,

F. H. GIBSON,

Selectmen of Monroe.

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## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

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### D. A. BEDELL, ROAD AGENT

Paid	D. A. Bedell, 61 days 2 hours,	\$122 30
	Man, 35 days,	52 50
	Elmer Damon, labor on road, 8 days,	12 00

D. A. Bedell, team 23 days 3 hours, at \$1.50 per day,	34 95
D. A. Bedell, 3 horses on road machine 15 days,	45 00
Ellsworth Blair, with 3 horses, work on road machine, 15 days,	75 00
L. Skinner, labor on road, 4 days,	6 00
Albert Hunt, labor on road, 25 days, 6 hours,	38 40
Charlie Emery, labor on road, 16 days,	24 00
H. Jellison, labor on road, 8 days,	12 00
Charles Dickinson, labor on road, 13 days,	19 50
Willis Smith, with team, 2 hours,	60
R. D. Harding, repairing bridges,	2 50
Sam McBurney, with team 1-2 day,	1 50
Morris Carter, team on snow roller,	7 00
W. E. Emery, hauling snow roller to Monroe Plain,	1 00
Dynamite, Connecticut Valley Lumber Co.	35
Fuse, Connecticut Valley Lumber Co.	10
Sharpening drills,	10
3 leads gravel,	30
I F. Page, spike,	08
L. M. Farnham tiling 42 ft. 12 in. B. & M. railroad, freight on tiling,	15 56
Moquin, labor and lumber,	1 00
James Arthur, repairing culvert,	6 15
Horace Emery, labor,	90
Frank Sylvester, labor 4 1-4 days,	2 50
George Woodard, with team, 7 2-3 days,	6 38
George Woodard, labor, 1 day, 8 hours,	11 10
George Woodard, labor, 1 day, 8 hours,	2 70
George Woodard, gravel,	7 70
E. C. Emery, labor,	3 90

Alvah Dickenson, turning water out of road,	50
H. C. Nelson, 3 days, 8 1-2 hours,	5 78
Freeman Johnson, labor, 9 days, 3 hours,	13 95
Freemah Johnson, 3 days, 6 hours with team,	10 80
J. H. Goodrich, cement,	50
D. A. Bedell, 325 ft. plank,	4 87
Bert Hunt, labor on road, 2 1-2 days,	3 75
Angie Pratt, stringers, plank and labor,	3 00
Emerson Blancher, turning water out of road,	1 00
J. Jones, with team 1 day,	3 00
Frank Cushing, labor 4 days,	6 00
John Welch, work on road, 4 days,	6 00
I. F. Page, 20 lb. spike,	70
Ellsworth Blair and team, 3 1-2 days,	10 50
Hattie Roy, 815 ft. plank,	12 22
Henry Hinman, gravel,	10 00
Niles, 1 day labor,	1 50
Sam McBurney, 188 ft. plank,	2 82
Willis Smith, lumber and labor,	4 00
Austin Carter, plank 180 ft., and team 2 hours,	3 00
Freeman Corkum, shoveling snow,	75
D. A. Bedell, 1 day,	2 00
I. F. Page, nails,	08
Freeman Johnson, shoveling snow, 10 hours,	1 50
Luther Pollard, 30 ft. plank,	45
Maurice Carter, with team on roller,	32 00
W. E. Emery, with team on roller,	33 00
Charlie Emery, shoveling snow, 11 hours,	1 65
Charlie Emery, shoveling snow, 2 1-2 hours,	38
Moses Levaleay with man and team break- ing roads,	1 50



Jerry Greenwood, 4 hours,	60
Horace Emery, breaking roads,	1 75
Alvah Dickinson, breaking roads,	60
Town of Barnet, tiling,	4 14
A. H. Nelson, 18 1-2 hours labor,	2 78
A. H. Nelson, 247 ft. plank, 4 sleepers,	4 45
A. H. Nelson, 69 loads gravel,	6 90
J. B. Jones, labor and plank,	1 90
Oscar Frazer, labor,	1 80
Henry Nelson, shoveling snow,	3 30
J. D. Moore, breaking road,	2 00
Town of Barnet, tiling,	4 14

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Respectfully submitted,  
D. A. BEDELL,  
Road Agent.

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## STATE AID HIGHWAY FUND

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Paid	Town contribution,	\$483 00
	State contribution,	287 10
	Town overdraft,	17 17
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### MONEY EXPENDED

S. J. Astle, 33 1-2 days,	67 00
S. J. Astle, extra man 9 days,	13 50
S. J. Astle, man and team 25 days,	81 25
S. J. Astle, dynamite,	1 59
A. H. Nelson, 26 1-4 days,	52 50

A. H. Nelson, man and team 26 days,	84 50
A. H. Nelson, gravel,	82 30
George Placey, man and team 1 1-2 days,	4 87
George Placey, gravel,	20 00
Frank Sylvester, man and team 15 days,	48 75
David Lang, man and team, 21 1-2 days,	69 87
W. E. Emery, man and team, 13 days,	42 25
W. E. Emery, team 5 1-2 days,	9 62
W. E. Emery, gravel,	25 00
Frank Cushman, 24 days,	36 00
Ramie Fenoff, 15 3-4 days,	23 40
Henry Jellison, 1 1-2 days,	2 25
J. B. Jones, man and team, 9 1-2 days,	30 87
Charlie Emery, 19 1-2 days,	29 25
Henry Bennett, 13 days,	19 50
Henry Hinman, man and team, 8 days,	26 00
C. G. Emery, gravel,	20 00
Maurice Carter, gravel,	12 06
Oscar Frazer, team 5 1-2 days,	9 63
Oscar Frazer, 2 days,	3 00
D. R. Gilchrist, man and team, 3 day,	9 75
R. S. Beattie, use of roller,	1 00
J. H. Goodrich, dynamite fuse and caps,	2 56
W. H. Burbank & Co., dynamite, fuse and caps,	5 80
Hugh Duncan, sharpening drills,	2 10
Frank George, sharpening picks,	1 10

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Respectfully submitted,

A. H. Nelson,

S. J. Astle,

F. H. Gibson,

Selectmen of Monroe.

# SCHOOL REPORT

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The School Board charge the School Treasurer with having received the following sums :

To Selectmen's orders for school purposes :	
June 24, 1908,	\$400 00
Nov. 9,	420 00
January 29, 1909,	283 75
Balance from last year,	72 07
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	\$1,175 82

The School Board has drawn the following orders on the School Treasurer:

Oscar Frazier, 6 cords wood, sawing same	\$27 00
A. E. Carter, 2 3-4 cords wood,	9 62
J. D. Moore, 3 cords wood.	10 50
R. Champany, sawing wood,	3 00
Mrs. Champany, cleaning school rooms,	4 00
Mrs. Hastings, cleaning school rooms,	4 00
I. Head, Repairs No. 6,	1 00
R. E. Lane. Roll of Honor supplies	2 37
Florence Warden, services as teacher	70 00
Cora Remick                   "           "	70 00
Nellie Manchester           "           "	75 00
Lena Moore,                   "           "	70 00
Mary Fisher, services as janitor,	2 00



Gertrude Champany, services as janitor,	2 00
David Warden, services as janitor,	4 00
Mrs Helen Dickinson, conveyance of pupils,	10 00
R. S. Ward, " "	30 00
Mrs. Jellison, " "	45 00
Laura Williamson, services as teacher,	80 00
Nellie Manchester, " "	67 50
Lena Moore, " "	63 00
Cora Remick " "	75 00
Mrs. Jellison, conveyance of pupils,	40 40
R. S. Ward, " "	30 00
Mrs. Helen Dickinson, conveyance of pupils	10 00
J. H. Goodrich, repairs No. 1	8 58
Mary Fisher, services as janitor,	2 00
Gertrude Champany, " "	2 00
David Warden, " "	3 80
Nellie Manchester, services as teacher,	67 50
Lena Moore, " "	63 00
Cora Remick " "	67 50
Laura Williamson, " "	67 50
M. Carter, conveyance of pupils,	40 50
R. S. Ward, " "	20 00
Mary Fisher, services as janitor,	2 25
Walter Moore, " "	2 25
David Warden, " "	4 50
Walter Moore, banking No. 3,	1 00
C. Lang " No. 6,	1 00
J. D. Moore, telephone toll charges,	1 00
H. S. Smith, repairs No. 6,	1 00
R. S. Ward, repairs No. 1,	3 00
Mrs. Fred Hunt, cleaning after election,	1 00
J. D. Moore, sawing wood,	3 00
S. Stanley, kindling,	75

R. D. Harding, conveyance teacher, four trips,	1 20
American Express Co., express on books,	3 47
I. Albee, broom, hinges and catch,	52
R. T. Harding, putting wood in shed,	30
Haskell Austin Co. chalk and pens	1 71
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Total amount of orders	\$1,175 82
All bills paid	\$1,175 82

Respectfully submitted,

JEANE MOORE,

ROBT S. WARD,

LIZZIE MCBURNEY,

School Board.

### ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Ruby Beattie	Clinton Blair
Hazel Beattie	Mary Goodwin
Lois Beattie	Harry Hunt
Nellie Emery	Laura Bort
Norene Jones	Marion Hately
Arlene Jones	Ray Smith
Dorothy Nelson	Ralph Warden
Nettie Little	Eunice Hastings
Nora Little	Susie Hunt
Annie Champany	Perlie Emery
Gertrude Champany	Roy Warden
Harvey Byron	David Warden
Hale Byron	Frank Gibson
Philip Nelson	Rodney Astle
Tillie Sylvester	Madeline Smith
Frank Harding	Pearl Bort
Ray Lang	Willie Emery

Norman Smith  
 Stanley Somers  
 Mary Fisher  
 Julia Fisher  
 Inez Fisher  
 Christie Roy,  
 Lily Ward  
 Howard Smith  
 Hazel Smith  
 Violet Ward

Cecil Emery  
 Clarence Emery  
 Bertram Dickinson  
 Beatrice Dickinson  
 Marion McClay  
 Harley Woodward  
 David Warden  
 Susie Hunt  
 Annie McClay

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ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR YEAR

Norman Smith  
 Julia Fisher  
 Harry Hunt

Stanley Somers  
 Lily Ward  
 Frank Gibson

Respectfully submitted,

JEANE MOORE,  
 ROBT. S. WARD,  
 LIZZIE MCBURNEY,  
 School Board.



# LIBRARY REPORT

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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Town Order,	\$33 33
Balance from 1908,	13 16
Fines received for books kept overtime,	2 32
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	48 81
Paid Fifteen new books,	\$12 71
Express on same,	1 85
Mrs. Shepard, services as librarian,	24 00
Lumber for bookcase,	1 00
Fred Hunt, making bookcase,	2 00
J. D. Moore, services as trustee,	1 00
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	42 56
Balance on hand,	6 25

Respectfully submitted,  
J. D. Moore,  
Chairman of Trustees.

## Births Registered in the Town of Monroe, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1908.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Still-born	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother
Mar. 8	Bunrs	M	L	Daniel A. Bedell	Edith E. Smith	Farmer	Bath, N. H.	East Concord, Vt.	42	25
May 4	Gladys Mae	F	"	Albert H. Betell	Mary Jane Hunt	"	Bath, N. H.	Monroe, N. H.	30	21
May 10	Joseph	M	"	Frank Sylvester	Mary Bolduc	"	P. Q.	P. Q.	37	30
June 30	Arlina Katherine	F	"	Charles P. Pratt	Jane E. Merrifield	"	Monroe, N. H.	Wate <sup>n</sup> town, Mass.	24	18
July 21	Cecil Raymond	M	"	Eugene Hinman	Kathie Mayn <sup>r</sup> s	"	Monroe, N. H.	Walden, Vt.	25	20
July 21	Madeline Emma	F	"	Elisha J. Hoxie	Addie F. Pratt	Carpenter	Fairfield, Me.	Monroe, N. H.	25	28
July 24	Ralph Chase	M	"	Adam M. Hatley	Hattie Way Hunt	Farmer	Prince Edward Island	Waterford, Vt.	30	25
Sept 27	Leal Edward	M	"	Harry H. Emery	Eva Newell	"	Monroe, N. H.	Barton, Vt.	30	22
Oct. 18		"	"	Ramey Champmany	Delia May Loine	"	Barnet, Vt.	Barnet, Vt.	33	30
Nov. 25	Gladys Vanline	F	"	Henry L. Fortune	Una A. Page	"	Blackbrook, N. Y.	Newbury, Vt.	51	40
Dec. 7	Hazel Irene	F	"	Fred Drew	Mabel Hunt	"	Monroe, N. H.	Monroe, N. H.	31	19
Dec. 22		"	"	Eugene Bedell	Katie Dole Pearl	"	Bath, N. H.	Wheelock, Vt.	33	28

I. F. PAGE, Town Clerk.

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Monroe, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1908

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at Time of Marriage	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name and official station of person by whom married
Feb. 5	Monroe	Albert L. Hunt, Jr. Kate May Fenoff	Monroe Barnet, Vt.	Laborer	Monroe Barnet, Vt.	Albert L. Hunt Rose Rano Hunt Joseph Fenoff Lizzie Gechee	Lowell Mass. Derby, Liae, Vt. Barnet, Vt. "	D. E. Burns, Clergyman
June 24	"	Ellsworth J. Blair Grace M. Smith	Monroe Monroe	Farmer	Barnet, Vt. Monroe	Warren Blair Minnie Whitcher Deceased Hattie Emery	Peacham, Vt Lyman Haverhill Rath Walden, Vt	D. E. Burns, Clergyman
Dec. 2	"	Gilbert Lang Martha S. Emery	Monroe Monroe	Farmer	Monroe Monroe	Orinda Cole Lang Charles G. Emery Martha Bedell Emery	Canaan, N. H. Lunenburg, Vt	D. E. Burns, Clergyman

L. F. PAGE, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Monroe for the Year Ending  
December 31, 1908.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days				
Mar 24	Moses S. Johnson	93	3	15	Monroe	M	Thomas Johnson	Betsy Smith
May 18	William M. Bedell	81	7	28	Troy, Vt.	M	Moody Bedell	Betsy Farnum
June 23	Thomas R. Smith	29	1	5	Rydgate, Vt.	M	Thomas T. Smith	Margaret Esden
July 10	Beatrice C. Dickinson	8	3	19	Lyman	F	Alvah Dickinson	Jennie Dixon
Aug 28	Eliza H. Emery	69	2	5	England	F	John Hutton	Mary Leach
Sept 28	Susie J. Warden	42	4	25	Onawa, Iowa	F	Ransome Fairbanks	Elsie A. Wall
Oct 17	William Lang	23	2	20	Monroe	M	John H. Lang	Orinda Cole
Nov 24	Henry G. Jones	79	10	24	Peacham, Vt.	M	Ira B. Jones	Ruba Whitney
Dec 24	Albert L. Hunt	58	3		Lowell, Mass.	M	Fred Hunt	Mary Shonney

I. F. PAGE, Town Clerk.









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