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FREEDOM, N. H.

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VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1909.

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Wm. A. Bennett, Printer,
Freedom, N. H.

TOWN OFFICERS

1909-10.

Town Clerk,

John A. Danforth.

Selectmen,

William C. Brooks, Geo. I. Philbrick. William Watson.

Treasurer,

John M. Parsons.

School Board,

Geo. W. Lougee, Chas. H. Andrews, Manson B. Godfrey.

Tax Collector,

Charles R. Philbrick.

Board of Health,

M. B. Godfrey, Geo. C. Leavitt, Geo. W. Lougee.

Constable,

Aldo A. Lovering.

Supervisors of Check-lists,

Wm. A. Bennett, Albion B. Pease, Herbert L. Weeks.

Auditor,

Aldo A. Lovering.

Library Trustees,

Mrs. Georgia A. Nutter,

Mrs. Valeria F. Bucknell,

Mrs. Ruth E. Brooks.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN.

April 1st, 1909.

Land and Buildings,	\$ 103,970 00
Polls, 170	17,400 00
Horses, 188	12,895 00
Oxen, 50	3,100 00
Cows, 246	6,188 00
Other Neat, 93	2,605 00
Sheep, 176	508 00
Automobiles, 3	1,800 00
Carriages, 10	700 00
Bank Stock,	3,000 00
Money at Interest,	400 00
Stock in Trade,	7,165 00
Mills, 6	1,950 00
Hogs, 4	30 00
Total,	\$ 251,711 00

MONEY RAISED FOR ALL PURPOSES.

State Tax,	\$ 672 00
County Tax,	564 45
Town Charges,	500 00
Breaking Roads in Winter of 1908-9,	450 00
Summer Highways,	800 00
Old Home Week,	50 00
School Money required by law,	630 00
" " by vote of Town,	250 00
Public Library,	25 20
State Highways,	387 00
T. L. Ambrose Post G. A. R.	15 00
Money raised to buy Road Machine,	225 00
School District Officers,	47 00
Text Books and Supplies,	60 00
Overlay,	191 29
Rate per cent,	.0193
Amount committed to the Collector,	4,856 94

Report of TREASURER.

Receipts.

Cash in Treasury Feb. 15, 1909,	\$ 949 24
Received of A. W. Dean, State Engineer,	272 42
" " Geo. I. Philbrick, rent of hall,	95 00
" " Town of Madison,	5 25
" " Mary Young,	350 00
" " Solon A. Carter, Savings Bank Tax,	172 21
" " " " " Literary Fund,	53 32
" " " " " Propert'n school fund,	64 00
" " F. S. Pascoe, Bal. on school house,	29 50
" " Florence M. Lovering,	400 00
" " Dog License,	126 00
" " Frank Nason, for plank,	57
" " Limerick National Bank, interest,	2 49
" " Charles R. Philbrick, Collector,	4283 13
Total,	\$ 6805 13
Received of Selectmen, Nancy Skillings Fund,	100 00
" Interest on same,	1 50
Total,	\$ 6906 63

Expenditures.

Paid Town Orders,	\$ 6686 10
Cash in Treasury including Nancy Skillings fund,	220 53
Total,	\$ 6906 63

Respectfully Submitted,

John M. Parsons,

Treasurer.

Report of SELECTMEN.

To the Auditor of the Town of Freedom, :
The Selectmen respectfully submit the following report
of the receipts and expenditures of the town from Feb. 15
1909, to Feb. 15, 1910, as follows,

By Cash received from all sources as per
Treasurers report, \$ 6805 13

Expenditures.

STATE & COUNTY TAX.

Feb 5 1910	Solon A. Carter, state tax,	\$ 672 00
" " "	Edgar L. Mills, county tax,	554 45
Total,		\$ 1226 45

SCHOOL MONEY.

1909		
July 8	Manson B. Godfrey, school money in part,	\$ 160 00
" 14	" " " " " " " "	125 00
Sept. 15	" " " " " " " "	50 00
Dec. 11	" " " " " " " "	400 00
Feb 15, '10	" " " " " " " " school money in full,	462 12
Total		\$ 1197 12

ABATEMENTS,

R. J. Hiner, for Frank Palmer, paid in Porter,	5 75
" " " " " " " " Chas Record " " Portl'd	3 86
George Drew, paid in Moultonboro,	-1 93
Frank W. Davis, for Roberts Bros.	97
John C. Lovering, over 70 years old,	1 93
Henry Hart, deceased,	1 93
Amos M. Evans, paid in Rochester,	1 93
Jacob Smith,	1 93
Howard Allen,	48
Total \$ 20 71	

BREAKING ROADS 1908-9.

1909.

Mar. 27	Edwin L. Huckins, in part,	\$ 20 00
June 15	H. J. Pascoe, in part,	50 00
July 8	H. J. Pascoe, in full,	37 50
" 8	Geo. L. Philbrick,	45 00
" 8	Frank W. Nason,	30 64
" 24	Frank O. Ferren,	29 28
" 24	R. M. Brooks,	70 44
Aug. 11	E. L. Huckins, in full,	19 25
Sept. 4	William Watson,	14 00
" 14	C. B. Chase,	36 00
" 18	T. B. Bryant,	29 25
Nov. 13	E. J. Young,	4 00
Jan. 8 '10	Frank W. Nason,	2 00
Total		\$ 387 36

STATE HIGHWAY.

Town contribution	1908 unexpended,	\$ 65 00
State	" 1908 "	81 25
Town	" 1909	387 00
State	" 1909	232 20
Total		\$ 765 45

Disbursements approved by State Engineer.

Town disbursements approved,		\$ 715 95
State	" for Engineer,	35 95
Total		\$ 751 90
Balance unexpended in Town Treasury,		\$ 8 47
" " " State "		5 08
Total		\$ 13 55

WORK ON ROADS BY JOINT APPROPRIATION

1909

Oct 5	Harrison Judkins,	\$ 12 75
" "	Chas. O. Lovering,	17 70
" "	E. W. Furbush,	48 00
" 7	Fred Bucknell,	20 00
" "	John Foss,	13 50
" "	Edwin Frost,	18 00
" 12	Ira Moulton,	16 50
" "	Melvin Wymar,	18 00

Oct.	12	Geo. A. Demeritt,	\$ 7 50
"	20	Chas. R. Philbrick,	18 75
"	20	Geo. Drew,	13 50
"	21	Wm. C. Brooks,	18 00
"	21	Chas. O. Lovering,	4 50
"	22	E. I. Towle & Co.,	20 75
"	23	W. J. Allard,	49 50
"	23	G. I. Philbrick,	15 50
Mar.	3	Frank E. Watson,	31 62
"	6	W. J. Allard,	24 00
"	"	Melvin Wymau,	9 00
"	"	Chas. O. Lovering,	7 50
"	9	John A. Danforth,	1 50
"	10	Frank O. Ferren,	44 00
Nov	11	Everett R. Day,	46 63
"	"	Frank W. Brooks,	4 00
"	"	Geo. H. Fox,	26 25
"	13	William Watson,	16 50
"	"	Frank E. Watson,	7 50
"	"	E. J. Young,	24 00
"	20	Jesse E. Nason,	44 00
Dec	4	Chas. R. Philbrick,	9 00
"	31	A. B. Pease,	44 00
Jan 1	'10	A. R. Bennett,	4 50
"	3	Geo. W. Lougee,	12 00
"	21	M. J. Milliken, work and gravel	27 50
Feb	14	Wm. A. Bennett, gravel,	20 00
			Total, \$ 715 95

WATERING TUBS.

Henry Pascoe,	\$ 3 00
A. B. Pease,	2 50
W. J. Chesley,	1 50
W. F. Brooks,	1 50
E. W. Meserve,	2 00
M. J. Milliken,	2 50
M. B. Godfrey,	2 50
R. M. Brooks,	2 50
J. I. Drew,	2 50
William Watson,	2 50
J. M. Sargent,	2 50
J. C. Libby,	2 50
Total \$ 28 00	

TOWN OFFICERS BILLS.

Wm. A. Bennett, Supervisor of Checklists,	\$ 3 00
Albion B. Pease, " " "	3 00
William Watson, " " "	3 00
William C. Brooks, Selectman,	45 00
Geo. I. Philbrick, " "	35 00
William Watson, " "	30 00
John A. Danforth, Town Clerk,	15 00
John M. Parsons, Treasurer,	15 00
Chas. R. Philbrick, Collector,	50 00
Geo. I. Philbrick, Moderator one election,	2 50
Aldo A. Lovering, Auditor,	2 00
" " Constable,	5 00
Geo. W. Lougee, Member Board of Health,	10 00
Geo. C. Leavitt, " " " "	10 00
Manson B. Godfrey, " " " "	10 00
Total	\$ 238 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

1909

Mar 9	Wm. Stuart, labor on road.	\$ 3 51
" 9	Geo. L. Young, " " "	2 41
" 27	Wm. A. Bennett, printing 250 reports,	26 00
Apr 5	Geo. W. Lougee, school supplies for 1908,	8 34
May 11	A. B. Black, road machine,	250 00
June 16	Library Appropriation,	25 20
July 8	E. I. Towle & Co. supplies as per bill,	22 85
" 24	Cyrena Lovering, on note,	60 00
Aug 15	Fred Huntress, Old Home Week Appr.,	50 00
" 16	E. W. Furbush, Piano on petition of voters.	94 04
Sept 4	Globe Gaslight Co, gasoline and torch,	8 50
" 4	E. C. Eastman, books and stationery,	16 43
Oct 20	Badger Fire Extinguisher Co. chemical fire extinguisher,	225 00
" 22	E. I. Towle & Co., Supplies and freight,	33 59
" 28	Prospect Lodge No. 81, on note,	400 00
Nov 20	T. B. Bryant, cutting bushes,	1 50
Dec 15	N. O. Brooks, " "	1 50
" 24	Alvin M. Hayes, labor,	3 00
" "	Wm. C Brooks, perambulation & team,	8 00
" 30	Clark Varney, surveying and expences,	10 50
Jan 3 '10	J. M. Parsons, road roll in part,	40 00

Jan. 8	Addison Nason, cutting bushes,	\$ 1 50
" 12	Edgar J. Young, note and interest,	311 03
" 15	Town of Eaton, Surveying,	5 80
" 21	H. J. Pascoe tile pipe and labor,	11 40
" 24	Henry Pascoe, plank and work on bridge,	1 10
" 28	George Fox, work,	6 00
" 29	Haywood Bros. & Wakefield, settees,	122 50
" 31	H. F. Pray, work as per bill,	13 30
" 31	Morrow & Brooks, bridge plank,	38 03
Feb. 1	J. L. Demeritt, plank, dynamite, caps & fuse,	13 18
" 4	E. I. Towle & Co, wood and supplies,	16 25
" 4	Mary Moulton, supplies,	2 00
" 5	Harold I. Towle, gasoline,	4 25
" 8	T. L. Amdrose Post G. A. R.,	15 00
" 12	Geo. W. Lougee, expence board of health,	15 00
" 12	E. I. Towle, wood and supplies,	9 48
" 12	M. A. Hayden, work as per bill,	5 15
" 14	C. E. Merrill, fighting fire in 1908,	4 00
" 14	H. L. Weeks, work on road Spring 1909,	3 15
" 14	Geo. I. Philbrick, perambulating town line,	16 00
" 14	Wm. Watson, " " " "	16 00
" 14	Chas. O. Levering, work on road Summer of 1909 and Winter of 1910,	7 00
" 14	F. O. Ferren, as per bill,	6 25
" 14	J. L. Demeritt, 620 ft hemlock timber,	4 34
" 14	Lewis G. Burnham, wood as per bill,	6 00
" 14	Jesse I. Drew, labor on road,	1 50
" 15	Geo. W. Lougee, certifying to births and deaths for year ending Feb. 15 '10	2 00
" 15	John A. Danforth, recording births, deaths, marriages & express, postage and stationary,	8 78
" 15	Edwin Moulton, taking care of water spring,	75
" 15	A. A. Lovering, killing Dr. Andrews dog and labor on hall,	1 30
" 15	Globe Gaslight Co, muntles,	1 50
" 15	E. C. Eastman, order books,	2 16
" 14	Wm. C. Brooks, labor on bridge, cash. postals	2 75
„ 15	J. M. Parsons, new roll, and labor and ma- terial on old rolls,	58 93
" 15	Geo. F. Huckins, plank and stove Pipe,	3 13
" 15	J. L. Sargent, Janitor and sawing wood,	39 50
" 15	O. E. Dake, dust brush and stopper,	35

Feb 15 Portland Stove Foundry Co., range,	\$ 33 50
„ 15 C. R. Philbrick, road orders,	790 78
“ 15 John A. Danforth, licensing dogs,	11 20
“ 15 Edna O. Parsons, interest on note,	19 80
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	Total \$ 2872 01

Amount expended on Highways by the several Surveyors as follows, —

District No. 1.	Aldo A. Lovering, Surveyor.	
	Fred and Lilla M. Huntress,	\$ 4 23
	A. T. Durgin,	2 52
	Geo. I. Philbrick,	26 25
	“ “ “ “	13 50
	J. M. Bryant,	2 25
	J. E. Nason,	4 25
	Leon Beck,	75
	W. J. Chesley,	4 00
	E. I. Towle,	34 53
	R. G. Foster,	3 25
	Freedom Hotel Co.	4 27
	A. A. Lovering,	4 50
	John Q. Bennett,	4 50
	Norman Clement,	2 25
	Alanson Allard,	1 50
	W. J. Allard,	7 62
	L. C. Allard,	1 50
	Thomas A. Lovering,	36
	Joseph L. Barshaw,	1 50
	Fred H. Beach,	1 50
	Henry J. Pascoe,	16 50
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	Total \$	141 55

District No. 2.	M. J. Milliken, Surveyor.	
	E. G. French,	\$ 6 75
	Wm. R. Moses,	5 00
	C. F. Andrews,	9 00
	F. W. Towle,	8 25
	Alonzo Towle,	7 00
	Loring J. Allard,	8 00
	John Sargent,	3 00
	Enoch Moulton,	3 00
	O. E. Drake,	6 00

Albion B. Pease,	\$ 6 50
Arthur A. Bennett	3 00
Amherst Maynard,	1 25
Harrison Lovering,	1 50
Mrs. Valeria S. Bucknell,	3 00
C. W. Nutter,	3 00
Fred Bucknell,	6 00
William J. Chesley,	4 00
Chas. M. Towle,	7 50
Minnie R. Towle,	10 80
Alice M. Brooks,	5 13
John C. Churchill,	8 00
M. J. Milliken,	22 62
A. G. Fowler,	4 80
F. O. Ferren,	8 80
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	Total \$ 151 90

District No. 3. Edgar J. Young, Surveyor.

Ralph M. Brooks,	\$ 9 25
Freeman Fox,	3 00
E. I. Towle & Co.	7 50
W. J. Chesley,	5 00
Edwin S Moulton,	5 25
E. J. Young,	23 00
A. E. Durgin,	1 50
John W. Smith,	6 00
S. W. Fowler,	7 55
Frank W. Brooks,	15 00
C. H. Andrews,	3 00
Fred L. Godfrey,	4 50
Joseph M. Sargent,	5 00
M. B. Godfrey,	5 25
Lewis H. Brooks,	3 75
Wm. Meserve,	36
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	Total \$ 104 91

District No. 4. W. J. Chesley, Surveyor.

Frank Allard,	\$ 18 00
Geo. I. Philbrick,	5 00
F. O. Ferren,	4 50
Geo. A. Demeritt,	10 50
J. C. Libby,	10 25
Guy Libby,	3 00

Joseph S. Mills,	7 12
Joseph M. Andrews,	4 32
Joseph A. Tyler,	13 07
Frank C. Tyler,	3 23
W. J. Chesley,	19 28
E. M. Drake,	3 15
Frank Towle,	5 35
Geo. W. Lougee,	2 55
Henry Sanborn,	90
Bion E. Harmon, stone,	2 00
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	Total \$ 112 24

District No. 5.	C. B. Chase, Surveyor.
W. J. Chesley,	\$ 4 00
Jesse I. Drew,	6 00
Everett R. Day,	6 00
A. M. Evans,	6 30
Geo. Rines,	4 05
Geo. A. Demeritt,	7 50
Wm. Watson,	2 25
Frank E. Watson,	11 55
Geo. C. Leavitt,	5 55
Frank K. Drew,	15 10
C. B. Chase,	18 75
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	Total \$ 87 05

Loring Shackford, outstanding order,	1 95
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	Total \$ 89 00

District No. 6.	A. B. Durgin, Surveyor.
Mark Huckins,	\$ 6 50
Alvinzo B. Durgin,	9 50
Gilbert N. Huckins,	3 00
Jesse I. Drew,	3 00
William J. Chesley,	2 00
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	Total \$ 24 00

District No. 7.	Wm. Watson, Surveyor.
C. B. Chase,	\$ 3 00
Sadie Kezar,	1 00
Frank E. Watson,	3 00
Eh. Wilkinson,	3 00
E. R. Day,	8 50
William Watson,	5 15

Meivin L. Watson,	\$ 36
Wm. J. Chesley,	2 00
	<u>Total \$ 26 01</u>

District No. 9.	Wm. F. Brooks, Surveyor.	
William J. Chesley,		\$ 4 00
A. H. Stuart,		7 50
Wm. Stuart,		4 50
E. P. Sawyer,		5 55
J. M. Sargent,		3 50
Abram Sargent,		75
Nelson O. Brooks,		7 35
L. H. Brooks,		7 50
T B Bryant,		6 75
Carl Bryant,		1 50
C. H. Brooks,		5 12
David Smith,		5 80
Carrell Brooks,		3 00
Wm. F. Brooks,		<u>19 72</u>
		Total \$ 82 54

District No. 10.	John T. Giles, Surveyor.	
Wm. J. Chesley,		\$ 4 00
Winslow Brown,		6 00
Geo. L. Young,		3 00
E. W. Meserve,		9 50
Frank W. Nasou,		9 00
Herbert L. Weeks,		9 75
John T. Giles,		<u>19 38</u>
		Total \$ 60 63

TRUST FUND.

Received from the Estate of Nancy Skillings, One Hundred Dollars, (\$100) in trust, which shall be invested, and the income go for the maintainance of her burial lot in Lake View Cemetery in Freedom, N. H. or such part as is necessary.

Trust Fund,	\$ 100 00
Interest to date,	1 50
	<u>Total \$ 101 50</u>

STANDING OF THE TOWN

Liabilities.

Note and Interest due	First Christian Church,	\$ 206 00
" " "	" Cyrena Lovering,	88 71
" " "	" Edna O. Parsons,	659 88
" " "	" Prospect Lodge No. 81,	354 32
" " "	" C. B. Chase,	311 70
" " "	" Florence M. Lovering,	404 67
" " "	" Nelson O. Brooks,	109 66
" " "	" Mary A. Ferren,	188 50
" " "	" Mary Young,	351 28
Wm. J. Chesley, outstanding road order,		2 00
	Total	\$ 2676 12

Assets.

Due from Chas. R. Philbrick, Coll.,	\$ 573 81
Cash in Treasury Feb. 15 1910,	119 03
	Total \$ 692 84

Excess of Liabilities over Assets, \$ 1983 28

Respectfully Submitted,

William C. Brooks,	} Selectmen of Freedom.
George I. Philbrick,	
William Watson,	

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer and Selectmen and find them properly cast and vouchers for the same.

Aldo A. Lovering, Auditor.

By Arthur A. Bennett.

Feb. 15, 1910.

Report of SCHOOL BOARD

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1910.

The schools for the year have been very satisfactory; for two of the schools we were able to retain the same teachers as last year. Very good progress was made.

Two of the teachers were young ladies who had just graduated from high schools bringing to their schools newer ideas of teaching, and both were successful.

We are well pleased with the progress, also deportment and attendance; showing a good degree of interest on the part of the scholars. Many of the parents and friends have visited the schools which is an encouraging feature and we hope yet more interest in this direction will be manifested in the future.

The State is manifesting a great degree of interest in our common schools and we hope the citizens of Freedom will vote to raise a sum of money in addition to that required by law sufficient to enable the School Board to continue the schools thirty weeks at least the coming year.

Respectfully Submitted,

Charles H. Andrews, }
Manson B. Godfrey, } School Board.

Report of Treasurer of SCHOOL BOARD.

Receipts.

Cash in Treasury Feb. 15, 1909,	\$ 121 40
Received from Town, school money in full,	1197 12
Total	\$1318 52

Expenditures.

Paid out as follows;—

Jonn E. Thurston, sawing wood,	\$ 50
Edwin M. Beck, " "	3 00
Everitt R. Day, wood,	17 50
William Watson, "	9 00
Ambrose L. Stuart, "	4 00
Perley K. Towle, teaching,	110 00
American Book Co, for 1908,	68 65
Harvey D. Stuart, teaching,	88 00
Ruth E. Brooks, "	82 50
H. J. Pascoe, conveying scholars to W. Ossipee,	22 00
Elias French, " "	22 50
Wm. F. Brooks, wood,	2 00
David Smith, cleaning vault,	2 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, books,	7 13
A. Morris Evans, repairs,	1 00
Johu A. Danforth, "	3 00
Fred Carlin, cleaning school house,	2 25
Geo. M. Frost, work at school house,	3 50
Ada Davis, " " " "	50
Mrs. J. C. Lovering, " " "	1 00
Charlotte B. Merrow, teaching,	90 00
Perley K. Towle, "	120 00
Eva M. Young, "	90 00
Perley K. Towle, "	70 00
H. J. Pascoe, conveying scholars,	24 00
Edward Ball Co. supplies,	1 56
H. J. Pascoe, conveying scholars,	14 00
School District of Effingham, tuition for 6 scholars,	42 00
American Book Co. books and supplies,	8 69
Arthur A. Bennett, district clerk,	2 00
Ginn & Co. supplies,	30 40
Eva M. Young, teaching,	52 50
M. B. Godfrey, member of school board,	10 00
C. H. Andrews, " " " "	15 00
Geo. W. Lougee, " " " "	20 00
Harvey D. Stuart, teaching,	96 00
Charlotte B. Merrow, "	52 50
Harvey D. Stuart, "	56 00
Robinson Seminary, tuition,	14 00

Meivin L. Watson,	\$ 36
Wm. J. Chesley,	2 00
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Respectfully Submitted,

Charles H. Andrews, }
Manson B. Godfrey, } School Board.

Report of Treasurer of SCHOOL BOARD.

Receipts.

Cash in Treasury Feb. 15, 1909,	\$ 121 40
Received from Town, school money in full,	1197 12
Total	\$1318 52

Expenditures.

Paid out as follows;—

John E. Thurston, sawing wood,	\$ 50
Edwin M. Beck, " "	3 00
Everitt R. Day, wood,	17 50
William Watson, "	9 00
Ambrose L. Stuart, "	4 00
Perley K. Towle, teaching,	110 00
American Book Co, for 1908,	68 65
Harvey D. Stuart, teaching,	88 00
Ruth E. Brooks, "	82 50
H. J. Pascoe, conveying scholars to W. Ossipee,	22 00
Elias French, " "	22 50
Wm. F. Brooks, wood,	2 00
David Smith, cleaning vault,	2 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, books,	7 13
A. Morris Evans, repairs,	1 00
John A. Danforth, "	3 00
Fred Carlin, cleaning school house,	2 25
Geo. M. Frost, work at school house,	3 50
Ada Davis, " " " "	50
Mrs. J. C. Lovering, " " "	1 00
Charlotte B. Merrow, teaching,	30 00
Perley K. Towle, "	120 00
Eva M. Young, "	90 00
Perley K. Towle, "	70 00
H. J. Pascoe, conveying scholars,	24 00
Edward Ball Co. supplies,	1 56
H. J. Pascoe, conveying scholars,	14 00
School District of Effingham, tuition for 6 scholars,	42 00
American Book Co. books and supplies,	8 69
Arthur A. Bennett, district clerk,	2 00
Ginn & Co. supplies,	30 40
Eva M. Young, teaching,	52 50
M. B. Godfrey, member of school board,	10 00
C. H. Andrews, " " " "	15 00
Geo. W. Lougee, " " " "	20 00
Harvey D. Stuart, teaching,	96 00
Charlotte B. Merrow, "	52 50
Harvey D. Stuart, "	56 00
Robinson Seminary, tuition,	14 00

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Almont T. Durgin, repairs,	1 00
Orren W. Brooks, wood fitted,	2 50
M. B. Godfrey, repairs on school house,	70
American Book Co. books	8 60
Town of Eaton, tuition for 1 scholar 22 weeks,	18 35
E. I. Towle, & Co. supplies,	5 30
	Total \$ 1308 03
Cash in Treasury Feb. 15, 1910, to Bal,	10 49
	Total \$ 1318 52

Respectfully Submitted,

Manson B. Godfrey,

Treasurer of School District.

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer of the School District and find them properly cast and vouchers for the same.

Aldo A. Lovering, Auditor.

By Arthur A. Bennett.

Feb. 15, 1910.

Report of

BOARD OF HEALTH.

The year just passed has been favorable to the people, no contagious diseases have visited us, a general time of health has prevailed and death has visited but a very few families.

The matter of drainage as was ordered by the State Board of Health was attended to and in most cases the proposed change was made; all that should be has not yet been done, but we trust it will be during the coming year.

The natural beauties of Freedom can not be surpassed by any Town in the State and we must strive to make it as sanitary as possible. By a united effort we can make it a most desirable home for tourists.

Respectfully Submitted,

Manson B. Godfrey,

Geo. C. Leavitt,

Geo. W. Lougee, M. D.

} Board
of
Health.

STATISTICAL SCHOOL REPORT.

Name of School	Term	Teacher	No of weeks	Wages per mo.	No. scholars	Ave. attendance	Geography	Arithmetic	Penmanship	Grammar	Algebra	Reading	Physiology	History	Spelling
Village	Summer	Perley K Fowle	11	\$40	38	28	16	27	26	15	4	30	14	15	30
"	Fall	"	12	40	14	12	14	14	14	14	1	14	13	14	14
"	Winter	"	7	40	13	10	13	13	13	13	1	13	15	13	13
Village Priy	Fall	Chollotte Merrow	12	30	20	17		7	18	8		19			20
"	Winter	"	7	30	19	15		7	18	7		19			19
Swett	Summer	Ruth E Brooks	11	30	29	15		9	16	17	2	18	6	5	12
"	Fall	Eva M Young	12	30	21	17		7	16	21	3	21	16	20	21
"	Winter	"	7	30	19	17		10	15	14	3	18	16	17	19
Chase	Summer	Harvey D Start	11	32	17	16		11	14	13		15	5	4	14
"	Fall	"	12	32	19	17		12	19	12		17	7	5	15
"	Winter	"	7	32	18	15		11	18	13		16	7	4	15

Report of LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

To the citizens of Freedom:—
The Library Trustees respectfully submit the following report.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1909,	\$ 24 75
Received from proceeds of entertainment,	12 50
" of Town, appropriation,	<u>25 20</u>
Total	\$ 62 45

EXPENDITURES.

Paid for books,	\$ 44 63
Valeria F. Bucknell, services as Librarian,	13 00
Freight and Express,	2 95
Incidentals,	<u>50</u>
Total	\$ 61 08
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1910, to Bal.,	<u>1 37</u>
Total	\$ 62 45

Georgia A. Nutter,	}	Library Trustees.
Ruth E. Brooks,		
Valeria F. Bucknell,		

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Library Trustees and find them properly cast and vouchers for the same.

Aldo A. Lovering, Auditor.

By Arthur A. Bennett.

Feb. 15, 1910.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1909.

MARRIAGES.

- May 18 In Freedom, by Geo. I. Philbrick, J of P.
John A. Perry and Angie O. Ridlon.
John A. Perry age 54, by occupation a Gauger
on Oil.
Angie O. Ridlon age 27. Her father, Herbert R.
Ridlon. Her mother's maiden name, Susie E.
Ridlon.
- Aug. 1 In Freedom, by N. M. Heikes, Clergyman.
Elmer Eastman and Marcia Rice.
Elmer Eastman age 19, by occupation a Farmer.
His father Ezra Eastman. His mother's maiden,
name, Ethel Chick.
Marcia Rice age 21. Her father, John Rice. Her
mother's maiden name, Sarah Myers.
- Dec. 8 In Freedom, by N. M. Heikes, Clergyman.
Curtis I. Libby and Bertha M. Sargent.
Curtis I. Libby age 19, by occupation a Farmer.
His father, Tobias Libby. His mother's maiden
name, Ruth Cummins,
Bertha M. Sargent age 18 Her father, Linville
Sargent.
- Dec 25 In Freedom. by N. M. Heikes, Clergyman.
John R. Baker and Addie M. Leavitt.
John R. Baker age 21, by occupation a Clerk. His
father, Edward L. Baker. His mother's maiden
name, Mary F. Russell,
Addie M. Leavitt age 18. Her father, Aloeido
Leavitt. Her mother's maiden name, Evaline
Allen.

BIRTHS.

- Jan. 11 To Perley K. Towle and Josie Towle, a daugh-
ter, Pauline Abbie Towle.
Perley K. Towle was born in Freedom, by occu-
pation a Teacher. The mother's maiden name,
Josie Tarbox, was born in Parsonsfield, Me.

- Jan. 27 To Amos M. Evans and Florence A. Evans, a son, Brackett C. Evans.
Amos M. Evans was born in Kingston, by occupation a Farmer. The mother's maiden name, Florence A. Chase, was born in Freedom.
- May 25 To Henry Sanborn and Alice E. Sanborn, a daughter, Eva Alice Sanborn.
Henry Sanborn was born in Freedom, by occupation a Farmer. The mother's maiden name, Alice E. Gilman, was born in Baldwin, Me.
- June 20. To Wesley R. Milliken and Iolie M. Milliken, a son.
Wesley R. Milliken was born in Freedom, by occupation a Farmer. The mother's maiden name, Iolie M. Pinney, was born in Epsom N. H.
- Nov. 24 To Andrew S. Furbush and Ada Nicholson, a daughter, Helen Furbush.
Andrew S. Furbush was born in Freedom, by occupation a Carpenter. The mother's maiden name Ada Nicholson, was born in Waterbury, Conn.

DEATHS.

A list of persons buried in the Town of Freedom during the year 1909; also giving place and cause of death.

- Jan. 14 In Freedom, Stephen J. Kenerson, age 76 years, 1 month, 16 days, Cause of death, Cancer of Rectum.
- Feb. 28 In Freedom, Harry A. Moulton, aged 43 years 8 months, 1 day, Cause of death, Epilepsy.
- Mar. 24 In Freedom, Margaret Durgin, aged 83 years, 2 months. Cause of death, Cancer of Uterus.
- Apr. 5 In Wolfeboro, Clarissa Stevens, aged 58 years, 9 months, 28 days. Cause of death, Bronco Pneumonia.

- Apr. 19 In Freedom, Lorenzo Drown, age 69 years, 17 days. Cause of death, Chronic Meningitis.
- July 24 In Tamworth, Infant Child of William J. and Jessie Pascoe.
- Aug. 24 In Boston, John F. Manson, aged 45 years. Cause of death, Odema of Brain.
- July 16 In Freedom, David W. Taylor. Cause of death, Ulceration of Stomach and Hemorrhage.
- Oct. 10 In Effingham, Lydia Clark, aged 86 years, 25 days. Cause of death, Cancer of Jaw.
- Dec. 12 In Brownfield, Leroy B. Gray, aged 37 years, 8 months, 18 days. Cause of death, Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy according to my best knowledge and belief.

John A. Danforth.

Town Clerk.

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