

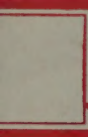
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Annual Report

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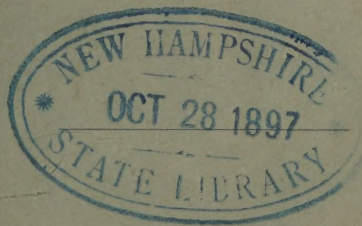
—AND—

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

—OF THE TOWN, OF—

HAMPSTEAD, N. H.

For the Year Ending March 1, 1883.



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GAZETTE STEAM PRINTING HOUSE.
1883.

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OFFICERS BIENNIALY ELECTED.

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT.

DANIEL F. ORDWAY.

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECK LIST.

NATHAN JOHNSON,

JAMES H. EMERSON,

H. SUMNER MARTIN.

TOWN OFFICERS ELECTED ANNUALLY.

TOWN CLERK.

ALFRED W. FOOTE.

SELECTMEN.

JOSEPH H. GRANT,

AARON H. DAVIS,

DANIEL N. HOYT.

TREASURER.

ALFRED P. EMERSON.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

CHARLES W. BAILEY.

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

WILLIAM C. LITTLE.

CONSTABLE.

LUTHER WEBBER.

AUDITORS.

JOHN D. ORDWAY,

JAMES H. EMERSON,

JOHN S. CORSON,

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in Treasury, March 1, 1882,	\$881 53	
Dog tax,	62 00	\$943 53
Railroad tax from State Treasurer,	218 44	
Savings Bank tax from State Treasurer,	581 65	
Literary Fund " " "	74 06	
Abatement of State tax,	88 00	
" County tax,	110 94	
Cash received of Selectmen hired for the use of the town,	1270 80	
C. W. Bailey Col- lector for 1881,	1556 22	
C. W. Bailey, interest,	52 18	
" " Dog tax,	19 00	
" " for 1882,	5952 48	
" " Interest,	16 02	
" " Dog tax,	13 00	
County of Rockingham for support of paupers,	31 50	
Selectmen for taxes redeemed,	37 94	

Cash received of Interest on same,	6 80	
Nathan Johnson, Collector		
for 1880,	6 76	
use Town Hall,	11 25	
H. C. Eastman, old lumber,	5 50	
J. H. Emerson, lumber,	3 45	
Pardon Tabor, lumber,	1 58	
Jacob Townsend, paper,	1 20	
Aaron H. Davis, "	1 20	
H. C. L. Post, G. A. R.		
wood,	1 75	
Town Clerk, for lot in		
cemetery,	2 00	10063 72
		<u>11007 25</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid State tax,	\$1008 00	
County tax,	1270 80	\$2278 80
Non-resident highway receipts,		10 91

SCHOOL MONEY.

Paid District No. 1,	\$246 94
“ 2,	318 56
“ 3,	186 93
“ 4,	282 58
“ 5,	163 00
“ 6,	168 41
“ 7,	184 42
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	\$1550 84

SCHOOL HOUSE TAX.

Paid Dist. No. 2,	\$189 30
“ 5,	125 00
“ 7,	20 00
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	\$334 30

SUPPORT OF PAUPERS.

For child of Laura J. Tarleton,	\$24 00
Annie B. Hazeltine,	130 00
Albert W. Ayer,	14 67
Elizabeth Eastman,	114 64
Transient paupers,	4 75
Town of Kingston for aid to Isaac H. Clow,	30 00
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	\$318 06

REFUNDED OF SAVINGS BANK TAX OF 1879.

Paid Hannah Lovejoy	\$ 94	
Emeline Ferrin,	1 00	
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PUBLIC WATERING PLACES.

Paid estate of F. A. Pike,	\$3 00	
George Allen,	3 00	
Daniel Nichols,	3 00	
Francis Merrick,	3 00	
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UNDERTAKERS' BILLS.

Paid O. R. Bragg,	\$1 50	
Ira Haggett,	1 50	
William A. Little,	6 00	
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SNOW PATHS FOR SPRING OF 1882.

Paid James Johnson,	\$1 87	
Ira Haggett,	3 07	
B. F. Rowe,	2 00	
Daniel H. Emerson,	83	
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NON-RESIDENT HIGHWAY TAX.

Paid Oliver Putman, District No. 2,		\$6 27
William H. Page,	" 4,	8 44
George Marston,	" 6,	10 13
B. F. Rowe,	" 7,	2 98
J. G. Brown,	" 8,	5 98
Sewell Johnson,	" 9	13 33
Joseph H. Grant,	" 10, 11,	26 64

\$73 77

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid George Hyde, building bridge,	\$21 50
B. F. Rowe, repairs on highways,	13 37
Nelson and J. D. Ordway, plank for bridge,	13 16
William Griffin, plank for bridge, No. 9,	5 48
A. W. Foote, spikes for bridge,	40
William Sanborn, work on Page road,	30
B. F. Rowe, cutting bushes,	3 50

\$57 71

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid Sundry Notes and Interest,	\$3626 75
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BOUNTIES ON CROWS.

Paid Daniel N. Hoyt,	\$2 00	
Aaron H. Davis,	1 60	
Joseph H. Grant,	1 00	
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		\$4 60

IMPROVEMENTS IN CEMETERY.

Paid Rufus H. H. Bailey for digging drain and laying Tile,	\$33 99	
G. W. Wiggin for drain tile,	18 10	
Freight on drain tile,	4 89	
		<u> </u>
		\$56 98

REPAIRS ON TOWN HOUSE.

Paid Charles W. Pressey, lumber,	\$84 41
D. D. Chase & Son, lumber,	76 09
C. H. Fellows & Co., supplies,	33 73
A. W. Foote, paint, oil and nails,	89 59
Wm. Griffin, lumber,	11 82
Wm. A. Emerson, drawing lumber,	16 90
J. A. Hale, paper and border,	11 70
J. W. Sanborn, iron work,	9 10
S. E. Jackman, posts for stairs,	7 00
D. H. Emerson, plank,	50
H. Quimby & Son, window and moulding,	3 10
H. C. Eastman, painting,	74 00
J. H. En erson, stock and labor,	40 10
George J. Penneo, labor,	205 17

Paid Aaron H. Davis, labor,	66 50
Orrin B. Dow, papering hall,	6 83
Job J. Tabor, labor,	5 10
Albert H. Emerson, "	1 25
D. F. Ordway, paint,	1 50
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	\$744 39

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid Morris & Ireland, safe,	\$300 00
Insurance on town house for five years,	50 00
Job J. Tabor, ringing bell and care of house,	50 00
Wingate & Shaw, for printing town reports,	28 00
H. C. L. Post G. A. R. decoration day,	25 00
W. E. Morse, stove funnel for hall,	10 60
Wm. Sanborn, wood for hall,	7 00
Nathan Johnson, blank check-lists,	5 00
C. C. Morse & Son, order books,	4 50
J. H. Emerson, repairs on bell wheel,	3 75
J. H. Grant, blank books,	3 00
Wm. A. Little, mowing cemetery,	2 50
Isaac Roundy, foundation under safe,	3 00
A. W. Foote, blank books,	2 35
Job J. Tabor, supplies for town house, etc.,	7 66
A. H. Davis, making book for County Commissioners,	4 00
W. H. Hills, running lines, Atkinson and Plaistow,	4 00

Paid J. H. Barker, printing tax bills,	1 25
J. H. Emerson, repairing select- men's room,	1 08
A. H. Davis, postage and stationery,	1 00
B. E. Woodman, return of births and deaths,	75

\$514 44

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid C. W. Bailey, Collector of taxes,	\$111 62
Wm. C. Little, S. S. Committee,	35 00
Joseph H. Grant, Selectman,	53 50
Aaron H. Davis, “	70 00
Daniel N. Hoyt, “	51 00
A. W. Foote, town clerk,	27 50
A. P. Emerson, treasurer,	50 00
Daniel F. Ordway, Supervisor, March and Nov.	12 00
Nathan Johnson, Supervisor, March and Nov.	12 00
James H. Emerson, Supervisor, March and November,	12 00
Luther Weber, Constable,	3 00
Joseph H. Grant, horse hire,	7 00
Daniel N. Hoyt, “	5 00
Aaron H. Davis, “	3 50
Aaron H. Davis, pauper business,	2 05
J. D. Ordway, Moderator, March and Nov.	4 00
Auditors' expenses,	7 50

\$466 67

Dog tax in Treasury,	\$32 00	
Cash " "	906 32	\$938 32
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		\$11,007 25

SELECTMEN'S STATEMENT.

Dr. Total amount of taxes assessed,	\$7441 41
Cr. Taxes committed to Chas. W. Bailey for collection,	\$7441 41

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

On book of Charles W. Bailey for 1881 and 1882 :	
Daniel Seavey, inability to pay,	\$4 00
Otis Woodward, left town,	2 00
Wm. H. Collins, " "	2 00
F. G. A. Heath, " "	2 00
Orren West, " "	3 00
Land taxed belonging to U. S. Government,	20 00
John Gove, overtax of 1882,	95
George J. Penneo, on dog,	1 00
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	\$34 95

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Total amount of debt being outstanding	
notes with acerued interest	
thereon to March 1, 1883,	\$13,065 36
Due school district No. 5 school money,	112 36
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	\$13,177 72

ASSETS.

Due on Chas. W. Bailey's book for 1881,	\$24 70
" " " 1882,	1465 07
Due on U. S. bounties,	776 40
Dog tax in Treasury,	32 00
Cash "	906 32
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	3204 49
Balance being town debt Mar. 1st, 1883,	<hr/>
	\$9,973 23

REDUCTION OF TOWN DEBT.

Indebtedness March 1, 1882,	\$11668 74
" " 1883,	9973 23
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Reduction of town debt the past year,	\$1695 51

JOSEPH H. GRANT,	} Selectmen of Hampstead.
AARON H. DAVIS,	
DANIEL N. HOYT,	

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

Hampstead, N. H., Feb. 24, 1883.

The Auditors of the town find the accounts of the Treasurer and Selectmen accurately kept, correctly computed and properly vouched for.

JOHN D. ORDWAY,
JAMES H. EMERSON, } Auditors.
JOHN S. CORSON,

THE ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Superintending School Committee
OF THE
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DISTRICT NO. 1.

ALBERT H. LITTLE, Prudential Committee.

Teacher for first and second terms, Miss Annie V. Key. The teacher was young and inexperienced and took charge of the school under rather trying circumstances. Defective discipline and irregularity of attendance interfered materially with its usefulness, but those pupils who were constant in their attendance made very good progress in their studies.

The winter term was taught by Miss Susie M. Clifford. Miss Clifford is an excellent regulator and thorough teacher, and a very marked improvement was manifested in the manner and progress of her pupils.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

CHARLES W. BAILEY, Prudential Committee.

The first and second terms were taught by Miss

Louise M. Pollard who proved to be just the right person in the right place. The winter term was in charge of Miss Almira J. Eaton. Miss Eaton is vigilant and thorough in her method of teaching. Both teachers worked hard for the improvement of their pupils and with good success.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

DANIEL NICHOLS, Prudential Committee.

Teacher for first term, Miss Mary Alice Nichols. Miss Nichols was energetic and gave her best efforts for the advancement of her pupils in their various studies, and success crowned her efforts.

Teacher for second term, Miss Mary L. Burnham. The teacher was interested and enjoyed her work, secured the good will of her pupils and succeeded remarkably well for a first attempt at teaching.

DISTRICT NO. 4.

CHARLES W. BROWN, Prudential Committee.

Teacher, Miss Annie E. George.

The reputation of the teacher is so well known that I need not refer to it in this connection. Suffice it to say that her school ranks high, both as regards discipline and scholarship.

DISTRICT NO. 5.

ALBERT G. RAND, Prudential Committee.

Teacher, Miss Ella A. White.

Miss White's work was characterized by thoroughness and devotion to the best interests of her pupils. It was an excellent school in every respect.

DISTRICT NO. 6.

SEWELL JOHNSON, Prudential Committee.

Teacher, Miss Emma F. Chase.

Miss Chase, as far as I have been informed, gave satisfaction to the residents of the district, yet there was a general lack of thoroughness in the recitations, which I think is due mainly to a disposition on the part of the pupils to take advantage of the natural kindness of their teacher, and did not apply themselves as closely to their studies as they ought to have done to secure the best results.

DISTRICT NO. 7.

EMORY G. EATON, Prudential Committee.

Teacher, Miss Almira J. Eaton.

A guaranty that the best interests of the school will be insured. This school fully sustains its former good standing.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Principal, Forrest E. Merrill, A. B.

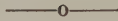
This school is in a flourishing condition. During the past year the Trustees have raised the standard of admission, fixed the per cent. for promotion and graduation and dispensed with the preparatory course of study, (previously allowed) fully convinced that it can be pursued to better advantage in the district schools.

Respectfully submitted,

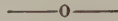
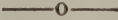
WM. C. LITTLE, *Supt. School Com.*

Hampstead, March 1, 1883.

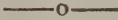
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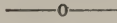
NAMES OF PUPILS NOT ABSENT OR TARDY FOR THREE TERMS

Arthur A. Brown,
Herbert A. Brown,Walter S. Brown,
Charles F. Perot.

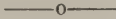
NAMES OF PUPILS NOT ABSENT OR TARDY FOR TWO TERMS.

Nellie M. Follansbee,
Frederick Grover,
M. Abbie Marble,
Eugene Marble,
Willie Marble,
George H. Adams,
Blanche E. Eaton,David O. Bailey,
Helen P. Lake,
Louise B. Griffin,
George Hoyt,
John Watson,
Annie H. Raul,
Mary O. Goodwin.

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NAMES OF PUPILS NOT ABSENT OR TARDY FOR ONE TERM.



Eugene Hyde,
 Scott Hyde,
 Wallace P. Noyes,
 Edith Nichols,
 Grace Nichols,
 Maud Nichols,
 Fannie Tabor,
 Linnie Townsend,
 Harry Tucker,
 Harry M. Ordway,
 Emma L. Ordway,
 Jessie E. Bailey,
 Ida M. Bailey,
 Ada M. Bailey,
 Walter Allen,

Eddie Corson,
 Carrie Davis,
 Ola M. Foote,
 Charlie Foote,
 Bessie L. Grover,
 Hattie Mann,
 Nellie Griffin,
 Mabel Watson,
 Fannie Williams,
 Charles M. Grover,
 C: Bertie Fitts,
 Minnie M. Fitts,
 N. Grace Lovejoy,
 Arthur W. Keezer,
 Newton W. Johnson.

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Hampstead qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on the second Tuesday of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

Article 3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to defray town charges for the year ensuing.

Article 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay town debt and interest.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire money for the use of the town.

Article 6. To see what sum of money the town will

vote to raise for school purposes in addition to what the law requires.

Article 7. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for keeping highways and bridges in repair.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of twenty-five dollars for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in decorating the soldiers' graves on the thirtieth day of May next.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to exempt from taxation the Mill and business of the firm of Page & Little, located near the Depot, for a term of three years.

Article 10. To hear the reports of Auditors and Superintending School Committee, and act thereon.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D., eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

{ L. S. }

JOSEPH H. GRANT, }
AARON H. DAVIS, }
DANIEL N. HOYT, } Selectmen
of
Hampstead.

STATISTICAL TABLE OF SCHOOLS,
FOR THE PAST YEAR.

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Districts.	Wages per month including board.		No. of terms.	Length in weeks.	No. of pupils.		Average attendance.	Percentage of attendance.	Reading.	Spelling.	Penmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Composition.	Algebra.	Vocal music.	No. of visitors.		
	\$	¢																		No. not absent.	No. absent.
1	24	10	1	7	5		.71	7	7	6	7	5	4	3	5				1	14	
	24	12	2	10	6		.60	10	9	9	10	9	6	5	9					15	
	26	12	3	10	7		.88	10	10	7	8	8	5	8	8	1			4	6	
2	40	12	1	53	50		.956	53	53	36	35	36	20					17	9	40	
	40	10	2	51	48		.951	51	51	34	33	34	20	22				1	17	6	14
	40	7	3	48	38		.90	48	48	44	37	32	19	23				1		4	9
3	29	10	1	17	16		.96	17	17	17	17	14	14		10					9	42
	29	10	2	19	17		.95	19	19	17	18	14	14	7	11					10	46
4	31	12	1	19	16		.941	19	19	17	17	10	8	1	8			6	5	13	
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5	25	10	1	9	8		.933	9	9	5	8	5	3		6					5	19
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6	24	10	1	22	19		.95	22	22	10	13	8	3	2						3	9
	24	16	2	22	17		.894	22	22	11	13	7	2	5						2	11
7	28	12	1	14	18		.985	14	14	14	13	7	4	3	5	1				4	39
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