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TREASURER OF THE TOWN OF LOUDON

In account with said town for the year ending February 15, 1894.

DR.

To cash balance in hands of treasurer,		
March 1, 1893,	\$	93.15
cash balance of dog licenses in hands		
of treasurer March 1, 1893,		124.60
“ received of collector, 1893,		7,072.39
“ “ selectmen,		5,070.30
“ “ T. W. Center, fee for		
peddler's license,		2.00
		\$12,362.44

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By paid interest on bonds, 1894,	\$	342.00
J. A. Clough, amount of note,		515.00
E. H. Sleeper, “ “		521.58
		\$1,378.58

EXPENSES OF HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Charles Hill, labor on highway,		\$ 7.84
John O. Hill, “ “		3.60
Dick Rogers, winter labor on highway, Dist. No. 14,		4.59
Rufus P. Maxfield, “ “ 5,		37.65
Alvin Beck, “ “ 30,		2.63
E. D. Lake, “ “ 25,		5.72
John L. Buswell, “ “ 3,		20.00
Joseph I. Allen, “ “ 8,		30.37
Warren W. Blake, “ “ 16,		69.59
George Barnard, “ “ 35 and 36,		25.44
Henry J. Osgood, “ “ 21,		10.88
Frank W. Chamberlain, “ “ 15,		20.36

Paid J. D. Sargent, winter labor on highway, Dist. No. 26,	\$	30.94
Charles E. Brown, " " 31,		18.00
W. J. Rogers, labor on highway, Dist. No. 34,		11.30
David Wiggins, winter labor on highway, Dist. No. 33,		9.80
L. H. Pettingill, labor on highway, Dist. No. 14,		22.75
Selectmen, winter labor on highway, Dist. No. 23,		3.50
C. D. Marston, labor on highway, Dist. No. 28,		14.88
Thomas Sears, " " 2,		41.52
Levi F. Sleeper, winter labor on highway, Dist. No. 7,		12.26
William H. Sanborn, " " 13,		29.95
Levi Pearl, " " 12,		7.33
E. G. Sargent, for drawing bridge plank and laying bridge, 1892,		4.00
E. G. Sargent, winter labor on highway, Dist. No. 6,		44.15
Joseph E. Sanborn, " " 11,		30.89
J. P. M. Brown, " " 19,		12.95
W. D. Clough, " " 10,		6.19
K. C. Neal, " " 24,		46.11
J. M. Hutchinson, " " 4,		16.55
John R. Osborne, winter repairs on highway, Dist. No. 20,		14.94
John B. Sanborn, winter repairs on highway, Dist. No. 29,		8.25
John J. A. Huckins, winter labor on highway, Dist. No. 9,		22.32
John O. Hill, winter labor on highway, Dist. No. 30,		3.00
W. W. Cate, 200 feet bridge plank,		2.00
J. S. Tilton, repairs on guide boards,		1.00
Walter L. Clough, services as road agent,		1,042.61
J. R. Osborne, winter labor on highway, 1893,		1.35
Emery Wyman, winter labor on highway, 1893,		.45
Doddridge Wheeler, winter labor on highway, 1893,		6.04
Arthur Marston, winter labor on highway, 1893,		.75
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		\$1,704.45

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

Paid Mrs. Avery, aid from county,	\$69.50
A. Demick family, " "	25.00
Jason Hoyt, " "	14.73
	\$109.23

AID TO COUNTY POOR.

Paid for support of Arvilla Brown,	\$ 56.25
" " Mrs. Benjamin Newton,	5.00
" conveying Geo. W. Chase to the county farm,	5.00
" taking, conveying and committing to the asylum E. Farnum,	12.00
" taking, conveying and committing to the coun- ty farm Geo. Pettingill and wife,	24.05
	\$102.30

AID TO TOWN POOR.

Paid aid furnished transient paupers,	\$16.00
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MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.

Paid Chas. E. Sanborn, housing town derrick two years,	\$ 4.00
Chas. H. Osgood, housing road machine two years,	1.00
New Hampshire Democratic Press Association, print- ing town reports,	32.00
Henry J. Osgood, services as auditor, 1893,	3.00
W. J. Rogers, non-res. highway tax, worked Dist. No. 34,	2.35
Alfred P. Batchelder, services as ballot clerk, 1892,	4.00
James S. Tilton, for office desk,	6.00
George W. Rowell, for school supplies,	186.47
Horace F. Fletcher, non-res. highway tax, worked Dist. No. 28, 1891,	1.16
James F. Towle, services in taking care and helping to put out forest fire on Bear Hill,	5.35

Paid J. A. Keniston, repairing fence around school house on the lower ridge,	\$1.00
Elisha Piper, for labor building cemetery fence,	4.07
A. L. Brown, non-res. highway tax, worked Dist. No. 17,	2.87
Chas. K. Marston, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	1.50
George Washington, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	1.50
Arthur K. Marston, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	1.50
J. I. Allen, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	3.00
F. M. Johnson, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	1.50
County tax,	1,613.27
W. W. Cate, non-res. highway tax, worked in 1891-2,	9.28
E. S. Harvey, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	3.00
F. C. Winslow, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	3.00
State tax,	1,600.00
True M. Hill, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	3.00
James T. Towle, damage done by fire to wood and timber on Bear Hill,	10.00
F. E. Towle, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	3.00
David T. Wiggins, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	1.50
John Tilton, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	1.50
Alfred O'Meara, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	1.50
Joseph T. Sanborn, counsel fees paid Edward A. Lane,	1.00
Chas. E. Payne, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	6.00
Dudley W. Towle, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	2.25

Paid Henry C. Morse, making and recording 20 burial permits,	\$ 3.00
D. T. Kendall, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	.45
Deposited in New Hampshire Savings Bank,	2,000.00
J. S. Tilton, justice fees,	.75
Board of education, amount of school order,	1,673.44
Board of education, amount of dog licenses, 1892,	124.60
Interest on school fund,	94.07
B. M. Tilton, trunk for town,	4.00
Arthur Rogers, sawing wood for town house,	1.35
Joseph T. Sanborn, repairs and freight on road machine,	8.20
Joseph T. Sanborn, services as moderator in town and school meetings,	3.00
David W. Welton, one cord wood for town house,	4.00
F. E. Robinson, for lumber, posts, nails, etc., to build cemetery fence,	21.31
C. D. Marston, stove for the town lobby,	2.50
Caleb D. Marston, labor, lumber and painting cemetery fence,	15.29
Caleb D. Marston, services fighting forest fire on Bear Hill,	2.50
Caleb D. Marston, land for town lobby,	5.00
Lyman Jackman, services as police officer,	3.00
J. B. Sanborn, books, blanks, stationery, etc.,	18.35
Walter L. Clough, repairs on road machine,	1.70
James J. Harrington, justice fees,	2.00
Charles E. Brown, services as constable,	10.00
George G. Brown, services as police officer,	5.00
Frank O. Lovering, services as town clerk,	36.00
James Harrington, services as town treasurer,	50.00
Caleb D. Marston, services as selectman,	100.00
Joseph T. Sanborn, services as selectman,	100.00
Edwin H. Sleeper, services as selectman,	75.00
Charles E. Sanborn, order and receipt book and express on same,	1.35
Charles E. Sanborn, housing town derrick in 1893,	2.00

Paid Charles E. Sanborn, services on board of education,	\$30.00
Henry J. Osgood, " " "	30.00
Chas. E. Sanborn, services as treasurer on the school board,	10.00
John F. Green, services as collector of taxes,	106.00
George W. Rowell, services on board of education,	30.00
William L. Foster, counsel fees on the road case,	176.90
William L. Foster, counsel fees in school matters,	5.00
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	\$8,280.33

SUMMARY OF TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

Whole amount of money received,		\$12,362.44
Paid interest on bonds,	\$342.00	
J. A. Clough, amount of note,	515.00	
E. H. Sleeper, “	521.58	
on highways and bridges,	1,704.45	
on dependent soldiers' account,	109.23	
on county poor account,	102.30	
on town poor account,	16.00	
on miscellaneous account,	8,280.33	
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Whole amount paid out,		\$11,590.89
Balance in hands of treasurer,		<hr/> \$ 771.55

JAMES J. HARRINGTON,
Town Treasurer.

Loudon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1894.

ACCOUNT OF MONEY

Received and paid out under the law of 1891, entitled "An act to prevent the destruction of sheep and other damages by dogs."

	TOWN TREASURER,	Dr.
To cash received of F. O. Lovering, town clerk, 1893,		\$160.80
	TOWN TREASURER,	Cr.
By cash paid J. L. Buswell, for sheep killed,		\$8.00
A. B. Osgood, sheep killed,		5.00
Chas. E. Brown, services under the dog law,		10.00
Martha J. Smith, sheep killed,		9.00
J. P. Batchelder, sheep killed,		6.00
		<hr/> \$38.00
Balance in hands of treasurer,		\$122.80

JAMES J. HARRINGTON,

Town Treasurer.

Loudon, N. H., Feb. 15, 1894.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

To the Citizens of Loudon:

The selectmen respectfully submit the following report for the year ending February 15, 1894:

Received from—

State treasurer, railroad tax,	\$ 141.61
“ savings bank tax,	3,223.56
“ literary fund,	220.57
Merrimack county, support of dependent soldiers and their families,	109.23
Merrimack county, support of poor,	102.75
Interest on school fund,	94.07
Interest on the Eliza Smith fund,	4.15
Money hired on notes,	1,000.00
Money received from the petitioners on the Maxfield road,	174.11
Stove,	.25
	\$5,070.30
 Paid town treasurer,	\$5,070.30

FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE TOWN.

Due sundry individuals on bonds,	\$9,000.00
Accrued interest on the same,	45.00

AVAILS OF THE TOWN.

Cash in the hands of treasurer,	\$ 771.55
U. S. installments of bounty,	1,523.00
Value of derrick,	25.00
Value of road machine,	175.00
Cash on hand of dog licenses,	122.80
Money in savings bank,	2,000.00
Due from collector of 1893,	40.44
	\$4,657.79

Total avails,	\$4,657.79
Balance of indebtedness,	\$4,387.21
Reduction of indebtedness,	\$2,560.04

CALEB D. MARSTON,
 JOSEPH T. SANBORN,
 EDWIN H. SLEEPER,
Selectmen of Loudon.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts, and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

HENRY J. OSGOOD,
 JOSEPH T. SANBORN,
Auditors.

THE FERNALD FUND.

Amount in hands of agent Jan. 1, 1893,	\$366.74
Interest from Jan. 1, 1893, to Jan. 1, 1894,	14.66
	<u>\$381.40</u>
Paid by order of selectmen,	5.00
Amount remaining in hands of agent,	<u>\$376.40</u>

J. L. BUSWELL.

THE ELIZA SMITH FUND.

In hands of selectmen,	\$100.00
Interest on same,	4.15
	<u>\$104.15</u>
Paid by order of selectmen to town treasurer,	4.15
Balance in hands of selectmen,	<u>\$100.00</u>

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

Cash paid for labor on highway.

J. E. Sanborn,	\$58.75
J. A. Clough,	10.85
Levi Pearl,	7.37
George Brown,	74.75
J. Munro Young,	69.03
C. Z. Moore,	16.65
J. R. Osburne,	6.35
C. E. Brown,	1.00
H. J. Osgood,	3.50
C. D. Marston,	6.16
Nathan Marden,	.75
Jerry Sanborn,	2.50
Timothy Powell,	2.25
Elbridge Wales,	3.90
D. S. Clough,	14.00
A. L. Morse,	1.13
T. P. Batchelder,	1.50
Robert McCurley, Jr.,	3.00
W. W. Cate,	7.00
Archie Hill,	1.50
David P. Batchelder,	3.33
Abram Batchelder,	4.63
Ace Flanders,	3.75
E. Payne,	6.00
A. F. Currier,	6.00
Jacob Wheeler,	1.50
William Rogers,	.75
D. P. Wheeler,	3.00
W. H. Sanborn,	4.50
R. M. Hill,	6.00
J. D. Sargent,	7.50

Albert Rogers,	\$2.25
David Kendall,	1.50
Ezekiel Eastman,	1.50
Willie Brown,	1.00
William Wiggins,	1.50
Jacob Dow,	.75
Frank Chamberlain,	1.50
Charles Ordway,	2.25
David Wiggins,	2.00
Daniel Kendal,	3.25
S. N. Cate,	8.50
John Perkins,	4.50
William Ordway,	.75
Walter Ordway,	5.75
William Eaton,	3.00
Arthur Cate,	1.50
James Towle,	4.59
Charles Jones,	.30
Walter Maynard,	9.00
Frank Batchelder,	1.00
Frank Brown,	6.00
Warren Moses,	5.00
J. M. Ladd,	3.00
William Moses,	1.80
Thomas Sears,	6.00
J. P. Batchelder,	7.50
Charles Batchelder	3.00
Lyman Jackman,	3.00
S. N. True,	5.50
Evander Hilliard,	3.75
J. F. Green,	3.75
Charles Perkins,	3.00
J. I. Allen,	8.90
James Lake,	9.65
John Lake,	1.50
B. F. Tilton,	1.50
J. Tilton,	1.80
L. Clough,	1.50

David Sargent,	\$3.00
Henry Coleman,	1.50
Frank Johnson,	2.00
Hiram Hilliard,	8.10
Ira York,	1.45
J. E. Batchelder,	.75
Perly Osgood,	1.95
Abraham Osgood,	.95
Melvin Carr,	1.12
Lewis Towle,	2.40
Frank Carter,	6.00
True Hill,	6.50
John Buswell,	3.00
Cyrus Peaslee,	1.12
Jonathan Diamond,	.75
Fred Drew,	1.05
Charles Kenney,	1.12
Edward Atwood,	.75
Ben. Maxfield,	1.50
William Weeks,	.75
Alexander Merrill,	6.00
Joseph Young,	4.20
Walter Mudgett,	4.60
N. D. Clough,	8.85
Levi Sleeper,	1.50
J. D. Pease,	1.50
J. Keniston,	1.50
Guy Stephens,	1.50
John Brown,	4.50
Cyrus French,	1.50
John Smith,	.90
Leroy Pearl,	.75
F. O. Hill,	1.50
William Hill,	.75
Kimbal Neal,	.75
Kendal Neal,	4.50
Doddridge Wheeler,	10.50
Gilman Moore,	11.25

George Dow,	\$6.00
Walter Neal,	4.50
F. O. Lovering,	4.50
Cyrus Leavitt,	1.50
George Taylor,	1.50
Kirk Taylor,	1.50
Alvin Beck,	6.75
S. D. Hill,	7.50
J. Blake,	.75
Edward Sleeper,	5.55
Paul Lamprone,	.75
W. L. Clough,	123.90
W. L. Clough, for team,	168.37
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Total,	\$916.42

WALTER L. CLOUGH,
Road Agent.

LABOR AND LUMBER FOR BRIDGES.

Paid J. A. Clough, labor,	\$10.50
C. D. Marston, labor and lumber,	11.70
S. N. Cate, “	6.74
D. Wiggin, labor,	1.50
George Jenness, lumber,	5.00
F. E. Robinson, “	3.92
F. O. Hill, labor,	2.00
Alvin Beck, “	.50
John Sanborn, lumber,	7.40
S. D. Hill, “	3.72
David Welton, labor,	1.00
J. M. Hutchinson, “	5.00
J. D. Pease, “	3.00
spikes and rails,	1.20
Amos Peaslee, lumber.	2.00
H. Jones, “	12.00
E. H. Sleeper, labor,	7.00
W. L. Clough, “	25.00
W. L. Clough, team,	10.00
Stephen Watson,	7.00
Total,	\$126.19

WALTER L. CLOUGH,
Agent.

SCHOOL REPORT.

It is very gratifying to the school board to be able to report to the citizens of the town that our schools have been quite successful during the entire year. The school board considered well the conditions upon which we might expect and look for the greatest progress and advancement possible, and made the necessary arrangements for such results. Every teacher has been selected and assigned to their position in the different schools because we considered them the best fitted for that particular school. Personal friendship has been ignored, as well as the custom of preceding years. Not even smiles or hard thoughts have swerved us in the least from the duties which we were expected to discharge. The one purpose of the school board has been to advance and educate all children to the greatest extent in our power, consequently we selected teachers of experience, and have paid the best of wages.

The roll of honor will speak for itself, and we are pleased to have had so many of our scholars aspire to this, the highest position attainable in deportment. We build our hopes in the future more directly upon this class of scholars, as they, by their own acts and efforts, have been enabled to reach this high and respected position.

The decrease in the number of scholars demands our thought. Five schools have been in operation during the year; with four and five scholars in each, and under such circumstances we may expect soon more vacant school houses. The question of continuing these small schools will soon have to be met, as the cost and expense of maintaining them will be unsatisfactory. We do not need to build more school houses, as we have more than we can use. The question to be considered will be, shall we keep them in repair or let them fall into ruins?

We have been able to give twenty-five weeks of school to nearly all, which would average three terms of eight weeks each, and without raising additional school money. We think the terms may be increased to three of nine weeks for the ensuing year.

Our legislature is taking a deep interest in our system of education as applied to our common schools, which can only result in their being constantly and permanently improved if we will but adopt cheerfully the laws and measures which are enacted and recommended by it. The increase of school money was a measure which would have had to have been met by a direct tax upon the property of many towns in the state by reason of the depreciation of value in real estate, and the wisdom of our legislature is seen in a new enactment of law. The town system of providing school books for every scholar is another measure which produces the best of results. It provides text books at a much less expense than could possibly be under the former system, besides giving a greater uniformity in classifying scholars, and although opposed somewhat at first, the results are so apparent to all that it is considered as the best system generally. Other improvements will be made and other new laws will be enacted which will result only in the advancement and higher elevation of our schools.

We think it will be of infinitely more value to our scholars as well as to ourselves to continue to look for the highest and most efficient teachers rather than attempt to increase the length of the terms under existing circumstances. We are aware that we are advocating sentiments directly in opposition to recommendations of some of the former boards of our town, and we do so because they seem to us reasonable and consistent.

The question of raising money by taxation for school purposes of any nature is one upon which our people are quite sensitive, and should be approached with much caution. We cannot afford to throw away even a single dollar for any purpose other than the legitimate one for which it was designed, and as such will be conducive to the best interests and highest welfare of every citizen within our town.

It is demanded of us that our interest be a broad and a unanimous one, so much so that we may be enabled to put aside every personal and self interest, and place every child, whosoever he may be, within the limits of our town, under the care and instruction of efficient teachers, for the child of today may be the person upon whom our future will be established and maintained.

We do not propose to address our citizens upon those educa-

tional topics which often find a place in school reports and are often impracticable and sometimes inconsistent, and founded only upon theory; but we rather say things that are practical and speak them as the practical thoughts of practical men, asking your candid and deliberate consideration to all of them. We submit this report to you, being fully aware that it is a departure from those usually made. We can afford to do this, as the board were elected under such circumstances as required the most rigid economy in their every effort for managing our schools.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. ROWELL,
CHARLES E. SANBORN,
HENRY J. OSGOOD,

Board of Education.

London, Feb. 15, 1894.

ROLL OF HONOR.

SUMMER TERM.

Grace A. Clough,	Florence M. Ordway,
Ethel M. Clough,	Mary L. Bourdon,
Gertie B. Clough,	Rosa N. Bourdon,
Florence M. Hilliard,	Walter Goodwin,
Ida M. Hill,	Cora F. Ordway,
Annie M. Hill,	Susie M. Wales,
Arthur C. Gleason,	Mamie E. Locke,
Karl C. Moore,	Inez P. Diamond,
Dwight E. Moore,	Katie F. Kenney,
Omah L. York,	Helen Kenney,
Ethel N. Pease,	Forrest B. Kenney,
Ruby A. Pease,	Sammie O. Hill,
Alva M. Caswell,	Walter A. Blake,
Charlie A. Pearl,	Alvah H. Blake,
Jennie I. Merrill,	Jere I. Blake,
Nancy M. Smith,	Clarence C. Merrill,
Louis F. Merrill,	John B. Pearl.

FALL AND WINTER TERM.

Florence M. Hilliard,	Edith M. Pease,
Ida M. Hill,	Ethel N. Pease,
Abbie E. Rogers,	Ruby A. Pease,
Mary True,	Omah L. York,
Walter A. Blake,	Dwight E. Moore,
Jere I. Blake,	Karl C. Moore,
Alvah H. Blake,	Mamie E. Locke,
George E. Merrill,	Katie F. Kenney,
Clarence C. Merrill,	Helen N. Kenney,
Jennie I. Merrill,	Forrest B. Kenney,
Nancy M. Smith,	Alva M. Caswell,
Amos J. Peaslee,	Mary E. Peaslee.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD

For year ending Feb. 15, 1894.

RECEIPTS.

Cash received of town treasurer, school order in full,	\$1,798.04	
Cash received as balance from last year,	35.69	
Cash received for tuition,	4.60	
Whole amount received,		\$1,838.33

EXPENDITURES.

Paid teachers, including board,	\$1,609.00	
for wood,	114.10	
for repairs,	35.76	
miscellaneous,	68.51	
Whole amount expended,		\$1,827.37
Balance in hands of treasurer,		\$10.96

CHARLES E. SANBORN,
Treasurer of School Board.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

JOSEPH E. SANBORN,
Auditor.

Feb. 15, 1894.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Name of School.	Term.	Name of Teacher.	No. of weeks of School.										
			No. of Scholars.	Average attendance.		No. in Reading and Spelling.		No. in Arithmetic.	No. in Grammar.	No. in Geography.	No. in Book-keeping.	No. in Physiology.	No. in Penmanship.	No. in other studies.
Village.....	Summer.	Etta B. Perkins.....	9	32	29	32	17	12	7	1	2	20	7
	Fall.....	Herbert S. Clay.....	16	33	28	33	22	12	9	2	1	28	11
White.....	Summer.	Minnie E. Clough.....	9	13	12	13	12	9	9	1	6	13	5
	Fall.....	“ “ “.....	16	18	17	18	17	10	9	1	6	18	7
Yellow.....	Summer.	Annie E. Weeks.....	9	16	14	16	10	5	4		1	15	5
	Fall.....	Sadie B. Diamond.....	16	20	18	20	17	5	6	5	1	20	6
Clough Hill...	Summer.	Ella D. Johnston.....	8	12	10	12	11	7	7	1	1	12	3
	Fall.....	Stephen L. Weeks.....	14	15	13	15	14	7	7	1	1	15	3
Brown.....	Summer.	Mamie A. Tilton.....	9	12	11	12	11	4	4			12	2
	Fall.....	Clara A. Pitman.....	16	14	13	14	14	5	10	1		14	3
Lower Ridge...	Summer.	Etta Osgood.....	9	9	8	9	8	4	7	3		9	1
	Fall.....	“ “.....	16	8	7	8	7	4	7			8	1
Moore.....	Summer.	Harriet M. Pease.....	9	6	5	6	5	3	4		2	6	
	Fall.....	Elizabeth Clough.....	16	7	6	7	7	3	7			7	
Cate.....	Fall.....	Harriet M. Pease.....	12	7	5	7	6	5	6			6	
Hill.....	Summer.	Sadie B. Diamond.....	9	12	10	12	12	7	11		1	12	1
	Fall.....	Ella D. Johnston.....	8	5	4	5	5	1	4			5	
Upper Ridge...	Summer.	Nellie A. True.....	9	7	7	7	6	2	3			7	2
	Fall.....	Alice M. Clough.....	16	9	9	9	4	3				9	2
Pleasant Street	Summer.	Sarah W. Rowell.....	9	5	5	5	2	1	2	1	1	5	3
	Fall.....	“ “ “.....	12	5	5	5	3	3	3			5	3

VITAL STATISTICS.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LOUDON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1893.

Date of birth.	Name of child (if any).	Sex and condition.			Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.	Age of father.	Age of mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or stillborn.								
1893.												
Feb'y 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	Addie M. Haselton.	W	Loudon	Farmer	Loudon	Pembroke..	33	27
Sept. 12	Stephen J. Carroll.	M	.....	1	Thomas D. Carroll.	"	Hopkinton	"	Canada	Loudon.....	51	17
23	.....	"	.....	1	Edmond P. Sanborn.	"	Loudon	"	Loudon	"	20	22
Oct. 23	John F. Osborn	"	1	Fred G. Osborn.....	"	"	"	"	"	24	27
Dec. 24	Gladys Brown.....	F	2	John P. M. Brown..	"	"	"	"	Bradford....	29	31

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MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LOUDON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1893.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Names of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age of each in years.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Birthplace of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Condition.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
1893. Jan'y 1	1 Tilton	Melvin E. Brown. Etta A. Carr	Loudon. Tilton.	23 21	W "	Day laborer Housekeeper	Loudon. Sanbornton.	Jonathan Brown. Arvilla A. Brown. Edward B. Carr Anna W. Carr	Loudon. Gilmanton. Sanbornton.	Shoemaker. Housekeeper. Farmer	1st " "	Rev. Wm. H. Hutchins, Tilton
April 23	Canterbury	Melvin F. Marston Flora B. Pettingill	Loudon. "	22 18	" "	Farmer Housekeeper.	Concord. Berwick, Me	Caleb D. Marston. Etta C. Damon. Lemuel Pettingill Julia Johnson George Marden.	Chichester. Concord Chichester. Montpelier, Vt. Blacksmith.	Laborer Housekeeper. Housekeeper.	" " "	Rev. Irving W. Coombs, Canterbury
June 4	Loudon	Charles Marden. Mabel Stearns.	Epsom. Vermont.	26 25	" "	Carpenter Housekeeper	Concord. . . . .	. . . . . Abram B. Osgood. Lucy Sargent. Eben Hanson. Jane Houghton. . . . .	. . . . . Loudon. Pittsfield Barnstead. . . . .	. . . . . Farmer. Postmaster Housewife.	" " "	Rev. James C. Emerson, Barnstead
July 1	Barnstead	Chapin H. Osgood Alice E. Hanson	Loudon. Barnstead	22 19	" "	School teacher "	Loudon. Barnstead.	Alexander Moody Betsy A. Wilson. Adolph Girard Martha Bennett.	Loudon. East Concord. Vermont.	Carpenter Housekeeper. Farmer Housewife.	" " "	Lucratus M. Sanborn, Justice of the Peace, Loudon
" 30	Loudon	Walter H. Moody Mary M. Girard.	Loudon. Chichester.	21 21	" "	Day laborer Housekeeper	Loudon. Vermont.	" "

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LOUDON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1893.

Date of death	Place of death.	Name and surname of the deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.			Sex and condition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Occupation of father.	Maiden name of mother.
			Years.	Months.	Days.	Male.	Female.	Color.	Single or married.	Widow.		Father.	Mother.			
1893.																
Jan. 17	London...	Margaret Anna Abbott	..	..	..	M	W	M	Housewife.	London...	London...	Henry W. Coleman.	Teacher.	Emma E. Morrill.
Jan. 23	"	Martha Osgood.	75	8	"	F	"	"	"	Concord	Concord	David Sargent.	Farmer.	Maria Tucker.		
Feb. 18	"	Susan Jane Mason.	43	6	17	"	"	"	Seamstress.	London.	London.	Thomas Proctor.	Farmer.	Drew.		
" 22	"	James Winslow.	70	5	14	"	"	"	Farmer.	Canterbury.	Canterbury.	Gardner Mason.	"	Harriet Stevens.		
" 24	"	Moses Chamberlain.	72	7	"	"	"	"	"	London.	London.	Edward Winslow.	"	Hannah Prescott.		
Mar. 11	"	Henry A. Beck.	30	11	"	"	"	"	"	Canterbury.	Canterbury.	Alvin Beck.	"	Anna Hayes.		
" 30	"	John Messer.	65	1	"	"	"	"	"	Chelsea, Mass.	Chelsea, Mass.	John Messer.	"	Mary J. Jowers.		
Apr. 10	"	Madison Walley.	71	2	19	"	"	"	"	London.	London.	John Jones.	"	John Jones.		
May 3	"	Martha A. S. Stevens.	62	9	5	"	B	S	Housewife.	London.	London.	Hodgdon.	"	Mary Clifford.		
" 10	"	Sarah Winslow.	64	7	"	"	"	"	"	Vermont.	Vermont.	Sprague Taylor.	Teacher.	Nancy Lovering.		
" 23	"	Alvin S. Taylor.	75	7	"	"	"	"	"	London.	London.	Walter J. Wiggin.	Farmer.	Jennie V. Barnard.		
July 6	"	John L. Wiggin.	6	3	20	"	"	"	"	Concord.	Concord.	Zachariah Hall.	"	Hannah Ingrahan.		
Sept. 17	E. Concord	Lyman Hall.	64	5	23	"	"	"	"	London.	London.	Edmond P. Sanborn.	"	Sally Thompson.		
" 19	London...	Oliver Maxfield.	69	3	16	"	"	"	"	London.	London.	Joseph Tasker.	"	Grace M. Powell.		
" 29	"	Daniel P. Tasker.	84	7	"	"	"	"	None.	London.	London.	Edmond P. Sanborn.	"	Grace M. Powell.		
Oct. 6	"	Josiah S. Durgin.	57	6	28	"	"	"	Day laborer.	London.	London.	Samuel Durgin.	"	Joseph Quint.		
" 8	"	Dolly E. Wales.	85	7	23	"	"	"	None.	London.	London.	Levi Stantish.	"	Hannah L. Low.		
" 18	"	Granville P. Neal.	44	2	3	"	"	"	Carpenter.	London.	London.	Samuel Neal.	"	Sally Emery.		
Nov. 28	"					"	"	"	"	London.	London.	Samuel Neal.	"	Asenath Mason.		

DISEASE OR CAUSE OF DEATH, AND NAME OF PHYSICIAN (OR OTHER PERSON) REPORTING SAME.

stillborn—
 Margaret Anna Abbott, cancer of face—
 Martha Osgood, pneumonia—
 Susan Jane Mason, chronic rheumatism—
 James Winslow, strangulated hernia—
 Moses Chamberlain, cancer of arm—
 Henry A. Beck, consumption—
 John Messer, gastric enteritis—
 John Jones, pneumonia—
 Madison Walley, congestion of lungs—
 Martha A. S. Stevens, pneumonia—

E. L. Carr.
 W. A. Megrath.
 F. H. Sargent.
 Levi Clark.
 W. A. Megrath.
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 Albion H. French.
 W. A. Megrath.

Sarah Winslow, valvular disease of heart—
 Alvin S. Taylor, exhaustion following paralysis—
 John L. Wiggin, spina bifida—
 Lyman Hall, diabetes—
 Oliver Maxfield, bilious dysentery—
 Daniel P. Tasker, valvular disease of heart—
 Josiah S. Durgin, cholera morbus—
 Dolly E. Wales, exhaustion—
 Granville P. Neal, quick consumption—

W. A. Megrath.
 " "
 J. Ralph Pattee.
 A. H. French.
 W. A. Megrath.
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