

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town Officers,

OF

Lancaster, N. H.

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1,

1891.



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*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lancaster,
qualified to vote in town affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on the second Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
2. To choose a town clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose three selectmen and all other necessary town officers.
4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to meet the current expenses of the town and apply upon the principal and interest of the town debt.
5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for building and repairing highways and bridges, and direct how the same shall be laid out.
6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for building and repairing sidewalks and sewers, and direct how the same shall be expended.
7. To see what amount the town will vote to raise for the observance of Memorial day.
8. To see what amount of money the town will vote to raise for lighting the streets.
9. To see what amount the town will vote to raise for the purchase of school books and supplies.
10. To direct how the school money shall be expended.
11. To see what amount of money the town will vote to raise for the support of the reading rooms of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

12. To see if the town will vote to recind its vote taken March 11, 1890, upon a resolution respecting a water supply for extinguishing fires in Lancaster village.

13. To see if the town will vote to pay Geo. W. Cummings \$5.25, the amount he claims should have been abated during the time he was collector.

14. To see how much money the town will raise to buy a stone crusher.

15. To see what action the town will take relative to erecting an iron bridge across Israel's river, in place of the wooden one between the Town Hall and Colby's drug store, and if the town votes to have said bridge, to see what sum of money the town will raise to erect the same.

Given under our hands and seal this 24th day of February, 1891.

EDWARD SPAULDING, }
 JONAS POWERS, } Selectmen
 RICHARD H. CHESSMAN, } of
 } Lancaster.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

VALUATION.

	No.	Value.
Polls	785	\$ 78 500
Real estate		849 044
Horses	754	46 606
Cattle	2045	38 094
Sheep	1145	3 208
Swine	150	604
Carriages	75	5 700
Stock in trade		73 026
Bank stock and money at interest		81 888
Mills		12 800
Total valuation		\$ 1 189 470

AMOUNT OF TAXES ASSESSED.

State tax		\$2 825 00
County tax		4 994 10
School tax		2 751 53
Town tax		1 429 37
Highways and bridges		2 500 00
Sewers		300 00
Sidewalks		750 00
Reading rooms		100 00
Memorial day		100 00
Union school district extra		1 600 00
Town " " "		900 00
Lighting streets		750 00
School books		750 00
Library		400 00
Dogs		152 00
Total		\$20 302 00

Rate of taxation was \$1 53 on \$100 in town.

“	“	“	24	“	Union district.
“	“	“	20	“	Town “

SELECTMEN'S ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1891.

State tax	\$2 825 00
County tax	4 161 75
Interest on bonds	360 00
Bonds due Jan 1, 1892	2 000 00
Support of schools	2 751 53
Public library	400 00
Town officers	1 200 00
Support of paupers	600 00
Fire department	750 00
Lighting bridges and streets	750 00
Incidental	400 00
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	\$16 198 28

This estimate does not provide for the repairs of high-ways and bridges.

ASSETS OF THE TOWN MARCH 1, 1891.

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$1 877 85
“ “ overseer of poor	6 76
“ “ road agent	36 90
Due from Chas. E. Allen, collector	3 586 81
“ “ Coos county	178 57
Liquor on hand as per inventory Apr. 1, 1890	456 91
Rent on school lots	49 00
Due from John M. Hopkins sewer assessment	81 09
Hay at Reuben Currier's barn	10 00
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	\$6 283 89

LIABILITIES.

Bonds due Jan. 1, 1892	\$2 000 00
“ “ “ 1893	2 000 00
“ “ “ 1894	2 000 00
“ “ “ 1895	1 000 00
“ “ “ 1896	2 000 00
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	\$9 000 00

Due Chas. E. Allen collector 1890	50 00
Interest on bonds from Jan. 1 to March 1	60 00
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	\$9 110 00
Assets	6 283 89
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Indebtedness of town above assets March 1, 1891	\$2 826 11
Indebtedness above assets March 1, 1890	\$4 303 73
“ “ “ “ 1891	2 826 11
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Reduction of debt for the year	\$1 477 62

TREASURERS' REPORT.

F. D. Hutchins, town treasurer, in account with the town of
Lancaster. Dr.

1890.

Feb. 26, to cash on hand	\$2 586 43	
“ 27, to cash of J. S. Smith collector of 1889	745 23	
Mch. 8, “ J. S. Smith collector 1889	860 62	
“ 10, “ sewer assessment Ray & Hartford	25 00	
“ 12, “ J. S. Smith collector '89	241 72	
	<hr/>	\$4 459 00
1890		Cr.

Feb. 27, Paid W. F. Smith services on town school board	\$ 25 00.
J.S.Smith sale of land for taxes	16 25
J.W.Flanders board of education	40 00
Chas.Sedgell sheep k'ld by dogs	7 14
P. H. Hartley “ “ “	10 24
W.R.Stockwell water on highway	3 00
J. S. Smith abatements	65 54
H.J.Guernsey sheep kl'd by dogs	2 72
Feb. 28, L.B.Porter clearing ditch to sew'r	2 00
sheep killed by dogs	2 38

	E.L.Porter sheep killed by dogs	4 76	
	Jas. McCarten sand on sidewalk	50	
Mar. 1,	Ladd & Fletcher attorney fees	21 50	
3,	E. R. Kent services self, W. F. Smith, John Costello as auditors	9 00	
6,	J.D.Rosebrooks sheep kl'd by dogs	48 96	
8,	W. H. Leith ser. board of health	25 00	
	A. J. Congdon hired team	1 00	
10,	Fred Smith work on sidewalks and sewers	1 00	
	Ezra Mitchell returning births and deaths	5 25	
	E. F. Stockwell returning births and deaths and services on board of health	33 25	
	W. C. Spaulding highways	50 00	
	A. C. Howland work on sidewalks	4 50	
11,	D. N. Hodgdon water on highway	3 00	
12,	J.G.Merrow sheep killed by dogs	2 72	
13,	A. B. Sleeper work on sidewalks	75	
15,	W. H. McCarten new treas.	4 073 54	
		—————	\$4 459 00

LANCASTER, Feb. 24, 1891.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the town of Lancaster, having carefully examined the above account of F. D. Hutchins, Treasurer of said town, find them correct with vouchers for same.

EDWARD R. KENT,	} Auditors.
WILLIAM F. SMITH.	
JOHN COSTELLO,	

W. H. McCarten, town treasurer, in account with the town of Lancaster. Dr.

Recd of former treasurer	\$ 4 073 54
J. S. Smith collector '89	1 822 53
C. E. Allen " '90	17 396 37
W. E. Ingerson liquor agent	354 08
License Kickapoo Indians	10 00

License Forepaugh circus	35 00
Insurance tax	76 13
Railroad tax	164 61
Savings bank tax	3 818 16
Literary fund	705 13
E. M. Bray taxes on non-resident land	16 26
Matthew Smith for barbed wire	5 00
J. D. Howe for school books paid for by scholars	9 47
L. S. Stalbird for rent of school lot	4 00
Liquor fines	3 00
Ossian Ray acct. S. L. Swasey bond	73 22
Edward Spaulding sewer assessment	42 00
Sidewalk assessment	288 11
Old street lamps sold	21 00
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Cr.

Paid on account of fire department	\$699 00
Memorial day	100 00
Reading rooms	100 00
Highways	2 788 11
Lighting streets	767 50
Liquor agent	312 53
Water on highways	21 00
Printing town reports and check-list	81 00
Sheep killed by dogs	183 06
Tax collector	100 00
County tax	4 994 10
State tax	2 825 00
Sidewalks	1 278 11
Sewers	157 11
Damage on sidewalks	2 100 00
Abatements	178 43
Boarding prisoners at the jail	32 50
Rent of lobby	16 19
Care of cemetery and soldier's park	10 75
Police	313 99
Overseer of poor	400 00

Library	400 00
Interest on town bonds	432 00
Town bonds paid	1 800 00
Bounty on bears	20 00
Insurance on Music Hall	40 00
Repairing hearse	5 00
Wm. Clough acct. assessing damages on Maine Central R. R.	5 00
Books and stationary	5 75
Attorney fees	100 00
Returning births and deaths	8 50
Board of education	60 00
School books and sup.	446 10
J. E. McIntire treasurer town district	2 221 05
E. R. Kent treasurer union district	3 420 48
Town clerk	190 50
Supervisors	97 00
Selectmen	330 00
Cash on hand	1 877 85
	————— \$28 917 61

LANCASTER, Feb. 24, 1891.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the town of Lancaster, having this day carefully examined the accounts of Wm. H. McCarten, treasurer, find them correct with vouchers for same.

EDWARD R. KENT, }
WILLIAM F. SMITH, } Auditors.
JOHN COSTELLO, }

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Paid Rowell & Bailey printing reports and police notices	\$66 00
Ezra Myatt work on highway	1 50
W. E. Ingerson for liquor bought of state agent	112 53
Mrs. Annie P. Hastings appropriation for reading room	100 00
Mary K. Hodgdon injuries on sidewalk	2 000 00
J. I. Williams Memorial day	100 00
Jacob Benton rent selectmen's room	5 00
Geo. S. Kenison trimming trees in park and cemetery	3 75
F. D. Peabody repairs on hearse	5 00
John Parks work on new highway	14 25
F. D. Hutchins appropriation for library	400 00
Geo. S. Kenison work on cemetery	7 00
Nathaniel Emery for injuries on sidewalk	100 00
W. L. Rowell insurance on town hall	40 00
W. L. Rowell rent on lobby	12 50
John S. Ingerson board of prisoners	32 50
Frank Smith & Co.	3 69
Victor Leavitt bounty on bear	10 00
John Jerome " "	10 00
Ira A. Marshall sheep killed by dogs	15 00
J. S. Smith " "	48 00
O. H. Kimball " "	18 50
Matthew Smith " "	9 30
Geo. P. Ockington " "	3 25
Zeb Twitchell " "	3 25
Ralph Stone and son " "	33 00
A. P. Freeman " "	24 00
John Black " "	6 50
C. S. Hodgdon " "	9 00
William Clough appraising land damages M. C. R. R.	5 00
J. E. McIntire school money	1 321 05
" extra school money and repairs	900 00
E. R. Kent school money	1 430 48
" extra school money and repairs	1 600 00

J. P. Matthews abatement	1 68
G. W. Aldrich gathering lamps	50
Royal Hicks abatement	2 42
J. R. Parcher abatement R. M. J. Grant	10 62
Amadon Bros. rent water on highway	3 00
Geo. H. Colby books and stationary for selectmen	5 75
J. I. Williams surveying	4 25
“ commissioners bill laying out road and justice fees	43 52
W. R. Stockwell rent of water on highway	3 00
F. D. Hutchins abatement on David H. Beattie estate	87 50
John L. Jerome “	3 46
Frank Spooner returning births and deaths	3 75
Drew & Jordan attorney fees	100 00
E. F. Stockwell returning births and deaths	10 00
Ezra Mitchell “ “ “	4 75
Frank Smith & Co. bill for lobby	3 69
J. A. Monahan rent on water highway	3 00
Leroy Stalbird “ “ “	3 00
Hiram Savage abatement taxes 1888	1 92
E. R. Kent lobby furnishings	9 38
J. D. Bridge printing	16 50
W. H. Leith returning births and deaths	7 50
W. L. Rowell rent of lobby	12 50
J. W. Flanders services on board of education	60 00
J. D. Howe “ “ “	51 00
J. E. McIntire “ “ “	40 00
W. F. Smith “ “ “	26 00
C. S. Hodgdon support of poor	575 00
W. C. Spaulding road agent	2 000 00
John Lindsey road agent	769 49
H. F. Holton sand for highway	2 90
Amadon Bros. plank for highway	2 20
L. D. Munsey work on “	50
W. G. Baker stone furnished Lindsey for highway	15 00
A. C. Howland work on highway	13 70
Chas. E. Allen abatement of taxes 1890	40 74
J. S. Smith “ “ 1889	72 75

E. R. Kent for school books	390 00
J. D. Howe “ “	446 10
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	\$12 937 10

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid H. F. Whitcomb fireward	\$10 00
W. D. Marshall care of force pump	78 00
W. L. Rowell rent engine room	15 00
Matthew Monahan fire department bill	23 95
“ ser. men engine company	175 00
E. V. Cobleigh ser. engine co. No. 1	210 00
E. R. Kent ser. of men as hosemen	65 00
“ fire department bill	30 46
Frank Smith & Co.	30 24
Thompson Mfg. Co. bill	28 02
E. V. Cobleigh fireward	10 00
W. L. Rowell rent of engine room	15 00
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	\$690 67

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Wm. H. Smith services as supervisor	\$21 50
Chas. E. Peaslee “	18 00
Edw. Spaulding bal. acct. from March 1 to 11	5 00
Thomas Sullivan supervisor	36 00
W. H. Smith “	21 50
T. C. Beattie services special police	2 00
A. C. Howland “ “	3 00
J. M. Monahan police	51 48
J. S. Smith for collecting taxes 1889	50 00
G. W. Aldrich police	51 36
W. E. Ingerson “	101 20
John Flanders “	92 32
R. J. Brown town clerk	190 50
W. E. Ingerson liquor agent	200 00
Jonas Powers selectman	80 00
R. H. Chessman “	120 00

Edw. Spaulding selectman	144 00
C. E. Allen and E. V. Cobleigh health officers	20 00
Geo. I. Hayes police	3 00
F. H. Nourse “	12 00
Chas. E. Allen collector	150 00
C. S. Hodgdon	110 00
E. R. Kent town auditors	9 00
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	\$1 491 86

SIDEWALKS--NEW.

Paid S. D. Tilton	\$883 00	
A. C. Howland	54 75	
S. W. Green	54 00	
Patrick Brown	27 00	
Geo. R. Rounds for sand	47 84	
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Received on account of assessments on new sidewalks	277 51	
In hands of collector to be collected	110 12	
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Cost of new walks		<hr/>
		\$678 96

REPAIR OF OLD SIDEWALKS.

S. D. Tilton	\$ 30 00
Dennis Stanley	3 50
John E. Field	17 37
Thomas Alexander	3 35
Stephen Green	4 50
A. B. Sleeper	3 00
L. F. Moore	5 95
J. S. Brackett	2 25
John L. Jerome	11 50
G. W. Aldrich	5 65
A. C. Howland	34 38
Amadon Bros.	19 20
Fred Howe	6 00

Francis Kellum	18 55
John S. Ingerson	3 00
Frank Smith & Co.	41 82
J. I. Williams	3 00
N. H. Richardson	1 20
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	\$214 22

SEWERS.

Paid Bartholomew Fortier	\$ 6 00
E. Spaulding	6 00
L. F. Moore bill for pipe	100 80
E. R. Kent	1 00
J. I. Williams	5 00
Francis Kellum	6 00
James McCarten	2 50
Aaron Simpson	4 50
John Murphy	4 50
Dick Thomas	3 00
F. J. Green	5 60
Levi D. Munsey	1 50
W. H. McCarten balance of order	7 00
Thompson Mfg Co.	9 31
William Truland	2 62
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	\$165 33
Received for assessments	29 40
In the hands of collector to be collected	20 00
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	\$ 49 40
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Cost of sewers	\$115 93

STREET LIGHTS.

Paid Electric Light Co.	\$750 00
Manson Springer balance due for 1890	17 50
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	\$767 50
Received for old lamps	21 00
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Cost of lighting the streets	\$746 50

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

Town of Lancaster in account with W.C.Spaulding, Agent:

Received of selectmen in orders	\$2 075 15
Paid W. C. Spaulding 50 days at \$2 00	\$100 00
Use of team 1890-91	20 00
Road machine 38 days at \$10	380 00
Francis Kellum for labor	76 75
Frank Smith & Co. for lumber	65 71
Francis Kellum Jr. for labor	54 33
Amadon Bros. for lumber	158 93
F. D. Peabody repairing machine	8 70
H. J. Guernsey repairing washout	33 87
Geo. A. Webster building bridge	26 25
W. H. Hartley repairing road	29 85
John Costello " "	10 40
L. F. Moore drain pipe, fence wire etc	46 04
Sylvanus Holmes for plank	5 00
W. B. Alden " "	15 80
D. R. Remick " "	21 43
Geo. A. Webster clearing ditches	10 50
James McCarten	6 11
Elwyn Goodale for labor	14 00
J. M. Clark for lumber	16 43
M. O'Donnel for labor	49 77
John Hadlock machine repairs	16 50
Albion Rowell for labor	15 00
Miscellaneous bills on highway	856 88
Cash on hand	36 90
	\$2 075 15

Out of the expenditures four new bridges have been built, one at the Grange, one at A. W. Smith's, one at the Great Rock school house and one at C. G. Burley's.

LANCASTER, Feb. 26, 1891.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the town of Lancaster, having carefully examined the accounts of Wm. C. Spaulding, road agent, find them correct with vouchers for same.

EDWARD R. KENT, }
 WILLIAM F. SMITH, } Auditors.
 JOHN COSTELLO, }

OVERSEER'S REPORT.

Chas. S. Hodgdon, Overseer.

R. C. Currier :

Geo. S. Stockwell	\$89 00
Mrs. J. Legacy	1 50
Henry Beard	5 78
L. M. Beard	9 60
Reuben Carter 3 bills	16 88
W. R. Evans 2 bills	2 99
Alden Cram 3 bills	27 00
Chase T. Rowell	5 00
L. F. Moore	85
Chas. Wentworth	14 00
Canning Wentworth	7 00
Dr. E. Stockwell	12 00

 \$191 60

Credit by grass 35 00, hay 8 95

43 95

 \$147 65
N. G. Stickney :

Kent & Roberts	\$10 63
John S. Ingerson	89 44
.. ..	26 00
E. R. Kent	1 50
Dr. E. Stockwell	1 00

 \$128 57
Mrs. Nevers :

W. R. Moore	\$4 50
J. H. Merrow	3 50
C. Kennison	4 00
E. R. Kent	4 19
Chas. F. Colby	1 60

 \$17 79
Miss Minnie Pierce :

Mrs. Almira Gage	\$156 00
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Mrs. J. Reed :

F. G. Marshall	\$30 00
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Rendered aid to Geo. W. Morgan, soldier :

Dr. E. Mitchell	\$50 75	
N. H. Richardson & Sons	12 00	
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Incidental expenses		10 00
Paid county		178 57
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		\$731 33
Received of C. S. Hodgdon	\$ 13 03	
County	150 00	
Town	575 00	
	<hr/>	\$738 03
Bills for '90 and '91	\$552 76	
County	178 57	
Cash on hand	6 70	
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Paid county	\$1 063 31	
Recd " "	884 74	
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As above	\$178 57	

LANCASTER, Feb. 25, 1891.

We, the undersigned, selectmen of the town of Lancaster, hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Chas. S. Hodgdon, and find them correct with vouchers for same.

EDWARD SPAULDING, } Selectmen
of
RICHARD H. CHESSMAN, } Lancaster.

LIBRARY REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

On hand Aug. 1, 1889	\$ 37 36
From town 1889	300 00
" 1890	400 00
Catalogues	1 00
Cards	3 75
Fines	9 60
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	\$751 71

DISBURSEMENTS.

New Books	\$180 66	
Trucking	40	
Rent, 2 years	200 00	
Librarian's salary	139 40	
Librarian's incidental expenses	11 75	
Insurance premium	20 00	
Wood	21 00	
Building fires	14 50	
New shelves	12 25	
Balance on hand Feb. 25, 1891	151 75	
	————	\$751 71

LIQUOR AGENT'S REPORT.

To the selectmen of the town of Lancaster, the Town Agent submits the following report for the year 1890 :

Agency		Dr.
Liquor on hand Apr. 1, 1890	\$599 32	
Bought during the year	475 30	
Freight on same	8 12	
Paid for fixtures	4 60	
Salary for the year	200 00	
	————	\$1 284 34
Agency Cr.		
Sales during the year	\$973 51	
barrels and kegs	8 00	
Liquor on hand	436 62	
Barrels and fixtures on hand	20 29	
	————	\$1 438 42
Feb. 1, 1891, To balance due the town		\$154 08

W. E. INGERSON, Town Agent.

Personally appeared the above named W. E. Ingerson and made oath that the above statement signed by him is true.

Before me,

R. J. BROWN, Justice of the Peace.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

The treasurer of the school board presents the following report :

FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES—RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Feb. 27, 1890	\$ 100 46	
Received of town treas. school money	1 321 05	
	_____	\$1 421 51

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid teachers	\$1 005 20	
For boarding teachers	182 25	
Wood	121 22	
Cleaning houses	19 50	
Building fires	3 60	
Furnishings	4 85	
Cash box	1 60	
Telegram	45	
Town of Dalton	10 00	
" Jefferson	10 00	
Balance due the district	62 84	
	_____	\$1 421 51

FOR REPAIRS—RECEIPTS.

Received for brick	\$5 50	
For lime and sand	1 25	
Of town treasurer	200 00	
Balance due the treasurer	56 74	
	_____	\$263 49

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due treasurer Feb. 27, 1890	\$95 74	
Repairs on house formerly district No. 14	115 09	
" other houses	34 15	
Building fence formerly district No. 10	17 76	
Recording deed	75	
	_____	\$263 49

FOR BUILDING—RECEIPTS.

Received of town treasurer	\$700 00	
Balance due the treasurer	36 74	
	_____	\$736 74

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for school house lot formerly district No. 6	\$65 00	
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Grading, laying underpinning and building fence	27 87	
Ephraim Smith towards building house	550 00	
For desks for new house	78 00	
Freighting desks	1 00	
Stove-pipe, zinc, hooks and wire	5 03	
Boards for fence	7 04	
Posts	2 80	
		\$736 74

There is due to Ephraim Smith upon completion of house \$25

J. E. McINTIRE, Treasurer

LANCASTER, Feb. 25, 1891.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the town of Lancaster, having carefully examined the accounts of J. E. McIntire, Treasurer, find them correct with vouchers for all expenditures.

EDWARD R. KENT, }
WILLIAM F. SMITH. } Auditors.
JOHN COSTELLO, }

The School Board of the town district have paid for books and school supplies \$470 13

Received for school books sold 9 47

We recommend the raising of \$300 to pay for books and school supplies for the coming year.

J. D. HOWE, }
WILLIAM F. SMITH, } School Board of
J. E. McINTIRE, } the Town District of
Lancaster.

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

BOOK ACCOUNT.

Feb. 27, '91, Books bought as per bills	\$614 30	
Express paid	4 00	
		\$618 30
Dec. 17, 1890, Recd from selectmen		\$390 00
Dist. owes for books	\$224 89	
“ express	4 00	
		\$228 89
Amount required to pay indebtedness of district as above	\$228 89	
For books for coming year	271 11	\$500 00

EDWARD R. KENT, School Treasurer.

Statistical Report of Town Schools for the year ending March 1, 1890.

Komerly No. 2	Town District	Terms	Teacher	Weeks in Term	Wages per Month	No. of Scholars	Av. Attendance	Reading	Spelling	Penmanship	Arithmetic	Geography	Grammar	History	Physiology	Algebra	Book Keeping	Composition
1		1	Louisa T Rosebrook	8	\$32	16	13	16	16	16	10	9	3					
"		2	Nellie Hilliard	8	22	20	15	19	19	19	13	12	9	3				
14		3	Nellie A Thompson	10	24	14	10	14	14	14	15	12	8	3				
3		1	Gertie C Rosebrook	8	28	33	25	32	32	32	16	10	6	1				8
"		2	"	9	28	32	25	32	32	32	15	9	4					
"		3	"	9	28	37	26	37	37	37	10	3	3					
4		1	Nellie J Daley	8	24	28	24	28	28	28	21	13	5	2				
"		2	Jennie E Potter	9	28	27	21	27	27	27	20	13	5	1				
"		3	Gertude Lang	9	28	27	21	27	27	27	18	5	1	5				
5		1	Josie Nelson	9	28	30	23	28	28	26	25	16	11	1				
"		2	Hattie L Upton	8	20	28	6	7	7	7	7	4	4	4				
6		1	John H Emerson	9	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	6				6
"		2	Susie P Babcock	8	24	20	17	11	14	18	15	9	7	2				
"		3	Julia A Hartford	9	28	19	13	19	19	19	15	15	15	15				
7		1	"	9	28	24	16	23	22	23	23	19	23	11				10
"		2	"	10	20	13	11	13	9	9	9	9	9	1				8
"		3	"	9	20	17	14	16	12	14	12	10	1	1				
8		1	Nettie B Smith	8	26	15	12	14	14	15	14	7	3					
"		2	Josie Nelson	8	22	26	25	26	24	30	20	7	4					
9		1	Julia A Malone	8	24	25	19	25	23	23	8	7	4					
"		2	Josie Nelson	9	26	22	12	22	22	22	9	7	5					
"		3	"	4	20	17	10	11	13	13	14	11	4	3				
10		1	Nellie Goodale	8	22	13	14	15	15	15	14	12	4					
"		2	Mrs Alma L Hodgdon	8	24	27	20	27	28	27	25	20	10					
"		3	"	8	24	18	13	17	18	16	14	12	2	1				
11		1	Clara W Jacobs	8	24	20	17	20	20	20	17	14	4	4				
"		2	Lillian E Rosebrook	8	28	19	18	19	19	19	19	16	6	6				
"		3	"	9	28	18	16	17	17	17	16	7	7					
15		1	Nettie B Smith	9	22	17	15	17	17	17	16	7	3					
"		2	"	9	22	17	15	17	17	17	16	7	3					
"		3	Eta S Nichols	9	26	21	19	21	21	21	19	8	4	4				

Contributed in board to teachers \$309 75

To the voters of the town school district of Lancaster, we herewith submit the statistical report of the school for the year ending March 1, 1891.

J. D. HOWE,
 WILLIAM F. SMITH, } School Board.
 J. E. McINTIRE,

STATISTICAL REPORT OF UNION SCHOOL DIST.

	Academy, D. T. Timberlake.	Grammar, Miss Thurston.	2d Intermediate, Miss Goddard,	1st Intermediate, Miss Curtis.	2d Primary, Miss Coffey.	1st Primary, Miss Glover.		
35	35	35	35	35	35	35	Weeks of School	
	40	36	36	36	36	32	Wages per month	
30	35	51	54	50	50	98	Whole No. scholars	
	31	43	44	45	45	81	Average attendance	
	35	48	45	50	50	89	Reading	
	35	48	45	50	50	75	Spelling	
	35	48	45	50	50	75	Penmanship	
8	35	48	45	50	50	89	Arithmetic	
	27	48	45	50	50	51	Geography	
	34	48					Grammar	
	26	23					History	
17							Algebra	
5							Physiology	
1							Geology	
27							Latin and Greek	
3							French	
11							Philosophy	
							Botany	
8							Geometry	
	31						Civil Government	
2							Astronomy	
19							English composition	
			45	50	45		Drawing	
				50	81		Vocal music	
								Amt. school money recd from town \$1 430 48
								raised by dist. 1 600 00
								Total \$ 3030 48

LANCASTER, March 1, 1891.

The foregoing report of Union School District No. 1, is respectfully submitted.

J. W. FLANDERS, Pres. Board of Education.

VITAL STATISTICS.

In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June Session, 1887, 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:

Births Registered for the Year Ending December 31, 1890.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father	Age of Mother
		Male	Female.								
Jan 3	Nellie		F	Carl Lalison	Ida Peterson	Lancaster	Gardner	Sweden	Sweden	24	25
3	Marion L		F	John G Hicks	Clara Chessman	"	Express Agent	Rowe Mass	Lancaster	36	29
7			F	Peter Rooney	Lizzie A Judge	"	Laborer	Quebec	Quebec	29	27
8			F	John F Conroy	Margaret Malone	"	Farmer	Ireland	Lancaster	36	32
11			F	Ambrose Bourdan	Mary Barry	"	Barber	Canada	Plainfield, Vt	29	27
16			F	Roswell Savage Jr	Anna G Marshall	"	Farmer	Dalton	Columbia	36	32
21			F	Terence White	Kate O'Connell	"	"	Quebec	Ireland	39	36
3			F	John Parks	Nellie J Morton	"	Laborer	Canada	Lancaster	35	21
7			F	Josiah Roberts	Louisa Simmonds	"	"	Essex Vt	Lancaster	43	41
12			F	James O Stearns	Ella Howe	"	Agent	Maldstone Vt	Woodstock, Vt	42	41
13	Hattie Frances		F	Francis A Gordon	Hattie M Stuart	"	Upholsterer	Plattsburg N Y	Guildhall, Vt	27	19
22			F	Michael F Conroy	Susan McGinley	"	Laborer	Canada	St Agath, Can	29	25
23			F	Joseph Lombard	Mary F Valley	"	"	Lancaster	Canada	25	26
26			F	Lloyd S Hartford	Clara Webster	"	Farmer	Clinton Mass	Lancaster	35	34
9			F	Henry Kier	Cenah Lockner	"	Thsmith	Quebec	Quebec	36	30
18			F	Samuel White	Mary McCowen	"	Laborer	Leeds Canada	Quebec	26	24
3			F	Thomas Alexander	Norah Bowden	"	Farmer	Oswego N Y	Lyman, Me	33	29
14			F	Frank L. Cornish	Eva Gordon	"	Stenographer	Waltham Mass	Boston	99	20
16			F	Francis Duffy	Ida Duffy	"	Farmer	Lancaster	Clarksville	27	26
21			F	Arthur J Niles	Addie Wright	"	"	"	Lancaster	29	25
26			F	Burt Smith	Mary Munsey	"	"	"	Jefferson	34	35
29			F	John L Jerome	Hattie Kellum	"	"	"	Halifax	47	44
30			F	Ira A Marshall	Helen Wesson	"	"	"	New Hampshire	28	24
3			F	Thomas McNamara	Kate McCaffery	"	"	"	St Dennis, Quebec	38	31
18			F	Myron E Stowell	Emma H Stowell	"	"	"	"	28	24
20			F	Joseph Gocha	Hattie Stevens	"	"	"	"	28	24
23			F			"	"	"	"	28	24

June 10	4th	Charles Rines	Hattie Mathews	"	Stone Mason	Woodstock	Lancaster	35 32
17	6th	E F Stockwell	Lucy Tripp	"	Physician	Lancaster	Alfred, Me	44 43
20	3d	John M Mathes	Nettie Hodgdon	"	Boardinghouse	Colebrook	Lancaster	35 30
25	2d	Chas S Dexter	Alice Morgan	"	Brakeman	Lancaster	"	22 18
July 12	2d	Irving J Colby	Lucy M Morse	"	Farmer	"	Newbury, Vt	33 28
20	2d	Henry M Beard	Josephine Colby	"	Farmer	"	Lancaster	22 20
24	9d	John M Bloodgett	Eliza J McDonald	"	Laborer	Stratford	"	32 59
29	9d	William Truland	Bridgett Wilson	"	"	Lancaster	"	30 27
Aug 7	M	John Marty	Johana Barden	"	Farmer	Canada	"	50 44
18	M	Gilbert A Marshall	Mertie L. Griswold	"	"	"	"	39 29
21	L	John A Archibald	Henrietta J Shores	"	Trimmer	Portland Me	Lancaster	42 54
24	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	42 34
24	1st	Wm H Hartley	Mary Neagle	"	Farmer	Lancaster	Lyndonville, Vt	30 24
16	4th	Geo M Congdon	Nellie Parker	"	Thinsmith	"	Lunenburg, Vt	28 23
22	5th	Timothy McCaffrey	Bridgett Hopkins	"	Laborer	St Agath Can	St Sylvester, Can	33 27
24	1st	Harvey White	Aida Hibbard	"	Carpenter	Portsmouth	Lancaster	23 24
28	2d	W E Hunt	Kate Gray	"	Laborer	Littleton	"	24 22
30	1st	Geo N Kent	Mary Nye Rice	"	Station agent	Lancaster	Westford, Mass	33 26
Oct 1	3d	Chas McGoldrick	Travers	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada	32 32
4	5th	Henry Young	Betsy Rennie	"	"	Lancaster	Jefferson	33 28
9	1st	Fred C Wilson	Alice Peabody	"	"	"	Andover, Me	23 30
10	10th	John Bermingham	Mary Stone	"	Farmer	Ireland	Canada	48 39
15	1st	Patrick Brown	Jennie Nevers	"	Laborer	St Sylvester	St Agath Can	30 30
24	5th	Edgar A Stickney	Jane McNamara	"	"	Jefferson	Lancaster	33 30
24	7th	Michael O'Donnell	Jennie L Ewen	"	Farmer	"	"	45 40
Nov 8	M	Charles E Kimball	Alice Batchelder	"	"	Lancaster	Dalton	34 34
13	M	Hazo Woodward	Mamie Gay	"	Electrician	"	Levant, Me	32 30
Dec 14	1st	Chas R Bailey	Carrie Bedel	"	Printer	Lunenburg Vt	Oldtown, Me	29 24
15	1st	Geo H Nevers	Nellie Alexander	"	Farmer	Lancaster	Jefferson	28 23
16	3d	Richard Bennett	Sophonra Marshall	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada	28 24
18	6th	Edward Greenwood	"	"	"	"	Sutton, Vt	39 36
24	11th	Thomas Hilliar	"	"	Vet Surgeon	England	England	43 43

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ROLLIN J. BROWN, Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS--CONTINUED.

Marriages Registered for the Year Ending December 31, 1890.

Date of Mar'ge	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	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 Father.	Birthplace of Father.	No. Marriage.	Name, Residence, and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan 14	Lancaster	Joseph Gochie Battie Stevens	Lancaster	35 31	All White	Laborer	Canada	Gochie	Canada	1st	Rev M J B Creamer
27	"	Samuel N Evans Lizzie E Deering	"	21 19	"	Clerk	Canada Lancaster	George Parady Samuel G Evans	Canada Gorham	2d 1st	Rev John A Bowler
Feb 1	"	John E Deering Mabel E Schoff	Lancaster	23 22	"	Farmer	Northumberland Northumberland	John Deering John Deering	Ireland Ireland	"	Rev J B Morrison
3	"	Joseph Nolan Anna Murphy	Bloomfield Vt	38 38	"	Farmer	Bloomfield Vt	John Nolan	Ireland	"	Lancaster
10	Berlin	Edgar M Barney Evelyn M Berry	Lancaster	38 30	"	Tailor	Canada	Andy Murphy	Canada	"	Rev M J B Creamer
Apr 26	Lancaster	Wm H McArten Jennette G Balch	Berlin Falls Stockton Me	28 25	"	Tailorress Bank clerk	Stearsport Me Rockland Me	Charles Barney Charles E Berry	Canada Taunton Mass	"	Lancaster
May 16	"	Herman O Remick Mary J Parkes	Lancaster	27 38	"	Bank clerk	Lancaster	James McArten Hosea Gray	Stockton Me Kennebunk Falls	"	Stark
27	"	Ellery Ford Carnie Cummings	"	35 20	"	Carpenter	Lancaster	Charles Remick	New Hampshire	2d	Rev L Waterman
June 2	"	Alex McCinley Mary Harrington	"	35 20	"	Millwright	Canada	Samuel D Ford	Grafton Vt	1st	Rev S A Burnaby
2	Jefferson	Walter F Sutton Ellie B Tuttle	"	20 20	"	Harnessmaker Dressmaker Farmer	West Concord Vt Wank Kokce Minn St sylvester P Q Bangor Me	John Cummings Charles McGinley	Grafton Vt Thetford Vt Canada	"	C B Allen, J P
28	Manchester	Harry E Nourse Clara M Newton	Jefferson	20 34	"	Farmer	Canada	John G Sutton John M Tuttle	Lowell Mass	"	Rev M J B Creamer
July 31	Lancaster	Fred C Richardson Clementine J Stone	Lancaster Manchester	21 19	"	R R employe	Littleton Manchester	Jasper B Nourse Kilburn H Nourton	Manchester Manchester	2d 1st	Rev Chas L Baker
Aug 9	"	Frank A Shores Mattie F Hartford	Lancaster	24 25	"	Merchant	Lancaster	N H Richardson George W Stone	Topsham Vt Lunenburg Vt	"	Rev S A Burnaby
27	"	William McCarty Annie Wilson	"	24 25	"	Truckman	Lancaster	Peter N Shores Noah W Hartford	Nashua Lunenburg Vt	"	Rev D C Babcock
Sept 13	"	Walter S Mathews Bertha LeGro	"	25 20	"	Laborer	Lancaster	Pece McArty Joseph P Mathews David LeGro	Frampton P Q Frampton P Q Lancaster	"	Rev M J B Creamer
	"		"		"	Laborer	Lancaster		Jefferson Lancaster	"	Rev S A Burnaby

Oct	1	"	George Franklin	Lunenburg Vt	35	Millman	Canada	Nathaniel Franklin	Canada	"	Rev S A Burnaby
	8	"	Sarah A Jaimson	Taunton Mass	30	Cook	Hallfax P Q	Andrew Jaimson	Ireland	"	"
	20	"	W H Carpenter	Littleton	17	Teamster	Lunenburg Vt	Hosea Altrich	Littleton	"	"
	28	"	Gertie Aldrich	Lunenburg Vt	19	Marble worker	St Sylvester P Q	James Connor	Ireland	"	Rev M J B Creamer
	29	"	John Connor	Lancaster	26	Hotel clerk	Leeds Canada	Nicholas Maloney	"	"	Lancaster
		"	Mary Ann Maloney	"	28	Livery stable	Lancaster	Wm Carr	"	"	Rev M J B Creamer
		"	Sarah Sheridan	"	29	Farmer	England	Patrick Sheridan	"	"	Lancaster
		"	James L Wareham	"	28	Livery stable	Leeds P Q	Charles Wareham	"	"	Rev S A Burnaby
		"	Lizzie F Montgomery	"	22	Livery stable	Kent county N B	John Montgomery	"	"	Lancaster
		"	Patrick W Plume	"	22	Farmer	Lancaster	Joseph Plume	"	"	Rev M J B Creamer
		"	Sarah Kellum	"	26	Livery stable	Wolfstown P Q	John Kellum	"	"	Lancaster
		"	James McKaig	"	22	Laborer	Prince Edward Is	Dennis McKaig	"	"	"
		"	Clara Coughlan	"	34	Ice dealer	Portland Me	George Coughlan	"	"	"
		"	Jerry Connors	"	19	R R employe	Canada	Patrick Connors	"	"	"
		"	Nellie McGinicy	"	25	Millman	Canada	James McGinicy	"	"	"
		"	Martin O'Donnell	Carroll	28	Laborer	Canada	James O'Donnell	"	"	"
		"	Abbie Curran	"	18	Laborer	Ireland	John Curran	"	"	"
		"	C Edwin Jones	Stoneham Mass	22	Farmer	Lancaster	Charles C Jones	"	"	Rev D C Babcock
		"	Jennie S Gray	Lancaster	21	Barber	Stratford	Miles Gray	"	"	Lancaster
		"	Jasper B Nourse	"	17	Barber	Bethlehem	Jasper B Nourse	"	"	Rev L Waterman
		"	Elva A Ternell	"	28	Barber	Lancaster	Marcella Tirrell	"	"	Littleton
		"	William J Nelson	"	29	Barber	Canada	Andrew Nelson	"	"	Rev E C Clark
		"	Flora E Baldwin	"	30	Barber	Groveton	Charles P Richardson	"	"	Ashland
		"	Chester A Brown	Lancaster	35	Barber	Ellsworth Me	John H Brown	"	"	Rev D C Babcock
		"	Annie M Kenison	Lancaster	18	Barber	Canada	James McClintock	"	"	Lancaster
		"	Herbert N McClintock	Whitefield	21	Barber	Canada	John Moses	"	"	Rev J S Jewett
		"	Carrie E Moses	Warren	33	Barber	New Orleans La	Barney Williams	"	"	Warren
		"	Fred J Williams	Lancaster	28	Barber	Pittsburg	Ira L Brabard	"	"	Rev C A Young
		"	Carrie Brabard	"					"	"	Lancaster

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ROLLIN J. BROWN, Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS--CONTINUED.

Deaths Registered for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date of Death.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.			Sex & Con.			Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
			Years.	Months.	Days.	Male.	Female.	Color.	Single or Wid.	Father.	Mother.					
Jan 5	Lancaster	Alvah Twombly	83	11	24	Lancaster	Lancaster	M	F	S	Farmer	Rochester	Plainfield Vt	James Twombly	Rebecca Twombly	
6	Groveton	Agnes J McCaffrey	2	10		Lancaster	Lancaster	F	F	S		Canada		Ambrose Bourden	Mary Bary	
11	Lancaster	Infant	24	7				F	F	W						
12	Lunenburg	Mrs Alice McClintock	69					F	F	W						
18	Lancaster	Jarah Alexander	91	10				F	F	W						
23		Lacy Alexander	65	5		Canada		F	F	W	Housekeeper					
25		Mary L Phillips	79	8				F	F	W						
28		Joseph Roby	28					M	M	W	Engineer					
31		Leonard Crouch	65			Haverhill		M	F	W						
Feb 7		Harriet C Beattie	22	9	2	Lancaster		M	F	S		Barnet Vt	Gulldhall Vt	Geo W Morgan	Mary E Hadlock	
8		Richard E Morgan	39			"		M	M	S	Shoemaker	Canada		Peter Adams		
9		Frank Adams	31	4		Canada		M	M	S	Carpenter	Northumb'land		Wm H Lucas		
11		Frank W. Lucas	73			Vermont		M	M	W	Farmer			Robert Moore		
12		Sohn Moore	100	6	7			M	F	W						
20		Mrs Buckman	80	8	27	Lancaster		M	F	W	Farmer	Somersworth	Berwick Me	Samuel LeGro	Martha Applebe	
27		James LeGro	2	8	26	"		M	F	W		Frankton P Q	St Sylvester	James Coyle	Lizzie Coyle	
27		James L Coyle	39	4		St Albans Vt		M	F	M		Canada	Canada	Charles Gonyer	Christiana Wells	
6	Northumb'land	Christina Smith	2	8	26	"		M	F	M		Vermont	Hemker	Salma Hall	Helen Wood	
7	Lancaster	Jennie C Paul	29			Barnett Vt		M	F	M				Samuel White	Ellen White	
11		Infant	42	7	12	Lancaster		M	F	M				Dan Eastman	Cathrine Brown	
18		Kate Barden	48	8	22	Lancaster		M	F	M	Housekeeper	Ireland		Lyman	Matilda Stickney	
19		Philastus Eastman	74	8		Leeds, Canada		M	F	M	Supt stable	Canada		Bailey	Mary Hartwell	
Apr 9	Whitefield	Ann Lucas	74	8		Littleton		M	F	M	Housewife	Ireland		Lyman	Margaret Lapham	
29	Lancaster	Francis Emerson	86	11	2	Vermont		M	F	M	Farmer	Vermont		Mass	John Murphy	
May 2		Sarah Murphy	30			Lunenburg Vt		M	F	S	Housemaid	Mass		Mass	John McGrain	
June 8		John McGrain	74	4		Canada		M	F	S	Housemaid	Canada		Canada	Jesse Turner	
9		Gilman Lovejoy	44			Lancaster		M	F	S	Laborer					
13		David E Turner	43			Rochester Vt		M	F	S	Farmer					
18		Damon Hodge	43	2	5	Rochester Vt		M	F	S						
July 2	Gulldhall							M	F	S						

Age	Month	Name	Sex	Residence	Physician	Place of Birth	Place of Death	Survivors
19	Unknown*	Unknown						
28	Aug	Oscar Worthly	M	Washington Vt	M	Washington Vt	Chelsea Vt	Sarah Gillman
30		Mary Roby Jones	F	Lancaster	M	Canada	Canada	Samuel Worthly Joseph Roby
7		Infant	M	"	F	Lancaster	"	John Marty
12		Annie S Truland	F	14 Theford Vt	F	Vermont	Vermont	William Truland
20		Rufus C Lucas	M	30 Canada	F	England		Edmund Lucas
16	Sept	Lizzie Coyle	F	29 Cairo N Y	F			
23		Esther Jean Smith	F	10 Lancaster	F	Canada		Benjamin Rhodes
30	Oct	Vt Bernice V Ingalls	F	64 11 Piermont N H	F	Canada	Canada	Fred C Ingalls
10	Nov	Lancaster Mary Ann McGoldrick	F	72 5 Barnet Vt	F	N H	N H	Charles McGoldrick
30		Moses Hibbard	M	84 9 Lunenburg Vt	F	Hollon Conn	Marlboro Mass	George Hibbard
1	Dec	Catharine M Remick	F	73 Charlesstown N H	M	Newbury Vt	Marbleh'd "	Joseph K Woolcott
7		Levi F Hartshorn	M	67 9 1 Newbury Vt	M			Calhom Hartshorn
19		Charles W Roby	M	55 Quebec	M			Joseph Roby
7		John Lindsey	M	8 22 Lancaster	M			William Lindsey
19		Patrick Shehe	M	38 Canada	F			
21		Herbert G Hodgton	M					H G Hodgton
26		Margaret M Straw	F					Coye
30								Clara Hodgton

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ROLLIN J. BROWN, Town Clerk.

* Found dead in the Connecticut river.



