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TOWN OFFICERS

OF

WALPOLE, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

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## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

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STATISTICAL REPORT FOR THE WALPOLE TOWN  
SCHOOL DISTRICT, FROM AUGUST, 1898,  
TO AUGUST, 1899.

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| Number of schools,                       | 15  |
| Number taught by male teachers,          | 3   |
| Number taught by female teachers,        | 12  |
| Number weeks of school,                  | 470 |
| Number of scholars,                      | 567 |
| Number of scholars studying reading,     | 521 |
| Number of scholars studying spelling,    | 498 |
| Number of scholars studying penmanship,  | 520 |
| Number of scholars studying arithmetic,  | 400 |
| Number of scholars studying geography,   | 250 |
| Number of scholars studying grammar,     | 260 |
| Number of scholars studying history,     | 90  |
| Number of scholars studying composition, | 110 |
| Number of scholars studying algebra,     | 35  |
| Number of scholars studying geometry,    | 20  |
| Number of scholars studying physiology,  | 150 |
| Number of scholars studying bookkeeping, | 20  |
| Number of scholars studying drawing,     | 75  |
| Number of scholars studying vocal music, | 200 |

## STATISTICAL TABLE.

FROM AUGUST, 1898, TO AUGUST, 1899.

| SCHOOL.                          | TERM.                        | TEACHER.                       | Length of school<br>in weeks. | Whole number of<br>scholars. | Average number<br>of scholars. | Average daily at-<br>tendance. | Number not ab-<br>sent. | Number of times<br>tardy. | Number of visits<br>by school board | Number of visits<br>by others. | Wages of teacher<br>including board |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Walpole Village,<br>Dist. No. 1. | High.                        | F George O. Smith, A. B.....   | 13                            | 19                           | 11                             | 18                             | 0                       |                           | 8                                   | 19                             | \$ 70                               |
|                                  | High.                        | W George O. Smith, A. B.....   | 10                            | 17                           | 16                             | 14                             | 0                       |                           | 8                                   | 7                              | 70                                  |
|                                  | High.                        | S George O. Smith, A. B.....   | 11                            | 15                           | 15                             | 14                             | 2                       |                           | 3                                   | 7                              | 70                                  |
|                                  | Gram.                        | F Blanche S. Griffin, B. A.... | 10                            | 21                           | 19                             | 19                             | 8                       | 8                         | 3                                   | 13                             | 40                                  |
|                                  | Gram.                        | W Blanche S. Griffin, B. A.... | 10                            | 20                           | 19                             | 18                             | 1                       | 38                        | 3                                   | 10                             | 40                                  |
|                                  | Gram.                        | S Blanche S. Griffin, B. A.... | 11                            | 21                           | 19                             | 19                             | 6                       | 29                        | 5                                   | 10                             | 40                                  |
|                                  | Int.                         | F Gertrude Jameson.....        | 13                            | 33                           | 28                             | 27                             | 7                       | 40                        | 5                                   | 4                              | 36                                  |
|                                  | Int.                         | W Gertrude Jameson.....        | 10                            | 30                           | 29                             | 27                             | 1                       | 29                        | 5                                   | 5                              | 36                                  |
|                                  | Int.                         | S Gertrude Jameson.....        | 11                            | 33                           | 32                             | 30                             | 6                       | 25                        | 4                                   | 30                             | 36                                  |
|                                  | Prim.                        | F Carrie L. Wightman.....      | 13                            | 32                           | 28                             | 27                             | 2                       | 8                         | 5                                   | 38                             | 36                                  |
|                                  | Prim.                        | W Carrie L. Wightman.....      | 10                            | 33                           | 32                             | 31                             | 7                       | 2                         | 4                                   | 35                             | 36                                  |
|                                  | Prim.                        | S Carrie L. Wightman.....      | 11                            | 29                           | 27                             | 26                             | 0                       | 4                         | 6                                   | 40                             | 36                                  |
|                                  | Gram.                        | F W. E. Riley.....             | 14                            | 41                           | 40                             | 32                             | 16                      | 52                        | 24                                  | 4                              | 60                                  |
|                                  | Gram.                        | W W. E. Riley.....             | 8                             | 37                           | 34                             | 26                             | 6                       | 37                        | 9                                   | 4                              | 60                                  |
|                                  | Gram.                        | S W. E. Riley.....             | 11                            | 32                           | 27                             | 24                             | 7                       | 19                        | 10                                  | 3                              | 60                                  |
|                                  | 1st. Int.                    | F Cindie B. Dalton.....        | 14                            | 46                           | 45                             | 43                             | 8                       | 18                        | 3                                   | 5                              | 32                                  |
|                                  | 1st. Int.                    | W Cindie B. Dalton.....        | 8                             | 44                           | 43                             | 40                             | 8                       | 32                        | 1                                   | 13                             | 32                                  |
|                                  | 1st. Int.                    | S Mary Cotter.....             | 11                            | 42                           | 40                             | 36                             | 7                       | 17                        | 3                                   | 2                              | 40                                  |
| 2d Int.                          | F Kate E. Buxton.....        | 14                             | 50                            | 49                           | 46                             | 17                             | 45                      | 2                         | 10                                  | 28                             |                                     |
| 2d Int.                          | W Nellie M. Harknette.....   | 8                              | 49                            | 46                           | 42                             | 5                              | 29                      | 3                         | 3                                   | 28                             |                                     |
| 2d Int.                          | S Mary E. Haggerty.....      | 11                             | 48                            | 47                           | 42                             | 5                              | 24                      | 4                         | 4                                   | 28                             |                                     |
| 1st Prim.                        | F Elizabeth A. Hennessey.... | 14                             | 66                            | 59                           | 55                             | 20                             | 4                       | 1                         | 13                                  | 28                             |                                     |
| 1st Prim.                        | W Nellie A. Clarety.....     | 8                              | 66                            | 60                           | 50                             | 2                              | 52                      | 3                         | 11                                  | 32                             |                                     |
| 1st Prim.                        | S Nellie A. Clarety.....     | 11                             | 57                            | 54                           | 52                             | 15                             | 44                      | 6                         | 7                                   | 36                             |                                     |
| 2d Prim.                         | F Mary A. Keough.....        | 14                             | 52                            | 48                           | 44                             | 8                              | 31                      | 1                         | 4                                   | 28                             |                                     |
| 2d Prim.                         | W Elizabeth A. Hennessey.... | 8                              | 48                            | 44                           | 37                             | 15                             | 2                       | 1                         | 1                                   | 28                             |                                     |
| 2d Prim.                         | S Rebecca M. O'Connell.....  | 11                             | 45                            | 44                           | 41                             | 13                             | 14                      | 1                         | 1                                   | 28                             |                                     |
| 3d Prim.                         | F Nellie M. Harknette.....   | 14                             | 37                            | 35                           | 34                             | 15                             | 16                      | 3                         | 7                                   | 28                             |                                     |
| 3d Prim.                         | W Mary A. Keough.....        | 8                              | 33                            | 33                           | 29                             | 2                              | 28                      | 0                         | 4                                   | 28                             |                                     |
| 3d Prim.                         | S Lillian M. Conole.....     | 11                             | 34                            | 34                           | 31                             | 10                             | 7                       | 5                         | 2                                   | 28                             |                                     |
| Division 3.                      | F Helen M. Guild.....        | 11                             | 13                            | 12                           | 12                             | 5                              | 1                       | 2                         | 33                                  | 26                             |                                     |
| Division 3.                      | W Helen M. Guild.....        | 13                             | 15                            | 15                           | 14                             | 6                              | 0                       | 3                         | 18                                  | 26                             |                                     |
| Division 3.                      | S Helen M. Guild.....        | 9                              | 16                            | 16                           | 14                             | 5                              | 0                       | 2                         | 12                                  | 26                             |                                     |
| Division 6.                      | F Bdna M. Chandler.....      | 13                             | 12                            | 11                           | 10                             | 4                              | 40                      | 3                         | 13                                  | 26                             |                                     |
| Division 6.                      | W Minnie L. Hathaway.....    | 9                              | 11                            | 10                           | 9                              | 1                              | 33                      | 1                         | 0                                   | 25                             |                                     |
| Division 6.                      | S Lucy F. Brewin.....        | 11                             | 6                             | 6                            | 5                              | 2                              | 19                      | 2                         | 0                                   | 21                             |                                     |
| Division 12.                     | F Bertha B. Gould.....       | 12                             | 17                            | 12                           | 15                             | 3                              | 4                       | 2                         | 20                                  | 28                             |                                     |
| Division 12.                     | W Bertha J. Barber.....      | 10                             | 20                            | 16                           | 14                             | 2                              | 28                      | 3                         | 15                                  | 28                             |                                     |
| Division 12.                     | S Bertha J. Barber.....      | 9                              | 18                            | 15                           | 12                             | 4                              | 15                      | 2                         | 13                                  | 28                             |                                     |
| Division 13.                     | F Emma A. Houghton.....      | 13                             | 17                            | 14                           | 13                             | 2                              | 15                      | 2                         | 26                                  | 26                             |                                     |
| Division 13.                     | W Alice H. Burbank.....      | 9                              | 14                            | 12                           | 11                             | 0                              | 6                       | 2                         | 22                                  | 28                             |                                     |
| Division 13.                     | S Alice H. Burbank.....      | 11                             | 19                            | 17                           | 15                             | 2                              | 11                      | 1                         | 35                                  | 30                             |                                     |
| Division 14.                     | F Catharine A. Putnam.....   | 13                             | 21                            | 17                           | 16                             | 0                              | 0                       | 3                         | 18                                  | 30                             |                                     |
| Division 14.                     | W Catharine A. Putnam.....   | 9                              | 17                            | 14                           | 10                             | 0                              | 0                       | 3                         | 8                                   | 30                             |                                     |
| Division 14.                     | S M. A. Laws.....            | 11                             | 15                            | 14                           | 12                             | 3                              | 26                      | 5                         | 12                                  | 28                             |                                     |



PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR, FROM  
AUGUST, 1898, TO AUGUST, 1899.

Walpole Village, Grammar.—Helen Hubbard.

Division 3.—Cora L. Thompson.

Division 3.—Ralph J. Jewett.

North Walpole.—Margaret Barrett, Mary Carney, Willie Carney, Mary McDonnell, Agnes Barrett, Anson Keefe.

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

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*To the Town of Walpole:*

Herewith is submitted the annual report of the school board for the year now closing.

The work for the year has been marked by few special occurrences, but the schools throughout the town have made good progress. Removals from town of members of the school board, together with sickness, has somewhat interfered with the work the latter part of the year, but to no serious extent.

The full system, as outlined last year, has been successfully maintained, with a slight increase in the schools of Walpole village over last year, and a marked increase over the preceding year. There seems to be a general disposition on the part of parents and scholars to coöperate with the teachers and authorities and get the best results.

The high school is in excellent condition and doing most thorough work. There is a marked improvement in the bearing of the pupils, more earnest purpose and more studious habits, with a growing interest in the natural sciences, which lends enthusiasm and vigor to the whole work of the school. We believe the town has been fortunate in its principal, Mr. George O. Smith, A. B., who has spared himself nowhere, and done most faithful and conscientious work.

The grading of last year has required little change, and the classes are doing the work well.

The financial outlays of the year may seem to call for some brief explanation. Larger expenditures than was anticipated were found to be absolutely necessary after repairs had once been begun on the high school building, and the board were obliged to considerably overrun the sum especially appropriated for that purpose. The building was found in much worse condition than was realized, and close previous estimates of the cost were impossible. The board therefore used their best judgment and put the entire building, including basement, in thorough shape, and now complete for many years. It seemed by far the best economy in the end to do so, and they saw no other reasonable course open to them, though they regret having had to do so without funds, and therefore to carry over the large deficiency of this year. But they feel sure that all who will investigate the matter, see what has been done and in so thorough a manner, will approve of their action as the only feasible course under the circumstances.

The building has been replastered throughout with pressed steel ceilings in the two school rooms; the walls and ceilings tastefully tinted; new hard pine finish, including floors, throughout; new seats and windows, and blinds where needed; the building thoroughly painted outside, two coats, lead and oil; concrete gutters around the building; the tower thoroughly braced and new timbered; a finely working heating system, consisting of two large Fuller & Warren furnaces, with a circulating arrangement distributing the heat evenly over the building, and serving well for ventilation, and which has worked to entire satisfaction in the coldest weather. The basement has also been thoroughly renovated, finished in hard pine, with finely cemented floor, enlarged windows, walls whitened, and bulkhead and comfortable stairway to the hall.

These improvements put the building, in all important respects, on a footing with any modern schoolhouse, and in every way as good as could have been built for many



times this outlay, and now the building is a pride to the town. The basement serves as a fine playroom in stormy weather, and has been constantly in use and paid for itself already, as has the whole building, in the comfort of teachers and pupils. The basement also serves as a much needed place for the gymnasium equipment, generously given to the town a few years ago by Mr. Howland of New York.

The primary building in Walpole village now needs a thorough renovation, as especially the intermediate room is hardly fit for safe occupancy. The seats are dangerously uncomfortable, and the heating arrangements entirely unsatisfactory. Not a large sum of money would be required to put the building in good shape, and in as good condition as the other. The present finish could most of it remain. There should be basement facilities in this building like those of the high school house, and they could very easily be arranged as the building is situated. The small children especially need such. There should also be new floors, the building painted outside and in, new plastering in part, and a good heating system; but less than a thousand dollars would, in our judgment, do the whole job satisfactorily, and it is hoped the district will soon provide for this.

The schoolhouse at No. 6, which has long been in a condition unfit for use, has also been put in good repair, and is now an attractive and comfortable schoolroom. This also required more than was expected, but is a wise outlay. The schoolhouse at No. 10 has also been reshingled, and a fence about the lot put up at Drewsville.

Unexpectedly, also, North Walpole came in for quite a bill for repairs. The schools became so crowded as to require another schoolroom at the opening of the fall term. A plan was devised by which waste space, ante-rooms, etc., in the old building could be utilized by changing partitions so to make two additional rooms. This cost about two hundred dollars, and had to be done without funds, but was the wisest and the only thing to do under the circum-

stances, and this, we believe, will meet the requirements for some years to come. The North Walpole schools are in a most prosperous condition, and furnished with excellent and highly trained teachers, and under thorough management.

The school year has not been as long as we hoped to have, but the entire amount of special school money was used for that purpose, and not applied, as may have been supposed, to repairs. The extra repairs constitute the deficit. But we believe the high efficiency of the schools has more than made up for the loss of a week or two. What we have lacked in quantity has been more than made up in quality.

We believe that the good people of Walpole will be loyal to their schools, and stand behind us in doing the best we could under our conditions. We have spared neither time nor strength nor labor, to get the best results possible and the best value for your money. Repairs were done at exceedingly moderate figures and done well.

The sacred interests of education are the highest interests of our town, and we feel confident they will receive, as they have in the past, and we hope, merit your continued interest and support. We have done the best we could, to you we leave the rest.

ELISHA A. KEEP,  
J. W. CAHALANE,  
HENRY E. PUTNAM,  
CHARLES H. BARNES,  
C. J. O'NEIL,

School Board.



## COURSE OF STUDY.

WALPOLE HIGH AND GRADED SCHOOLS.

### PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

#### FIRST YEAR.

Reading.—Word and sentence method, and National method, object teaching, chart and board exercises. Cyr's Primer, Stepping Stones to Literature, Cyr's First Reader, or Monroe's Primer and First Reader.

Spelling.—By sound and by letter, the words learned in reading and other exercises, in letters and script.

Writing.—Blackboard work upon easy words and the forms of letters. D. C. Heath's Vertical Chart.

Number.—All combinations and separations from 1 to 10. Easy problems and addition of columns of small numbers.

Language.—Conversation about objects. Correction of errors in conversation, making every recitation a language lesson. Short quotations memorized.

Drawing and Music.

Oral instruction.—Physiology and Hygiene, Nature Study.

#### SECOND YEAR.

Reading.—Cyr's Primer and First Reader of Stepping Stones to Literature completed. Second Readers begun. Supplementary reading.

Spelling.—Written and oral. Words from lessons and common words of daily use.

Writing.—Movement exercises. Vertical, No. 1.

Number.—All combinations to 50. Roman numerals to XXX. Prince's Arithmetic, Book I.

Language.—Lessons from chart. The more common uses of abbreviations, capitals and marks of punctuation. Reproduction of stories. Selections memorized. Copying. Drawing and Music.

Oral instruction.—Physiology and Hygiene, Nature Study.

## THIRD YEAR.

- Reading.—Cyr's Second, Stepping Stones to Literature, Second Reader. Pupil trained to grasp full thought before reading orally.
- Spelling.—Written and oral. Words in connection with lessons. Gilbert's Speller to page 50, or American Word Book.
- Writing.—Movement exercises. Vertical, No. II.
- Number.—All combinations from 50 to 144. Easy fractions. Mental work. Prince's Book I completed and Book II begun. Wentworth's Primary.
- Language.—Work of previous grade continued. Dictation exercises.
- Geography.—Home (local, town, county and state). Potter's Primary, or Rand-McNally's Primary.
- Drawing and music.
- Oral instruction.—Physiology and Hygiene, Nature Study.

## INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

## FOURTH YEAR.

- Reading.—Cyr's II completed and Cyr's III begun, or Monroe's Third.
- Writing.—Vertical, No. 3.
- Arithmetic.—Prince's Book, II and III, or Milne's Elements of Arithmetic.
- Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 50-70, or American Word Book.
- Geography.—Potter's Primary, Frye's Primary, pages 1-19.
- Language.—Board work, Metcalf & Bright.
- Drawing.—Lessons from American Teacher, Prang's.
- Music.—The National Music Course.
- Physiology and Hygiene.

## FIFTH YEAR.

- Reading.—Cyr's Third, Beginner's American History, Seven Little Sisters, McGuffey's Fourth, or Monroe's.



Writing.—Vertical, No. III and IV.  
 Arithmetic.—Prince's, IV and V, or Milne's Elements.  
 Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 70-90, or American Word Book. Selected word lists.  
 Geography.—Frye's Primary.  
 Language.—Metcalf & Bright's, Book I completed.  
 Music, Drawing, Physiology and Hygiene.

## SIXTH YEAR.

Reading.—Cyr's Fourth. Supplementary reading.  
 Writing.—Books IV and V.  
 Arithmetic.—Greenleaf's Complete, pages 1-106. Prince's VI, or Milne's Elements.  
 Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 90-110, or American Word Book.  
 Geography.—Frye's Complete Geography, pages 1-26, fall term. United States, pages 142-158 and begin North American, pages 27-29, winter term. North American, pages 30-53, spring term.  
 Language.—Metcalf & Bright, Book II.  
 Music and Drawing, Physiology and Hygiene.

## GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

## SEVENTH YEAR.

Reading.—Cyr's Fourth and Fifth, Irving's Rip Van Winkle.  
 Writing.—Vertical, Books III and IV.  
 Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 111-146, or American Word Book.  
 Arithmetic.—Greenleaf's Complete, pages 106-181, or Milne's.  
 Geography.—Frye's Complete, South America and Europe, pages 53-62, 74-87 fall term. Asia and Africa, pages 62-74, 87-95, winter term. Australia, 95-99, plants and animals, 107-118, spring term.  
 Grammar.—Hyde's Book II completed to page 218. Metcalf & Bright's Book II completed. Metcalf & Bright's Grammar begun.

Physiology.—Blaisdell's Our Bodies, Hutchinson's Laws of Health.

Drawing, Music, Gymnastics, Rhetoricals and graded composition work throughout this department.

#### EIGHTH YEAR.

Reading.—Selected Masterpieces of American Literature.

Writing.—Vertical, Book V.

Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 146 completed, or American Word Book.

Arithmetic.—Greenleaf's Complete, pages 181-256, or Milne's.

Geography.—Frye's Complete, pages 99-107, 119-142, fall term. Pages 142-161, winter term. Pages 161-175, 1-8, special supplement, spring term.

Grammar.—Metcalf's completed.

American History.—Montgomery's, to page 150.

Physiology.—Blaisdell's Our Bodies completed, or Hutchinson's Laws of Health.

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### HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

#### NINTH YEAR.

Arithmetic.—Greenleaf's Complete, and Milne's, Wentworth's Practical reviewed and completed.

American History.—Montgomery's completed.

Grammar.—Harvey's completed and Rhetoric begun.

Bookkeeping.—Meservey's Single Entry, completed in two terms.

Latin.—First Latin Book, Collar & Daniell.

Reading, Writing and Spelling as general exercises.

Music, Drawing, Rhetoricals and Composition work throughout the department.

#### TENTH YEAR.

Algebra.—Greenleaf's New Elementary, through quadratic equations.

Rhetoric.—Lockwood's, completed.



Physical Geography.—Butler's, one-half year.  
 Botany.—How Plants Grow, Gray, one-half year.  
 Latin.—Cæsar, Allen & Greenough.

## ELEVENTH YEAR.

Geometry.—Wentworth's Plane.  
 English History.—Montgomery's, Dickens' Child's History  
 of England.  
 American Literature.—Masterpieces of American Literature.  
 English Literature.—Masterpieces of British Literature.  
 Zoölogy.—To be determined.  
 Latin.—Cicero.  
 French.—Edgren's Grammar, Super's Reader.

## TWELFTH YEAR.

Physics.—Avery's, Gage's, Carhart's and Chute's.  
 General History.—Myer's.  
 Astronomy.—Astronomy by Observation, Bowen.  
 Civics.—Dole's American Citizen.  
 Geology.—First Book of Geology, Shaler.  
 French.—Selected.  
 Latin.—Virgil, Greenough & Kittredge's.  
 Music.—Loomis, Glee and Chorus Book.  
 German may be taken in place of French.

To receive diploma four studies must be taken each year.

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**FINANCIAL REPORT**

OF WALPOLE TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

FROM FEB. 15, 1899, TO FEB. 22, 1900.

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## EXPENDITURES.

|                            |          |
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| Deficiency at last report, | \$222 65 |
| Floating order,            | 28 00    |
| Orders drawn current year: |          |

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|---|-------------|
| Wages of teachers, including board,                         | \$4,674 75  |
| Fuel,   | 421 67      |
| Conveying and mileage,                                      | 608 60      |
| Miscellaneous items,  | 969 26      |
| Special expenditures on high school building,               | 1,754 30    |
| On schoolhouse in Division 6,                               | 49 47       |
| Tuition of No. Walpole pupils at Bellows Falls high school, | 247 00      |
| Note and interest at Walpole Savings Bank,                  | 1,078 00    |
|   | <hr/>       |
|   | \$10,053 70 |

## RECEIPTS.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Town appropriation,   | \$5,500 00 |
| District appropriation,   | 1,500 00   |
| Literary fund,  | 314 07     |
| Dog tax,  | 187 53     |
| Loan Walpole Savings Bank, voted for repairs on high school building and schoolhouse in Division 6, | 1,200 00   |
| For tuition of No. Walpole pupils at Bellows Falls high school,                                     | 250 00     |
| Tuitions, Mrs. W. H. Cole, \$9, A. M. Elwell, \$6,  | 15 00      |
| S. D. Tinker, \$4.50, Albert Clough, \$2,   | 6 50       |
| Town of Langdon, \$10, town of Alstead, \$10.25,  | 20 25      |
| E. A. Keep, wood from Division 9,   | 3 25       |
| Windows from high school building,  | 7 10       |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$9,003 70 |
| Deficiency,   | 1,050 00   |
| Due for tuition,  | 29 00      |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$1,021 00 |

## TEACHERS.

## SPRING TERM.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Geo. O. Smith, high school, Division 1, 11 weeks,     | \$193 50   |
| Blanche S. Griffin, grammar, Division 1, 11 weeks,    | 132 00     |
| Gertrude Jameson, intermediate, Division 1, 11 weeks, | 99 00      |
| Carrie L. Wightman, primary, Division 1, 11 weeks,    | 99 00      |
| Lizzie M. Maynard, music, Division 1, 11 weeks,       | 13 75      |
| W. E. Riley, North Walpole, 11 weeks,                 | 165 00     |
| Mary Cotter, North Walpole, 11 weeks,                 | 110 00     |
| Nellie A. Clarety, North Walpole, 11 weeks,           | 99 00      |
| Mary Haggerty, North Walpole, 11 weeks,               | 77 00      |
| Rebecca O'Connell, North Walpole, 11 weeks,           | 77 00      |
| Lillian M. Conole, North Walpole, 11 weeks,           | 77 00      |
| Katharine H. Delehanty, North Walpole, 10 weeks,      | 70 00      |
| Helen M. Guild, Division 3, 11 weeks,                 | 71 50      |
| Lucy F. Brewin, Division 6, 11 weeks,                 | 71 50      |
| Bertha E. Barber, Division 12, 10 weeks,              | 70 00      |
| Alice L. Burbank, Division 13, 11 weeks,              | 82 50      |
| Mara A. Laws, Division 14, 11 weeks,                  | 77 00      |
|   | \$1,584 75 |

## FALL TERM.

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Geo. O. Smith, high school, Division 1, 13 weeks,     | \$227 50 |
| Clarissa Griffin, grammar, Division 1, 13 weeks,      | 130 00   |
| Alice L. Burbank, intermediate, Division 1, 13 weeks, | 117 00   |
| Carrie L. Wightman, primary, Division 1, 13 weeks,    | 117 00   |
| Lizzie M. Maynard, music, Division 1, 13 weeks,       | 16 50    |
| W. E. Riley, North Walpole, 15 weeks,                 | 225 00   |
| Mary T. O'Connor, North Walpole, 15 weeks,            | 150 00   |
| Nellie A. Clarety, North Walpole, 15 weeks,           | 135 00   |
| Mary Haggerty, North Walpole, 15 weeks,               | 105 00   |
| Rebecca O'Connell, North Walpole, 15 weeks,           | 105 00   |
| Lillian M. Conole, North Walpole, 15 weeks,           | 105 00   |
| Genevieve B. Costello, North Walpole, 15 weeks,       | 105 00   |
| Bertha Wales, Division 3, 15 weeks,                   | 97 50    |



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| Alice Kingsbury, Division 6, 14 weeks, | \$91 00    |
| M. A. Currier, Division 12, 15 weeks,  | 135 00     |
| L. S. Tuxbury, Division 13, 14 weeks,  | 98 00      |
| Mara A. Laws, Division 14, 15 weeks,   | 105 00     |
|  | <hr/>      |
|  | \$2,064 50 |

## WINTER TERM.

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Geo. O. Smith, high school, Division 1, balance<br>of year's salary, | \$179 00   |
| Clarissa Griffin, grammar, Division 1, 8 weeks,                      | 80 00      |
| Alice L. Burbank, intermediate, Division 1, 8<br>weeks,              | 72 00      |
| Carrie L. Wightman, primary, Division 1, 8<br>weeks,                 | 72 00      |
| Lizzie M. Maynard, 8 weeks,  | 12 00      |
| W. E. Riley, North Walpole, 6 weeks,                                 | 90 00      |
| Mary T. O'Connor, North Walpole, 6 weeks,                            | 60 00      |
| Nellie A. Clarety, North Walpole, 6 weeks,                           | 54 00      |
| Mary Haggerty, North Walpole, 6 weeks,                               | 42 00      |
| Rebecca O'Connell, North Walpole, 6 weeks,                           | 42 00      |
| Lillian M. Conole, North Walpole, 6 weeks,                           | 42 00      |
| Genevieve B. Costello, North Walpole, 6 weeks,                       | 42 00      |
| Bertha Wales, Division 3, 6 weeks,                                   | 39 00      |
| Alice Kingsbury, Division 6, 7 weeks,                                | 45 50      |
| M. A. Currier, Division 12, 7 weeks,                                 | 63 00      |
| Lizzie A. Turkington, Division 13, 7 weeks,                          | 49 00      |
| Phenie Jones, Division 14, 6 weeks,                                  | 42 00      |
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|  | \$1,025 50 |

## FUEL.

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|---|---------|
| H. W. Jewett, wood, Divisions 3 and 12,   | \$14 06 |
| C. A. Jefts, wood, Division 14,           | 2 25    |
| W. G. Leonard, wood, Divisions 13 and 14, | 25 00   |
| E. T. Stevens, wood, Division 6,          | 10 46   |
| W. H. Kiniry, wood, North Walpole,        | 10 15   |
| W. H. Kiniry, coal, North Walpole,        | 227 43  |

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| L. G. & C. E. Howard, coal, North Walpole, | \$23 79  |
| N. W. Holland, coal, Division 1,           | 96 53    |
| David Mann, wood, Division 13,             | 2 50     |
| H. E. Putnam, wood, Division 12,           | 7 00     |
| J. H. Jennison, wood, Division 13,         | 2 50     |
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|  | \$421 67 |

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MILEAGE AND CONVEYANCE.

|  |          |
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| Mileage and conveyance to sundry persons, spring term, | \$239 80 |
| Mileage and conveyance to sundry persons, fall term,   | 250 00   |
| Mileage and conveyance to sundry persons, winter term, | 118 80   |
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|  | \$608 60 |

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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| N. W. Holland, 8 M shingles, Division 10,               | \$14 00 |
| C. H. Hathaway, moving furniture to Division 6,         | 1 50    |
| A. Donnelly, blackboards,                               | 22 52   |
| J. B. Beckley, janitor, Division 1, spring term,        | 44 00   |
| C. B. Perry & Sons, insurance, North Walpole,           | 107 00  |
| J. E. Allen, assessment, Cheshire County Insurance Co., | 70 95   |
| Chase Furniture Co., curtains for North Walpole,        | 3 45    |
| M. H. & A. W. Ray, table and chairs, North Walpole,     | 14 75   |
| Mara E. Laws, janitor, Division 14, spring term,        | 2 00    |
| Michael O'Connor, janitor, spring term, No. Walpole,    | 60 00   |
| Norwood & Field, sundries, North Walpole,               | 14 04   |
| Geo. B. Allbee, sundries, North Walpole,                | 11 42   |
| Bodine & Davis, sundries, North Walpole,                | 1 80    |
| James Hayes, labor, North Walpole,                      | 5 00    |
| W. C. Belknap, reward in Bellows Falls Times,           | 2 80    |

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| Bucknam & Wetherbee, work on old building at<br>North Walpole,   | \$197 50 |
| Joseph Corcoran, cash paid for cleaning, No. Walpole,            | 19 00    |
| J. B. Beckley, janitor, Division 1, 4 weeks,                     | 16 00    |
| Geo. R. Jennison, mowing school grounds,                         | 2 00     |
| Norwood & Field, 2 water coolers, Division 1,                    | 7 00     |
| Norwood & Field, 2 water coolers and sundries,<br>North Walpole, | 13 99    |
| Bodine & Davis, sundries, North Walpole,                         | 15 26    |
| J. G. Bellows, insurance, Division 12,                           | 10 00    |
| Almyr Greene, tuning organ, high school,                         | 3 00     |
| Lucius Howe, janitor, Division 1, fall term,                     | 36 00    |
| M. A. Laws, janitor, Division 14, fall term,                     | 3 75     |
| Edward Tole, janitor, North Walpole, 15 weeks,                   | 90 00    |
| Edward Tole, 2 weeks extra work,                                 | 12 00    |
| Bodine & Davis, sundries, North Walpole,                         | 2 21     |
| James Barrett, sundries, North Walpole,                          | 7 26     |
| Perry & Porter, sundries,  | 3 29     |
| C. B. Mellish, labor, Division 12,                               | 1 50     |
| H. E. Putnam, telephone,   | 1 65     |
| Mrs. S. A. Donnegan, cleaning, Division 3,                       | 2 00     |
| C. W. Cross, janitor, Division 3, and extra work,                | 3 50     |
| C. L. Buswell, 1 broom,  | 35       |
| Freight on blackboard,   | 82       |
| Willie Burnell, janitor, Division 12, spring term,               | 2 00     |
| Mrs. C. B. Mellish, cleaning Division 12,                        | 2 50     |
| Willard Newton, fence posts, Division 12,                        | 56       |
| Arthur Putnam, wire fence, Division 12,                          | 8 81     |
| H. E. Putnam, broom,   | 30       |
| C. B. Mellish, labor, Division 12,                               | 6 22     |
| Carting posts,   | 30       |
| C. H. Buswell, water pail,                                       | 25       |
| Edward Tole, janitor, winter term, North Walpole,                | 36 00    |
| Lucius Howe, janitor, Division 1,                                | 32 00    |
| Earl Stevens, work, Division 13,                                 | 1 00     |
| C. E. Beckwith, repairing stove, Division 12,                    | 1 00     |
| C. B. Mellish, sawing wood, Division 12,                         | 1 12     |
| Helen M. Guild, janitor, Division 3, spring term,                | 2 00     |



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| Freight on blackboards, furniture and lumber,                    | \$5 27   |
| Eugene Mann, janitor, spring term, Division 13,                  | 2 00     |
| C. W. Morse, sundries,   | 1 05     |
| M. H. & A. W. Ray, repairing windows, North<br>Walpole,          | 1 00     |
| Eugene Mann, janitor, fall term, Division 13,                    | 2 00     |
| E. G. Tole, cleaning, North Walpole,                             | 3 50     |
| Norwood & Field, glass, putty, etc., North Wal-<br>pole,         | 1 41     |
| Bodine & Davis, grate and work on stove, North<br>Walpole,       | 3 40     |
| Telephone,   | 15       |
| F. A. Spaulding, sundries,                                       | 3 07     |
| L. S. Howe, extra labor,   | 3 45     |
| 1 bristle broom,   | 1 75     |
| Mica for stove, and labor,                                       | 50       |
| Axe,   | 75       |
| C. W. Cross, janitor, Division 3, winter term,                   | 1 50     |
| C. C. Davis, sundries,   | 3 23     |
| John Weber, sundries,  | 75       |
| W. D. Knowlton, repairing clock, etc.,                           | 1 50     |
| Carl Smith, cutting irons,                                       | 50       |
| Expenses to Keene,   | 1 45     |
| Typewriting specifications,                                      | 1 02     |
| Expressage, printing and postage,                                | 4 34     |
| Fred Roy, janitor, Division 6, spring, fall and<br>winter terms, | 4 80     |
| Fred Roy, cutting wood,  | 50       |
| Eugene Mann, janitor, Division 13, winter term,                  | 1 50     |
| Donald Houghton, janitor, Division 14, winter<br>term,           | 1 50     |
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|  | \$969 26 |

#### REPAIRS ON HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| G. A. Gordon, repairs as per contract, | \$1,255 00 |
| Bodine & Davis, furnaces,              | 270 00     |

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|---|------------|
| J. B. Bartlett, concrete gutters,         | \$34 00    |
| O. D. Case & Co., furniture,              | 62 95      |
| Dean & Rice, painting,                    | 61 00      |
| J. B. Beckley, labor,                     | 31 75      |
| Chas. Hathaway, labor, self and team,     | 13 37      |
| C. M. Russell, labor,                     | 9 45       |
| H. J. Watkins, labor,                     | 2 35       |
| Geo. H. Holden, labor,                    | 2 75       |
| Hardware,                                 | 6 45       |
| W. G. Barnett, stone posts for bulkhead,  | 3 00       |
| E. K. Seabury, 1 stone post for bulkhead, | 75         |
| Wire netting for cellar windows,          | 1 48       |
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|   | \$1,754 30 |

REPAIRS ON SCHOOLHOUSE IN DIVISION 6.

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| S. W. Stuart, lumber,                   | \$8 00  |
| L. G. & C. E. Howard, lime, hair, etc., | 4 65    |
| James Selkirk, labor,                   | 18 00   |
| C. M. Russell, repairing walls,         | 5 75    |
| J. F. Graves, painting and papering,    | 8 75    |
| Wm. F. Brooks, whitewashing,            | 1 50    |
| Dean & Rice, paper,                     | 1 62    |
| F. A. Spaulding, nails,                 | 1 20    |
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|   | \$49 47 |

ELISHA A. KEEP,  
HENRY E. PUTNAM,  
JOHN W. CAHALANE,  
CHARLES J. O'NEIL,  
CHARLES H. BARNES,  
School Board.

## REPORT OF TREASURER

OF WALPOLE TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Paid out:

|                             |             |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Deficiency at last report,  | \$222 65    |
| Floating order,             | 28 00       |
| Orders drawn, current year, | 9,791 05    |
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|                             | \$10,041 70 |

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| Total amount received (see report of school board<br>for specified items), | \$9,003 70  |
| Deficiency,  | 1,038 00    |
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|  | \$10,041 70 |

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| Due the treasury, Feb. 22, 1900, | \$1,038 00 |
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C. H. BARNES,  
Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the school board and treasurer of the town school district for the past year, and have found them properly vouched and correctly cast.

THOMAS B. PECK,  
Auditor.

Walpole, N. H., Feb. 26, 1900.

## MARCH 1, 1900.—ESTIMATES FOR NEXT YEAR.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| For support of schools,                       | \$6,000 00 |
| For payment of district notes and deficiency, | 2,600 00   |
| For general repairs,                          | 200 00     |
| For school supplies,                          | 600 00     |



REPORT OF  
COMMITTEE ON THE TOWN LIBRARY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1900.

*To the Selectmen:*

The whole number of volumes now on the catalogue is 7,098, of which 281 have been added during the past year. Of these 121 have been purchased with the annual appropriation, and 160 have been presented by various donors, to whom the town is much indebted for their liberal gifts.

The whole number of volumes taken out in 1899, was 8,966, divided as follows:

|                       |       |
|-----------------------|-------|
| Main library,         | 7,877 |
| Drewsville branch,    | 245   |
| North Walpole branch, | 844   |

The increase in circulation from 1898 was 500, mainly in the central library. The number of persons visiting and using the library and reading room in 1899 was 9,043, an increase of 866 over the previous year. As indicated by these figures, the use of the library and reading room, and the circulation of books are steadily increasing from year to year. The usefulness of the library to the town, and its appreciation by our citizens, and by visitors and temporary residents are thus made evident in the most practical manner. At the same time, the cost of maintaining the library is but little more than when its use was much more limited.

The year has been marked by the gift, by Mr. Chandler Robbins, of the Waverley Novels in 25 volumes, and the complete works of Charles Dickens in 20 volumes. The edition of the Waverley Novels belonging to the library had become much defaced, while the scattered volumes of Dickens's works were many of them soiled and worn by long use, and almost unfit for circulation. The gift of these choice new editions, well printed and illustrated, is not the least of Mr. Robbins's many benefactions to the library.

The supply of periodicals in the reading room has been maintained by gifts and by the annual subscriptions to the magazine fund without encroaching upon the annual appropriation. The following periodicals are now regularly taken: Harper's, Atlantic, Scribner's, Cosmopolitan, Outing, New England, Review of Reviews, McClure's, St. Nicholas, The Critic, Granite Monthly, Illustrated London News, Life, Judge, Puck and Walpole Gazette. Henry G. Wheelock of New York, also contributes the Century, Longman's and the Strand; Mrs. G. F. Tower, the Outlook; Mrs. Mary Schultz, Harper's Weekly and the Bookbuyer; and John W. Keyes, M. D., of Boston, the Christian Science Sentinel. Elliott's Magazine, devoted to cycling and good roads, is sent regularly by the publishers.

The collection of native birds has been increased by the gift of a henhawk, handsomely mounted, from Miss Alice Smith. Mrs. D. W. C. Ordway has also presented a henhawk in memory of her son Clinton, to whom it belonged. Mrs. James L. Mitchell has given a case of humming birds and has also loaned a valuable case of stereoscopic views. Charles P. Howland has presented an engraved portrait of Paul Revere, a companion to the portrait of Isaiah Thomas, presented by him a year ago. Two more of the rare volumes, published in Walpole about one hundred years ago, have been discovered, and have been presented by the owners and placed in the cabinet.

The somewhat larger appropriation made by the town a year ago has justified a more liberal policy in the pur-

chase of new books, and the committee recommend the appropriation of the same amount (\$400) for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

|                               |                        |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| HUDSON E. BRIDGE, chairman,   | MRS. HUDSON E. BRIDGE, |
| THOMAS B. PECK, sec., treas., | MRS. A. P. RICHARDSON, |
| JOSIAH G. BELLOWS,            | MRS. ALFRED M. FOSTER, |
| PATRICK E. GRIFFIN,           | MISS FRANCES M. SABIN, |
| HENRY E. PUTNAM,              | MISS MARY A. TOBEY,    |
|                               | Library Committee.     |

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#### LIST OF DONORS.

|                                 |    |
|---------------------------------|----|
| American Unitarian Association, | 1  |
| Mrs. Copley Amory,              | 2  |
| Geo. W. Armstrong,              | 1  |
| Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Barnett,     | 2  |
| Pay Director Edward Bellows,    | 2  |
| Mrs. E. P. Bond,                | 7  |
| Mrs. F. A. Carpenter,           | 2  |
| William R. Davis,               | 3  |
| Miss Nellie Driscoll,           | 2  |
| Mrs. Mary H. Ela,               | 1  |
| Arthur E. Guild,                | 1  |
| Mrs. Oliver Martin,             | 7  |
| Meadville Theological School,   | 1  |
| Mrs. James L. Mitchell,         | 3  |
| N. H. Railroad Commission,      | 7  |
| New Hampshire, State of,        | 3  |
| B. P. Owen,                     | 2  |
| Miss Anna C. Ray,               | 2  |
| Reading Room Fund,              | 20 |
| Dr. A. P. Richardson,           | 2  |
| Chandler Robbins,               | 45 |
| Rear-Admiral H. B. Robeson,     | 1  |
| Miss F. M. Sabin,               | 1  |
| Mrs. Emma J. Schultz,           | 5  |



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| Mrs. Lucy Schultz, | 7     |
| U. S. Departments, | 21    |
| Henry G. Wheelock, | 6     |
| Mrs. Anna Wright,  | 3     |
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|                    | 160   |

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
MARCH 1, 1900.

RECEIPTS.

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Annual appropriation,    | \$400 00 |
| Fines and rent of books, | 27 00    |
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|                          | \$427 00 |

PAYMENTS.

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| Balance due treasurer, March 1, 1899,    | \$18 92  |
| Binding and repairing books,             | 32 60    |
| William Sibley and L. S. Howe, janitors, | 32 50    |
| Express and postage,                     | 7 10     |
| Care of building and grounds,            | 19 80    |
| Printing and miscellaneous,              | 7 80     |
| Miss Frances M. Sabin, librarian,        | 126 90   |
| Expenses of branch at North Walpole,     | 15 34    |
| Paper for covering books,                | 5 28     |
| Oil, etc.,                               | 16 75    |
| Books,                                   | 131 47   |
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|  | \$414 46 |
| Balance on hand March 1, 1900,           | \$12 54  |

CARD CATALOGUE ACCOUNT.

|                                 |         |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| Balance on hand March 1, 1899,  | \$27 43 |
| Paid for 2,000 catalogue cards, | 6 00    |
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| Balance on hand,                | \$21 43 |

THOMAS B. PECK,  
Treasurer of Library Committee.

REPORT OF  
WALPOLE CEMETERY COMMITTEE,  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1900.

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*To the Selectmen :*

The usual care has been bestowed upon the village cemetery during the past year. The special lots have been cared for with the income from the funds left for that purpose. During the past year the income from the fund of one hundred dollars, presented by the children of Leonard B. Holland, for the care of the Dr. Abraham Holland lot in the old cemetery, has become available. By the will of the late Mrs. Lucius P. Booth, we understand that a fund was bequeathed to the town for the care of the Booth lot in the new cemetery. As soon as this fund is received, the lot will be properly graded and put in good condition. A fund of one hundred dollars has been paid in during the past year, to be known as the "Matthew Dickey fund," the income to be used in the care of the Dickey lot in the old cemetery. By the decrease in the rate of interest the income of the funds has been somewhat diminished, but the same attention as usual will be paid to the lots.

The work of gravelling the long driveways in the level part of the new cemetery was completed last summer. This work was begun in 1893 and has been carried on so gradually that the expense has not been large in any single year. As a result, all of these driveways have been graded, the edges straightened, and the general appearance of the cemetery has become far neater and more orderly. The annual expense of keeping the drives in order hereafter will be very small. All of the gravel has been

screened and brought from "Cobb's brook" in Westminster, and, being of good quality, has packed well and made good walks as well as roads. The entire expense of gravelling since 1893 has been about \$300.00. The road leading from the highway past the Lucke lot to the Bellows monument is in a bad condition, and will require considerable outlay this year to make it safe. After this work is done, it is hoped that the path running north and south along the hillside can be widened and improved so as to be made available for carriages, and thus open a large number of good lots which are not now easily reached.

Seven lots in the new cemetery were assigned by the committee during the year 1899 to residents of the town applying for them. There were 26 burials in the village cemetery in 1899. Of these 18 were residents of Walpole and eight were of former residents who died out of town and were brought here for burial. Three persons, who died in town, were taken to other towns for burial.

For the first time in many years the town bell has been tolled for deceased persons, excepting when relatives have requested that it be omitted. The expense has been paid from the appropriation for the cemetery. As far as the committee have been able to learn, this revival of an old custom of our fathers is generally approved by our people as a proper recognition of those who are taken from us, and as tending to create and preserve a bond of sympathy in the community which may be regarded as in one sense a common family.

The cemetery has been well cared for during the past year by John E. Proctor, who has taken pains to keep it in a condition creditable to the town and to make it attractive to the many persons who visit it during the summer season.

The hearse house of the Drewsville cemetery requires slating and some repairs in the coming year.

The usual appropriation of two hundred dollars is recommended.



## RECEIPTS.

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| From town orders,                                     | \$128 00 |
| From T. B. Buffum, treasurer, income Livingston fund, | 10 65    |
| T. B. Buffum, treasurer, income Plaistredge fund,     | 7 10     |
| T. B. Buffum, treasurer, income Kilburn fund,         | 3 55     |
| T. B. Buffum, treasurer, income Lucke fund,           | 15 97    |
| T. B. Buffum, treasurer, income Allen fund,           | 7 10     |
| T. B. Buffum, treasurer, income Holland fund,         | 1 17     |
|   | \$173 54 |

## PAYMENTS.

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| Burr Index Co.,                            | \$4 50   |
| H. C. Towne, care Carpenter Hill cemetery, | 3 00     |
| W. A. & W. H. Colburn,                     | 50       |
| Geo. Baker, labor,                         | 5 25     |
| J. E. Proctor, salary,                     | 80 00    |
| J. E. Proctor, labor and fertilizer,       | 36 15    |
| W. L. Kilburn, labor, drawing gravel,      | 15 75    |
| C. E. Belden, care Drewsville cemetery,    | 3 00     |
| I. W. Felch, tolling bell,                 | 6 00     |
| E. K. Seabury, planks,                     | 1 77     |
| C. C. Davis, flowers,                      | 5 85     |
| Cash in hands of committee,                | 11 77    |
|  | \$173 54 |

In the above is included the expense of caring for the lots for the maintenance of which the town holds trust funds, and the amounts expended on these has been as follows:

|                  | Amount expended. | Income. | Expended by town<br>over income. |
|------------------|------------------|---------|----------------------------------|
| Livingston lot,  | \$1 85           | \$10 65 |                                  |
| Plaistredge lot, | 1 85             | 7 10    |                                  |
| Kilburn lot,     | 3 20             | 3 55    | \$1 75                           |
| Lucke lot,       | 4 00             | 15 97   | 20 28                            |
| Allen lot,       | 2 10             | 7 10    |                                  |
| Holland lot,     | 2 10             | 1 77    | 33                               |

The balance of income from trust funds, not required for the care of the lots, has been expended in the general care and improvement of the cemetery.

J. G. BELLOWS,  
T. B. PECK,  
T. N. HASTINGS,  
Committee.

## REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

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### VALUATION OF THE TOWN OF WALPOLE AS APPRAISED BY THE SELECTMEN, APRIL 1, 1899, FOR THE PURPOSE OF TAXATION.

|  |                |
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| Valuation of real estate,  | \$1,220,803 00 |
| 718 polls,   | 71,800 00      |
| 642 horses,  | 32,243 00      |
| 48 oxen,   | 3,238 00       |
| 1,278 cows,  | 38,218 00      |
| 291 other neat stock,  | 6,339 00       |
| 2,100 sheep,   | 4,762 00       |
| 50 hogs,   | 254 00         |
| 248 fowls,   | 124 00         |
| Carriages,   | 15,306 00      |
| Value of stock in banks and other corporations<br>in this state, | 32,324 00      |
| Value of stock in corporations out of state,                     | 14,250 00      |
| Surplus capital of banking institutions,                         | 3,400 00       |
| Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit,                       | 100,080 00     |
| Value of stock in trade,   | 41,916 00      |
| Value of toll bridges, etc.,                                     | 14,700 00      |
|  | \$1,599,757 00 |

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### TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE FOLLOWING APPROPRIATIONS.

|             |            |
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| State tax,  | \$2,873 00 |
| County tax, | 2,842 83   |



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| Deficiency of last year,               | \$2,464 99  |
| Town paupers,                          | 2,000 00    |
| Highways and bridges,                  | 4,000 00    |
| Town officers and contingent expenses, | 3,500 00    |
| Old snow bills,                        | 500 00      |
| Police and tramps,                     | 300 00      |
| Cemeteries,                            | 200 00      |
| Library,                               | 400 00      |
| Interest on town debt,                 | 400 00      |
| Town debt,                             | 1,000 00    |
| Schools,                               | 5,500 00    |
| School supplies,                       | 600 00      |
| Discount on taxes,                     | 1,000 00    |
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|  | \$27,580 82 |

SPECIAL TAXES ASSESSED.

|                              |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Walpole village district,    | \$1,178 18 |
| Town school district,        | 1,500 00   |
| North Walpole fire precinct, | 1,400 00   |
|                              | <hr/>      |
|                              | \$4,078 18 |

ORDERS DRAWN FOR TOWN OFFICERS.

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| William H. Kiniry, selectman, 1898,         | \$166 66 |
| Geo. W. Kingsbury, selectman, 1898,         | 166 66   |
| Ira W. Ramsay, selectman, 1898,             | 166 66   |
| J. W. Cahalane, member school board,        | 25 00    |
| E. A. Keep, member school board,            | 50 00    |
| Chas. H. Barnes, member school board,       | 25 00    |
| Joseph Corcoran, member school board,       | 25 00    |
| H. E. Putnam, member school board,          | 25 00    |
| A. P. Richardson, town clerk,               | 50 00    |
| Lucius Wellington, member school board,     | 10 00    |
| John J. Fitzgerald, inspector of elections, | 4 00     |
| Frank W. Pratt, member school board,        | 25 00    |
| T. B. Buffum, treasurer,                    | 50 00    |

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| E. M. Holden,                                | \$2 00   |
| J. W. Prentiss, moderator,                   | 5 00     |
| Wm. J. King, inspector of elections,         | 6 00     |
| N. W. Holland, collector of taxes,           | 75 00    |
| LeRoy A. Newton, services board of health,   | 29 85    |
| Chett Robb, services board of health,        | 3 00     |
| H. E. Putnam, services board health,         | 2 00     |
| C. J. O'Neal, services board of health,      | 15 00    |
| H. A. Perry, dept. collector taxes, 1896-97, | 15 00    |
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|  | \$941 83 |

## TOWN HALL.

## Amount paid out:

|                                      |          |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| E. K. Seabury, grates for furnace,   | \$9 75   |
| Chas. Hatherway, moving ashes,       | 2 70     |
| C. W. Chickering, labor,             | 141 10   |
| Ella J. Bond, labor,                 | 1 25     |
| N. W. Holland, coal,                 | 81 37    |
| C. L. Farr, labor,                   | 3 30     |
| Wm. F. Bellows, labor,               | 9 00     |
| W. D. Knowlton & Co.,                | 1 75     |
| Bodine & Davis, repairs on furnaces, | 54 06    |
| Perry & Porter, bill, oil, etc.,     | 28 61    |
|                                      | <hr/>    |
|                                      | \$332 89 |

## Amount received for rent of town hall:

1899.

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| Mar. 4. Kennette Gramophone exhibition, | \$5 00 |
| Mar. 17. Masquerade ball,               | 7 00   |
| Apr. 21. Walpole grange, 7 nights,      | 14 00  |
| July Social dance,                      | 5 00   |
| July 13. Social dance,                  | 7 00   |
| Aug. 15. Walpole grange,                | 18 00  |
| Aug. 18. Dramatic and dance,            | 8 00   |
| Aug. 29. Illustrated lecture,           | 2 00   |
| Oct. 26. Firemen's ball,                | 5 00   |

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|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----------|
| Dec. 5.                       | Walpole grange,           | \$14 00  |
| Dec. 7.                       | Dancing school, 6 nights, | 30 00    |
|                               | Assembly,                 | 5 00     |
| Dec. 18.                      | Assembly,                 | 5 00     |
| 1900.                         |                           |          |
| Jan. 1.                       | Assembly,                 | 5 00     |
| Jan. 26.                      | Beedle's dance,           | 7 00     |
| Feb. 1.                       | Social dance,             | 2 00     |
| Feb. 6.                       | Walpole grange,           | 10 00    |
| Feb. 15.                      | Social dance,             | 2 00     |
|                               |                           | <hr/>    |
|                               |                           | \$151 00 |
| Expense of town hall to town, |                           | \$181 87 |

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TOWN PAUPERS.

Thomas O'Brien, from Sept. 1:

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Ira S. Hubbard, rent,                         | \$35 00 |
| Perry & Porter, groceries,                    | 105 13  |
| C. T. Kenrick, meat,                          | 55 42   |
| N. W. Holland, coal,                          | 15 38   |
| C. W. Morse, repairs on stove,                | 6 05    |
| Annette Brown, milk,                          | 14 85   |
| E. K. Seabury, wood,                          | 10 50   |
| H. E. Wells, fish,                            | 11 24   |
| T. H. O'Connor, medical attendance,           | 45 00   |
| Town of Walpole, medicine for O'Brien family, | 12 00   |
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| \$310 57                                      |         |

George Gassett:

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| E. J. Guillow, board and care, | \$124 13 |
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Mrs. Joseph Sullivan:

|                                       |         |
|---------------------------------------|---------|
| James Cane, rent,                     | \$42 00 |
| James Barrett, goods,                 | 11 66   |
| By town orders,                       | 275 00  |
| Dr. J. T. Rudden, medical attendance, | 3 50    |
| <hr/>                                 |         |
| \$332 16                              |         |

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|---|----------|
| Andrew Webber:  |          |
| N. H. Asylum,   | \$159 20 |
| L. D. Pressy:   |          |
| E. J. Fuller, hay,  | \$8 00   |
| J. E. Proctor, digging grave and hearse,                  | 5 50     |
| H. C. Rogers, board and care,                             | 21 00    |
| William J. Hall, casket,                                  | 25 50    |
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|   | \$60 00  |
| Received from L. D. Pressy estate, to balance<br>account, | \$60 00  |
| Mrs. D. Cahill:   |          |
| S. J. Cray, meat,   | \$31 47  |
| James Barrett, rent,                                      | 18 00    |
| James Barrett, groceries,                                 | 83 95    |
| A. W. Taylor, milk,                                       | 5 35     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, wood and coal,                             | 22 05    |
| Moving,   | 1 65     |
|   | <hr/>    |
|   | \$162 48 |
| Samuel Cochran:   |          |
| Alice M. Smith, board and care,                           | \$126 00 |
| Mary Stone:   |          |
| H. E. Putnam, aid,  | \$5 10   |
| Mrs. Geo. Young, board and care,                          | 22 50    |
| B. F. Brown, board and care,                              | 68 85    |
| Sarah Wilder, board and care,                             | 44 30    |
| J. C. Day, clothing,                                      | 5 00     |
| C. L. Buswell, goods,                                     | 5 83     |
| Prentiss & Marvin, shoes,                                 | 1 00     |
| Mrs. Vittum, clothing,                                    | 2 45     |
| H. O. Webster, medicine,                                  | 7 65     |
| R. H. Oliver, medical attendance,                         | 16 25    |
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|   | \$178 93 |
| Morrisey children:  |          |
| John Crosby, board and care,                              | \$72 00  |
| Mrs. Patrick Crosby, board and care,                      | 60 00    |
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|   | \$132 00 |



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| David Griffin:                                   |          |
| H. A. Perry, conveying D. Griffin to Concord,    | \$12 61  |
| N. H. Asylum,                                    | 161 59   |
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|  | \$174 20 |
| Wm. Shehan:                                      |          |
| Cheshire county, board,                          | \$70 10  |
| Arthur Nash:                                     |          |
| State Industrial School,                         | \$51 64  |
| Patrick Murray and wife:                         |          |
| N. W. Holland, grain,                            | \$2 20   |
| Ira W. Ramsay, moving Mrs. Murray,               | 2 00     |
| Henry G. Tuttle, board and care,                 | 67 50    |
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|  | \$71 70  |
| David Harty:                                     |          |
| H. A. Perry, conveying D. Harty to Concord,      | \$13 31  |
| N. H. Asylum,                                    | 85 76    |
| A. P. Richardson, examination,                   | 2 50     |
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|  | \$101 57 |
| <i>County papers</i>                             |          |
| Frank Adams:                                     |          |
| P. H. Conley, burial,                            | \$49 00  |
| March 1, by cash from Adams,                     | 5 00     |
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|  | \$44 00  |
| Susan A. Reed:                                   |          |
| H. P. Stevens, board and care,                   | \$61 50  |
| F. A. Spalding, goods,                           | 3 93     |
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|  | \$65 43  |
| Linus Willard:                                   |          |
| J. S. Hill, M. D.,                               | \$5 00   |
| John Crotty:                                     |          |
| J. T. Rudden, setting shoulder and care of same, | \$19 00  |
| Adams:   |          |
| W. H. Kiniry, wood,                              | \$6 00   |

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|---|----------|
| Mary Long:                              |          |
| W. H. Kiniry, coal,                     | \$3 22   |
| Mrs. Meaney:                            |          |
| W. H. Kiniry, wood and coal,            | \$10 75  |
| Mrs. Driscoll:                          |          |
| E. K. Seabury, board and care,          | \$57 00  |
| Carrie Tole:                            |          |
| H. E. Putnam, taking affidavit,         | 75       |
| Chas. Sheridan:                         |          |
| A. F. Nims, rent,                       | \$20 00  |
| Mrs. James Gallager:                    |          |
| By town orders,                         | \$153 00 |
| William H. Kiniry, wood and coal,       | 61 78    |
| L. G. & C. E. Howard,                   | 3 15     |
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|   | \$217 93 |
| Robert Butler:                          |          |
| G. W. Kingsbury, moving to county farm, | \$3 00   |

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TOWN LIQUOR AGENCY.

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Paid W. D. Knowlton, salary, | \$55 52  |
| Books,                       | 1 00     |
| Freight,                     | 87       |
| Stock on hand Feb. 8, 1899,  | 455 34   |
|                              | <hr/>    |
|                              | \$512 73 |
| Received for liquor sold,    | \$358 06 |
| Available assets,            | 63 00    |
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|                              | \$421 06 |

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BOOKS, STATIONERY AND PRINTING.

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Sentinel Printing Co., printing reports, | \$75 60 |
| Truax & Co., printing,                   | 5 25    |

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|---|----------|
| John A. Webber, printing,                         | \$27 23  |
| A. P. Richardson, books, stationery and printing, | 4 99     |
| G. H. Tilden, collector's book,                   | 3 75     |
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|   | \$116 82 |

## TOWN LIBRARY.

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Thomas B. Peck, drew,    | \$400 00 |
| Amount of appropriation, | 400 00   |

## SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS.

|                                      |         |
|--------------------------------------|---------|
| Ira S. Hubbard,                      | \$64 00 |
| G. W. Kingsbury, looking after same, | 1 60    |
| Ira W. Ramsay, looking after same,   | 3 20    |
|                                      | <hr/>   |
|                                      | \$68 80 |

## POLICE AND TRAMPS.

|                            | Police.  | Tramps. |
|----------------------------|----------|---------|
| H. F. Chandler,            | \$37 97  |         |
| Carl Smith,                | 16 00    |         |
| John H. Brown,             | 50 00    |         |
| Jerry Hogan,               | 50 00    |         |
| Fred Prentiss, tramp feed, |          | \$7 25  |
| Carl Smith,                |          | 5 75    |
| H. F. Chandler,            |          | 4 00    |
| Jerry Hogan,               |          | 16 00   |
| W. H. Kiniry,              |          | 7 00    |
| John H. Brown,             |          | 13 50   |
|                            | <hr/>    | <hr/>   |
|                            | \$153 97 | \$53 50 |

## WALPOLE VILLAGE DISTRICT SPECIAL TAX.

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| W. G. Barnett, treasurer, drew,        | \$1,178 18 |
| Special tax, Walpole village district, | 1,178 18   |

## NORTH WALPOLE FIRE PRECINCT SPECIAL TAX.

|                                 |            |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| P. E. Griffin, treasurer, drew, | \$1,400 00 |
| Special tax, No. Walpole,       | 1,400 00   |

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## ROAD AGENT.

|  |            |
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| Amount appropriated for roads and bridges, | \$4,000 00 |
| Amount appropriated for unpaid snow bills, | 500 00     |
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|  | \$4,500 00 |
| Amount drawn by John W. Prentiss,          | \$4,500 00 |

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## SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

|                                      |            |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| Appropriated for support of schools, | \$5,500 00 |
| Literary fund,                       | 314 07     |
| Balance dog money,                   | 187 53     |
|                                      | <hr/>      |
| C. H. Barnes, treasurer, drew,       | \$6,001 60 |
| Special tax for repairs,             | \$1,500 00 |
| C. H. Barnes, drew,                  | 1,500 00   |
| Appropriated for school supplies,    | \$600 00   |
| C. H. Barnes, treasurer, drew,       | 787 06     |
| Overdrawn,                           | \$187 06   |

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## CEMETERY.

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation,                     | \$200 00 |
| J. G. Bellows, treasurer, drew,    | 128 50   |
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| Amount of appropriation not drawn, | \$72 00  |



## MISCELLANEOUS.

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| A. P. Richardson, reporting births and deaths,    | \$6 15 |
| W. H. Kiniry, distributing reports,               | 1 50   |
| J. C. Day, blankets for lockup,                   | 2 00   |
| Ira W. Ramsay, express and postage on reports,    | 4 97   |
| W. H. Kiniry, expense to Keene,                   | 3 19   |
| John E. Allen, insurance assessment,              | 46 32  |
| D. W. Smith, distributing fish,                   | 3 00   |
| James Barrett, for No. Walpole lockup,            | 3 75   |
| J. W. Cahalane, enumerating scholars,             | 3 00   |
| W. G. Barnett, error in tax,                      | 5 85   |
| Walpole Savings Bank, interest on Credmore place, | 6 74   |
| Sarah A. Hill, abatement tax,                     | 72     |
| Alfred Knight, abatement tax,                     | 1 42   |
| J. W. Knight, abatement bank stock,               | 44 85  |
| A. F. Dennett, fire extinguishers,                | 27 00  |
| Martha Bandelle, abatement,                       | 19 50  |
| Jerry Hogan, collector's bond,                    | 15 00  |
| International Paper Co., abatement (1898),        | 130 80 |
| G. W. Kingsbury, telephone and postage,           | 1 62   |
| Mrs. Frank Copeland, abatement,                   | 1 60   |
| Frank J. Murray, abatement,                       | 1 60   |
| J. C. Howe, abatement,                            | 1 60   |
| Frank Copeland, abatement,                        | 32     |
| James Sullivan, abatement,                        | 2 64   |
| G. W. Kingsbury, expense to Keene,                | 1 50   |
| W. H. Kiniry, telephone, etc.,                    | 4 93   |
| Mrs. Matthew Toll, watering trough,               | 3 00   |
| Wm. Davis, abatement,                             | 5 64   |
| Daniel Relehan, abatement,                        | 9 40   |
| N. W. Holland, coal for library,                  | 52 03  |
| J. G. Bellows, insurance,                         | 55 50  |
| Edward Taggard, watering trough,                  | 3 00   |
| J. T. Thayer, abatement,                          | 42     |
| Caleb Foster, abatement bank stock,               | 4 80   |
| B. J. Riley, abatement,                           | 1 88   |
| D. Relehan estate, abatement,                     | 1 88   |

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| Kiniry Brothers, abatement,  | \$1 60 |
| Frank Griffin, abatement,  | 2 92   |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, coal for North Walpole lockup,                              | 8 24   |
| H. A. Perry, conveying prisoner to Keene,                                  | 6 60   |
| F. H. Watkins, abatement,  | 1 60   |
| James Barrett, to board health,  | 1 50   |
| James Barrett, delivered to W. H. Kiniry,                                  | 74     |
| N. W. Holland, discount on taxes, 1899,                                    | 895 39 |
| Fred A. Ramsay, wood for town,   | 4 00   |
| T. B. Buffum, abatement, Ross estate,                                      | 40 00  |
| John W. Hayward, abatement,  | 7 50   |
| Henry Fletcher, abatement,   | 3 07   |
| Dr. J. T. Rudden, reporting births and deaths,                             | 12 00  |
| Lucy R. Felch, watering trough,  | 3 00   |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, perambulating,  | 2 00   |
| G. W. Kingsbury, perambulating,  | 2 00   |
| Ira W. Ramsay, perambulating,  | 2 00   |
| Carl Smith, wood for lockup,   | 2 50   |
| Dr. Oliver, reporting births and deaths,                                   | 1 00   |
| G. S. Aldrich, setting stone posts on town line,                           | 1 00   |
| Leroy A. Newton, reporting births and deaths,                              | 2 50   |
| James Barrett, supplies lockup,  | 1 58   |
| Ira Colby, services, Brown case, Oct. and Apr.<br>term,                    | 60 00  |
| Dr. W. C. Matthews, reporting births and deaths,                           | 6 00   |
| F. A. Spaulding, shingle, nails, etc., brick shop,                         | 28 13  |
| A. F. Nims, rent, lockup,  | 30 00  |
| J. E. Proctor, breaking roads, cemetery,                                   | 3 45   |
| J. G. Bellows, retainer fees,  | 10 00  |
| J. G. Bellows, advice and pauper affidavits,                               | 10 00  |
| J. G. Bellows, term fee, Brown v. Walpole, Oct.<br>and Apr.,               | 16 00  |
| J. G. Bellows, cash paid on same,  | 5 13   |
| C. C. Davis, bill, telephoning, stationery, medi-<br>cine, etc.,           | 15 28  |
| A. P. Richardson, reporting births, deaths, mar-<br>riages, as town clerk, | 31 15  |

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| A. P. Richardson, reporting births, deaths, as physician,                                   | \$3 50     |
| N. W. Holland, abatement, 1898,   | 44 00      |
| H. H. Buswell, handcuffs,   | 2 50       |
| C. J. O'Neil, degenerator,  | 25 80      |
| C. J. O'Neil, affidavits,   | 3 00       |
| Bellows Falls village corporation,  | 15 00      |
| C. J. O'Neal, board health, fumigating, quarantine<br>61 cases scarlet fever, 2 diphtheria, | 38 50      |
| T. B. Buffum, treasurer, abatement, 1896 tax,   | 128 93     |
| T. B. Buffum, treasurer, abatement, 1897 tax,   | 74 87      |
| W. H. Kiniry, conveying paupers to Westmoreland,  | 86         |
| W. H. Kiniry, postage and revenue stamps,   | 3 56       |
| Jerry Hogan, abatement on taxes,  | 119 63     |
| Fred Prentiss, labor and lumber for brick shop,   | 24 83      |
| Jerry Hogan, discount on taxes, 1899,   | 416 12     |
| N. W. Holland, abatement, 1899 tax,   | 44 89      |
| F. H. O'Connor, M. D., reporting births and deaths,   | 1 50       |
| John W. Prentiss, due road agent,   | 132 65     |
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|   | \$2,777 14 |

### RECAPITULATION.

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Town officers,                  | \$941 83 |
| Town hall,                      | 332 89   |
| Town paupers,                   | 2,104 67 |
| County paupers,                 | 408 08   |
| Town agent, salary and freight, | 57 39    |
| Books, stationery and printing, | 116 82   |
| Town library,                   | 400 00   |
| Sheep killed by dogs,           | 68 80    |
| Police and tramps,              | 207 47   |
| Walpole village district,       | 1,178 18 |
| North Walpole fire district,    | 1,400 00 |
| Road agent,                     | 4,500 00 |
| Support of schools,             | 6,001 60 |

|                                    |             |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Special tax, town school district, | \$1,500 00  |
| School supplies,                   | 787 06      |
| Cemetery,                          | 128 00      |
| Miscellaneous,                     | 2,777 14    |
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|                                    | \$22,909 93 |

## CURRENT LIABILITIES.

|  |            |
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| Amount due treasurer,                                  | \$1,158 35 |
| Floating orders,                                       | 53 61      |
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|  | \$1,211 96 |
| Less uncollected taxes in hands of N. W. Hol-<br>land, | \$1,098 72 |
| C. J. O'Neil,  | 413 34     |
| J. Hogan,  | 112 20     |
| H. A. Perry,   | 5 72       |
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|  | \$1,629 98 |
|  | 1,211 96   |
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|  | \$418 02   |

## AVAILABLE ASSETS.

|             |          |
|-------------|----------|
| Brick shop, | \$350 00 |
|-------------|----------|

## UNAVAILABLE ASSETS.

|                            |            |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Catherine Livingston fund, | \$300 00   |
| Joseph Plastredge fund,    | 200 00     |
| Kilburn monument fund,     | 100 00     |
| Sarah Jane Allen fund,     | 200 00     |
| Gustavus Lucke fund,       | 450 00     |
| L. B. Holland fund,        | 100 00     |
| Matthew Dickey fund,       | 100 00     |
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|                            | \$1,450 00 |
| Funded debt of town,       | \$1,000 00 |



## ESTIMATES FOR 1900.

|   |             |   |
|---|-------------|---|
| State tax,  | \$2,873 00  | ✓ |
| County tax,   | 2,842 83    | ✓ |
| Town paupers,   | 2,000 00    | ✓ |
| Highways and bridges,   | 4,000 00    | ✓ |
| Snow bill of 1900,  | 500 00      | ✓ |
| Police and tramps,  | 300 00      | ✓ |
| Cemetery,   | 200 00      | ✓ |
| Library,  | 400 00      | ✓ |
| Interest on town debt and overdraft,  | 300 00      | ✓ |
| Support of schools, amount required by law between \$3,000.00 and \$3,500.00, | 3,500 00    | ✓ |
| School supplies,  | 600 00      | ✓ |
| Payment of town debt,   | 1,000 00    | ✓ |
| Contingent fund, <i>Town officers and</i>                                     | 2,800 00    | ✓ |
| Discount on taxes,  | 1,000 00    | ✓ |
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|   | \$21,115 83 |   |
| Less savings bank and railroad tax,   | 2,576 06    |   |
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|   | \$18,539 77 |   |

Respectfully submitted,

IRA W. RAMSAY,  
 GEO. W. KINGSBURY,  
 WM. H. KINIRY,  
 Selectmen of Walpole.

*Voted to raise \$10,000  
 by taxation*

## TREASURER'S REPORT,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1900.

### RECEIPTS.

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| On taxes, 1896,   | \$134 66  |
| On taxes, 1897,   | 400 29    |
| Interest on taxes, 1897,  | 51 56     |
| Chas. J. O'Neil, collector, North Walpole taxes,<br>1897-98,          | 836 25    |
| Jeremiah Hogan, collector, North Walpole taxes,<br>1899,              | 9,671 60  |
| Jeremiah Hogan, collector, North Walpole, interest<br>on taxes, 1899, | 8 05      |
| N. W. Holland, collector, taxes, 1898,                                | 753 31    |
| N. W. Holland, collector, interest on taxes, 1898,                    | 26 70     |
| N. W. Holland, collector, taxes, 1899,                                | 17,359 94 |
| N. W. Holland, collector, interest on taxes, 1899,                    | 2 43      |
| County, from paupers,   | 337 50    |
| A. P. Richardson, town clerk, dog license,                            | 256 33    |
| Mary Stone, pension checks,   | 96 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, rent of brick shop to Apr. 1, '99,                    | 60 00     |
| From town hall,   | 151 00    |
| W. D. Knowlton, town agent,   | 358 06    |
| Town of Westminster, sheep killed by dogs,                            | 1 00      |
| Town of Westminster, $\frac{1}{3}$ insurance on bridge,               | 9 79      |
| John W. Cahalane, justice of peace, for fines,                        | 3 00      |
| W. J. King, justice of peace, for fines,                              | 9 00      |
| Chas. J. O'Neil, justice of peace, for fines,                         | 5 00      |
| L. D. Pressey's estate,   | 60 00     |
| License, Uncle Tom's Cabin,   | 2 00      |

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| State railroad tax,                      | \$1,294 42  |
| State savings bank tax,                  | 1,281 64    |
| State literary fund,                     | 314 07      |
| Orders cancelled,                        | 20 80       |
| F. A. Spaulding, rent of land for store, | 10 00       |
| Interest on cemetery funds,              | 45 54       |
| Cash due treasurer,                      | 1,157 35    |
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|  | \$34,717 29 |

## DISBURSEMENTS.

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Treasurer, amount due Feb. 28, 1899,        | \$4,804 70  |
| Town order, 1895,                           | 5 00        |
| Town order, 1898,                           | 71 20       |
| Town order, 1899,                           | 22,860 76   |
| Provident Institution for Savings, Boston,  | 1,080 00    |
| Town orders cancelled,                      | 20 80       |
| State tax,                                  | 2,873 00    |
| County tax,                                 | 2,764 06    |
| Cemetery committee,                         | 45 54       |
| Keene National Bank, interest on overdraft, | 192 22      |
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|   | \$34,717 29 |

T. B. BUFFUM,  
Treasurer.

REPORT OF  
 JOHN W. PRENTISS, ROAD AGENT,  
 FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

RECEIPTS.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Received of selectmen by orders on town treasurer, annual appropriation,  | \$4,000 00 |
| M. H. Gorham, gravel for driveway,  | 1 50       |
| Russell N. Bellows, gravel for driveway,                                  | 2 00       |
| Wm. Davis, $\frac{1}{5}$ expense of sewer at North Walpole,               | 25 00      |
| Mrs. Cornelius Sullivan, $\frac{1}{5}$ expense of sewer at North Walpole, | 25 00      |
| A. F. Nims, $\frac{1}{5}$ expense of sewer at North Walpole,              | 25 00      |
| Town of Westminster, $\frac{1}{3}$ expense of bridge,                     | 21 67      |
|   | \$4,100 17 |

PAID FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS.

MONTH ENDING APRIL 29.

|  |        |
|--|--------|
| Edgar V. Smith, labor, 1898,                                     | \$3 00 |
| James Drislane, snowing Alstead, Langdon and Cold River bridges, | 15 00  |
| Bart Kiniry, labor on new road,                                  | 2 25   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men turning water, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days,        | 4 50   |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team one-half day, bridging washout,     | 1 50   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men, 4 hours on Royce hill,                    | 1 20   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and team one-half day, repairing washout,  | 2 25   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men making stone drags,                        | 3 00   |



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| J. W. Prentiss, man and team, one-half day drawing plank,                      | \$1 50   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and teams 6 days, at North Walpole, drawing stone,       | 42 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3,231 feet plank, boards and joist,                            | 38 77    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 4,568 feet bridge plank,                                       | 45 68    |
| Solomon Ballam, 17 days, labor,  | 25 50    |
| Frank Griffin, 14 $\frac{6}{10}$ days, labor,                                  | 21 80    |
| Fred Prentiss, painting 5 iron bridges and 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days labor on road, | 9 75     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor, at North Walpole,  | 24 05    |
| W. D. Knowlton, powder, fuse, etc.,  | 4 97     |
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|  | \$246 72 |

## MONTH ENDING MAY 27.

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| Henry Weymouth, road through land,                                    | \$3 00   |
| L. G. & C. E. Howard, cement, tile, powder and fuse, near C. Royce's, | 70 40    |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team 2 days, drawing dirt,                    | 6 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 16 days, scraping, 2 teams,                           | 96 00    |
| Patrick McCarty, 5 days, blasting,                                    | 7 50     |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team, repairing Brewery road,                 | 3 00     |
| Patrick Whalen, 5 days, blasting,                                     | 7 50     |
| James Keefe, 5 days, blasting,  | 7 50     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, one-half day,                                | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, 3 hours, repairing bridge,                   | 1 80     |
| Rollin Booth, Jr., lighting washout and labor,                        | 5 77     |
| Chas. Sherwin, holding scraper, 15 days,                              | 30 00    |
| Solomon Ballam, 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, labor,                         | 21 75    |
| Frank Griffin, 20 days, labor,  | 30 00    |
| Geo. Ballam, 18 days, labor,  | 27 00    |
| Michael Cudmore, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days,                                | 5 25     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men, digging out ditches,                           | 3 00     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor, and paid for help at North Walpole,             | 25 00    |
| Geo. H. Holden, housing road scraper,                                 | 1 50     |
| Geo. H. Holden, labor,  | 1 00     |
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|   | \$355 97 |

## MONTH ENDING JUNE 24.

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| J. W. Prentiss, scraping, 23½ days, 3 teams,                 | \$188 00 |
| Solomon Ballam, 18 days, labor,                              | 27 00    |
| Frank Griffin, 22 days, labor,                               | 33 00    |
| Geo. Ballam, 22 days, labor,                                 | 33 00    |
| Anson Burbee, laying stone,                                  | 9 50     |
| Wallace Burbee, 7 days, leveling,                            | 10 50    |
| Chas. B. Sherwin, holding scraper, 23½ days,                 | 47 00    |
| Willard Kilburn, drawing plank; etc.,                        | 10 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 500 ft. plank to repair slide,               | 5 00     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor, and paid for help at North<br>Walpole, | 63 87    |
| Norman Guild, labor,   | 6 15     |
| Geo. Albee, tile, 1898,                                      | 4 00     |
| Henry R. Dodge, labor, 1898,                                 | 10 52    |
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|  | \$447 54 |

## MONTH ENDING JULY 29.

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| J. W. Prentiss, 4 days, scraping, 2 teams,                                   | \$24 00 |
| J. W. Burbee, 7¼ days, labor,  | 10 75   |
| C. S. Hawks, labor,  | 7 30    |
| Oscar Landon, labor and repairing plow,                                      | 4 02    |
| Edward T. Stevens, labor,  | 8 33    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and teams, at Drewsville,                              | 6 00    |
| Frank Houghton, labor,   | 4 95    |
| Chas. B. Hall, labor,  | 3 66    |
| M. H. & A. W. Ray, lumber used at North Wal-<br>pole,                        | 3 68    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and team, digging stone,                               | 4 50    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3 men and team, digging stone,                               | 6 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men, picking stone, 3 hours,                               | 90      |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team, drawing plank<br>and planking Houghton bridge, | 3 00    |
| Elihu Hill, labor,   | 3 00    |
| Chas. Sherwin, holding scraper, 4 days,                                      | 8 00    |
| Solomon Ballam, 8 days, labor,   | 12 00   |
| Osgood & Barker, repairing road machine,                                     | 14 72   |
| Robert J. Cochran, labor,  | 2 40    |

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| C. W. Morse, tile,  | \$4 95   |
| J. C. Brown, snowing Walpole and Westminster bridge,                  | 19 20    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3 men and team, digging stone, one-half day,          | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3 men and team, repairing sluice, etc., one-half day, | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3 men and team, repairing sluice and digging stones,  | 6 00     |
| Solomon Ballam, 2 days, labor,  | 3 00     |
| Joseph Riley, 12 days, man and team, at North Walpole,                | 42 00    |
| Geo. Tyler & Co., road machine, blade and bit,                        | 8 50     |
| Geo. W. Tibbetts, blades, points and repairs for road machine,        | 20 00    |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor, at North Walpole, and cash paid for labor,      | 24 55    |
| F. A. Ramsay, labor, scraping road, etc.,                             | 13 20    |
| R. A. Booth, labor,   | 3 50     |
| Edward Haynes, leveling road,   | 4 50     |
| Edward A. Watkins, labor,   | 5 00     |
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|   | \$287 61 |

## MONTH ENDING AUGUST 26.

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| Harry Jennison, labor,  | \$3 50 |
| C. Gates, labor at North Walpole painting street signs,                                   | 13 00  |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3 teams, 3 days scraping,   | 24 00  |
| J. W. Prentiss, drawing timber and plank and repairing bridge and road past C. Quinton's, | 10 50  |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3 men and teams on road from Drewsville to Ira Hubbard's,                 | 10 50  |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3 teams drawing gravel from river, 10½ days,                              | 110 25 |
| James Selkirk, leveling road,   | 4 75   |
| Patrick Kane, labor at North Walpole,   | 17 25  |
| Thos. Brickley, labor at North Walpole,   | 14 25  |

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| John Walsh, labor at North Walpole,                                       | \$1 50   |
| Ollie Hall, drawing gravel from the river,                                | 33 25    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams $\frac{1}{2}$ day in village,                     | 3 50     |
| Geo. Parkinson, drawing gravel,   | 12 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams repairing bridge and road near No. 5 schoolhouse, | 7 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, team repairing bridge and road near C. Quinton's,         | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, team near Cyrus Royce's,                                  | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams near Cyrus Royce's,                               | 6 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams on Valley road,                                   | 6 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams on Prospect hill,                                 | 6 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams on Drewsville road,                               | 6 00     |
| Geo. Ballam, 10 days' labor,  | 15 00    |
| Geo. Angier, drawing gravel from river,                                   | 18 75    |
| Solomon Ballam, 24 days,  | 36 00    |
| Willard Kilburn, drawing gravel from river,                               | 22 25    |
| Frank Griffin, 25 days' labor,  | 37 50    |
| Rowe Wier, $9\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor,                                    | 14 25    |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor and cash paid for labor at North Walpole,            | 17 35    |
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|   | \$456 35 |

## MONTH ENDING SEPTEMBER 30.

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| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, repairing Alstead bridge and road at the Four Corners, | \$6 00 |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, plowing and scraping near S. Royce place,              | 6 00   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men, cutting brush,   | 3 00   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, carting, 2 days on stage road,                         | 12 00  |
| J. W. Prentiss, 12 days, 2 teams, drawing stone at North Walpole,               | 84 00  |
| David Mann, labor,  | 3 50   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, 8 hours, at North Walpole,                             | 5 60   |



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| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams 1 day, 1 team ½ day, at North Walpole, | \$8 75   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 3 team, 1 day, at North Walpole,               | 10 50    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, 1 day, at North Walpole,              | 7 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, from Cold River to toll bridge,       | 7 00     |
| Wm. E. Roy, labor,   | 4 02     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor, drawing stone 14½ days,                  | 50 75    |
| Michael Cudmore, labor,  | 2 50     |
| Nelson Bushway, labor on wall,                                 | 28 62    |
| Maple Grove Farm, team, drawing gravel from river,             | 22 75    |
| F. H. Watkins, labor,  | 8 50     |
| Alfred Watkins, labor,   | 7 60     |
| Solomon Ballam, 22 days' labor,                                | 33 00    |
| Felix Forgette, 15 days, laying stone,                         | 45 00    |
| Felix Forgette, hammer,  | 1 00     |
| James Brooks, 15 days, helper on wall,                         | 30 00    |
| William Wilder, labor at Drewsville,                           | 13 25    |
| Thomas Walsh, 156 perch of stone delivered,                    | 136 00   |
| William Bushway, labor at North Walpole,                       | 2 70     |
| John Bushway, labor on wall,                                   | 29 55    |
| John B. Bushway, labor on wall,                                | 25 80    |
| Geo. Allbee, tile, etc.,                                       | 5 23     |
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|  | \$599 62 |

## MONTH ENDING OCTOBER 28.

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| Sumner Watkins, labor, putting railing, etc.,                            | \$12 00 |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and teams on Brewery road,                         | 6 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and teams on Putney and Sandhill, 2 days,          | 12 00   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men, cutting bridge timber,                            | 3 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team on stage road,                              | 3 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and teams near Amory's woods,                      | 6 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team, repairing Alstead bridge and road near it, | 3 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 962 feet plank for Houghton and Seward bridges,          | 11 54   |

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| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams, drawing plank, etc.,  | \$7 00   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men, cutting timber and hewing,  | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men, repairing bridge near Seward's,                                     | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and team, repairing bridge<br>and carting, near E. W. Graves' place, | 6 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team, drawing plank,   | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 1,500 feet plank, Seward bridge,   | 18 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and teams on Watkins hill,   | 6 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and teams, one-half day, on<br>Watkins hill,                         | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and teams, near Geo. Chick-<br>ering's,                              | 6 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team to North Walpole,   | 3 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and team, near Mrs. Hatch's,   | 4 50     |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men and team, near Mrs. Hatch's,<br>one-half day,                        | 2 25     |
| Elihu Hill, labor,   | 5 25     |
| Frank Howard, blacksmithing,   | 6 65     |
| H. D. Gale, blacksmithing,   | 3 30     |
| F. O. Smalley, labor,  | 7 20     |
| Willard Colburn, labor, at Drewsville,   | 18 15    |
| Solomon Ballam, 20 days' labor,  | 30 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 1,250 feet plank,  | 15 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, lumber for railing,  | 4 00     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor at North Walpole,   | 62 90    |
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|  | \$273 74 |

## MONTH ENDING NOVEMBER 25.

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| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor at North Walpole,         | \$5 00 |
| J. W. Burbee, labor on sluices,                | 3 25   |
| Anson Burbee, labor on sluices,                | 5 00   |
| F. O. Smalley, labor,                          | 7 20   |
| W. A. Jennings, labor,                         | 29 00  |
| Isaac Pratt, labor,                            | 1 50   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams 14½ days in village,   | 87 00  |
| Chas. H. Sawyer, tolls to date, 1898 and 1899, | 42 30  |
| C. S. Burt, labor and timber,                  | 27 35  |

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| Geo. Moran, labor,                              | \$1 50   |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams 2 days repairing roads, | 12 00    |
| J. W. Prentiss, man and team digging ditches,   | 3 00     |
| Moses Fisher, logs for sluice,                  | 2 00     |
| Solomon Ballam, 22 days,                        | 33 00    |
| John Selkirk, labor,                            | 2 75     |
| H. D. Bellows, drawing gravel 4 days,           | 14 00    |
| W. L. Hawks, timber for repairing bridge,       | 2 00     |
| James Drislane, labor with team,                | 29 75    |
| Winnifred Farr, crossing land to get gravel,    | 10 00    |
| H. C. Towne, labor on Carpenter hill,           | 19 60    |
| Geo. Towne, labor on Carpenter hill,            | 10 00    |
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|   | \$347 20 |

## MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 30.

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| J. W. Prentiss, 2 teams at North Walpole, 2 days,                       | \$12 00  |
| Solomon Ballam, 9 days, labor,  | 13 50    |
| Edward S. Taggard, labor,   | 13 10    |
| Frank Allen, labor,   | 18 50    |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor on sewer,  | 12 60    |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor with team,   | 25 08    |
| Ben Brown, labor,   | 1 00     |
| Willis Foster, labor,   | 5 70     |
| Newell G. Holden, labor,  | 1 75     |
| Chas. Sherwin, cash for tolls while drawing<br>gravel at North Walpole, | 5 00     |
| L. G. & C. E. Howard, tile, cement, etc.,                               | 91 19    |
| H. W. Thompson, use of derrick 11 days,                                 | 11 00    |
| C. H. Whitman, repairing snow plow,                                     | 1 75     |
| Edwin Guild, labor,   | 2 25     |
| Hope Lovell, labor at Drewsville and on stage<br>road,                  | 45 40    |
| Fred Booth, labor,  | 7 70     |
| J. H. Jennison, putting up railing and cutting<br>brush,                | 15 48    |
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|   | \$283 00 |

## MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

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| Cassius Farmer, labor,  | \$6 03   |
| W. A. Burt, labor,  | 2 45     |
| W. A. Burt, housing snow roller,  | 1 50     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, breaking roads and paths, North<br>Walpole,                | 40 19    |
| J. W. Prentiss, 2 men, 2½ days, cutting out ditches,                      | 7 50     |
| Alonzo Jennings, labor,   | 5 00     |
| F. A. Spaulding, oil, wicks, etc., for Walpole and<br>Westminster bridge, | 11 16    |
| F. A. Spaulding, spikes, nails, bolts and plow point,                     | 11 55    |
| F. A. Wier, labor at Drewsville,  | 50       |
| Irving Felch, repairing pole to road machine,                             | 90       |
| Bart Kiniry, lighting Walpole and Westminster<br>bridge, and reflector,   | 18 20    |
| Bart Kiniry, labor,   | 1 35     |
| H. D. Gale, sharpening bars, picks, making grate, etc.,                   | 1 85     |
| C. C. Davis, cement, bridge paint, etc.,                                  | 15 43    |
| H. C. Towne, breaking roads,  | 7 70     |
| J. McGreen, sharpening bars, picks, and mending<br>chains, etc.,          | 6 62     |
| Josiah Graves, hemlock trees to use in brook,                             | 6 00     |
| W. H. Fletcher, labor,  | 1 85     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, labor on sewer,  | 40 72    |
| J. W. Prentiss, breaking roads, to Feb. 15, 1900,                         | 10 65    |
| Solomon Ballam, shoveling snow,   | 4 50     |
| C. H. Morse, repairing pipe on Depot hill,                                | 1 35     |
| N. W. Holland, getting stone out of road,                                 | 1 50     |
| Cyrus Royce, 40 loads of dirt,  | 2 00     |
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|   | \$206 50 |

PERSONAL SERVICES OF JOHN W. PRENTISS AS  
ROAD AGENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

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| March, 9 hours,          | \$2 25 |
| April, 12 days, 3 hours, | 30 75  |

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| May, 15 days, 4½ hours,      | \$38 62  |
| June, 22 days, 5 hours,      | 56 25    |
| July, 7 days, 1½ hours,      | 17 87    |
| August, 16 days, 2½ hours,   | 40 62    |
| September, 20 days, 3 hours, | 50 75    |
| October, 18 days,            | 45 00    |
| November, 18 days, 6 hours,  | 46 50    |
| December, 3 days, 9 hours,   | 9 75     |
| February, 1 day,             | 2 50     |
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|                              | \$340 86 |

### SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS.

#### RECEIPTS.

|  |            |
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| Received from selectmen,   | \$4,000 00 |
| Received from town of Westminster,                                 | 21 67      |
| Received from individuals at North Walpole on<br>account of sewer, | 75 00      |
| Received from gravel sold,   | 3 50       |
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|  | \$4,100 17 |

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

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| Paid for scraping and other repairs, including all<br>carting except of gravel from river and at<br>North Walpole, | \$1,700 67 |
| Paid for wall at North Walpole,  | 579 52     |
| Paid for graveling at Walpole Village,   | 511 25     |
| Paid for repairs on bridges, culverts and railing,<br>including all material purchased,                            | 433 79     |
| Paid for graveling at North Walpole,   | 41 00      |
| Paid for sewer at North Walpole,   | 124 06     |
| Paid for breaking roads and paths to Feb. 15,  | 81 24      |
| Paid for digging rocks out of highway,   | 32 72      |
| Paid for personal services of road agent,  | 340 86     |
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|  | \$3,845 11 |
| Excess of receipts over disbursements,   | \$255 06   |



## BREAKING ROADS.

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| Amount voted by town for unpaid snow bill of |          |
| 1899:  | \$500 00 |
| Solomon Ballam,                              | 5 63     |
| E. L. Houghton,                              | 3 07     |
| E. W. Graves,                                | 6 20     |
| Chas. Cross,                                 | 1 80     |
| F. A. Mann,                                  | 2 40     |
| Willard Colburn,                             | 3 30     |
| H. Brown,                                    | 2 25     |
| R. E. Allen,                                 | 1 65     |
| Daniel C. O'Brien,                           | 11 70    |
| H. C. Rogers,                                | 3 90     |
| Frank Seward,                                | 1 05     |
| Geo. H. Bundy,                               | 1 05     |
| James Drislane,                              | 6 00     |
| J. W. Prentiss,                              | 24 60    |
| Oren Ramsay,                                 | 75       |
| Fred Turner,                                 | 4 50     |
| Willard Kilburn,                             | 4 65     |
| Wm. H. Kiniry, roads and paths,              | 78 95    |
| J. H. Jennison,                              | 14 10    |
| Edward A. Watkins,                           | 6 50     |
| John E. Proctor,                             | 3 00     |
| R. W. Walsh,                                 | 10 13    |
| John W. Graves,                              | 10 75    |
| F. A. Ramsay,                                | 20 94    |
| Frank Allen,                                 | 21 30    |
| Chas. Cameron,                               | 8 17     |
| F. C. Rouk,                                  | 5 55     |
| Frank Palmer,                                | 1 05     |
| H. H. Bussell,                               | 1 50     |
| Harry Ramsay,                                | 4 57     |
| Elwin Guild,                                 | 3 23     |
| Henry O. Esty,                               | 11 00    |
| H. C. Towne,                                 | 27 85    |
| Fred Fisher,                                 | 1 95     |

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| W. E. Roy,                               | \$7 48   |
| Arthur Thompson,                         | 1 20     |
| H. W. Smith,                             | 1 61     |
| Edward S. Taggard,                       | 29 07    |
| Ollie Hall,                              | 60 75    |
| F. O. Smalley,                           | 20 80    |
| W. A. Jennings,                          | 17 10    |
| D. R. Peirce,                            | 6 83     |
| Chas. E. Seward,                         | 1 50     |
| Chas. S. Burt,                           | 14 85    |
| Joseph Riley,                            | 7 00     |
| Norman Guild,                            | 23 87    |
| E. T. Stevens,                           | 17 17    |
| Orin Ball,                               | 4 98     |
| Robert J. Cochran,                       | 18 75    |
| James Selkirk,                           | 4 50     |
| Wesley C. Foster,                        | 4 00     |
| Alfred Watkins,                          | 4 50     |
| Edwin Guild,                             | 2 27     |
| Arthur Guild,                            | 4 90     |
| Maple Grove Farm,                        | 18 68    |
| Sumner Watkins,                          | 10 00    |
| F. H. Watkins,                           | 6 50     |
| Earl Stevens,                            | 3 00     |
| Isaac Pratt,                             | 3 07     |
| R. G. Graves, roads and paths,           | 28 75    |
| A. A. Gilson,                            | 4 40     |
| C. E. Knowlton,                          | 2 55     |
| Fred Booth,                              | 2 10     |
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|  | \$647 22 |
| Excess of snow bills over appropriation, | \$147 22 |
| Net balance in hands of road agent,      | \$107 84 |

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. PRENTISS.

We have examined the above accounts as presented to us at the end of each month, and find them well vouched and correctly cast.

IRA W. RAMSAY,  
GEORGE W. KINGSBURY,  
W. H. KINIRY,  
Selectmen of Walpole.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

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*To the Selectmen:*

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WALPOLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1889.

| Date of Birth. | Name of Child<br>(if any). | Sex and Condition. |                         | Name of Father.     | Maiden Name<br>of Mother. | Occupation of<br>Father. | Birthplace of<br>Father. | Birthplace of<br>Mother. | Age of Father. | Age of Mother. |
|----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                |                            | Male or<br>Female. | Living or<br>Stillborn. |                     |                           |                          |                          |                          |                |                |
| Jan. 1         | Carl Henry.                | M                  | L                       | Fred C. Bourk.      | Truth Fisher.             | Laborer.                 | Farmington, Wis.         | Bangor, Me.              | 36             | 25             |
| " 4            | Carroll Leslie Gilman.     | M                  | L                       | Leslie G. Converse. | Minnie I. Leach.          | Farming.                 | Westmoreland.            | Westminster, Vt.         | 28             | 24             |
| " 18           | Anchua Eleanor.            | F                  | L                       | Michael Dalton.     | Bridget Mahoney.          | Engine wiper.            | Rutland, Vt.             | Rutland.                 | 30             | 33             |
| " 24           | John.                      | M                  | L                       | John Lyons.         | Savina Dacy.              | Moulder.                 | "                        | "                        | 36             | 28             |
| " 28           | Henry Garfield.            | M                  | L                       | Henry G. Massey.    | Zenia Koburge.            | Laborer.                 | Rockingham, Vt.          | Montreal, Ca.            | 17             | 18             |
| Feb. 1         | George Raymond.            | M                  | L                       | James Kane.         | Mary Doney.               | Cigar maker.             | Brooklyn, N. Y.          | Walpole.                 | 36             | 32             |
| " 5            | John.                      | M                  | L                       | Patrick Reardon.    | Bridget Lynch.            | Paper maker.             | "                        | "                        | 33             | 30             |
| " 6            | Katie.                     | F                  | L                       | James J. Keefe.     | Maggie Houlhan.           | "                        | "                        | "                        | 27             | 24             |
| " 14           | Mary.                      | F                  | L                       | Richard Long.       | Mary O'Brien.             | Laborer.                 | "                        | "                        | 28             | 27             |
| " 14           | Howard.                    | F                  | L                       | Frank B. Howard.    | Ida L. Nash.              | Paper maker.             | Gilsun.                  | Ludlow, Vt.              | 48             | 38             |
| " 26           | Alic.                      | F                  | L                       | Joseph A. Rolean.   | Katie Drislane.           | Blacksmith.              | Canada.                  | Walpole.                 | 37             | 29             |
| Mar. 9         | Mildred Gladys.            | F                  | L                       | George H. Bundy.    | Nettie F. Hodgkin.        | Stone mason.             | "                        | "                        | 45             | 39             |
| " 25           | Helen Marion.              | F                  | L                       | Wesley C. Foster.   | Ida M. Sherman.           | Farming.                 | Beverly, Mass.           | "                        | 49             | 42             |
| " 27           | Nellie Adaline.            | F                  | L                       | John A. Carter.     | Allie Thurston.           | "                        | Walpole.                 | "                        | 42             | 39             |
| " 28           | Everett Alexander.         | M                  | L                       | Everett McNutt.     | Lizzie Rattary.           | Paper maker.             | Chuncy, Mass.            | Weymouth, Ms.            | 23             | 23             |
| " 30           | Charles Slade Fisher.      | M                  | L                       | "                   | Carrie Fisher.            | Laborer.                 | Fr. Edw. Island.         | Walpole.                 | 30             | 28             |
| Apr. 6         | Carroll Grant.             | M                  | L                       | Edward Hartnett.    | Mary Quirk.               | Paper maker.             | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 31             | 24             |
| " 10           | Lizzie.                    | M                  | L                       | Grant Tolin.        | Annie Keene.              | "                        | New Brunswick.           | New Brunswick.           | 40             | 36             |
| " 11           | Margaret.                  | F                  | L                       | Joseph Mantel.      | Agnes Peternites.         | "                        | Russia.                  | Russia.                  | 28             | 28             |
| " 18           | Frances.                   | F                  | L                       | Peter Henry.        | Mary Carroll.             | Paper maker.             | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 37             | 37             |
| " 19           | William.                   | M                  | L                       | William F. Jackson. | Lillian M. Green.         | Bridge builder.          | Albany, N. Y.            | Essex, Vt.               | 31             | 30             |
| May 1          | Lizzie Ella.               | F                  | L                       | Martin Jacobs.      | Anna Tamwiliach.          | Laborer.                 | Russia.                  | Russia.                  | 42             | 32             |
| " 4            | Charles Elmer.             | M                  | L                       | Algion E. Houghton. | Jennie Selkirk.           | Farming.                 | Walpole.                 | Surry.                   | 31             | 25             |
| " 6            | William.                   | M                  | L                       | Frank W. Palmer.    | Hattie E. Dunsmore.       | Carpenter.               | Keene.                   | Walpole.                 | 31             | 27             |
| " 6            | Hall.                      | M                  | L                       | John Conway.        | Margaret Gallagher.       | Laborer.                 | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 32             | 29             |
| " 8            | James.                     | M                  | L                       | William Walsh.      | Lillian Kilburn.          | Farming.                 | Walpole.                 | "                        | 34             | 25             |
| " 9            | Fostina Elmira.            | F                  | L                       | Fred H. Booth.      | Lizzie Hankard.           | Paper maker.             | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 33             | 34             |
| " 11           | Breman.                    | M                  | L                       | Michael Brennan.    | Ada E. Hall.              | Farming.                 | Woodland, Cal.           | Keene.                   | 25             | 18             |
| " 11           | — Breman.                  | F                  | L                       | "                   | Kate Connors.             | Laborer.                 | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 41             | 36             |



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|----------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| May 13         | — Osixa.                   | M                     | Josax Osixa.         | Katerina Osixa.           | Farming.                 | Russia.                  | Austria.                 | 28             | 25             |
| " 24           | Albert.                    | L                     | J. W. Cahalane.      | Mary Brown.               | Tinsmith.                | Westmoreland.            | Bellows Falls, Vt.       | 32             | 34             |
| " 28           | Mary Bertha.               | F                     | Geo. S. Lord.        | Mary C. Austin.           | Physician.               | Portland, Me.            | Fall River, Mass.        | 42             | 32             |
| " 28           | Catherine.                 | F                     | James Hailey.        | Nellie Moran.             | Paper maker.             | Wallingford, Vt.         | Bellows Falls, Vt.       | 32             | 30             |
| " 29           | Glady.                     | F                     | Nathaniel Holland.   | Fannie Stover.            | Dealer, grain, coal.     | St. Louis, Mo.           | Newton, Iowa.            | 38             | 31             |
| " 30           | Charles Ernest.            | M                     | Walter E. Moody.     | Elvira S. Patch.          | Laborer.                 | Springfield, Vt.         | Claremont.               | 27             | 27             |
| June 12        | — Stack.                   | F                     | James Stack.         | Margaret Landers.         | R. R. engineer.          | Walpole.                 | Bartonsville, Vt.        | 34             | 34             |
| " 13           | Walter.                    | M                     | Copley Amory.        | Mary Russell.             | Farming.                 | Boston, Mass.            | Milton, Mass.            | 33             | 29             |
| " 14           | William.                   | M                     | William Keete.       | Elizabeth T. Nolan.       | Paper maker.             | St. Albans, Vt.          | Mineville, N. Y.         | 29             | 29             |
| " 15           | Russell Smith.             | M                     | Frank A. Spaulding.  | Jennie Smith.             | Merchant.                | Westminster, Vt.         | Rockingham, Vt.          | 38             | 36             |
| " 21           | Walter Ross.               | M                     | Frank Ptak.          | Maria Nichols.            | Laborer.                 | Austria.                 | Austria.                 | 32             | 32             |
| " 23           | — Mare.                    | F                     | Sidney Hemenway.     | Nellie M. Ross.           | Farming.                 | Grafton, Vt.             | Walpole.                 | 28             | 23             |
| " 26           | Thomas Edward.             | M                     | Carlos E. Mare.      | Ethel Lozo.               | Farming.                 | Hartford, Vt.            | Bartonsville, Vt.        | 32             | 27             |
| July 1         | Theodore Edward.           | M                     | William J. Murray.   | Agnes M. Day.             | Laborer.                 | Worcester, Ms.           | Boston, Mass.            | 41             | 33             |
| " 2            | John P.                    | M                     | Frank W. Pratt.      | Margaret Cary.            | Minister.                | Elgin, Ill.              | Meadville, Pa.           | 32             | 31             |
| " 5            | Charles E.                 | M                     | John L. McAuliffe.   | Nellie Meany.             | Laborer.                 | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 34             | 35             |
| " 5            | Patrick.                   | M                     | John Walsh.          | Bridget Wilson.           | Paper maker.             | "                        | "                        | 26             | 25             |
| " 15           | Edward.                    | M                     | John Walsh.          | Bridget Wilson.           | "                        | "                        | "                        | 26             | 25             |
| " 17           | Jerard.                    | M                     | Robert Howard.       | Mary Scanlon.             | "                        | "                        | "                        | 40             | 40             |
| " 20           | — Towle.                   | M                     | Jerry Carroll.       | Minnie Brickley.          | Laborer.                 | Walpole.                 | Walpole.                 | 32             | 32             |
| " 21           | Marion H.                  | F                     | Edward G. Towle.     | Julia Connors.            | Paper maker.             | Bellows Falls, Vt.       | Walpole.                 | 26             | 24             |
| " 22           | Margaret C.                | F                     | Arthur D. Bryan.     | Mary Sheridan.            | Laborer.                 | "                        | "                        | 42             | 42             |
| " 25           | Agnes Jane.                | F                     | Almon A. Boiles.     | Mary C. Nims.             | Lawyer.                  | "                        | "                        | 28             | 27             |
| " 26           | Michael Joseph.            | M                     | Patrick Gallagher.   | Hanora Sweeney.           | Paper maker.             | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 34             | 33             |
| Aug. 5         | — Watkins.                 | M                     | James Tyman.         | Kate Calvey.              | "                        | "                        | "                        | 25             | 22             |
| " 11           | Albert Henry.              | M                     | Albert H. Watkins.   | Alice Perham.             | Farming.                 | Walpole.                 | Westmoreland.            | 51             | 33             |
| " 12           | — Estey.                   | F                     | William H. Fletcher. | Alice J. Chickering.      | "                        | "                        | Chester, Vt.             | 36             | 33             |
| " 14           | Myron Haskell.             | M                     | Martin G. Estey.     | Sarah E. Jones.           | "                        | Leicester, Vt.           | Marlow.                  | 26             | 28             |
| " 15           | Lyman Chandler.            | M                     | George S. Towne.     | Clara Knight.             | Propr. boarding.         | Walpole.                 | Marlow.                  | 22             | 23             |
| " 15           | —                          | M                     | Willard H. Lovell.   | Minnie M. Grow.           | "                        | Alstead.                 | Westboro, Mass.          | 26             | 27             |

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|----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                |                            | Male or<br>Female. | Living or<br>Stillborn. |                     |                           |                          |                          |                          |                |                |
| Aug. 18        | Timothy F.                 | M                  | L                       | Maurice T. Relihan. | Johana Corridon.          | Foreman.                 | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 30             | 24             |
| " 21           | Earl Anson.                | M                  | L                       | Patrick O'Brian.    | Nellie McAniff.           | Paper maker.             | "                        | "                        | 32             | 39             |
| " 25           | Ward Clayton.              | M                  | L                       | John W. Burbee.     | Inez E. Russell.          | Farming.                 | Keene.                   | Walpole.                 | 29             | 29             |
| " 27           | May Margaret.              | F                  | L                       | Bertram L. Wiggin.  | Maria Nelson.             | Gardener.                | Chester, Vt.             | Bellows Falls, Vt.       | 25             | 21             |
| " 28           | Mary Catherine.            | F                  | L                       | William Mernerly.   | Lucy Colman.              | Silversmith.             | New York City.           | Nova Scotia.             | 28             | 21             |
| " 30           | Mary Catherine.            | F                  | L                       | Harry Murrell.      | Louise Shotacon.          | Laborer.                 | England.                 | Walpole.                 | 25             | 22             |
| " 31           | Beatrice.                  | F                  | L                       | Dennis Reihan.      | Catherine O'Connor.       | Paper maker.             | Ireland.                 | Walpole.                 | 25             | 21             |
| Sept. 4        | Arthur Willis.             | M                  | L                       | Joseph Daigie.      | Annie Blonden.            | Log driver.              | Canada.                  | Canada.                  | 37             | 31             |
| " 7            | Elizabeth.                 | F                  | L                       | Willis H. Dunsmore. | Flora B. Pratt.           | Farming.                 | Walpole.                 | Walpole.                 | 32             | 23             |
| " 8            | Dennis.                    | M                  | L                       | Peter P. Stack.     | Sarah J. Mellon.          | Laborer.                 | Ireland.                 | Charlestown.             | 28             | 29             |
| " 8            | George Henry.              | M                  | L                       | James Driscoll.     | Bridget Welsh.            | Paper maker.             | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 27             | 26             |
| " 9            | Walter Curtis.             | M                  | L                       | George H. Podwin.   | Lena Rattary.             | Carpenter.               | Westminster, Vt.         | Pr. Edw. Island.         | 25             | 20             |
| " 13           | Vera Maud.                 | F                  | L                       | Arthur W. Kilburn.  | Luella J. Allen.          | Laborer.                 | Walpole.                 | Walpole.                 | 29             | 24             |
| " 15           | George Edward.             | M                  | L                       | Norman E. Watkins.  | Ida Graves.               | Farming.                 | Walpole.                 | Westmoreland.            | 32             | 31             |
| " 21           | Helena.                    | F                  | L                       | Joseph Boreley.     | Rose Bushway.             | Laborer.                 | Springfield, Vt.         | Ipswich, Mass.           | 32             | 26             |
| " 23           | Mary.                      | F                  | L                       | Joseph Pitch.       | Sophia Pikeel.            | "                        | Austria.                 | Austria.                 | 32             | 31             |
| Oct. 2         | John.                      | F                  | L                       | James H. Hayes.     | Catherine McCarty.        | R. R. brakeman.          | Keene.                   | Jaifrey.                 | 30             | 26             |
| " 6            | John.                      | F                  | L                       | James J. Tyrrell.   | Elizabeth H. Stack.       | Paper maker.             | Ireland.                 | Walpole.                 | 29             | 29             |
| " 10           | Avis.                      | F                  | L                       | John F. McDonald.   | Mary Mullins.             | Clerk.                   | Walpole.                 | Ireland.                 | 33             | 35             |
| " 11           | Eveline Gertrude.          | F                  | L                       | George Pickul.      | Era Pickul.               | Laborer.                 | Austria.                 | Austria.                 | 26             | 24             |
| " 12           | James F.                   | M                  | L                       | Steve Hogan.        | Mary Dalton.              | "                        | Ireland.                 | Rutland, Vt.             | 32             | 31             |
| " 18           | James F.                   | M                  | L                       | James F. Scott.     | Florence G. Moore.        | Clergyman.               | Walpole.                 | Walpole.                 | 33             | 24             |
| " 21           | Donald.                    | M                  | L                       | Richard O'Brian.    | Lizzie Tyndale.           | Paper maker.             | Philadelphia, Pa.        | Warwick, Mass.           | 30             | 25             |
| " 21           | Donald.                    | M                  | L                       | Millard F. Sanborn. | Margaret Maloney.         | "                        | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 30             | 25             |
| " 26           | Donald.                    | M                  | L                       | Jerry Connors.      | Katherine Powers.         | "                        | England.                 | Fitchburg, Mass.         | 47             | 35             |
| " 29           | Basil Thomas.              | M                  | L                       | Warren D. Knowlton  | Carrie L. Bowman.         | "                        | Ireland.                 | Waterbury, Vt.           | 32             | 30             |
| Nov. 8         | Archie Rupert.             | M                  | L                       | Thomas Murray.      | Jennie Tolliton.          | Laborer.                 | Walpole.                 | Boston, Mass.            | 37             | 35             |
| " 8            | Grace E.                   | F                  | L                       | George Moran.       | Rebecca Rogers.           | "                        | England.                 | England.                 | 40             | 33             |
| " 20           | Grace E.                   | F                  | L                       | Harry C. Clement.   | Ida M. Thomas.            | "                        | Walpole.                 | Walpole.                 | 36             | 36             |
| " 22           |                            | F                  | S                       | Richard Ashcroft.   | Elizabeth Hardwick.       | "                        | Bellows Falls, Vt.       | Bellows Falls, Vt.       | 37             | 20             |
| " 22           |                            | F                  | S                       |                     |                           | "                        | England.                 | England.                 | 27             | 24             |

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|----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                |                            | Male or<br>Female. | Living or<br>Stillborn. |                     |                           |                          |                          |                          |                |                |
| Nov 29         | Howard Bela.               | M                  | L                       | Everett L. Houghton | Stella M. Graves.         | Farming.                 | Walpole.                 | Unity.                   | 39             | 35             |
| Dec. 5         | Patrick.                   | M                  | L                       | Edward O'Brian.     | Katie Brickley.           | Laborer.                 | Ireland.                 | Ireland.                 | 40             | 29             |
| " 12           | James.                     | M                  | L                       | Michael Lyman.      | Flora Seales.             | Machinist.               | "                        | Bridgewater, Vt.         | 37             | 35             |
| " 18           | Marion A.                  | M                  | L                       | Nicholas Powers.    | Hannah Millerick.         | Engineer.                | "                        | Ireland.                 | 34             | 32             |
| " 20           | Joseph A.                  | F                  | L                       | Jerry Hogan.        | Mary Beasley.             | Railroad man.            | "                        | "                        | 28             | 28             |
| " 29           | Joseph A.                  | M                  | L                       | John DeNardo.       | Em'colats DeSapia.        | Laborer.                 | Italy.                   | Italy.                   | 34             | 25             |

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| Date of Marriage. | Place of Marriage.   | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride. | Residence of each at time of Marriage. | Age in Years. | Occupation of Groom and Bride. | Place of Birth of each. | Names of Parents.  | Birthplace of Parents. | * Condition. | Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married. |
|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|--------------|---|
| Jan. 24           | Walpole.             | John Connors.                        | Walpole.                               | 29            | Electrician.                   | Ireland.                | William Connors.   | Ireland.               | 1st          | Rev. J. Core'ran, No. Walpole.                                  |
|                   |                      | Mary Sullivan.                       | "                                      | 33            | Dressmaker.                    | "                       | Michael Sullivan.  | "                      | 1st          |   |
| Feb. 4            | Bel lows Falls, [Vt. | Geo. Adams Holmes.                   | "                                      | 23            | Cigar Manr. [parents.          | New Haven, Ct.          | Hannah Curtin.     | Monroe.                | 1st          | Rev. E. Reynolds, Bel lows Falls,                               |
|                   |                      | Annie E. Picket.                     | Bel lows Falls, [Vt.                   | 21            | Lives with                     | Ely, Vt.                | William Holmes.    | Ireland.               |              |   |
| " 7               | Walpole.             | Geo. Henry Podwin.                   | Walpole.                               | 24            | Carpenter.                     | Westminster,            | Catherine Farrell. | Ireland.               | 1st          | Rev. J. Core'ran, No. Walpole.                                  |
|                   |                      | Christina Rattary.                   | "                                      | 19            | Housework.                     | Pr. Edw. Island         | Lawrence Pickett.  | Italy.                 | 1st          |   |
| " 27              | "                    | Geo. Salem Towne.                    | "                                      | 21            | Farming.                       | Walpole.                | Julia Finegan.     | Middlebury, Vt.        | 1st          | Rev. E. Keep, Walpole.  |
|                   |                      | Clara L. Knight.                     | Marlow.                                | 22            | Housework.                     | Marlow.                 | Henry C. Podwin.   | Ireland.               | 1st          |   |
| Apr. 11           | "                    | Herbert M. Ingram.                   | Walpole.                               | 39            | Barber.                        | Washington, [Vt.        | Nancy Mitchell.    | Rocking'm Vt.          | 2d           | Rev. E. Green, Exeter.  |
|                   |                      | Ida F. Punt.                         | "                                      | 39            | Saleslady.                     | Lebanon.                | Alex' der Rattary. | Washington, Vt.        | 2d           |   |
| " 25              | "                    | Fred'ick H. Watkins.                 | "                                      | 34            | Farming.                       | Walpole.                | Eliza Morris.      | Walpole.               | 1st          | Rev. E. Keep, Walpole.  |
|                   |                      | Emma A. Houghton.                    | "                                      | 34            | Teacher.                       | "                       | Haskell C. Towne.  | Walpole.               | 1st          |   |
| May 20            | "                    | Antone Nausieda.                     | "                                      | 25            | Farming.                       | Russia.                 | Frances E. Ellis.  | Walpole.               | 1st          | Rev. E. Keep, Walpole.  |
|                   |                      | Agata Asikis.                        | "                                      | 21            | Laundress.                     | Austria.                | Milan A. Knight.   | Walpole.               | 1st          |   |
| June 14           | Boston, Ms.          | Timothy O'Brien.                     | "                                      | 38            | Farming.                       | Walpole.                | Vesta E. Shelley.  | Rocking'm Vt.          | 1st          | Rev. J. Core'ran, No. Walpole.                                  |
|                   |                      | Mary A. Flarety.                     | Roxbury, Ms.                           | 40            | Housework.                     | Halifax, N. S.          | Mason Ingram.      | Washington, Vt.        | 2d           |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Diana Ladd.        | Washington, Vt.        | 2d           |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Frederick Barker.  | Vershire, Vt.          | 2d           |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Hannah Berry.      | "                      | 1st          | Rev. E. Keep, Walpole.  |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Alfred Watkins.    | "                      | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Isabella Leonard.  | "                      | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | John L. Hought'n   | "                      | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | S. Augusta Scott.  | Chesterfield.          | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Wicks Nausieda.    | Russia.                | 1st          | Rev. J. Core'ran, No. Walpole.                                  |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | M. Wiskintotia.    | Austria.               | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Asikis.            | "                      | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Katerzina Pekul.   | "                      | 1st          | Rev. T. J. Fahey, Roxbury, Ms.                                  |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Daniel O'Brien.    | Ireland.               | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Catherine Ryan.    | "                      | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Morgan Flarety.    | "                      | 1st          |   |
|                   |                      |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Mary Hagerly.      | "                      | 1st          |   |

\* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

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|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|------------|---|
| June 20           | Bellows Falls, Vt. | James Keefe.                         | Walpole.                               | 24            | Farming.                       | Athens, Vt.             | Cornelius Keefe.  | Ireland.               | 1st        | Rev. J. Corc'ran, No. Walpole.                                  |
|                   |                    | Helen Booth.                         | "                                      | 18            | Housework.                     | Walpole.                | Annie Toohy.      | Mt. Holly, Vt.         | 1st        |   |
| Sept. 5           | Walpole.           | Fred'ick John Exner.                 | "                                      | 27            | Cigar Manr.                    | Germany.                | Rollin A. Booth.  | New York.              | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    | Delia Helen Sheridan                 | "                                      | 26            | Paper finisher                 | Putney, Vt.             | Emil Exner.       | Germany.               | 1st        | Rev. J. Corc'ran, No. Walpole.                                  |
| " 5               | "                  | George Amos Gale.                    | Bellows Falls, Vt.                     | 25            | Paper making                   | Keene.                  | Mary Hoffman.     | Ireland.               | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    | Margaret Powers.                     | Walpole.                               | 27            | Paper maker.                   | Montpelier, Vt.         | John Sheridan.    | Addison, Vt.           | 1st        | Rev. E. Reynolds, Bellows Falls.                                |
| " 21              | "                  | Patrick Brickley.                    | "                                      | 35            | Paper maker.                   | Ireland.                | Amos Gale.        | Walpole.               | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    | Mary Reidy.                          | "                                      | 35            | Housework.                     | "                       | Nellie E. Dodge.  | Ireland.               | 1st        |   |
| Oct. 18           | Conway.            | Elisha Ayer Keep.                    | "                                      | 44            | Clergyman.                     | Ashland, Me.            | John Powers.      | Swanton, Vt.           | 2d         | Rev. J. W. Buck-Salem, Ms.                                      |
|                   |                    | Jane Conway Hale.                    | Conway.                                | 26            | Lives with Parents.            | Conway.                 | Thomas Brickley.  | Lowell, Me.            | 1st        |   |
| Nov. 1            | Walpole.           | Timothy Crimmins.                    | Walpole.                               | 36            | Laborer.                       | Ireland.                | Marg't Hankard.   | Barrington.            | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    | Elizabeth Grogan.                    | "                                      | 30            | Housework.                     | "                       | Patrick Reidy.    | Ireland.               | 1st        | Rev. F. H. O'Neil, No. Walpole.                                 |
| Dec. 3            | "                  | Daniel L. Kilburn.                   | "                                      | 21            | Fireman.                       | Whitehall, N. Y.        | Mary Lacey.       | "                      | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    | Rebecca Hare.                        | "                                      | 20            | Housework.                     | Middletown, Md.         | Marcus R. Keep.   | Poultney, Vt.          | 1st        | Rev. F. W. Pratt, Walpole.                                      |
| " 13              | "                  | Elbridge H. Adams.                   | Washington.                            | 31            | Teamster.                      | Stoddard.               | Han'h M. Taylor.  | Middletown, Md.        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    | Mary Selkirk.                        | Walpole.                               | 18            | Housework.                     | Walpole.                | Mathew Hale.      | Washington.            | 1st        | Rev. F. W. Pratt, Walpole.                                      |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Jane Caverly.     | Canada.                | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Pat'k Crimmins.   | Wolcott, Vt.           | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Kate Crimmins.    |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | John Grogan.      |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Kate Hayes.       |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Willard Kilburn.  |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Fanny Ballard.    |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Adam H. Hare.     |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Lavina Fair.      |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Cyrus Adams.      |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Elvira Barrett.   |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | James Selkirk.    |                        | 1st        |   |
|                   |                    |                                      |  |               |                                |                         | Mary E. Morey.    |                        | 1st        |   |

\* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.



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| Date of Death. | Name and Surname of the Deceased. | Age.   |         |       | Place of Birth.      | Sex and Cond'n | Place of Birth.  |                     | Name of Father.    | Maiden Name of Mother. |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------|---------|-------|----------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
|                |                                   | Years. | Months. | Days. |                      |                | Father.          | Mother.             |                    |                        |
| Jan. 1         | George F. Jennison.               | 25     |         |       | Walpole.             | M              | Farmington, Wis. | Fred C. Bonk.       | Truth Fisher.      |                        |
| " 5            | Carl H. Bouk.                     |        | 4       |       | "                    | M              | Ireland.         | John McNamara.      | Julia Burke.       |                        |
| " 15           | Julia C. McNamara.                | 28     | 11      |       | Ireland.             | F              | "                | John Fitzgerald.    | Honora Moriarity.  |                        |
| " 17           | John Fitzgerald.                  | 55     |         |       | Walpole.             | M              | "                | Nicholas Powers.    | Hannah Millerick.  |                        |
| " 22           | John Powers.                      | 2      | 9       |       | Ireland.             | M              | "                |                     |                    |                        |
| " 29           | Eliza Driscoll.                   | 77     |         |       | Walpole.             | F              | "                |                     |                    |                        |
| Feb. 7         | Emily R. Barnes.                  | 98     | 1       | 15    | Walpole.             | F              | Lunenburg, Mass  | Calvin Ripley.      | Sarah Bellows.     |                        |
| " 13           | Edward J. Kiniry.                 | 2      | 11      | 9     | "                    | M              | Walpole.         | William H. Kiniry.  | Margaret Buckley.  |                        |
| " 17           | James Stuart.                     | 77     | 8       |       | Antrim.              | M              | Walpole.         | William Stuart.     | Betsy Hall.        |                        |
| " 14           | William Arnold.                   | 72     | 2       | 20    | Pavtucket, R. I.     | M              | Walpole.         | William Arnold.     | Naomi Moore.       |                        |
| Mar. 4         | Nancy A. Beckwith.                | 69     |         |       | Astead.              | F              | Ashburnham, Ms.  | Amherst K. Maynard. | Hattie J. Pierce.  |                        |
| " 25           | Eva L. Selkirk.                   | 19     | 8       | 22    | Walpole.             | F              | Ireland.         | Timothy Reihan.     | Maria G. Geer.     |                        |
| " 27           | Charles G. Maynard.               | 52     | 5       | 27    | "                    | M              | Chester, Vt.     | Daniel Pressy.      | Mary Beardsley.    |                        |
| Apr. 4         | Daniel B. Reihan.                 | 41     | 9       | 14    | Ireland.             | M              | Sandown.         | Carlton Wiers.      | Ann Griffin.       |                        |
| " 13           | Lorenzo D. Pressy.                | 82     | 2       |       | Stockholm, N. Y.     | M              | Walpole.         | Jonathan Emery.     | Lucinda Dunshce.   |                        |
| " 22           | Diana C. Wiers.                   | 68     | 7       | 2     | "                    | F              | Jaffrey.         | Richard O'Brien.    | Elizabeth Tyndale. |                        |
| " 30           | Edwin Emery.                      | 64     | 2       | 3     | Walpole.             | M              | Ireland.         | Oliver E. Hall.     | Lillian Kilburn.   |                        |
| May 3          | — Hall.                           |        | 9       |       | "                    | F              | Walpole.         | Geo. R. Wallace.    | Nellie M. McKeen.  |                        |
| " 8            | Henry G. Wallace.                 | 21     | 18      |       | Acworth.             | M              | Nashua.          | James Sullivan.     | Honora Devine.     |                        |
| " 14           | Annie S. Usher.                   | 33     |         |       | Ireland.             | F              | Ireland.         | Joseph Piecenski.   | Sophia Pickul.     |                        |
| " 19           | John Piecenski.                   | 3      | 9       | 16    | Walpole.             | M              | Austria.         | Chandler Cannon.    | Marion L. Esty.    |                        |
| June 1         | Patrick Murray.                   | 77     | 2       | 15    | Ireland.             | M              | Ireland.         | Patrick Keet.       | Julia Brown.       |                        |
| " 30           | Mary Royce.                       | 30     | 10      |       | Coventry, Vt.        | F              | Shewsbury, Vt.   | John Walsh.         | Bridget Wilson.    |                        |
| July 4         | John O. Keefe.                    | 46     |         |       | Ireland.             | M              | "                | Henry Welch.        | Nancy Kiniry.      |                        |
| " 5            | Patrick Walsh.                    |        |         |       | Walpole.             | M              | "                | Andrew J. McCarty.  | Electa Chilson.    |                        |
| " 6            | Charles E. Walsh.                 | 27     | 6       | 8     | Turners Falls, Mass. | F              | Moors, N. Y.     | Jacob Putnam.       | Lucy Bracks.       |                        |
| " 8            | Catherine McCarty.                | 29     | 8       | 6     | Walpole.             | F              | "                |                     |                    |                        |
| " 9            | Wilber S. Welch.                  | 29     | 8       |       | "                    | M              | "                |                     |                    |                        |
| " 11           | Amanda M. Putnam.                 | 81     | 3       |       | "                    | F              | Chazy, N. Y.     |                     |                    |                        |

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|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------|---------|-------|----------------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|------------------------|
|                |                                   | Years. | Months. | Days. | Father.                    | Mother.         |                  |                     |                |                     |                        |
| July 20        | Abigail Lynch.                    | 75     |         |       | Ireland.                   | Ireland.        | Ireland.         | Dennis Holland.     | Female         | Dennis Holland.     | Irene E. Hardy.        |
| " 25           | Frank Adams.                      | 21     |         |       | Jericho, Vt.               | Colchester, Vt. | Tunbridge, Vt.   | Louis Adams.        | Male           | James J. Keefe.     | Margaret Hordihan.     |
| Aug. 5         | Katherine F. Keefe.               | 6      | 8       | 26    | Walpole.                   | Ireland.        | Ireland.         | Patrick J. Reardon. | Female         | Patrick J. Reardon. | Mary A. O'Brien.       |
| " 6            | Mary M. Reardon.                  | 88     | 3       |       | "                          | Walpole.        | Walpole.         | Luther Burt.        | Female         | John O'Connell.     | Irene Dunsmuir.        |
| " 11           | Michael C. O'Connell.             | 54     | 10      | 16    | Canada.                    | Enfield.        | Ireland.         | Enfield.            | Male           | Nelson Bushway.     | Katherine Walsh.       |
| " 20           | Arthur D. Bushway.                | 8      | 1       | 19    | Franklin Falls.            | East Haven, Vt. | Manchester.      | Manchester.         | Male           | Moses B. Shephard.  | Sahira Bushway.        |
| " 27           | Clinton M. Shephard.              | 90     | 9       |       | Woodstock, Vt.             | Ireland.        | Danbury.         | Danbury.            | Female         | — Lamb.             | Clara B. Volney.       |
| " 31           | Harnet P. Webster.                | 9      | 5       | 8     | Walpole.                   | Ireland.        | Ireland.         | John Carroll.       | Female         | John Carroll.       | Margaret Broderick.    |
| Sept. 3        | Catherine F. Carroll.             | 5      | 8       |       | "                          | Nova Scotia.    | Pr. Edw. Island. | Pr. Edw. Island.    | Female         | Everett McNutt.     | Lizzie Rattary.        |
| " 5            | William F. Flannery.              | 3      | 3       | 12    | "                          | Ireland.        | Ireland.         | Ireland.            | Male           | Dennis Flannery.    | Nellie Mahoney.        |
| " 11           | Martha A. Pierce.                 | 51     | 7       | 8     | Northfield, Vt.            | Northfield, Vt. | Woodford, Vt.    | Woodford, Vt.       | Female         | Isaiah T. Mallory.  | Emily S. Gary.         |
| Sept 13        | Catherine C. Adams.               | 13     | 8       | 20    | Walpole.                   | Jericho, Vt.    | Ireland.         | Ireland.            | Female         | Frank Adams.        | Kate McKean.           |
| " 21           | Edw. H. Fitzgerald.               | 13     | 10      | 5     | "                          | Ireland.        | "                | "                   | Male           | John J. Fitzgerald. | Annie O'Marrah.        |
| Oct. 7         | Michael J. Lynch.                 | 10     | 5       |       | "                          | "               | "                | "                   | Male           | Michael Lynch.      | Julia Bowler.          |
| " 8            | Emily P. Barnett.                 | 80     | 1       | 21    | Perkinsville, Vt.          | "               | Sudbury, Mass.   | Sudbury, Mass.      | Female         | Daniel Markham.     | Debby Rand.            |
| " 22           | Lingere Baldassar.                | 33     |         |       | Italy.                     | Italy.          | Italy.           | Italy.              | Female         | N. D. Baldassar.    | — Garmendelle.         |
| " 29           | — Knowlton.                       | 30     |         |       | Walpole.                   | Walpole.        | Boston, Mass.    | Boston, Mass.       | Female         | Warren D. Knowlton. | Carric L. Bowman.      |
| Nov. 8         | George S. Graves.                 | 5      | 2       | 9     | "                          | "               | Keene, N. Y.     | Keene, N. Y.        | Male           | John W. Graves.     | Julia E. Jones.        |
| " 15           | William J. DeLaney.               | 68     | 9       | 1     | "                          | "               | Ireland.         | Ireland.            | Male           | Lawrence DeLaney.   | Margaret Reardon.      |
| " 22           | Daniel F. Brown.                  | 48     | 3       | 3     | Poultney, Vt.,<br>Walpole. | Bennington, Vt. | Bennington, Vt.  | Bennington, Vt.     | Male           | Nathaniel Brown.    | Jemisha Aldrich.       |
| " 20           | Fanny Kilburr.                    | 48     | 3       | 3     | "                          | "               | England.         | England.            | Female         | Daniel Ballard.     | Charlotte Jones.       |
| " 22           | — Ashcroft.                       | 36     | 24      |       | Walpole.                   | Ireland.        | Ireland.         | Ireland.            | Female         | Richard Ashcroft.   | Elizabeth Hardwick.    |
| " 24           | Mary Driscoll.                    | 78     | 5       | 2     | "                          | "               | Grafton, Vt.     | Grafton, Vt.        | Female         | James Driscoll.     | Mary Collins.          |
| " 24           | Harrict K. Lucke.                 | 78     | 6       | 2     | Laconia.                   | Walpole.        | Walpole.         | Walpole.            | Female         | George Watkins.     | Rebecca Weir.          |
| Dec. 13        | Laura M. Weeks.                   | 4      | 8       | 7     | Walpole.                   | Bartlett.       | Pr. Edw. Island. | Pr. Edw. Island.    | Female         | Charles S. Weeks.   | Libath A. Woolner.     |
| " 24           | Frances L. Jackson.               | 7      | 7       |       | Walpole.                   | Allona, Pa.     | Essex Junction.  | Essex Junction.     | Female         | William F. Jackson. | Lillian M. Green.      |

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I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ABEL P. RICHARDSON,  
Town Clerk.





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