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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

We, the subscribers, Selectmen of Troy, submit the following report for the year ending March 1, 1894:

TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 1893.

State tax,	\$1,095 00
County tax,	950 72
Town charges,	500 00
Schools,	900 00
Highways,	1,200 00
Town Hall,	1,000 00
Town poor,	150 00
Sidewalks,	100 00
Cemeteries,	100 00
Steamer,	600 00
Decoration,	50 00
Library,	25 00
Taxes run above sum voted,	88 61
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	\$6,759 33

INVOICE OF THE TOWN AS TAKEN

APRIL 1, 1893.

277 polls,	\$ 27,700 00
Real estate,	306,430 00
202 horses,	13,916 00
26 oxen,	1,190 00
246 cows,	6,315 00
37 neat stock,	589 00
4 sheep,	15 00
1 hog,	15 00
33 carriages,	2,055 00
Bank stock,	700 00

Money at interest,	\$14,784 00
Stock in trade,	45,065 00
Mills and machinery,	70,950 00
Total valuation,	\$489,724 00
Reduced valuation,	\$244,900 00
Tax,	6,759 33
Rate, \$1.38 per hundred.	

AMOUNT RAISED AND APPROPRIATED
FOR SCHOOLS.

Assessed for the year 1893,	\$900 00
Literary fund,	275 37
Dog license,	146 10
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
Unexpended balance Mar. 1, 1893,	227 08
" " " " 1892,	54 31
" " for school books Mar. 1, 1893,	54 68
" " " repairs " " "	60 68
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	\$1,742 22
Paid school board,	1,656 73
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Unexpended total balance Mar. 1, 1894,	\$85 49

COUNTY POOR.

Etta M. Woodard, care of Anna Lang,	\$18 00
Ephraim W. Howe, milk for " "	1 95
Mrs. C. F. Lamson, boarding " "	61 43
M. T. Stone, medical attendance Anna Lang,	56 50
" " " " Freeman Abbott,	5 25
" " " " Joseph Parro family,	6 00
Charles W. Whitney, goods to C. C. Philbrick,	1 85
J. L. Stanley, coffin for Mrs. Abbott,	10 00
" " " and robe for Mrs. Albert A. Lewis,	12 00
Geo. A. Starkey, meat for Anna Lang,	1 60
E. P. Kimball & Son, goods for Anna Lang,	4 14
H. E. Goodridge, wood for " "	1 45
Angie A. Sutton, care for " "	3 00

Walter G. Haskell, moving and carrying watchers for Anna Lang,	\$ 1 00
Mrs. Fred Lang, washing for Anna Lang,	9 50
Mrs. A. B. Spooner, " " " "	50
J. L. Stanley, coffin and robe for Chas. Howard,	10 00
M. T. Stone, medical attendance Minnie Hill,	5 00
" " " " Mrs. Albert Lewis,	5 25
" " " " Joseph Parro family,	35 25
" " " " Thomas Parro,	6 00
C. W. Whitney, goods for " "	7 59
E. Buttrick & Co., wood, " "	2 25
Geo. A. Starkey, meat for " "	3 81
" " car fare to Westmoreland, Minnie Hill	61
Mrs. D. A. Starkey, boarding and nursing Mrs. Albert A. Lewis,	10 00
Nelson Rice, boarding Minnie Hill,	3 00
Geo. N. Parmenter, team to Jaffrey about Chas. Howard,	1 25
" " telegraphing " " "	1 19
" " money paid out for board and car fare, for Mrs. Emma Brunnell,	6 59
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	\$291 96

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

M. T. Stone, medical attendance Geo P. Ward,	\$63 75
" " " " O. L. Nash,	11 25
George A. Stanley, meat for O. L. Nash,	5 71
E. P. Kimball & Son, goods for O. L. Nash,	21 11
T. W. Starkey, wood for " "	7 50
Irving Brooks, care for G. P. Ward,	32 50
J. L. Starkey, coffin for " "	10 00
M. T. Stone, medical attendance Mrs. G. P. Ward,	2 25
George A. Starkey, meat for Mrs. G. P. Ward,	1 09
" " " " D. J. Nevers,	1 77
Hiram W. Eastman, house rent Mrs. G. P. Ward,	4 50
E. P. Kimball & Son, goods for D. J. Nevers,	2 25
" " " " Mrs. Geo. P. Ward,	2 75
Charles D. Farrar, house rent O. L. Nash,	15 00
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	\$181 43

TOWN POOR.

Levi Merrifield, for boarding Elmer U. Merrifield, \$104 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Louis Burgoine,	left town,	1892,	\$1 28
J. F. Byron, and dog,	" "	"	2 28
Samuel Clark, not taxable,		"	1 28
Joseph Day,	left town,	"	1 28
Louis Dane,	"	"	1 28
Dick Demarsh,	"	"	1 28
Charles Geene,	"	"	1 28
Peter Larshall,	"	"	1 28
William Lousier,	"	"	1 28
Peter Larando,	"	"	1 28
Arsene Larne,	"	"	1 28
Peter Landry, paid in Massachusetts,			1 28
Joseph Parro, not able to pay,			1 28
Samuel Parrent, left town,			1 28
Merrill Parker, paid in Jaffrey,			1 28
Nelson Riley, left town,			1 28
Ezekiel Starkey, not able to pay, 1891 and 1892,			2 62
Joseph Shepherd, left town,		"	1 28
Matthew Warren, not taxable,		"	1 28
Frank Whipple, not of age,		"	1 28
Henry Willard, soldier,		"	1 28
Charles R. Applin, soldier,		"	1 28
Irving Brooks,	"	"	1 28
John R. Dean,	"	"	1 28
Wilford Bonnett, not of age,		"	1 28
Stephen Farrar, not taxable,		"	1 28
Edward Forristall, paid in Massachusetts,		"	1 28
Philander Martin, soldier,		"	1 28

\$38 18

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

L. J. Stanley, men and care of Steamer Co.,	\$115 75
J. H. Bigelow, supplies for steamer,	31 25
A. C. Dort, 1 perfection holder and nozzle,	50 00
A. R. Foster, building hose tower,	55 00
“ “ putting door between engine rooms,	11 79
W. N. Gay, coal for Steamer Co.,	27 00
W. J. Boyden, work on hose room,	25 60
A. O. Dexter, painting new hose room,	23 66
Philip Boyce, work on new hose room,	13 40
M. Crato, mason work on F. Adams' cistern,	15 00
Asa C. Dort, supplies for Steamer Co.,	23 89
W. J. Boyden, work on F. Adams' cistern,	19 65
E. S. Foster, “ “ “ “	18 00
Albert Simmonds, “ “ “	16 12
W. N. Gay, “ “ “ “	3 40
Franklin Ripley, cost of hydrant from mill,	780 04
W. J. Boyden, work on Hamilton engine,	7 80
“ “ work and supplies for hose room,	1 95
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber for hose room,	55 52
W. Devine, work on Hamilton engine,	5 00
N. Grimes, tending mason repairing reservoir, 1892,	4 38
E. P. Kimball, supplies for Steamer Co.,	12 10
J. H. Bigelow, stationery, postage and express for Steamer Co.,	1 53
Asa C. Dort, supplies for Steamer Co.,	125 70
F. Ripley, “ “ “ “	9 00
“ “ drawing steamer to 3 fires,	9 00
“ “ packing for steamer,	50
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	\$1,462 03

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS PAID.

A. S. Clark, collecting taxes in 1892,	\$70 00
John H. Congdon, services on school board, 1892,	26 50
George N. Parmenter, services as selectman, 1892,	34 50
Elmer E. Haskell, “ “ “	35 00
George A. Starkey, “ “ “	51 50

M. T. Stone, services as town clerk,	1892,	\$20 00
M. T. Stone, services on school board,	"	15 00
Philip Boyce, park commissioner,	"	26 20
Asa C. Dort, town treasurer,	"	25 00
J. H. Bigelow, services as auditor, 1893,		2 00
Franklin Ripley, services on school board, 1892,		42 00
Edwin B. Dort, services as supervisor, 1892 and 1893,		5 00
A. S. Clark, bills and postage,		3 00
C. F. Lawson, police officer, 1893,		5 00
C. F. Lawson, dog killer, 1893,		8 00
C. M. Barnard, special police, 1893,		2 00
J. L. Stanley, services as sexton, 1893,		33 00
" " " supervisor 1892 and 1893,		4 00
" " " police,	"	5 00
" " " extra night work,	"	5 00
George H. Congdon, services as special police,	"	1 50
Charles Burke,	" " " "	2 00
Walter J. Haskell, services as police officer,	"	5 00
" " extra night work,	"	5 00
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		\$431 20

SUNDRY TOWN BILLS PAID.

George A. Starkey, express on town reports,	\$ 30
John Lawson, shovelling snow from sidewalk,	50
A. J. Burpee, mowing old cemetery, 1891,	1 50
Darling & Co., printing town reports, 1893,	40 00
George A. Starkey, car fare to Keene and Winchester,	1 34
" " recording Stanley deed,	50
" " tax collector's book,	85
H. O. Cole, keeping tramp,	50
Darling & Co., printing inventories, 1893,	28 00
Ned Pierce, repairing slate on town house,	24 87
W. N. Carr, repairing chimney on town house,	25 20
C. B. Perry, insurance on town house,	25 00
A. R. Foster, new sillings town house,	8 65
Mathew Wilson, crossing mowing in spring of 1893,	3 00
Geo. H. Aldrich & Son, insurance on town house,	12 00

George N. Parmenter, car fare to Keene,	\$ 56
Philip Boyce, work on belfry,	8 70
Asa C. Dort, expenses of Decoration Day,	44 82
M. T. Stone, recording births, marriages and deaths,	23 40
E. P. Kimball, books and paper for selectmen,	5 1
E. P. Kimball, supplies for town hall,	3 68
Asa C. Dort, lumber for common fence,	64
John Lawson, cleaning snow from sidewalk,	1 00
F. Ripley, blankets for lockup,	3 30
J. L. Stanley, keeping 155 tramps at 25 cents each,	38 75
George A. Starkey, telephoning three times,	30
“ “ car fare to Keene,	56
H. E. Mellen, bounty on hawk,	25
George A. Starkey, postage,	70
“ “ team taking invoice,	3 00
Davis, Wright & Co., stove and pipe collar for town hall,	13 10
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	\$315 48

BREAKING ROADS, BILLS PAID.

Freeman Abbott, breaking roads, 1893,	\$5 40
W. E. Parker, “ “ “	3 75
James Carpenter, “ “ “	34 55
Dwight Merrifield, “ “ “	8 22
Thomas J. Lahiff, “ “ “	15 62
J. M. Foster, “ “ “	16 80
H. M. Whitmore, “ “ “	18 37
A. J. Burpee, “ “ “	17 40
Walter F. Burpee, “ “ “	83
H. E. Goodridge, “ “ “	3 70
John Lemay, “ “ “	1 80
O. C. Mason, “ “ “	5 25
Frazier Brothers, “ “ “	16 90
Moses Abare, “ “ “	3 68
Joseph Girward, “ “ “	2 70
James Carpenter, “ “ “	3 20
Naham Green, “ “ “	2 48
Walter Elliot, “ “ “	4 05

Eddie White,	breaking roads, 1893,	\$4 20
John Melanson,	“ “ “	4 20
John B. Clark,	“ “ “	2 32
L. H. Merrifield,	“ “ “	10 12
Arthur Edwards,	“ “ “	2 40
Joseph Haskell,	“ “ “	25 35
Thomas Lahiff,	“ “ 1893-4,	9 81
Patrick Sullivan,	“ “ “ “	6 45
J. M. Foster,	“ “ “ “	23 40
Freeman Abbott,	“ “ 1894,	2 03
Franklin Whitcomb,	“ “ 1891-4,	1 35
L. H. Merrifield,	“ “ 1894,	12 85
Asa C. Dort,	“ “ 1893,	4 95
C. M. Barnard,	“ “ “	6 10
Joseph Meyett,	“ “ “	2 25
Joseph Haskell,	“ “ 1893-4	33 96
John McNulty,	“ “ Feb, 1893,	1 50
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		\$317 94

AMOUNT OF MONEY EXPENDED ON HIGHWAYS.

Nancy A. Farrar, land for public highway,	\$25 00
Thomas Lahiff, work on highway,	24 20
Joseph Haskell, “ — “	1,307 64
Spencer & Co., drain pipe,	38 05
A. B. Abbott, work on highway, 1893,	2 25
Franklin Whitcomb, “ “ 1892, and 1893,	4 50
C. M. Barnard, “ “ 1893,	70
F. Ripley, “ “ 1893,	3 05
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\$1,405 39	

NOTES AND INTEREST PAID.

J. M. Raymond, note paid,	\$101 50
“ “ interest paid,	3 04
Guaranty Savings Bank, note paid,	1,000 00
“ “ “ interest on two notes,	58 00
Fitzwilliam Savings Bank, interest paid,	13 58
A. C. Dort, interest on school fund note,	24 00

Cheshire Provident Institution, note paid,	\$500 00
“ “ “ interest paid,	15 00
Guaranty Savings Bank, note paid.	1,000 00
“ “ “ interest paid,	10 00
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	\$2,725 12

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES PAID.

State tax,	\$1,095 00
County tax,	950 72
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	\$2,045 72

MONEY PAID OUT ON LIBRARY.

M. T. Stone,	\$49 50
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MONEY PAID OUT ON SIDEWALKS.

Henry L. Barnard,	\$100 00
D. H. Varnum, sidewalk front of town house,	15 00
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	\$115 00

ENLARGEMENT TO TOWN HALL.

Paid Committee,	\$1,955 17
Paid F. Ripley, through error, but paid back and returned to town treasurer,	1 00
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	\$1,956 17

MONEY PAID ON CEMETERIES.

W. J. Boyden, work and materials on fence,	\$64 47
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RECAPITULATION.

Schools,	\$1,656 73
County poor,	291 96
Town Poor,	104 00
Dependent soldiers and families,	181 43
Abatement of taxes,	38 18
Fire department,	1,462 03
Town officers, bills paid,	431 20
Sundry town bills paid,	315 48
Breaking roads, bills paid,	317 94

Highways, bills paid,	\$1,405 39
Notes and interest paid,	2,725 12
State and county taxes paid,	2,045 72
Paid on library,	49 50
Paid on sidewalks,	115 00
Enlargement of town hall,	1,956 17
Paid on cemeteries,	64 47
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	\$13,160 32

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER.

1893, Dr.

Mar. 1. Outstanding taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, '91,	\$ 1 34
“ Outstanding taxes “ “ “ 1892,	538 37
“ School fund note,	400 00
“ Cash in treasury,	1,073 87
Apr. 8. Received from county for support of paupers,	115 92
“ “ “ “ aid to dependent soldiers,	37 85
Taxes assessed for the year 1893, town charges,	500 00
Support of schools,	900 00
For highways,	1,200 00
Town poor,	150 00
Decoration day,	50 00
Cemeteries,	100 00
Library,	25 00
Sidewalks,	100 00
Steamer,	600 00
Enlargement of town hall,	1,000 00
State tax,	1,095 00
County tax,	950 72
Taxes run above sum voted,	88 61
June 23. Borrowed of Guaranty Savings Bank,	1,000 00
July 18. Borrowed of J. W. Raymond,	101 50
“ “ Fitzwilliam Savings Bank,	500 00
July 20. “ Guaranty Savings Bank,	1,000 00
Sept. 2. “ Cheshire Provident Institution,	500 00
Oct. 20. Received of county for support of paupers,	165 01
“ “ “ aid to dependent soldiers,	143 58

Nov. 29. Received of state treasurer, railroad tax,	\$ 150 60
“ “ “ “ savings bank tax,	1,679 57
“ “ “ “ literary fund,	275 37
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
Received of E. P. Kimball for use of hay scales,	25 20
Dog licenses,	146 10
Error in Frank Ripley's account,	1 00
J. L. Starkey, use of town hall,	14 15
C. M. Barnard, interest on 1888 taxes,	26 13
“ “ “ 1889 “	27 98
A S. Clark, “ 1892 “	31 08
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	\$14,737 95

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By payment of 166 orders of selectmen,	\$13,160 32
School fund note,	400 00
Taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1892,	27 68
“ “ “ “ 1893,	312 52
Cash in treasury March 1st, 1894,	837 43
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	\$14,737 95

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Philip Boyce, park commissioner 1893,	\$ 23 00
“ “ care of town clock to March 1, 1893,	11 67
John L. Perry, tile pipe,	80
Breaking roads, bills unpaid by estimation,	30 00
School fund note,	400 00
Selectmen, services to date,	150 00
A. C. Dort, treasurer,	25 00
M. T. Stone, town clerk,	20 00
School board, for services,	85 00
A. S. Clark, collecting taxes for 1893,	70 00
Steamer Co., services the past year,	187 00
Fitzwilliam Savings Bank note,	500 00
“ “ interest two months,	5 00
Unexpended balance, due schools,	85 49
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	\$1,592 96

ASSETS OF THE TOWN NOT AVAILABLE,

Due from the United States,	\$1,380 00
Value of hay scales,	300 00
Town meadow,	10 00
Town derrick,	150 00
Two patent road machines,	250 00
Five drills,	3 00
Steam fire engine, heater, hose and hose wagon,	3,300 00
Town safe,	200 00
One lawn mower,	7 00
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	\$5,600 00

AVAILABLE ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Due from county,	\$ 6 59
Taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1892,	27 68
“ “ “ “ “ “ “ 1893,	312 52
Cash in treasury March 1, 1894,	837 43
Chas. Gove, to 18 feet tile,	2 52
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	\$1,186 74
Total liabilities March 1, 1894,	\$1,592 96
Available assets subtracted,	1,186 74
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Indebtedness March 1, 1894,	406 22

All of which is submitted,

GEO. A. STARKEY,
ELMER E. HASKELL,
GEO. O. PARMENTER,
Selectmen of Troy.

Troy, N. H., March 1, 1894.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing reports of the Selectmen and Treasurer of the town of Troy, N. H., and find them correctly cast with the proper vouchers,

JOHN H. BIGELOW,
WARREN W. KIMBALL,

Auditors

TOWN HALL.

The town of Troy in account with J. L. Stanley for the use of Town Hall:

1893.	CR.	
Mar. 2.	Harrington concert,	\$2 00
“ 10.	Uncle Tom’s Cabin Co.,	3 00
“ 15.	Troy Dramatic entertainment,	2 00
“ 19.	Catholic meeting,	50
April 4.	Sullivan Dramatic Co.,	3 00
“ 5.	“ “ “	3 00
“ 16.	Catholic meeting,	50
May 14.	“ “	50
June 11.	“ “	50
July 9.	“ “	50
Sept. 3.	“ “	50
Oct. 29.	“ “	50
Nov.	Grangers’ meeting,	2 00
Nov. 26.	Catholic meeting,	50
“ 30.	Firemen’s ball,	3 00
Dec. 22.	Stereopticon entertainment,	1 50
“ 24.	Catholic meeting,	50
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Jan. 5.	English entertainment,	6 00
“ 19.	Social dance,	2 00
“ 21.	Catholic meeting,	50
“ 22.	Dr. Danney’s medical entertainment,	
“ 23.	“ “ “	
“ 24.	“ “ “	8 00
Feb. 2.	Social dance,	2 00
“ 18.	Catholic meeting,	50
		\$43 00

DR.		
J. L. Stanley,	2½ cords wood,	\$8 75
" "	29 gallons kerosene oil,	2 90
" "	glass,	30
" "	shades and lamp chimneys,	1 90
" "	care of hall,	15 00
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		\$28 85
Balance on hand,		\$14 15

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT.

The town of Troy in account with Joseph Haskell, road agent.

Joseph Haskell,	29 days and 1 hour,	\$ 72 75
"	" and 1 pair horses 44 days,	198 00
"	" and 2 pair horses 32 1-4 days,	209 63
"	" paid freight on tileing,	4 16
"	" for oil and oiler,	35
"	" John H. Congdon, hanging lantern,	25
"	" Charles Cooledge, " "	25
"	" Arthur Dexter, " "	25
"	" Ira Butler,	1 50
"	" J. L. Stanley, for railing,	42
"	" D. P. Adams, " "	10 50
"	" Joseph Girward,	152 17
"	" John Devine,	38 40
"	" John Lemay,	21 00
"	" Troy Granite Co., for stone,	30 85
"	" T. P. Abbott,	42 30
"	" Charles Freeman,	53 00
"	" Moses Brano,	14 25
"	" Thomas J. Lahiff,	24 19
"	" Thomas W. Starkey,	78 25
"	" Albert Stockwell,	29 20
"	" Joseph Raymond,	29 80
"	" A. LaRoch,	88
"	" Philip Boyce, work on road machine,	5 80
"	" C. M. Barnard,	25
"	" C. Dustin,	11 65
"	" Franklin Ripley, derrick rope,	1 00
"	" N. Grimes,	16 12
"	" Patrick Sullivan,	65 05
"	" J. M. Foster,	3 60
"	" Moses Abare,	73 65

Joseph Haskell, paid D. C. Fassett,	\$13 45
“ “ Walter Elliott,	2 70
“ “ Concrete Co., drawing dirt,	6 10
“ “ Geo. Barns,	3 00
“ “ Fred Baker,	2 70
“ “ E. E. Haskell,	7 00
“ “ A. H. Haskell,	2 50
“ “ E. P. Kimball & Son,	35 72
“ “ John Hale, clay and work,	19 20
“ “ Sam Mason,	1 25
“ “ H. E. Millen,	1 60
“ “ E. Buttrick & Co., plank and dirt,	22 15
“ “ Mac Rock,	30
“ “ William J. Boyden,	50
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	\$1,307 64

Amount received from the town of Troy for the
highways and bridges.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
TOWN HALL REPAIRS.

Paid Andrew Foster, cleaning privy,	\$ 50
J. Carr, lay brick in vault,	2 00
N. Harness, shoveling,	50
Troy B. Mills, 1 bbl. mortar,	1 00
J. W. Raymond, stone work,	161 50
A. R. Foster, per contract,	1,537 00
A. O. Dexter, painting and papering,	150 00
“ “ oil, blinds, etc.,	22 19
Nims Whitney & Co., blinds and doors,	33 60
P. Boyce, labor,	4 90
W. J. Boyden, floor boards, labor, etc.,	28 55
Sawyer, estimates and plan,	5 00
W. W. Kimball, brick, hardware etc.,	8 43
	\$1,955 17

Your committee have attended to the work assigned them, and with the advice and counsel of many of the largest tax payers have made the additions thought necessary. We have not exceeded the appropriation. We have not charged anything for our services; if the town is pleased with our work, it is only justice to your committee to say so.

Enclosed you will find vouchers for every dollar expended.

C. W. WHITNEY,
W. J. BOYDEN,
W. W. KIMBALL,
Committee.

REPORT OF MOUNTAIN VIEW CEMETERY.

Report of Mountain View Cemetery committee for the year ending Mar. 1, 1894 :

Cash on hand Mar. 1, 1893,	\$ 9 87
Cash received from sale of lots, 1893,	45 00
	\$54 87
Cash paid out for labor on cemetery for the year 1893,	\$44 70
Cash on hand Mar. 1, 1894,	10 17
	\$54 87
Due the town for lots not paid for,	\$84 00

There has been 18 rods of new fence made and painted the past year at a cost of \$3.58 a rod.

Balance appropriated, unexpended, \$35 56

We would suggest that the town appropriate \$100.00 to be expended on the cemetery fence this year.

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. BOYDEN, Committee.

UNPAID TAXES.

List of unpaid taxes for the year 1892 :

Edward M. Cornell,	\$1 28
Walter Carroll,	2 28
Daniel Dunn,	1 28
William S. Gove,	4 02
Henry Gouthier,	2 28
Warren J. Hayward,	1 28
William M. Hamilton,	3 94
James Kenney,	78
James W. Marry,	1 28
Harry J. Nash,	1 28
Frank C. Provo,	2 25
Thomas Paro,	1 28
George H. Revere,	1 28
Will H. Stone,	1 28
Burton E. Towne,	1 89

List of unpaid taxes for the year 1893 :

Nelson Abare,	\$1 38
Walter E. Brown,	1 38
Moses Bushey,	8 97
Ralph Clement,	1 38
Fred E. Cobb,	1 38
Walter Cobb,	1 38
Henry A. Cobb,	1 38
Edward M. Cornell,	1 38
Thomas Coupe,	1 38
Richard Coursey,	1 38
Patrick Cushing,	4 83
Napoleon Desoliers,	1 38
Joseph Desoliers,	1 38
Arthur J. Edwards,	11 04
Edward Edleston,	1 38
Thomas Enwright,	1 38

Charles Freeman,	\$25 14
William S. Gove,	2 43
Homer E. Goodridge,	8 97
Lucilla Goodridge, heirs,	9 66
Homer E. Goodridge, Jr.,	1 38
Alfred F. Haskins,	21 75
William M. Hamilton,	1 66
John F. Hale,	37 95
Daniel M. Huiley,	1 38
George Heartley,	1 38
Marshall Hill,	1 66
Louis Lapage,	1 38
Henry Metty,	1 38
Edward E. Metty,	11 92
Leonard H. Merrifield,	3 00
George W. Mason,	3 80
Joseph Parro,	1 38
Ezexlar Pressault,	1 38
George H. Revere,	1 38
Nelson W. Rice,	29 48
Charles S. Starkey,	8 70
Patrick Shay,	1 38
James Shaw,	1 38
Ezekiel Starkey,	1 38
John Sullivan, heirs,	22 08
Barton E. Towne,	2 35
Frank A. Whitcomb,	1 38
Oliver P. Whitcomb,	5 46
Mrs. Ellen Whitcomb,	20 70
Frank Whitcomb,	58 54
George E. Derivage,	1 38
Walter Elliott,	6 49

TROY TOWN LIBRARY.

No.	Title.	Author.
1	Old Times in the Colonies,	Charles Carleton Coffin
2	Drum Beat of the Nation,	" " "
3	Winning His Way,	" " "
4	The Boys of '76,	" " "
5	Recollections of a Private,	Warren Lee Goss
6	Blue Jackets of 1812,	Willis J. Abbott
7	Perley's Reminiscences,	Ben. Perley Poore
8	Electricity in Daily Life.	
9	Popular Natural History,	J. G. Wood
10	Little Lord Fauntleroy,	F. H. Burnett
11	Farm Ballads,	Will Carleton
12	Phil and His Friends,	J. T. Trowbridge
13	The Colonel's Christmas Dinner,	Charles King
14	Five Little Peppers and How They Grew,	Harriet M. Lathrop
15	Sevenoaks,	J. G. Holland
16	Prudence Palfrey,	T. B. Aldrich
17	Poems,	H. W. Longfellow
18	Over the Ocean,	Curtis Guild
19	The Gayworthys,	Mrs. A. D. S. Whitney
20	Adam Bede,	George Elliot (Mrs. Cross)
21	Ben Hur,	Lew Wallace
22	Little Folks in Feathers and Fur,	O. T. Miller
23	Poultry Culture,	J. K. Felch
24	Six in All,	Virginia Townsend
25	The Mills of Tuxbury,	" "
26	Girls who Became Famous,	Sarah K. Bolton
27	Up and Down the Brooks,	Mary E. Bamford
28	Deephaven,	S. O. Jewett
29	But Yet a Woman,	A. S. Hardy
30	Black Beauty,	Anna Sewell
31	Gardening for Profit,	Peter Henderson

- 32 The Modern Seven Wonders of the World, Charles Kent
 33 Practical Floriculture. Peter Henderson
 34 John Halifax, Gentleman, Dinah M. Craik
 35 Young Folks' History of Greece, Charlotte Yonge
 36 Success With Small Fruits, E. P. Roe
 37 Rise of Silas Lapham, W. D. Howells
 38 Ancient America, J. D. Baldwin
 39 Dairyman's Manual, Henry Stewart
 40 Scarlet Letter, N. Hawthorne
 41 Tent Life in Siberia, George Kennan
 42 Autocrat of the Breakfast Table, O. W. Holmes
 43 A New England Girlhood, Lucy Larcom
 44 Autobiography, Benjamin Franklin
 45 Young Folks' History of Germany, Charlotte Yonge
 46 Standish of Standish, Jane G. Austin
 47 Round the Globe, S. H. McColleston
 48 A Thousand Miles up the Nile, A. B. Edwards
 49 Fifteen Decisive Battles of the World, E. S. Creasy
 50 Getting on in the World, William Matthews
 51 Young Folks' History of Rome, Charlotte Yonge
 52 The Sketch Book, Washington Irving
 53 Famous American Statesmen, Sarah K. Bolton
 54 Tom Clifton or Western Boys in Grant
 and Sherman's Army, Warren Lee Goss
 55 Neighbor Jackwood, J. T. Trowbridge
 56 Essays, First and Second Series, R. W. Emerson
 57 A Summer Journey to Alaska, M. M. Ballou
 58 Poor Boys Who Became Famous, Sarah K. Bolton
 59 Poems, J. G. Whittier
 60 Boots and Saddles, E. B. Custer
 61 Uncle Tom's Cabin, H. B. Stowe
 62 Jed, a Boy's Adventures in the Army Warren Lee Goss
 63 Washington and his Country, Irving and Fiske
 64 Joe's Boys, Louise M. Alcott
 65 Robinson Crusoe, Daniel DeFoe
 66 Little Men, Louise M. Alcott
 67 A Humble Romance and other Stories, Mary E. Wilkins

68	Life of Daniel Webster,	H. C. Lodge
69	Life of Miles Standish,	J. S. C. Abbott
70	Life of Samuel Adams,	J. K. Hosmer
71	Famous English Statesmen,	Sarah K. Bolton
72	Romona,	H. H. Jackson
73	Famous American Authors,	Sarah K. Bolton
74	Life of Columbus,	J. S. C. Abbott
75	Young Folks' History of France,	Charlotte M. Yonge
76	Two Years Before the Mast,	R. H. Dana, Jr.
77	Among the Isles of Shoals,	Celia Thaxter
78	Six Girls,	Fanny B. Irving
79	The Minister's Wooing,	H. B. Stowe
80	Ivanhoe,	Sir Walter Scott
81	Opening of a Chestnut Burr,	E. P. Roe
82	Great Cities of the Ancient World,	Helen A. Smith
83	“ “ Modern “	“ “
84	American Explorations in the Icy Zones,	J. E. Nourse
85	Elsie Venner,	O. W. Holmes
86	Hoosier Schoolmaster,	Edward Eggleston
87	Bird Ways,	O. T. Miller
88	Honor Bright,	C. R. Talbot
89	Samantha at the Centennial,	Marietta Holly
90	A Short Story of the English People,	J. R. Green
91	How the Farm Pays,	Peter Henderson
92	The New Astronomy,	S. P. Langley
93	Boy Travelers in Japan and China,	Thomas W. Knox
94	Homes Without Hands,	J. G. Wood
95	David Copperfield,	Charles Dickens
96	Little Women,	Louise M. Alcott
97	Innocents Abroad,	S. L. Clemens
98	A Popular History of the United States,	J. C. Ridpath
99	Pioneers,	J. F. Cooper
100	The Deerslayer,	J. F. Cooper
101	The Pathfinder,	“ “
102	Last of the Mohicans,	“ “
103	The Prairie,	“ “
104	First Regiment of N. H. Volunteers,	Stephen G. Abbott

105	Sixth	Regiment of Volunteers,	Lyman Jackson
106	Eleventh	" " "	Leander W. Cogswell
107	Thirteenth	" " "	S. Millett Thompson
108	Fourteenth	" " "	
109	In Scripture Lands.		
110	Library of Universal Knowledge, 1, W. & R. Chambers		
111	"	"	2, " "
112	"	"	3, " "
113	"	"	4, " "
114	"	"	5, " "
115	"	"	6, " "
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120	"	"	11, " "
121	"	"	12, " "
222	"	"	13, " "
123	"	"	14, " "
124	"	"	15, " "
125	Life and Times of Fred'k Douglass,		Frederick Douglass
126	History of Germany,		Frederick Kohlrausch
127	History of France, Vol. 1,		M. Michelet
128	"	" Vol. 2,	" "
129	Twenty Years of Congress, Vol 1,		James G. Blaine
130	"	" Vol. 2,	" "
131	Parson's Handbook of Forms, J. E. White & Prof. W. F. Parsons		
132	Tenth Annual Report of the State Board of Health, 1891		
133	Eleventh " " " " " 1892		
134	Memoir of Life of John Quincy Adams,		Josiah Quincy, L. L. D.
135	Life of David Livingstone, LL. D. C. L.,		Rev. J. E. Chambliss
136	Travels in Central America,		John L. Stevens
137	Life of James A. Garfield,		Charles C. Coffin
138	Life of George Washington,		Aaron Bancroft, D. D.
139	Life and Writings of Charles Dickens, Phebe Hannaford		

140	Mystery of Edwin Drood,	Charles Dickens
141	Martin Chuzzlewit,	“ “
142	Bleak House,	“ “
143	Pickwick Papers,	“ “
144	Our Mutual Friend,	“ “
145	Oliver Twist,	“ “
146	Christmas Books,	“ “
147	Life of Miles Standish,	John S. C. Abbott
148	Sketch Book,	Washington Irving
149	Travels and Study in Italy,	Charles E. Norton
150	Life of Herod the Great,	William M. Willett
151	Discovery of Fate of Sir John Franklin,	R. U. M'Clintock, LL. D.
152	Distinguished Men, Vol. 1,	
153	“ “ “ 2,	
154	Expedition to the Sources of the Missouri,	Archibald M'Vicar
155	Ruins of Ancient Cities,	Charles Bucke
156	Cyclopædia of English Literature, 1-2,	Robert Chambers
157	“ “ “ 3-4,	“ “
158	“ “ “ 5-6,	“ “
159	“ “ “ 7-8,	“ “
160	Nature's Serial Story,	E. P. Roe
161	Near to Nature's Heart,	“ “
162	Driven Back to Eden,	“ “
163	Day of Fate,	“ “
164	Young Girl's Wooing,	“ “
165	The Earth Trembled,	“ “
166	Without a Home,	“ “
167	What Can She Do?	“ “
168	From Jest to Earnest,	“ “
169	A Face Illumined,	“ “
170	Life and Work of James G. Blaine,	John C. Ridpath, LL. D.
171	Are Men Gay Deceivers?	Mrs. Frank Leslie
172	My Opinions and Betsey Bobbet's,	Marietta Holley
173	East Lynne,	Mrs. Henry Wood

174	The Vicar of Wakefield,	Oliver Goldsmith
175	The Last Days of Pompeii,	Lord Lytton
176	Waverly,	Sir Walter Scott
177	Guy Mannering,	“ “ “
178	Jane Eyre,	Charlotte Bronte
179	Tour of the World in Eighty Days,	Jules Verne
180	Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Seas,	“ “
181	Tom Brown at Oxford.	Thomas Hughes
182	The House of Seven Gables,	Nathaniel Hawthorne
183	Sweet Bells Out of Tune,	Mrs. Burton Harrison
184	Adventures of Huckleberry Finn,	Mark Twain
185	Marked “ Personal, ”	Annie Catharine Green
186	Reveries of a Bachelor,	Ik Marvel
187	Stories of the Railway,	
188	Tenting on the Plains,	Elizabeth Custer
189	The Two Cabin Boys,	Louis Rousselet
190	Red Cloud,	Lieut. Col. Butler, C. B.
191	The £1,000,000 Banknote,	Mark Twain
192	Balcony Stories,	Grace King
193	Endeavor Doin’s Down to the Corner,	Rev. J. F. Cowan
194	Old Kaskaskia,	M. H. Catherwood
195	Stories of a Western Town,	Octave Thanet
196	Lorna Doone,	R. D. Blackmore
197	Addresses,	Henry Drummond
198	Helen’s Babies,	John Habberton
199	Columbus and Columbia,	J. G. Blaine and others
200	From Manger to Throne,	Rev. T. De Witt Talmage
201	Abridgement of Message and Documents,	
202	Report of Secretary of Agriculture,	
203	History of England,	Charles Knight
204	What Can Woman Do,	Mrs. M. L. Rayne
205	A Birds-eye View of the World,	Onesime Reclus
206	Personal Memoirs, Vol. 1.	P. H. Sheridan
207	“ “ Vol. 2.	“ “
208	The Prince of India; Vol. 1.	Lew Wallace
209	“ “ ‘ “ Vol. 2.	“ “

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the parents and citizens of the Town of Troy :

Your Committee of schools herewith respectfully submit for your consideration, its financial and statistical report of the schools, for the past year.

It is our pleasure to report a prosperous and healthy condition of all our schools, to note an increased interest on the part of the pupils, a greater earnestness in the pursuit of knowledge and a closer application to study. It has been a year, too, of much work and no little perplexity to your Committee. Grave questions have come before us to settle, and with the limited means at our disposal, such settlement has not been wholly satisfactory to all concerned.

We have acted, however, on our best judgment, and with an earnest desire that our schools should be improved and benefited.

The great increase in the number of scholars at the two primary schools filled them during the first two terms, the spring and fall, to overflowing. In the fall term, with nearly 60 pupils at the North Primary, and 70 at the South, the burden became too great to bear, and the schools actually unmanageable. On account of their size and the lack of any grading, it was simply impossible to hear each scholar in the many classes existing.

Your committee, therefore, decided to grade these two schools, and made the North Primary the Intermediate grade, under Miss Fisher, and the South Primary the Primary grade, under Miss Putney.

We believe the result has justified the action. Much better work is done in each department, since each scholar can receive more attention from the teacher. Better order is now attained by thus separating the younger from the older scholars, and in fact, marked improvement is manifest in every way.

Miss Thurston completed her successful course of instruction in music in the spring term.

We have introduced the Wentworth series of Arithmetics into the schools this past year, and an attractive series of supplementary readers. This series of arithmetics have been adopted by the best schools in the country, and are a great advance over those we have studied for the past fifteen years. In adopting the new readers, we have introduced a number of attractive books that interest the scholar, and at the same time imparts much information: these changes have helped the schools very much, and added much to the interest of the scholars in these studies. The good results will be felt in the coming terms, and in our judgment fully repay the outlay.

Music has received more attention this year. Arrangements were made in fall and winter terms with Mrs. Merrill, teacher of the grammar school, to give instruction in the elements of music to the village schools. All who attended the closing exercises of these schools, and the exhibition at the hall, can bear witness to the excellent results of this training. We certainly hope this study of music may be continued, which will in a few years give us many good singers, and ennoble and elevate the whole community.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

The spring term of this school was taught by Miss Mara E. Laws. Miss Laws worked hard with her school, but failed to get such control of it as is necessary for good discipline and successful study: the lack of interest is shown by the extraordinary number of tardy marks, which were 76, a record of which scholars and parents should be ashamed, as there is no excuse whatever for such dilatoriness.

The fall and winter terms were taught by Mrs. Minnie F. Merrill of Jaffrey. We note a marked improvement in the interest and application to study. For the two terms there were only 5 tardy marks, and 11 pupils have perfect records for the fall term, and 10 the winter term. In the spring term there were 3 who were not absent or tardy. On the Roll of Honor is George L. Parmenter, who has not been absent or tardy for the entire year.

NORTH PRIMARY, OR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

The spring term was taught by Miss Minnie J. Cameron of Keene, who continued her excellent work with the success of former terms. Ten pupils have a perfect record for this term. Instances of tardiness, 17.

The first part of the fall term was taught by Miss Grace M. Putney, in the ungraded system of previous terms, when, on account of the increased number of pupils in both the South and North primaries, the two schools were graded, Miss Fisher taking the North Primary school house with the older scholars, forming the intermediate grade. Of the wisdom and success of this move we feel assured from results already attained. We are pleased to note a very marked improvement in the whole school work. Instances of tardiness for the two terms, 24. Seventeen pupils have a perfect record of attendance the fall term, and 11 the winter term.

Four pupils have a perfect record for the year, and constitute the Roll of Honor. They are Luman D. Barnard, Florence M. Hale, Mertina E. Mahon, Nellie G. Starkey.

SOUTH PRIMARY SCHOOL.

The spring term and half the fall term was taught by Miss Eva M. Fisher. After grading the schools, Miss Grace M. Putney took the school with the little ones in the primary grade. We commend very highly Miss Putney's work. She is well fitted to teach the little ones, to bring out the backward and bashful children, and win their confidence and love. The beneficial results of the change in grade is especially marked in this school.

Number not absent or tardy the spring term, 10; fall term, 4; winter term, 2. There is no scholar with perfect attendance for the year.

Instances of tardiness the fall term, 53; winter term, 33. It is needless to say this great number of tardy marks is largely without excuse. It is the responsibility of the parents to see their children are started for school in time. These very little ones cannot be expected to always be prompt without the constant care of the parents.

EAST HILL SCHOOL.

There have been two terms of ten weeks each in this school. The spring term taught by Miss Nettie F. Whitcomb of Troy, the fall term by Miss Helen M. Guild of Walpole. The whole number of scholars has been 9. Number not absent or tardy the spring term was 1. Instances of tardiness for the year, 2. Both teachers worked well and attained good results.

WEST HILL SCHOOL.

There have been two terms of this school, a spring term of 8 weeks and a fall term of 12 weeks. Miss Florence H. Silcox of Troy taught both terms. This was Miss Silcox's first experience in teaching. She worked earnestly and faithfully and gained the love of her pupils. The whole number of scholars was 20; instances of tardiness 12. Number not absent or tardy the spring term, 1; the fall term, 4. One pupil has a perfect record for the two terms, and constitutes the Roll of Honor: Miss Lilian M. Foster.

MERRIFIELD SCHOOL.

There have been two terms of this school, a spring and fall term of 10 weeks each. Miss Laura J. Mitchell of Troy has taught both terms with good success, and has shown excellent capabilities as a teacher.

The whole number of scholars has been 10. Instances of tardiness have been 2. Number not absent the spring term, 5; the fall term, 4.

For the two terms, two scholars have not been absent or tardy, and constitute the Roll of Honor. They are Clara L. Merrifield, and Alice E. Merrifield.

In conclusion we ask for a greater interest on the part of parents and citizens in bringing up our schools to the modern standard, which we find in all progressive towns. We are very far behind the times in many points. Our schools have been run on a kind of hit or miss system, each scholar studying about what suits them without regard to any course or system. When the same teacher keeps a school for a number of terms continuously this evil is not so prominent. In such case the scholars

keep to something of a systematic course, if they are willing to follow the studies the teacher advises. But when a change in teachers comes, the school is entirely disorganized, and must be reorganized according to the ideas of the new teacher. A course of study carefully arranged is the great need of our schools. It is our earnest desire and recommendation, that such a system be adopted and put in force at once. With the present grading, this is entirely feasible, and it will certainly double the efficiency of the schools.

The scholar will see and understand just the work to be done to attain the longed for promotion from the lower to the higher grade. The teacher will know what line of work she is to follow, and will be free from the embarrassments imposed oftentimes by scholars who refuse to study certain branches because they are difficult.

The question of a new school house is the question of the hour: its need is felt and recognized on every hand to accommodate our scholars that will apply for admittance to school. The coming term it will be necessary to fill the present floor space with new desks, and even then it is doubtful if there is room. We have completely outgrown our school houses. We should build a first class four-room school house, with plenty of land for play grounds, and with the best modern equipment. Could we have these four schools in such a building, we could raise the grade of our Grammar school so that our children could get a good high school education here at home.

Think carefully of this, parents and citizens. A good education is the best gift we can make our children. Let us do all we can to this end.

Respectfully submitted.

FRANKLIN RIPLEY,	} School Board of Troy.
JOHN H. CONGDON,	
RILLA M. HARRIS,	

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOLS,

FOR THE YEAR FROM MARCH 1, 1893, TO MARCH 1, 1894.

STATEMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS.

Unexpended balance, 1893, as per Selectmen's report,	\$227 08
Unexpended balance, 1892,	54 31
Unexpended balance on Book account, March 1, 1893,	54 68
Unexpended balance on Repair account, March 1, 1893,	60 68
Amount voted for schools and for books,	900 00
Literary fund,	275 37
Dog licenses,	146 10
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
	\$1,742 22
Disbursements as below,	\$1,656 73
	\$ 85 49

DISBURSEMENTS.

Regular school expenditures per detailed statement,	\$1,249 75
School books and supplies,	233 01
New desks,	54 88
Repairs,	21 64
Fuel,	97 45
	\$1,656 73

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

March 1, 1893, stock of books on hand,	\$ 99 20
Books and supplies purchased,	233 01
	\$ 332 21
March 1, 1894, stock on hand,	91 09
	\$ 241 12

REPAIR ACCOUNT.

Paid A. O. Dexter,	\$ 4 94
J. H. Congdon,	9 40
Philip Boyce,	3 00
E. L. Stone, lumber,	4 30
J. L. Hammett for desks,	54 88
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	\$76 52

FUEL ACCOUNT.

Paid E. Buttrick & Co.,	\$19 65
J. L. Hale for 15 cords at \$4.50,	67 50
W. N. Gay, drawing wood,	10 30
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	\$97 45

DETAILED EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOLS

FOR THE YEAR FROM MARCH 1, 1893, TO MARCH 1, 1894.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Mara E. Laws, teaching 10 weeks at \$10,	\$100 00
Minnie F. L. Merrill, teaching 10 weeks at \$10,	100 00
" " " " " "	100 00
Care of room,	5 00
Cleaning room,	5 00
Conveying Carpenter child,	13 34
Minnie F. L. Merrill, instructing in music,	4 34
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	\$327 68

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

Eva M. Fisher, 10 weeks at \$9,	\$90 00
" " 10 " "	90 00
" " 10 " "	90 00
Care of room,	14 75
Cleaning,	1 50
Conveying Carpenter child,	13 32
Circulars,	38
Minnie F. L. Merrill, teaching music,	4 33
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	\$304 28

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

Minnie Cameron, teaching 10 weeks at \$8,	\$80 00
Grace M. Putney, " 10 " "	80 00
" " " 10 " "	80 00
Care of room,	9 75
Cleaning,	3 00
Conveying Carpenter child,	13 34
Minnie F. L. Merrill, teaching music,	4 33
Circulars,	37
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	\$270 79

WEST HILL.

Florence H. Silcox, teaching 8 weeks,	\$52 00
" " " 12 "	78 00
Cleaning,	1 00
Kindlings and care of room,	5 00
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	\$136 00

EAST HILL.

Nettie I. Whitcomb, teaching 10 weeks at \$5,	\$50 00
Helen M. Guild, " 10 " "	50 00
Care of room,	3 00
Drawing wood,	70
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	\$103 70

MERRIFIELD SCHOOL.

Laura J. Mitchell, teaching 10 weeks at \$5,	\$50 00
" " " 10 " "	50 00
Wood,	5 05
Cleaning and care of room,	2 25
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	\$107 30

RECAPITULATION.

SCHOOL.	Current Expenses except Books, Fu- el and Repairs.	Number of Pupils Registered.	Cost per Scholar per Year.	No. Weeks School.	Cost per Scholar per Week.
Grammar,	\$327 68	44	\$7 45	30	\$0 25
Intermediate,	304 28	59	5 16	30	17
Primary,	270 79	71	3 81	30	13
East Hill,	103 70	9	11 52	20	58
West Hill,	136 00	20	6 80	20	34
Merrifield,	107 30	10	10 73	20	54
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	\$1,249 75	213			

Average cost per scholar per year, \$5.87.

Average cost per scholar per week, 30c.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANKLIN RIPLEY, }
 JOHN H. CONGDON, } School Board.
 RILLA M. HARRIS, }

Troy, N. H., March 1, 1894.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing report of the School Board of Troy, N. H., and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW, }
 WARREN W. KIMBALL, } Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF TROY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1894.

Balance in treasury,	\$ 1 71
Received from the town,	1,656 73
	\$1,658 44

CONTRA.

By paying 45 orders of school board,	\$1,656 73
Cash in treasury, March 1, 1894,	\$1 71

ASA C. DORT,

Treasurer.

Troy, N. H., March 1, 1894.

We hereby certify we have examined the report of the treasurer of the school district of Troy, N. H., and find same correctly cast and vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW,
WARREN M. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

FIREWARDS' REPORT.

FIRES.

March 25, dwelling of O. C. Mason, totally destroyed with a portion of contents.

April 6th, slight fire at Thompson house near Marlboro line. Fire extinguished by neighbors.

April 9th, dry house at C. D. Farrar's mill.

May 21st, brush fire on Russell's land.

July 15th, brush fire near quarry.

August 21st, A. O. Peck's dwelling, partly destroyed and contents damaged.

November 26, dry house at C. D. Farrar's mill.

We have put in the pipe and hydrant connecting with the pump at Troy Blanket Mills, which was voted for at the last town meeting, at a cost of \$794.55 ; built a cistern near Capt. Adams' house, costing \$133.52 ; repaired "The Hamilton," costing \$13.65 ; built a hose tower and finished the room under the new addition to town hall for "The Hamilton's" hose wagon and for department use, at a cost of \$200.81.

The apparatus is in good condition.

Respectfully submitted.

ASA C. DORT, FRANKLIN RIPLEY, JOHN H. BIGELOW, WILLIAM J. BOYDEN, HENRY M. WHITTEMORE,	}	Firewards.
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VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen :

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

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1893.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Par- ents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.									
Jan. 2	Emma Kosina.	F	L	George Hall.	Mary S. King.	W	Troy.	Laborer.	Canada.	Canada.	40	35
" 3	William Ennis.	M	L	George W. Tobias.	Eva M. Brown.	"	"	"	Shandoah Pa Troy.	Troy.	34	36
" 12	Elen Frances.	F	L	Leonard H. Merrifield	Mary A. Coniter.	"	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	22	21
" 15	Marion C.	F	L	Edmond Freocote.	Evelina Suscennes.	"	"	"	Troy.	Atbol, Mass.	31	27
" 24	Edward Michael.	M	L	Thomas Enright.	Kate V. Stanton.	"	"	"	"	Troy.	25	23
Feb. 25	Ernest Daniel.	M	L	Artemas O. Peck.	Annie L. Clark.	"	"	"	"	England.	26	24
Mar. 22	Harriet Hartley.	F	L	Herbert P. Thompson.	Mary E. Hartley.	"	"	"	"	England.	25	23
" 4	Eva Hale.	F	L	Elmer E. Ward.	Eva M. Hale.	"	"	"	"	England.	25	23
" 13	Ray Clifton.	M	L	Richard Coursey.	Mary A. Mullons.	"	"	"	Ferrisburg, Vt.	Bristol, Vt.	28	19
Apr. 4	Ernest Pearl.	M	S	Hiram E. Mellin.	Emilee N. Martin.	"	"	"	Richmond.	Richmond.	43	44
" 29	Joseph Napoleon.	M	L	Alfred F. Haskins.	Emma J. Bemis.	"	"	"	Petersham, Ms	Troy.	39	32
" 21	Mary Emma.	F	L	Napoleon Desalliers.	Mary D. Blake.	"	"	"	Canada.	Otter River, Ms.	30	23
May 6	Lucy Alzina.	F	L	Samuel A. Mason.	Mira S. Howe.	"	"	"	Mariboro.	Dublin.	37	33
" 8	George.	M	L	Franklin Ripley.	Jana I. Keyes.	"	"	"	Troy.	Keene.	39	38
" 25	Ethel May.	F	L	Frederick J. Burden.	Nellie E. Dewsbury	"	"	"	England.	England.	25	26
June 7	Henry K.	M	L	Henry Meaty.	Leonic Poston.	"	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	25	25
" 24	Miriam Horsfall.	F	L	Wilbur M. Tumev.	Ruth A. Hartley.	"	"	"	Pecks-kill, N. Y.	England.	34	27
" 25	Eva Anna.	F	S	Frank A. Whitcomb.	Mary E. Campbell.	"	"	"	Brocknaker.	Boston, Mass.	24	17
" 29	Mary E. R.	F	L	John Soumier.	Mattilda Frazier.	"	"	"	Farmer.	Canada.	34	32
July 4	Mary E. R.	F	L	Joseph Desalliers.	Emma.	"	"	"	Laborer.	Canada.	27	25
" 9	Joseph A.	F	S	Moses Brunell.	"	"	"	"	"	"	32	29
Aug. 5	Beth Helen.	F	L	George Venne.	Rose A. St. John.	"	"	"	"	"	27	26
" 8	Joseph Lewis.	M	L	Joseph Girouard.	Junie E. Hale.	"	"	"	"	Royalston, Ms.	18	"
" 25	Mary R.	F	L	John Harness.	Miuona M. Hill.	"	"	"	"	Mariboro.	21	"
" 28	Kosina.	F	L	Daniel Charbonneau.	Adeline.	"	"	"	"	Canada.	26	23
" 19	Franklin.	F	L	Gottlieb Lang.	Emma.	"	"	"	"	"	33	30
Nov. 3		M	L	Charles K. Coolidge.	Celestre Ledoux.	"	"	"	Germany.	"	48	38
		F	L		Agner Hobban.	"	"	"	Germany.	"	47	42
		F	L		Julia Stone.	"	"	"	Troy.	Germany.	47	42

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1893.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Par- ents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of		Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.						Living or Stillborn.	1st, 2d, etc.		
Nov. 3	Morris B.	M		Daniel Sullivan.	Deborah King.	W	Troy.	Laborer.	Troy.	Ireland.	33	32
" 5			L	Thomas W. Starkey.	Emma Walker.	"	"	Teamster.	"	Weston, Vt.	30	32
" 13	Ina Frances.	F	L	Stephen Freeman.	Mary A. Barron.	"	"	Laborer.	Winooski, Vt.	England.	30	35
" 19	Flossie Geneva.	F	L	Sidney E. Smith.	Etta E. Handy.	"	"	"	Richmond, Canada.	Richmond, Canada.	25	25
" 30		F	L	Napoleon Morin.	Annie Burney.	"	"	"	Troy.	Troy.	29	24
Dec. 22	Retta May.	F	L	Herbert D. Gee.	Mary A. Haskell.	"	Winchester.	Merchant.	Winchester.	Canada.	25	22
" 31		M	S	Gideon Lemay.	Clare Girouard.	"	Troy.	Laborer.	Canada.	Canada.	25	22
" 31		F	L	John F. Hole.	Chloe E. Rice.	"	"	Farmer.	Swansey.	Swansey.	35	21

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1893.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Feb. 13.	Marlboro.	John Titro.	Troy.	37	W	Stone Polisher	Canada.	John Titro. Mary Woods.	Canada.	2d	Rev. D. C. Ling.
		Lucy Ledoux.	Marlboro.	27	"	"	"	C. Ledoux.	"	1st	Marlboro.
June 21	Troy.	Albert Payne.	Troy.	23	"	Laborer.	England.	Delestre Gadaire. Jonathan Payne.	England.	1st	Rev. D. R. Herrick.
" 29	"	Maggie Reddy.	"	23	"	Weaver.	"	Charlotte Carter. James Reddy.	"	1st	Troy.
		Henry J. Brown.	"	23	"	Spinner.	Troy.	Henry S. Brown. Mary A.	"	1st	Rev. D. R. Herrick.
July 15	"	Lulu A. Merrifield.	"	19	"	"	"	Simon Merrifield Nancy Tupper.	Wizwilliam. New Salem, Ms.	1st	Troy.
		Fred I. Ayres.	"	20	"	Laborer.	England.	Richard G. Ayers.	England.	1st	Rev. D. R. Herrick.
" 26	Marlboro.	Maud M. Arnolds.	"	19	"	Weaver.	Canada.	Eliza Tattersall. Nelson Arnolds.	Canada.	1st	Troy.
		Edward Cushing.	"	22	"	Spinner.	Charlestown, Vt.	Patrick Cushing. Nora Donahue.	Ireland.	1st	Rev. D. C. Ling.
Aug. 25	"	Nellie A. Sullivan.	"	23	"	"	Troy.	John Sullivan. Ellen Dunn.	"	1st	Marlboro.
		Moise Ledoux.	"	21	"	Paving Cutter	Canada.	C. Ledoux.	Canada.	1st	Rev. D. C. Ling.
Oct. 10	Troy.	Rosena Bergeron.	Marlboro.	18	"	Weaver.	"	Celestre Gadaire. Leger Bergeron.	"	1st	Marlboro.
		Walter C. Hurford	Troy.	23	"	Laborer.	India.	Eliza Fonteneau Henry P. Hurford	England.	1st	Rev. D. R. Herrick.
		Alice E. Johnson.	"	24	"	Domestic.	England.	Mathilda Crozier. William Johnson.	"	1st	Troy.
								Alice Cool et.	"		

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

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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.	Color of each.	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.
Oct. 11	Harrisville.	Frank S. Harris, Addie E. Willard.	Troy, Harrisville.	31 36	W "	Manufacturer	Troy.	Wm. A. Harris, Sarah E. Fife, Zophar Willard.	Swansey, Troy, Dublin,	2d 2d	Rev. Wm. Schofield, Nelson.
" 19	Troy.	Eugene C. Myrick, Mary S. Dort.	Providence, R. I. Troy.	25 21	" "	Agent.	Providence, Troy.	Artemas Myrick, Julia Eteleth, Asa C. Dort.	Norwich, Vt., Myrick, Mass., Providence, Marlboro.	1st 1st	Rev. Wm. P. Clancy, Troy.
" 28	"	Elmer E. Haskell, Angie A. Sutton.	" "	31 24	" "	Farmer.	" "	Joseph Haskell, Mary J. Starkey, Edward C. Sutton	Marlboro., Troy.	1st 1st	Rev. D. R. Herrick, Troy.
Nov. 22	"	Alberto L. Handy, Nellie A. Hart.	" "	26 30	" "	Seamstress, Clerk.	Fitzwilliam, Wallingford, Vt.	Caroline Spooner, Henry Handy, Elizabeth Howe,	" Fitzwilliam, Richmond, Wallingford, Vt.	1st 1st	Rev. D. R. Herrick, Troy.
" 30	Wallingford, Vt.	Charles F. Burke, Belle A. Hart.	" "	24 25	" "	Laborer.	Medford, Ms., Wallingford, Vt.	Abbie Edgerton, Julia A. Dempsy, Elbainan Hart, Abbie Edgerton.	England, Wallingford.	1st 1st	S. Henry Archibald, Wallingford, Vt.

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

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1893.

Date of Death.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Sex & Condition.			Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	
			Years.	Months.	Days.	Male.	Female.	Color.	S, M, W.*	Father.			Mother.
Feb. 22	Troy.	Charles W. Brown.	51		22	M	W	W	Stedbury, Mass.	Stedbury, Mass.	Lemuel Brown.	Leah.	
Mar. 4	"	Orren L. Nash.	45	8	27	M	W	W	Chesterfield, Swainsey.	Royalton, Vt.	Oliver L. Nash.	Florence Perkins	
" 18	"	Eva M. Ward.	23		7	F	F	F	Windsorhampton, Nova Scotia.	Swainsey, Fitzwilliam.	Ozro J. Helle.	Lucy Kenball.	
" 20	"	Ella Jane Hamilton	13	9	21	F	F	F	Mariboro, Littleton.	Canada.	Wm. M. Hamilton	Ida G. Carlekin.	
" 26	"	Adahie Heberts.	21	5	10	F	F	F	Canarc, Washington Vt.	Carroll.	Freeman Heberts	Julia Currier.	
" 28	"	Mattie A. Dexter.	16	4	24	F	F	F	Keene, Ireland.	Philadelphia, Ireland.	John Leavitt.	Elvira Gilhes.	
Apr. 3	"	Rosie E. Lewis.	1	3	11	F	F	F	Keene, Ireland.	Philadelphia, Ireland.	James Bates.	Louisa Newton.	
" 5	"	Percey Chesington.	1	1	11	M	W	W	Keene, Ireland.	Philadelphia, Ireland.	John Leavitt.	Louisa Newton.	
May 16	"	Lucy Stockwell.	95	11	23	F	F	F	Croydon.	Ireland.	John Cressington.	Louisa Newton.	
" 18	"	Charles Howard.	82	11	23	M	W	W	Croydon.	Ireland.	Isachar Adams.	Lucy Bellows.	
" 21	"	Edward M. Enright	23	6	7	M	W	W	Troy.	Mass.	Thomas Enright.	Kate V. Stanton.	
" 31	"	Joseph A. Perrault.	11	11	23	M	W	W	Canada.	Canada.	Joseph Perrault.	Julia Blake.	
Aug. 31	"	George P. Ward.	66	10	13	M	W	W	Ashburnham, Ms.	England.	Alvin Ward.	Fuscha Russell.	
Sept. 3	"	Dorothy X. Parker.	44	9	10	F	F	F	Troy.	England.	Arthur Parker.	H. D. Stinchcomb	
" 20	"	Abbie L. Kimball.	44	9	10	F	F	F	Fitzwilliam.	Fitzwilliam.	Daniel Farrar.	Sophronia Keith.	

*Single, Married or Widowed.

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

M. T. STONE, Town Clerk.

