

Town of Salem

**ANNUAL REPORT
FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING
FEBRUARY FIFTEEN**

1908



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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, OVERSEERS OF THE
POOR AND BOARD OF HEALTH

OF THE TOWN OF

SALEM, N. H.

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF THE

SALEM WATER BOARD, FIRE WARDENS,
BOARD OF EDUCATION AND TRUSTEES OF THE
PUBLIC LIBRARY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15

1908

CONCORD, N. H.
RUMFORD PRINTING CO.

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1907.

Town Clerk.

DANIEL A. ABBOTT.

Moderator.

FRANK D. DAVIS.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES A. KIMBALL, EBENEZER DUSTON,
EDWIN G. CATE.

Treasurer.

JAMES EWINS.

Collector of Taxes.

WILLIS DUBoIS PULVER.

Water Commissioners.

ARTHUR C. HALL, JAMES H. HADLEY,
HERBERT G. WOODBURY.

Auditors.

FRANK D. WILSON, GEORGE B. NOYES,
JOSEPH BRECKLES.

Highway Agents.

LOREN E. BAILEY,

FRANK N. EMERSON.

JOHN E. KING.

Trustees of Public Library.

DANIEL A. ABBOTT,

LORENZO F. HYDE.

CLINTON L. SILVER.

Constables.

WILLIAM F. ROWELL,

JOHN C. NICHOLS,

WILLIS G. RICHARDSON,

JOHN S. STEVENS.

Representatives to the General Court.

JOHN J. HUNT,

CHARLES E. KNIGHT.*

Supervisors.

JAMES H. HADLEY,

JOHN J. RICHARDSON,

EMERY E. BLAISDELL.

Board of Health.

LEWIS F. SOULE,

FRANCIS E. HIGGINS,

JOHN J. HUNT.

Fire Wardens.

DAVID S. EMERY.

Board of Education.

CLINTON L. SILVER,

SETH M. PATTEE,

WILLIAM A. TURNER.

Superintendent of Schools.

J. E. WIGNOT.

* Deceased.

Trustees of Pine Grove Cemetery.

FRANK D. WILSON,

CHARLES H. SMITH,

JAMES E. SLOAN.

Sexton.

CHARLES E. MERRILL.

Tree Warden.

JOHN F. HALL.

TOWN WARRANT.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

*To the inhabitants of the town of Salem qualified to vote
in town affairs:*

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

1. To choose all necessary town officers and agents for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the year ensuing.
3. To see if the town will vote to raise any more money for the repairs of highways than the law requires.
4. To see what method the town will vote to adopt to facilitate the collection of taxes.
5. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

6. To see if the town will vote to authorize the town treasurer to hire, with the approval of the selectmen, such sums of money as he may need for general purposes in anticipation of taxes.

7. By request. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$100 or any part thereof for the use of the Gilman E. Sleeper Post, No. 60, G. A. R., to be expended in the observance of Memorial Day in the year 1908.

8. By request. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of the Salem free public library.

9. By request. To see if the town will vote to provide another exit with stairway from the upper hall in the town house and appropriate money for the same.

10. By request. To see if the town will vote to extend the street lights on Broadway to the house of Dana W. Call and raise money for the same.

11. By request. To see if the town will vote to accept a street known as Church Avenue, leading from Main Street to Cross Street, so called, according to survey of land owned by C. H. Borcher.

12. By request. To see if the town will vote to extend the street lights on North Street to the house of Melzer A. Turner, and raise money for the same.

13. By request. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$2,000 annually for eight years to provide a sinking fund to pay the principal on the first instalment of bonds due June 1, 1917, issued by the town for the purchase of the water works.

14. By request. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200 to make repairs on Frank Nichols' hill on the road from North Salem to Salem Center.
15. By request. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$425 to purchase hose wagon, harness and ladder for hose company No. 2 and appoint a committee to purchase the same.
16. By request. To see if the town will vote to exempt the church property in town from water tax.
17. By request. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$1,000 or any part thereof to repair the macadam road from Methuen town line to Windham town line.
18. By request. To see what action the town will take in regard to buying machinery for building macadam roads.
19. By request. To see if the town will vote to unite with the town of Atkinson in the building of an arch bridge near Hale's mills (so called) on the Atkinson and Salem town line and raise money for the same.
20. By request. To see if the town will vote to extend the street lights on the turnpike to the house of Ira S. McKeen and raise money for the same.
21. By request. To see if the town will vote to extend its electric lights down Pleasant Street to the house of Ezra B. Hall and raise money for the same.
22. By request. To see what action the town will take toward having the bushes on the highway cut.
23. By request. To see if the town will vote to raise the

sum of \$500 to be expended for text books and supplies for the use of schools.

24. By request. To see if the town will raise \$100 to repair turnpike lying between B. & M. railroad tracks and the Windham line.

25. By request. To see if the town will raise money to paint and repair the town house.

26. By request. To see if the town will vote to exempt from taxation the brick shop at Salem Depot to any party who may start a business of ten thousand dollars a year, said company to be exempt for a time of ten years.

27. By request. To see if the town will vote to raise \$1,000 to macadamize road in No. 8 district, beginning at the macadamized road on the turnpike at a point called Kelley's Crossing and continuing toward No. 8 schoolhouse, said road to be eight feet wide.

28. By request. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the payment of the town history.

29. By request. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to extend its water pipe up Highland Avenue and down School Street to the residence of C. H. Allen.

30. By request. To see if the town will vote to establish and maintain electric lights and the town water service at the town house and raise money for the same.

31. By request. To see if the town will vote to purchase a new hearse to take the place of the one now housed at the Center village, raise money therefor and choose a com-

mittee to dispose of old one and to carry the vote into effect.

32. By request. To see if the town will vote to place suitable electric lights to light the private way at Canobie Lake, beginning at the Flume Gate, so called, going as far as the cottage of F. P. Woodbury, for four months in the year, viz.: June, July, August and September, and raise money for the same.

Given under our hand and seal this 22d day of February, 1908.

CHARLES A. KIMBALL,
EBENEZER DUSTIN,
EDWIN G. CATE,
Selectmen of Salem.

A true copy of warrant.

Attest:

CHARLES A. KIMBALL,
EBENEZER DUSTIN,
EDWIN G. CATE,
Selectmen of Salem.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT for the YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1908.

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF SALEM AS TAKEN
APRIL 1, 1907.

489 polls,	\$48,900.00
Real estate,	851,357.00
300 horses,	21,757.00
2 mules,	200.00
2 oxen,	100.00
563 cows,	16,456.00
72 neat stock,	1,282.00
10 sheep,	29.00
15 hogs,	200.00
1,945 fowls,	946.00
36 carriages,	4,550.00
Stock in banks,	1,000.00
Money on hand,	11,000.00
Stock in trade,	43,725.00
Mills and machinery,	34,150.00
Boats,	1,900.00
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	\$1,037,552.00

TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 1907.

State tax,	\$1,440.00
County tax,	2,091.52
Water tax,	1,200.00
Town charges,	3,000.00
Electric light,	1,100.00
Highway by law,	2,593.88
Highway by vote,	625.00
Hose house No. 2,	600.00
Library by vote,	150.00
Library by law,	86.40
Private road at Canobie Lake by vote,	100.00
G. A. R.,	100.00
Water to Pine Grove cemetery,	250.00
School by vote,	5,000.00
School by law,	2,160.00
School house insurance,	140.00
New school house in No. 8,	500.00
New floor in school house No. 4,	125.00
New pump No. 3,	75.00
No. 6 school note and interest,	648.00
Road by order of court,	1,801.95
Overlay,	700.87
Taxes committed to collector 1907,	\$24,487.62
Rate \$23.60 per \$1,000.	

SCHOOLS.

Appropriation by vote,	\$5,000.00
Appropriation by law,	2,160.00
For insurance by vote,	140.00
New school house No. 8 by vote,	500.00
New floor, No. 4, by vote,	125.00
New pump, No. 3, by vote,	75.00
No. 6 school note on interest,	648.00

	\$8,648.00
Paid school treasurer, as per voucher No. 90,	\$2,998.78
school treasurer as per voucher No. 201,	4,150.00
school treasurer as per voucher No. 202,	500.00

	\$7,648.78
Balance due school treasurer,	\$999.22

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid	Methuen bank interest,	\$100.00
	Methuen bank interest,	75.00
	Methuen bank interest,	225.00
	Enoch Taylor estate interest,	56.00
	E. H. Rollins & Sons, water works notes,	50,000.00
	Essex National bank, note,	2,000.00
	Methuen bank, interest,	250.00
	Methuen bank, note,	2,000.00
	Methuen bank, interest,	150.00
	Enoch Taylor estate, interest,	56.00
	Essex bank, note,	3,000.00
	Interest on water bonds,	1,040.00
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		\$58,952.00

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid J. H. Heath, team for county commissioners,	\$2.00
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, L. E. Bailey, tax collector's bond,	5.00
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, Frank Emerson, tax collector's bond,	5.00
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, James Ewins, tax collector's bond,	15.00
Geo. C. Cannon & Son, resolutions, Sears, Woodbury & Tenney,	25.00
Rumford Printing Co., town reports,	69.40
L. F. Soule, M. D., antitoxin,	15.00
D. A. Abbott, ballots,	9.35
City of Boston, water for Cundy estate,	11.25
B. R. Wheeler, express,	1.84
B. R. Wheeler, G. A. R.,	100.00
Edgar Gilbert, town history,	400.00
H. J. Horne & Co., trees for cemetery,	24.00
Geo. C. Gordon & Son,	30.00
C. H. Smith, labor in cemetery,	4.15
E. C. Eastman, tax collectors' book,	2.41
L. F. Hyde, library, by law,	86.40
H. C. Desmond & Co., town seal,	2.50
Chas. C. Foster, labor in cemetery,	22.33
Geo. W. Palmer, labor in cemetery,	6.00
L. F. Soule, formaldehyde,	25.30
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, insurance,	7.50
E. G. Cate, watering place, 1904-05-06-07,	12.00
Chas. E. Nichols, labor in cemetery,	42.00
Chas. H. Smith, labor in cemetery,	43.40
E. E. Bailey, watering place,	3.00
J. W. Kelley, watering place, 1905 and 1906,	6.00

Paid C. E. Merrill, old cemetery,	\$5.00
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, insurance,	10.00
Derry News, tax bills,	4.50
Walker Haigh, painting hearse house,	5.00
L. F. Hyde, library appropriation,	150.00
City of Boston, Cundy estate tax,	22.26
Baptist Society, watering cart storage,	6.00
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, insurance,	10.00
A. Coburn estate, watering place,	6.00
County tax,	2,091.52
Chas. H. Smith, labor in cemetery,	40.22
H. P. Taylor, fence for cemetery,	14.52
State tax,	1,440.00
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, insurance,	10.00
Town of Methuen, Wheeler fire,	201.00
City of Boston, Cundy water bill,	11.00
L. F. Soule, M. D., report of births and deaths,	4.00
C. A. Kimball, lodging tramps,	7.80
C. A. Kimball, use of team,	30.00
C. H. Borchers, shingling hearse house,	16.14
D. A. Abbott, recording births and deaths,	9.50
D. A. Abbott, incidentals,	2.68
P. H. Knapp, team for county commissioners,	2.00
F. L. Woodbury, care of cemetery,	4.00
James Ewins, incidentals,	3.07
James Ewins, supplies for town hall,	9.30
Hotel Rockingham, lunch for firemen,	7.75
L. Henry Bailey, land bought, for taxes,	7,238.26

	\$12,337.35

EXPENSE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid Hose No. 2, brush fire, Haze property,	\$24.50
Hose No. 2, yearly service,	53.25
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, insurance,	15.00
Hose No. 2, brush fire, Horace Hunt and others,	10.00
Hose No. 1, brush fire, Hedgehog woods,	11.50
Hose No. 1, yearly service,	33.00
Hose No. 1, brush fire Hampshire road,	14.50
Hose No. 1, brush fire Tenny land,	5.00
D. S. Emery, fire warden, 1905-06,	20.00
C. H. Borchers, hose house No. 2,	270.00
Hose No. 2, brush fire, Hampshire road,	25.00
Hose No. 1, brush fire, C. F. Record,	7.00
Hose No. 1, brush fire, Hampshire road,	10.50
Walker Haigh, painting hose house No. 2,	75.00
Hose No. 2, chimney fire, John Shaw,	7.50
Hose No. 1, shovels,	10.00
C. H. Borchers, hose house No. 1,	9.55
Hose No. 1, Reardon cottage, Canobie Lake,	11.00
C. H. Borchers, hose house No. 2,	260.00
Hose No. 1, hay stack,	9.50
Hose No. 1, chimney, G. Morrill,	11.00
Hose No. 2, Wheeler fire,	74.00
Hose No. 1, Wheeler fire,	52.50
Hose No. 1, Nettie Graves, chimney,	12.50
Salem Light & Power Co., wiring hose house No. 1,	15.00
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	\$1,046.80

SALEM WATER WORKS.

Paid Union Publishing Co., advertising bonds,	\$7.00
Water commissioners, water pipe for cemetery,	100.00
Water commissioners, hydrant service,	700.00
Boston Advertiser, advertising bonds,	26.10
Water commissioners, hydrant service,	600.00
Water commissioners, water pipe for cemetery,	150.00
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	\$1,583.10

REPORT OF L. E. BAILEY, HIGHWAY AGENT.

To work on highway from March 14 to Dec.

6, L. E. Bailey, 28½ days, at \$2.00,	\$57.00
L. E. Bailey, man and 2 horse team, 31 days, at \$4.00,	124.00
L. E. Bailey, one horse team, 10 days, at \$1.50,	15.00
Isaac Woodbury and team, 2 days, at \$4.50,	9.00
53 days' Italian labor, at \$1.65,	87.45
Wm. Morrill, 32 days, at \$1.65,	52.80
Ed Young, 22½ days, at \$1.75,	39.37
Ed Young, Jr., 22½ days, at \$1.50,	33.75
Roy Graves, 10 days, at \$1.50,	15.00
10 loads ashes, at 10 cents,	1.00
Spikes, dynamite and drills,	1.99
24 feet 10-in. pipe,	4.80
50 feet 8-in. pipe,	6.34
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	\$447.50
Received cash from town,	\$447.50

REPORT OF MONEY EXPENDED PRIVATE WAY
AT CANOBIE LAKE.

Paid L. E. Bailey, 6 days, at \$2.00,	\$12.00
L. E. Bailey, 2 men, 2 teams, 6 days, at \$7.00,	42.00
L. E. Bailey, 5 men, 6 days, at \$1.50,	45.00
Dynamite and drills,	1.00
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	\$100.00
Paid by town,	\$100.00
	Respectfully,
	L. E. BAILEY.

REPORT OF FRANK N. EMERSON, HIGHWAY
AGENT.

Received of James Ewins, town treasurer,	\$486.82
Paid Frank N. Emerson, 55 days, at \$2.00,	\$110.00
Frank Emerson, team, 51 3-10 days, at \$2.50,	128.25
Paul Kezer, 39½ days, at \$1.50,	59.25
Silas Ballou, 42 7-10 days, at \$1.50,	64.05
Geo. Palmer, 35 days, at \$1.50,	52.50
H. B. Silver, team and man, 5 hours, at \$4.00,	2.00
Charles Foster, 5 days, at \$1.50,	7.50
Newell Tilton, 1 day, at \$1.50,	1.50
John Nichols, 8 days, at \$1.50,	12.00
O. H. Butler, 3 days, at \$1.50,	4.50
O. H. Butler, team, 3 days, at \$2.50,	7.50
Howard Butler, 3 days, at \$1.50,	4.50
Theron Butler, 3 days, at \$1.50,	4.50
Warren Emerson, 98 loads gravel, at .05,	4.90
Frank Wilson, 202 loads gravel, at .05.	10.10
O. H. Butler, 60 loads gravel, at .05,	3.00
F. N. Emerson, powder and fuse,	1.00
E. Douglass, sharpening picks,	1.00
James Ewins, Portland cement, 200 lbs.,	1.50
James Ewins, 3½ lbs. spikes,	.14
K. M. McLaughlin, 324 feet, 4x4,	7.13

	\$486.82

REPORT OF JOHN E. KING, HIGHWAY AGENT.

Received of James Ewins, town treasurer,	\$451.92
Paid J. E. King, 8 days,	\$16.00
Christian, 7 days,	10.50
I. L. Duston, 1 day,	1.50
E. L. Merrill, 7 days,	10.50
P. Bransfield, 4 days,	6.00
W. E. King, 5 days,	7.50
J. E. King, 2 men, 4 horses, 7 days,	56.00
J. E. King, 11 days,	22.00
J. E. King, 2 men, 4 horses, 6 days,	48.00
J. E. King, 1 man, 2 horses, 7 days,	28.00
J. E. King, 2 horses, 3 days,	7.50
J. E. King, 883 feet plank,	22.07
E. L. Merrill, 4 days,	6.00
J. E. Palmer, 9 days,	13.50
S. M. Pettee, 9 days,	13.50
R. Jennings, 9 days,	13.50
Loren E. Bailey, man and team, 1 day,	4.00
E. G. Cate, 237 loads gravel,	11.85
A. Head, 45 loads gravel,	2.25
L. Taylor, 16 loads gravel,	.80
J. E. King, 2 days,	4.00
J. E. King, 2 men, 4 horses, 2 days,	16.00
W. E. King, 1 day,	1.50
E. Merrill, 2 days,	3.00
J. E. King, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.00
J. E. King, 1 man and team, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	2.00
J. E. King, 608 feet plank,	15.20
J. E. King, 8 days,	16.00
J. E. King, 6 days, 2 horses,	15.00
Charles Baker, 6 days,	10.50

Paid W. E. King, 6 days,	\$10.50
Harry Ball, 7 days,	12.25
S. M. Pettee, 8 days,	14.00
F. N. Emerson, 2 days, with team,	8.00
J. H. Cullen, 2 days, with team,	9.00
E. G. Cate, 5 days,	8.75
E. L. Merrill, 2 days,	3.00
H. P. Taylor, 40 lbs. spikes,	1.25

	\$451.92

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Paid Electric Light Co., February,	\$91.67
March,	91.67
April,	91.67
May,	91.67
June,	91.67
July,	91.67
August,	91.67
September,	91.67
October,	91.67
November,	91.67
December,	91.67
January,	91.63

	\$1,100.00

ROADS AND BRIDGES—SPECIAL.

Paid E. O. Douglass, catch basin repairs,	\$1.00
C. H. Borchers, bridge railing,	8.64
United Construction Co., Balou bridge,	690.00
Turner & Schwarzenberg, hardware,	2.35
Edward Adams, macadam road,	100.00
Lawrence Lumber Co., bridge plank,	62.85
County commissioners, Hoyt case,	26.40

Paid Edward Adams, crushed stone,	\$132.00
Loren E. Bailey, Canobie Lake park,	100.00
C. W. Hobbs, Hoyt case,	4.00
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	\$1,127.24

CUNDY FUND.

Essex savings bank, Lawrence,	\$1,640.10
Provident Institute for Savings, Boston,	695.53
Suffolk savings bank, Boston,	18.92
Real estate, estimated,	1,400.00
Claims against the estate,	\$950.00

SNOW PATHS.

Paid C. E. Merrill,	\$12.65
C. F. Morrison,	51.60
O. H. Butler,	6.30
H. V. Jennings,	1.20
J. E. King,	6.30
J. E. King,	43.36
F. F. Wheeler,	4.65
F. O. Wheeler,	2.40
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	\$128.46

COUNTY POOR.

Rose Gile,	\$89.50
Wm. H. Maloon,	92.00
I. S. Campbell,	107.00
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	\$288.50

TOWN POOR.

C. H. Gordon & Son, undertakers' supplies for Rose Gile,	\$14.00
H. P. Taylor, undertakers' supplies for Rose Gile,	.50
	\$14.50

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES.

Sarah E. Kimball,	\$144.00
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SALEM LOCKUP.

Paid C. H. Borchers,	\$42.00
E. McCabe, putting up cells,	28.00
Wm. Forbes & Son, stone, etc.,	16.27
Hugh Ferguson, chairs,	3.75
James Greenwood, mattresses,	6.75
Loren E. Bailey, cementing bottom,	62.50
F. A. Hiscox & Co., blankets,	4.00
	\$163.27

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid John J. Richardson, supervisor,	\$8.00
D. A. Lanagan, ballot clerk,	4.00
J. H. Hadley, supervisor,	14.00
Emery G. Blaisdell, supervisor,	14.00
F. D. Davis, moderator,	7.50
D. A. Abbott, town clerk,	50.00
C. A. Kimball, selectman,	150.00
Ebenezer Duston, selectman,	110.00
Edwin G. Cate, selectman,	125.00
Edwin G. Cate, sexton,	10.00
W. D. Pulver, tax collector,	150.00
D. A. Abbott, town clerk,	50.00
James Ewins, town treasurer,	100.00
L. F. Soule, M. D., board of health,	47.00
John J. Hunt, board of health,	11.80
W. E. Lancaster, ballot clerk,	4.00
W. F. Rowell, constable,	30.00
W. F. Rowell, dog killer,	17.00
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	\$902.30

COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT.

Amount of taxes committed to W. D.

Pulver for the year 1907,	\$24,487.62
Received from W. D. Pulver, cash,	\$18,109.60
Discounts,	1,024.01
Abatements,	112.38
	19,245.99
Due on taxes, 1907,	5,241.63
Land bought for taxes, 1902,	82.76
Land bought for taxes, 1903,	102.22
Land bought for taxes, 1904,	76.45
Land bought for taxes, 1906 (resident),	731.05
Land bought for taxes, 1906 (non-resident),	6,547.46
	7,539.94
Due from J. J. Hunt, taxes, 1904,	28.95
Due from J. J. Hunt, interest,	2.90
	\$31.85
Abatements,	12.07
Balance due on 1904 taxes,	19.78
Due from J. J. Hunt, taxes, 1905,	452.61
Due from J. J. Hunt, interest,	45.26
	\$497.87
Abatements,	67.39
Balance due on 1905 taxes.	430.48

Due from L. Henry Bailey,taxes,1906,	\$8,692.07
Interest and charges to Feb. 15, 1908,	231.25
Interest on uncollected taxes,	26.81
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	8,950.13
Land bought for taxes, 1907,	7,238.26
Cash from L. H. Bailey,	1,173.74
Abatements, 1906 taxes,	243.19
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	8,655.19
Balance due on 1906 taxes,	<hr/> \$294.94

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN.

Town house,	\$2,500.00
Library building,	1,000.00
Books and fixtures in library,	1,500.00
Hose house No. 1,	600.00
Hose house No. 2, by the town, \$1,605.00, by subscription and members of Hose 2, \$80,	1,685.00
Hose wagon, No. 1,	365.00
Seven fire extinguishers,	14.00
2,450 feet of hose,	575.00
8 nozzles and spanners,	64.00
12 shovels,	10.00
Crushed stone,	175.00
2 hearses,	400.00
Road machine,	175.00
Lockup,	719.50
Lockup furnishings,	30.77
Salem water works,	52,000.00
Street sprinkler,	350.00
Wood land,	275.00
Pettingill land,	150.00
3 extension ladders,	22.50
6 pr. climbers,	14.60
13 pruners,	11.00
	62,636.37

STATEMENT OF TOWN DEPARTMENT.

ASSETS.

Cash in treasurer's hands,	\$941.46
Bal. in state treasury due the town for permanent improvement of highways,	453.25
Property owned by the town appraised,	62,636.37
Due the town as per collector's report,	13,526.77
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	\$77,557.85

LIABILITIES.

Town water works,	\$52,000.00
National bank of Methuen,	10,000.00
Trustees Enoch Taylor estate,	2,800.00
B. R. Wheeler, admr.,	500.00
Total funded indebtedness,	3,691.49
School note, District No. 6,	600.00
Essex National bank,	2,000.00
Unexpended balance of money raised for permanent improvement of highways,	1,813.50
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Balance in favor of town,	73,404.99
	4,152.86

CEMETERY FUNDS.

PINE GROVE.

Corning fund, for driveways,	\$700.00
Cundy fund, care of lot,	114.00
Whittier fund, care of lot,	50.00
Buck fund, care of lot,	102.50
Emerson fund, care of lot,	102.50
Noyes fund, care of lot,	106.72
Pettingill fund, care of lot,	102.50
Corning fund, care of lot,	217.00
Robinson fund, care of lot,	102.50
Geo. Woodbury, care of lot,	100.00
Sidney Gage, care of lot,	50.00
Francis S. Smith, care of lot,	100.00
M. J. Welch, care of lot,	50.00
Joseph Marston, care of lot,	100.00
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	\$1,997.72

MOUNT PLEASANT.

Newell fund, care of lot,	\$102.50
Merrick fund, care of lot,	102.50
C. G. Taylor fund, care of lot,	102.50
Paul fund, care of lot,	102.50
Otis Taylor fund, care of lot,	102.50
Hunt fund, care of lot,	102.50
Duston fund, care of lot,	102.50
R. P. Taylor fund, care of lot,	102.50
J. Taylor, Jr., fund, care of lot,	101.50
D. Taylor fund, care of lot,	100.00
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	\$1,021.50

Selectmen's account Pine Grove,	\$79.53
Selectmen's account Mt. Pleasant,	13.35

	92.88
Old school note No. 2, with interest,	\$308.22
Old school note No. 10, with interest,	271.17

	579.39
Total funded indebtedness,	3,691.49

PINE GROVE CEMETERY FUNDS.

Gilman Corning fund,	\$700.00
Interest, 1907,	24.50

	\$724.50
Paid for labor on drives,	24.50

Balance due Corning fund,	\$700.00
 Cundy fund,	\$114.00
Interest to December 31, 1907,	3.99

	\$117.99
Expended on lot,	3.99

Due on Cundy fund,	\$114.00
 Whittier fund,	\$50.00
Interest to April, 1907,	1.75

	\$51.75
Expended on lot,	1.75

Due on Whittier fund,	\$50.00

Buck fund,	\$102.50
Interest to November 4, 1907,	3.58
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	\$106.08
Expended on lot,	3.58
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Due on Buck fund,	\$102.50
Emerson fund,	\$102.50
Interest,	3.58
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	\$106.08
Expended on lot,	3.58
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Due on Emerson fund,	\$102.50
Noyes fund,	\$106.50
Interest to April 1, 1907,	3.72
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	\$110.22
Expended on lot,	3.72
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Due on Noyes fund,	\$106.50
Pettingill fund,	\$102.50
Interest to March 24, 1907,	3.58
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	\$106.08
Expended on lot,	3.58
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Due on Pettingill fund,	\$102.50
Corning fund,	\$217.00
Interest to May 15, 1907,	7.69
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	\$224.69
Expended on lot,	7.69
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Due on Corning fund,	\$217.00

Albert Robinson fund,	\$102.50
Interest to October 1, 1907,	3.53

	\$106.03
Expended on lot,	3.58

Due on Robinson fund,	\$102.45
Geo. Woodbury fund,	\$100.00
Interest to April 1, 1907,	3.50

	\$103.50
Expended on lot,	3.50

	\$100.00
Sidney Gage fund,	\$50.00
Interest to April 1, 1907,	1.75

	\$51.75
Expended on lot,	1.75

	\$50.00
Francis S. Smith fund,	\$100.00
Interest to April 1, 1907,	3.50

	\$103.50
Expended on lot,	3.50

	\$100.00
Martha J. Welch fund,	\$50.00
Joseph Marston fund,	\$100.00

MOUNT PLEASANT CEMETERY FUNDS.

Samuel T. Newell fund,	\$102.50
Interest to October 1, 1907,	3.58

Expended on lot,	\$106.08
	3.58

Due on Newell fund,	\$102.50
Albert Merrick fund,	\$102.50
Interest to April 1, 1907,	3.58

Expended on lot,	\$106.08
	3.58

Due on Merrick fund,	\$102.50
C. G. Taylor fund,	\$102.50
Interest to April 1, 1907,	3.58

Expended on lot,	\$106.08
	3.58

Due on C. G. Taylor fund,	\$102.50
Matthew Paul fund,	\$102.50
Interest to April 1, 1907,	3.58

Expended on lot,	\$106.08
	3.58

Due on Paul fund,	\$102.50

Otis Taylor fund,	\$102.50
Interest to 1906,	3.58
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Expended on lot,	\$106.08
	3.58
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Due on Otis Taylor fund,	\$102.50
Hattie D. Hunt fund,	\$102.50
Interest to March 13, 1907,	3.58
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Expended on lot,	\$106.08
	3.58
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Due on Hunt fund,	\$102.50
Augusta M. Duston fund,	\$102.50
Interest to March 13, 1907,	3.58
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Expended on lot,	\$106.08
	3.58
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Due on Duston fund,	\$102.50
Reuben P. Taylor fund,	\$102.50
Interest to October 7, 1907,	3.58
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Expended on lot,	\$106.08
	3.58
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Due on Reuben P. Taylor fund,	\$102.50

John Taylor, Jr., fund,	\$101.50
Interest to July 1, 1907,	3.55
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	\$105.05
Expended on lot,	3.55
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Due on John Taylor, Jr., fund,	\$101.50
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Daniel Taylor fund,	\$100.00
Interest,	3.50
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	\$103.50
Expended on lot,	3.50
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Due on Daniel Taylor fund,	\$100.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

SALEM DEPOT, N. H., February 15, 1908.

REPORT OF HOSE CO. NO. 1.

PROPERTY ON HAND.

- 300 feet heavy rubber lined hose.
- 650 feet linen hose.
- 300 feet Eureka light hose.
- 2 one-inch nozzles.
- 2 three-fourth-inch nozzles.
- 15 spanners.
- 4 hydrant wrenches.
- 1 combination hose wagon equipped with two 20-foot extension ladders, one 12-foot roof ladder, one 10-foot folding ladder.
- 2 lanterns.
- 1 axe.
- 1 quick-hitch harness and hangers.
- 1 bar.
- 2 five-gallon chemicals.
- 24 fire pails.
- 20 chairs.
- 2 tables.
- 12 shovels.

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY.

Captain, David S. Emery; first lieutenant, Walter F. Hadley; second lieutenant, Charles D. Lewis; clerk, John S. Stevens; treasurer, Walter D. Emery.

DAVID S. EMERY,
Fire Warden.

EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1908.

April 22. Drawn on account of fire on the property of C. H. Tenney, North Broadway,	\$5.00
May 2. Drawn on account of brush fire at South Hedgehog woods, 15 acres part timber land,	11.50
May 2. Drawn on account of brush fire at Hamp- shire Roads, electric road crossing,	14.50
May 21. Drawn on account of brush fire and cord- wood, 15 to 20 cords wood burned, property of Cole and Brown,	10.50
Oct. 31. Drawn on account of fire, W. H. Radon cottage, Canobie Lake,	11.00
Nov. 16. Drawn on account of fire property of Mr. Bunting, South Broadway,	9.50
Dec. 2. Drawn on account of chimney fire, property of Garfield Morrill, off Main Street,	11.00
Dec. 8. Drawn on account of fire at Wheeler's mills, property of John W. Wheeler & Son,	52.50
Feb. 8. Drawn on account of chimney fire, property of Mrs. Nettie Graves,	12.50
Drawn on account of bill, Charles Kimball & Son:	
Aug. 1. One doz. shovels,	10.00

	\$148.00

DAVID S. EMERY,
Fire Warden.

REPORT OF HOSE CO. NO. 2.

PROPERTY ON HAND FEB. 15, 1908.

500 feet Eureka hose.

700 feet underwriters' No. 1 hose.

15 spanners.

1 hydrant wrench.

4 nozzles, two 1-inch and two $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch.

2 standard chemical fire extinguishers, all in good condition.

Furniture bought by the company for their new hall:

3 tables.

3 chairs.

10 yards rubber matting.

12 wall lamps.

16 window shades.

25 second-hand chairs.

The company was called out for fires:

April 4. Brush fire on Haze property,	\$24.50
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April 5. Brush fire on Haze, W. W. Cole and H.	
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Hunt,	10.00
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June 1. Trempter fire at Hampshire Roads,	25.00
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Dec. 8. At Wheeler's Mills Co., received,	74.00
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July 6. Chimney fire at John Shaw's,	7.50
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	\$141.00
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There being a deficiency in the town's appropriation, the hose company raised the sum of \$32.75, and the citizens subscribed the sum of \$47.25, making a total of \$80.00, making a sum sufficient to complete the hose house.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. WHITFORD,

Fire Warden.

DOG LICENSES.

Number of dogs returned by selectmen,	177
Number of licenses issued, males 137, females 23, spayed females 4,	164
Dog licenses collected by town clerk,	149
Dog licenses collected by dog officer,	15
Dogs killed or otherwise disposed of,	13
Amount received for dog licenses.	\$397.78
Fees and expenses,	39.16
Net balance for the town,	358.62

D. A. ABBOTT,

Town Clerk.

Feb. 15, 1908.

RECAPITULATION.

Feb. 15, 1907, cash on hand	\$150.30
Received of W. D. Pulver, taxes (1906),	19,245.99
Received of F. O. Wheeler, taxes (1901)	49.51
Received of D. A. Abbott, dog tax,	358.62
Received for town water bonds,	50,700.00
Received from Essex National Bank,	6,825.83
Abatements (1904-'05),	79.46
Received for land sold, taxes (1905),	68.88
Received for taxes (1906),	8,412.00
Abatements (1906),	243.19
Water commissioners,	1,040.00
Sale of lots in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery,	20.00
Sale of lots in Pine Grove Cemetery,	20.00
Sale of old plank,	1.50
Received from Rockingham County,	465.60
Box-ball alley license,	24.00
Bowling alley license,	32.00
Theatre license,	55.00

W. D. Pulver, fines collected (1907),	\$7.00
Railroad tax,	189.23
Savings bank tax,	296.05
Literary fund,	216.55
Proportion of school fund,	556.28
High school tuition,	41.76
Rent of hall,	27.25
Income from Cundy estate,	150.00
Martha J. Welch, cemetery fund,	50.00
Joseph Marston, cemetery fund,	100.00
Rebate on insurance policy,	45.00
	\$89,471.00
Paid for support of fire department,	\$1,046.80
schools,	7,648.78
contingent expenses,	12,337.35
repairs, roads and bridges,	1,386.24
special, roads and bridges,	1,127.24
transient poor,	447.00
snow paths,	128.46
notes and interest,	58,952.00
town officers,	902.30
water works,	1,583.10
electric lights,	1,100.00
lockups,	163.27
brown-tail moth,	247.96
abatements,	435.03
discounts,	1,024.01
	\$88,529.54
Cash in treasurer's hands,	941.46
	\$89,471.00

CHARLES A. KIMBALL,
EBENEZER DUSTON,
EDWIN G. CATE,
Selectmen of Salem.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and found them correct and properly vouched for.

FRANK D. WILSON,
GEORGE B. NOYES,
JOSEPH H. BRECKELS,
Auditors.

TOWN TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

DR.

Feb. 15, 1907, cash on hand,	\$150.30
Received, taxes (1901),	49.51
abatements (1904-'05),	79.46
land bought for taxes	
(1905), redeemed,	\$65.40
interest,	3.48

	68.88
taxes (1906),	\$8,412.00
abatements and discounts	
(1906),	243.19

	8,655.19
taxes (1907),	\$18,109.60
abatements (1907),	112.38
discounts (1907),	1,024.01

	19,245.99
dog licenses,	358.62
water commissioners,	1,040.00
sale of lots in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery,	20.00
sale of lots in Pine Grove Cemetery,	20.00
sale of old plank,	1.50
Essex National Bank,	6,825.83
Rockingham County,	465.60

Received box-ball alley license,	\$24.00
bowling alley license,	32.00
theatre license,	55.00
W. D. Pulver, for fines collected in 1907,	7.00
water bonds,	50,700.00
state railroad tax,	\$189.23
state savings bank tax,	296.05
state literary fund,	216.55
state proportion of school fund,	556.28
state high school tuition,	41.76
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	1,299.87
rent of hall,	27.25
income from Cundy estate,	150.00
Martha J. Welch cemetery fund,	50.00
Joseph Marston cemetery fund,	100.00
Insurance Co., damages to hall by fire,	45.00
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	\$89,471.00

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By paid orders of the selectmen,	\$88,529.54
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1908,	\$941.46

JAMES EWINS,
Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct and proper vouchers for the same.

FRANK D. WILSON,
GEORGE B. NOYES,
JOSEPH H. BRECKELS,
Auditors.

WATER COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

We present our third annual report of the Salem Water Works.

In accordance with the vote passed at the last annual town meeting, the water main has been extended to Pine Grove Cemetery, at an expense of \$451.96, which exceeded the amount raised by \$201.96. This expense was deemed advisable, as the greater part of the pipe was purchased at a very low figure and the cemetery trustees were ready to extend the pipe throughout the cemetery.

A 2-inch pipe has been laid in Church Avenue and Spring Street at the depot village.

Thirty new services have been added or extended. The gross income is now \$1,504, for private services, and \$1,200 from the town, making a total of \$2,704.

Owing to the failure of the New England Breeders' Club, the annual income was reduced \$600.

DUE THE SALEM WATER WORKS.

From town to June 30, 1908,	\$700.00
N. E. Breeders' Club to May 18, 1907,	300.00
cemetery trustees for laying pipe in Pine	
Grove Cemetery,	283.89
houses services to June 30, 1908,	400.46
All bills owed by the Water Works have been paid.	

RECEIPTS.

Feb. 28, cash on hand,	\$365.75
Water rates,	12.00
Water rates,	21.50
Water rates,	127.50
Water rates,	3.00
Water rates,	93.00
Water rates,	26.64
Water rates,	26.50
Town treasurer for town water,	700.00
Water rates,	65.16
Town treasurer on account of appropriation,	100.00
Water rates,	23.50
Water rates,	55.45
Water rates,	122.50
Water rates,	42.00
Water rates,	70.00
New services,	50.57
Water rates,	15.00
Water rates, receiver of N. E. B. C.,	45.00
Water rates,	36.67
Water rates, H. P. & S. Elec. R. R.,	125.00
New services,	24.62
New services,	20.56
Water rates,	6.00
Water rates, receiver of N. E. B. C.,	30.00
Water rates,	2.83
New services,	25.66
New services,	59.22
Water rates,	186.45
Water rates,	43.50
Water rates, receiver of N. E. B. C.,	15.00
New services,	30.46
New services,	65.46
Water rates,	35.32
Town treasurer for town water,	600.00

Town treasurer, on account of appropriation,	\$150.00
Water rates,	42.50
New services,	30.03
Water rates,	79.50
Water rates,	50.00
New services,	7.50
Water rates,	103.25
Water rates,	18.00
For broken pipe,	2.40
Water rates, H. P. & S. Elec. R. R.,	125.00
New services,	31.61
Water rates,	298.00
For 12 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ pipe,	.96

\$4,210.57

DISBURSEMENTS.

K. M. McLaughlin,	\$3.30
Geo. C. Gordon & Son, bonds,	30.00
Chadwick—Boston Lead Co.,	6.39
M. O'Mahoney,	10.24
N. W. Harris & Co., interest on bonds,	1,000.00
H. G. Woodbury, freight and sundries,	10.39
B. R. Wheeler,	23.30
Geo. H. Pattee,	21.00
Peter LaCourt,	87.45
N. W. Hobbs, assignee of N. E. B. Club,	269.74
Young & Nickerson,	3.00
Walworth Mfg. Co.,	200.00
Harold L. Bond Co.,	28.88
Walworth Mfg. Co.,	200.00
Walworth Mfg. Co.,	84.05
Town treasurer, interest on bonds,	1,040.00
Walter F. Hadley,	4.65
C. F. Kimball & Son,	.75
E. R. Wheeler,	59.30

Peter LaCourt, No. 2,	\$18.57
Peter LaCourt, No. 5,	36.66
Peter LaCourt, No. 3,	38.31
Peter LaCourt, No. 4,	38.31
Peter LaCourt, No. 2,	16.95
Peter LaCourt, No. 1,	38.31
Geo. H. Pattee,	13.28
Peter LaCourt, No. 5,	.165
Peter LaCourt, No. 4,	11.55
Peter LaCourt, No. 3,	11.55
Peter LaCourt, No. 2,	9.90
Peter LaCourt, No. 1,	11.55
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	.48
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	.25
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	.25
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	3.60
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	1.00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	.44
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	.30
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	.36
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	.33
American Express Co.,	.35
American Express Co.,	.25
American Express Co.,	.15
American Express Co.,	.20
American Express Co.,	.25
Wm. Forbes & Son,	.55
W. F. Rutter & Co.,	2.68
W. F. Rutter & Co.,	3.10
E. O. Douglass,	6.45
E. O. Douglass,	2.45
Frank N. Emerson,	8.40
Frank N. Emerson,	2.80
E. B. Bassett,	4.20
Geo. H. Pattee,	9.33
C. T. Maxwell,	1.50

Peter Balduc,	\$10.00
C. H. Smith,	3.50
C. F. Morrison,	1.75
Geo. Randall,	35.50
Geo. H. Pattee,	2.00
Geo. H. Pattee,	2.20
J. Bragdon,	1.75
J. F. Hall,	1.75
Frank N. Emerson,	1.00
B. R. Wheeler,	61.60
Iron rod and fittings,	1.25
Lead pipe and fittings,	2.00
Car fare,	.20
P. H. Knapp, team,	.75
C. F. Morrison, team, .	.50
C. F. Morrison, team,	.75
Lead pipe and connections,	1.90
American Express Co.,	.40
Postage,	1.00
S. B. Knight,	1.50
Walter F. Hadley,	2.40
Herbert G. Woodbury,	39.75
James H. Hadley,	30.90
Postage,	1.51
Telephone,	.25
L. E. Bailey,	20.88
A. C. Hall,	27.60
Walworth Mfg. Co.,	96.03
Feb. 15, 1908, cash on hand,	481.25
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	\$4,210.57

ARTHUR C. HALL.
JAMES H. HADLEY.
HERBERT G. WOODBURY.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

SALEM, N. H., February 15, 1908.

The board wishes to call attention to the following from the Public Health Laws of the State of New Hampshire:

SECT. 8. No person shall occupy, lease to any other person, or permit any other person to occupy a building or any part of a building within the compact part of a city or town as a dwelling-house, office, store, shop, or sleeping apartment, unless such building shall be provided with suitable privies and vaults, properly ventilated and constructed, and kept in proper sanitary condition, and in case of occupancy as a dwelling-house, unless it shall be provided with suitable drains or sewers for conveying the sink-water away from the premises into some public sewer, if there be one within one hundred feet thereof, and if not, for conveying it away under ground or in some other way that will not be offensive.

SECT. 9. Any person neglecting or refusing to comply with the provisions of the preceding section shall be fined not exceeding ten dollars for each day of neglect or refusal, after notice as provided in section four of this chapter.

SECT. 10. No house of easement or privy, and no pen or sty for swine, shall be erected or continued in such place or condition as, in the judgment of the health officers, to be a nuisance or injurious to the public health.

SECT. 12. If a person shall place, leave or cause to be placed or left in or near a highway, street, alley, public place or wharf, or shall allow to be exposed, unburied, any animal or other substance liable to become putrid or offensive or injurious to the public health, he shall be fined not exceeding twenty dollars, and the health officers shall remove the same.

During the past year there have been reported 20 cases of diphtheria, two of measles, two of scarlet fever, and one of typhoid fever. There have been two deaths from tuberculosis, one from diphtheria, one from whooping-cough, and one from typhoid fever. There have been 37 deaths from all causes in the year 1907. Population of Salem, 1900, 2,041. Death rate per 1,000 population, 18.12+.

LEWIS F. SOULE, M. D.

JOHN J. HUNT.

FRANCIS E. HIGGINS.

SALEM FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN.

To the Board of Trustees of the Salem Free Public Library:

GENTLEMEN: The 15th annual report of the library, showing its work for the year ending Feb. 15, 1908, is herewith presented.

Whole number of books reported Feb. 15, 1907, was 2,038; the number of accessions since then has been 182, comprising 136 volumes obtained by purchase, and 46 gifts, making a total in the library Feb. 15, 1908, 2,220 volumes. During the year 6,226 volumes were issued, a gain of 1,284 volumes over last year. Number issued to patrons at the Center, 3,700; number issued to patrons at Salem Depot, 2,197; number issued to patrons at North Salem, 329. Largest number issued in one month, 603, in March; smallest number issued in one month, 402, in October; largest number issued in one day, 166, Feb. 8; smallest number issued in one day, 80, Sept. 21. Average per day, 117+.

Received for catalogues and fines,	\$5.28
Paid for express and library supplies.	5.01

Cash on hand,	\$.27
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Respectfully submitted,

MRS. HATTIE F. ABBOTT,
Librarian.

Feb. 15, 1908.

REPORT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY TREASURER.

SALEM, N. H., February 15, 1908.

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1907,	\$58.11
From town and interest, etc.,	327.72

Whole amount,	\$385.83
Paid out for books, expressing of books, salary of librarian, supplies, repairs, etc.,	\$292.43
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908,	93.40
	\$385.83
Amount of money in Amoskeag Bank,	\$330.08
Amount in Essex Bank, Lawrence,	135.70
Whole amount,	\$465.78

LORENZO F. HYDE,
Treasurer.

LIST OF BOOKS, 1907-'08.

2039	Tourists' Guide, State of New Hampshire,	Rollins
2040	Silas Strong,	Bacheller
2041	Paradise,	Brown
2042	The Opened Shutters,	Burnham
2043	The Doctor,	Connor
2044	The Treasure of Heaven,	Corelli
2045	The Celebrity,	Churchill
2046	A Lady of Rome,	Crawford
2047	The Awakening of Helen Richie,	Deland
2048	The Rose of Old St. Louis,	Dillon
2049	Step by Step,	Downs
2050	Helen Grant in College,	Douglas
2051	A Daughter of the South,	Eggleston
2052	A Knight of the Cumberland,	J. Fox, Jr.
2053	The Lost Expedition,	Foster
2054	Concerning Isabel Carnaby,	Fowler

2055	The Balance of Power,	Goodrich
2056	Jack in the Rockies,	Grinnell
2057	The Woman in the Aleove,	Green
2058	The Lion and the Mouse,	Klein
2059	Nancy Stair,	Lane
2060	White Fang,	London
2061	A Daughter of the Union,	Madison
2062	Hearts and Masks,	MacGrath
2063	Cowardice Court,	McCutcheon
2064	Jane Cable,	McCutcheon
2065	A Plebe at West Point,	Malone
2066	A Colonial Maid,	Madison
2067	Yolanda,	Major
2068	With John Paul Jones,	McIntyre
2069	Anthony Overman,	Michelson
2070	The Girl from Tim's Place,	Munn
2071	The House of a Thousand Candles,	Nicholson
2072	Among the Fur Traders,	Otis
2073	Lucy of the Stars,	Palmer
2074	Blennerhassett,	Pidgin
2075	A Spinner in the Sun,	Reed
2076	At the Sign of the Jack O'Lantern,	Reed
2077	The Master's Violin,	Reed
2078	The Watchers of the Trails,	Roberts
2079	The Colonel of the Red Hussars,	Scott
2080	Real Boys,	Shute
2081	The Tides of Barnegat,	Smith
2082	The Masquerader,	Thurston
2083	The \$30,000 Bequest,	Twain
2084	The Man of the Hour,	Thanet
2085	Betty Wales, Junior,	Warde
2086	The Valley of Decision,	Wharton
2087	Lady Betty Across the Water,	Williamson
2088	The Blazed Trail,	White
2089	The Silent Places,	White
2090	The Rover Boys on the River,	Winfield

2091	Campfires in the Canadian Rockies,	Hornaday
2092	The Wilderness Hunter,	Roosevelt
2093	Historic Buildings of America,	Singleton
2094	Mars and its Mystery,	Morse
2095	The Beginnings of New England,	Fiske
2096	Our West Indian Neighbors,	Ober
2097	According to Season,	Parsons
2098	Field Book of American Wild Flowers,	Mathews
2099	Hand-Book of Birds of Eastern North America,	Chapman
2100	Common Land Birds of New England,	Wilcox
1028	Daniel Boone,	Bogart
357	Swiss Family Robinson,	
833	Robinson Crusoe,	Foe
456	Angel Visitor,	Percival
2101	Mount Washington in Winter	
2102	Life of Napoleon Bonaparte	
2103	Adventures in the Wilderness,	Murray
2104	The Bear Hunters of the Rocky Mountains,	Bowman
2105	The Tanner Boy,	Penniman
2106	Samantha at Saratoga,	Holley
2107	The Presidents of the United States,	Frost
2108	Sermons by D. L. Moody,	Moody
2109	Sermons by D. L. Moody,	Moody
2110	Sermons by D. L. Moody,	Moody
2111	The Singular Miss Smith,	Kinzley
2112	New Samaria,	Mitchell
2113	Sons of the Morning,	Phillpotts
2114	Captains of the World,	Overton
2115	The Washingtonians,	Mackie
2116	The Inlander,	Robertson
2117	The Close of the Day,	Spearman
2118	The Real World,	Herrick
2119	Heart and Soul,	Skinner
2120	Jewel of Seven Stars,	Stocker
2121	The Woman in White, Vol. I,	Collins

2122	The Woman in White, Vol. II,	Collins
2123	The Law and the Lady,	Collins
2124	The Moonstone, Vol. I,	Collins
2125	The Moonstone, Vol. II,	Collins
2126	Armadale, Vol. I,	Collins
2127	Armadale, Vol II,	Collins
2128	Basil,	Collins
2129	Hide and Seek,	Collins
2130	No Name, Vol I,	Collins
2131	No Name, Vol. II,	Collins
2132	The Queen of Hearts,	Collins
2133	Poor Miss Finch,	Collins
2134	The Dead Secret,	Collins
2135	Antonina,	Collins
2136	The Two Destinies,	Collins
2137	After Dark,	Collins
2138	My Miscellanies,	Collins
2139	The Fallen Leaves,	Collins
2140	The Haunted Hotel,	Collins
2141	The Black Robe,	Collins
2142	The Evil Genius,	Collins
2143	The Legacy of Cain,	Collins
2144	Jezebel's Daughter,	Collins
2145	Blind Love,	Collins
2146	I Say No,	Collins
2147	A Rogue's Life,	Collins
2148	The Voice in the Desert,	Mackie
2149	The Wind in the Rose Bush,	Wilkins
2150	Jennie Baxter, Journalist,	Barr
2151	Rulers of Kings,	Atherton
2152	Tristram of Blent,	Hope
2153	The Isle of Unrest,	Merriman
2154	By Order of the Prophet,	Henry
2155	The Garden of Eden,	Howard
2156	The Crimson Sweater,	Barbour
2157	The Young Consul,	Drysdale
2158	Harding of St. Timothy's,	Pier

2159	Dave Porter at Oak Hall,	Stratemeyer
2160	Four Boys in the Land of Cotton,	Tomlinson
2161	Jack Hazard,	Trowbridge
2162	The Steps of Life,	Hiltz
2163	Our Little Alaskan Cousins,	Roulet
2164	Our Little Brown Cousins,	Wade
2165	Our Little Philippine Cousins,	Wade
2166	Our Little Russian Cousins,	Wade
2167	Before Adam,	London
2168	Red Fox,	Roberts
2169	Among the Water Fowls,	Job
2170	The Girls of St. Gabriel's,	Deland
2171	Helen Grant, Senior,	Douglas
2172	The Friendship of Anne,	Deland
2173	What Happened to Barbara,	Miller
2174	Hester Stanley's Friends,	Spofford
2175	An Honor Girl,	Raymond
2176	The Second Violin,	Richmond
2177	Five Little Peppers and How They Grew,	Sidney
2178	Betty Wales, Senior,	Ward
2179	The Road to Frontenac,	Merwin
2180	The Shuttle.	Burnett
2181	The Younger Set,	Chambers
2182	The Ministry of David Baldwin,	Colestock
2183	Arethusa,	Crawford
2184	The Scarlet Car.	Davis
2185	Seven Daughters,	Douglas
2186	Nellie Kinnard's Kingdom,	Douglas
2187	Tales of Sherlock Holmes,	Doyle
2188	The Cruise of the Shining Light,	Duncan
2189	Molly Bawn,	Duchess
2190	The Mayor's Wife,	Greene
2191	Mother,	Garky
2192	T. Thorndike, Attorney-at-Law,	Goss
2193	Aunt Jane of Kentucky,	Hall
2194	Through the Eye of a Needle,	Howells

2195	Helena's Path.	Hope
2196	The Call of the Blood.	Hichens
2197	Wards of Liberty,	Kelley
2198	Gayle Langford, .	Kramer
2199	The Lady of the Decoration.	Little
2200	The Bailiff's Maid.	Marlitt
2201	The Daughter of Anderson Crow.	McCutcheon
2202	The Port of Missing Men.	Nichelson
2203	Saul of Tarsus.	Miller
2204	The Weavers.	Parker
2205	Ruth Erksine's Son.	Pansy
2206	The Man in the Case.	Phelps
2207	Lavender and Old Lace,	Reed
2208	Helpmates,	Sinclair
2209	The Captain of the Kansas,	Tracy
2210	The Wood Carver of Lymphus,	Waller
2211	Arizona Nights,	White
2212	New Chronicles of Rebecca.	Wiggin
2213	The Princess Virginia,	Williamson
2214	The Shepherd of the Hill,	Wright
2215	With Kuroki in Manchuria,	Palmer
2216	Captain Macklin,	Davis
2217	Life of Christ,	Beecher
2218	History of Methodism,	Daniels
2219	N. H. Surgeons in the Rebellion,	Conn
2220	N. H. State Library Report	

FIFTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF SALEM FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The trustees of the Salem Free Public Library herewith submit their annual report for the year ending Feb. 15, 1908.

Organization was effected at the beginning of the year as follows: Chairman, Daniel A. Abbott; treasurer, Lorenzo F. Hyde; clerk, Clinton L. Silver. Meetings have been held according to usual custom, the first Saturday evening in each month during the year.

At the close of another year of existence the trustees find the library in a good condition and constantly increasing in usefulness to the people of the town, who manifest a greater desire to avail themselves of the privileges of the library than in former years.

We would especially call the attention of the patrons to our books of reference. These works cover a great variety of subjects, and while consulted by many of our people, are still not fully appreciated. All patrons when in need of works of this character should not hesitate to consult them freely.

Early in the year the trustees received with regret the resignation of Mrs. Susan A. Cluff as librarian. We desire at this time to record our high appreciation of the faithful work and valued services rendered during the twelve years she held this position. Mrs. Hattie F. Abbott was chosen by the trustees as her successor, and began her labors as librarian April 1.

We are glad to note an increase in circulation of some twelve hundred volumes over the previous year. In only two years of the library's existence has the circulation exceeded that of the past year.

For gifts of books, periodicals, valuable papers and magazines, we are indebted to Mrs. John J. Hunt, Mr. Eugene

Goodwin, Mrs. Fred O. Wheeler, Mr. Edgar Gilbert, Miss Josephine Bailey, and Mr. Felix Mullaly. To these and all others who have aided the library by gifts of books and publications, we desire to extend our sincere thanks and hearty appreciation of the same.

The trustees feel that in order to carry on the work of the library as planned by the founders, and place on the shelves for the use of our patrons the best of the seasonable books and publications each year, a larger amount is needed than we heretofore received, and we would recommend an appropriation of at least one hundred and seventy-five dollars for the ensuing year.

In connection with this report will be found a list of books added during the current year; also reports of the treasurer and librarian.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL A. ABBOTT,
LORENZO F. HYDE,
CLINTON L. SILVER,

Trustees.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town School District in the Town of Salem, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall on Saturday the fourteenth day of March, 1908, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
5. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the support of schools in addition to the tax required by law.
6. By request: To see if the district will vote to raise a sufficient sum of money to complete, furnish, grade and fence No. 8 schoolhouse and lot.
7. By request: To see if the district will vote to sell the old schoolhouse and shed by auction, and the proceeds go to help pay the finishing, furnishing, grading and fencing the new schoolhouse and lot in No. 8.
8. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the payment of High school tuition.
9. To see if the district will vote to raise the sum of seventy-six dollars and fifty-five cents (\$76.55) to pay the claim of the county commissioners for services in determining the location of the new No. 8 schoolhouse.
10. To see if the district will vote to raise the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) to pay the claim of William E. Lancaster against the district, for making survey plans and

attending the hearing before the county commissioners concerning the location of No. 8 schoolhouse.

11. To see if the district will vote to raise the sum of one hundred and sixty dollars (\$160.00) to reinsure its schoolhouses for the coming year.

12. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for digging a well for the use of No. 8 school.

13. To see if the district will vote to raise the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for the purpose of placing new windows in No. 4 schoolhouse.

To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers, heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

To choose agents, auditors, and committees, in relation to any subjects embraced in this warrant.

Given under our hands, at said Salem, this twenty-second day of February, 1908.

CLINTON L. SILVER,
SETH M. PATTEE,
WM. A. TURNER,
School Board of Salem, N. H.

A true copy of warrant. Attest:

CLINTON L. SILVER,
SETH M. PATTEE,
WM. A. TURNER,
School Board of Salem, N. H.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The school board respectfully submit their report.

For verbal report and tables, see report of the superintendent of schools. The interest on the note held by D. W. Felch, to be used for the benefit of pupils attending No. 3 school, has been received and will be expended by the board in extending the winter term beyond the number of weeks given by the town school district.

The interest on No. 2 and No. 10 notes has not been received. The interest on these notes will be expended some time during the fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1909.

In order that your schools may be in session 36 weeks, we recommend that the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) be raised above the amount required by law. As you will see by our report there is a balance of \$1,892.00 at the end of our fiscal year, and as our schools are now in session, which expense will have to be paid from this balance, possibly leaving a balance of \$1,000.00 or \$1,200.00, therefore the sum before mentioned (\$2,500.00) seems to the board to be a sufficient amount to maintain your schools for 36 weeks.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Members of the School Board:

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit to you a report upon the schools of your town, which is my first report as superintendent of the schools.

Upon taking up my duties, I found the work of the schools much as would be expected in the absence of special oversight; unsystematic, indefinite, with a diversity of text books and a wide variance in the progress of the different schools. There had been, I think, a printed course of study adopted by the school board some time ago, which, almost wholly inapplicable to present conditions, was consequently a dead letter to the teachers. The state "Program of Studies," an excellent outline, remained inactive through lack of intelligent application by some responsible head. I began right here and, after getting acquainted with the work and conditions in the schools, outlined somewhat tentatively a definite course of study applicable to these conditions, and then looked to it that the teachers applied and followed it. By this means a definite requirement was set for all teachers to meet and the progress of graded and ungraded schools alike made regular, systematic and will in time become uniform. This work is but begun. One person can not make a course of study perfect in every detail. During the spring I shall hold teachers' meetings where the work and plans may be discussed and the present course of study revised as may be needed for better work next year. As a further effort to secure uniformity, the work of each month is outlined in advance and each teacher reports at the end of the month what she has accomplished. In this way the weak spots are found and strengthened and the school board may be kept informed once a month of the work and progress of each school in each study.

Examinations are given twice a year by the superintendent to test the work of the children and see how near it measures up to that outlined in the course of study. The results of the only examination that has so far been given were fairly satisfactory.

Handwriting is so important a branch of the curriculum and so commonly misjudged by the parents that I feel it

necessary to state what is being done along this line. At ten years of age the average child knows well enough how to shape the letters of the alphabet and it is unprofitable thereafter, at stated periods each day, to keep him "drawing" more and more nearly perfect copies in his writing book as an exhibition of his penmanship. It is just here that appearances are so deceptive and misleading. Any child can make a fine showing. You should *see the work actually performed* to judge intelligently how proficient the child is in penmanship. Is it executed rapidly and in such a way as not to tire the hand? If not, however perfect it may be in appearance, it is nothing more nor less than a "drawing," and has no claim to be considered handwriting. The so-called muscular movement, taught in all business schools but never insisted upon in the public schools, with its easy and rapid execution, is the goal we are striving to reach here. The immediate effect is to convert what were good "artists" into wretched penmen, but the results will fully justify the course that has been taken.

We lost during the summer vacation: At number four, Miss May E. R. Smith, whose place was taken by Miss Florence Bertha Atkins; at number five, Miss Lillian B. Silver, whose place was filled by Miss Anna May Stockwell; at number three, Miss Mary Louise Nixon's school was given in charge to Miss Elsie Silver; at number seven, Miss Lillian Bartlett's school was closed after the winter term; at number six Miss Hattie B. Woodbury's and Mrs. Harriet D. Bennett's places were taken respectively by Miss Aaria Taylor and Mrs. Emma H. Douglas. Miss Florence M. Seaver's resignation as teacher of the primary school at number six was unexpectedly received the day before schools opened in September. Miss Katherine Grey Smith was elected to the position.

In April, at a joint meeting of the school boards of Hudson, Salem and Atkinson, the services of a superintendent were engaged, half of whose salary was to be paid by the

three towns and half by the state. The apportionment was as follows: To Atkinson, three twelfths; to Hudson, four twelfths; to Salem, five twelfths. This means that for supervision these towns pay in that order, respectively, \$150, \$200 and \$250.

In general, the same criticism may be made of the school work here as anywhere: We study words, memorize words and do not learn things; we confine children in school rooms too early in life; we do not train enough legs, eyes, ears and arms; we develop imperfectly or not at all common sense, judgment, power of observation and clear thinking; we attempt to run all children into one mould; we separate education from life. However, criticism is easy. To point out sure methods of improvement and changes that will certainly advance the progress of education is difficult. The way has been, to some extent, blazed for us. Many cities and towns got excellent results along these lines; nature study, handwork, manual training, elementary agriculture. To develop the whole child, to train all his faculties to the end that he may become perfectly at home in the world in which he lives should be our purpose and our duty.

Very respectfully submitted,

J. E. WIGNOT,
Superintendent of Schools.

STATEMENT SCHOOL TREASURER.

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Feb. 15, 1907, cash on hand,	\$92.37
Received from town treasurer,	2,998.78
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	\$3,091.15

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By paid orders of school board to Sept. 1, 1907,	\$2,443.15
Note,	600.00
Interest,	48.00
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	\$3,091.15

JAMES EWINS,
School Treasurer.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

Received from town treasurer,	\$4,150.00
Received from D. W. Felch, int. No. 3 note,	9.31
Received from town of Derry, tuition,	34.50
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	\$4,193.81
Paid orders of school board,	4,211.91
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Due treasurer,	\$18.10
Received from town treasurer on account new school house, No. 8,	\$500.00
Paid orders Building Co. and school board,	252.61
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Cash in treasurer's hands,	\$247.39
Bills approved unpaid (school),	\$199.60

BENJ. R. WHEELER,
School Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and found correct and properly vouched for.

FRANK D. WILSON,
GEORGE B. NOYES,
JOSEPH H. BRECKELS.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

Pupils who have been neither absent nor tardy:

For the Year—Herbert R. Rolfe, Norman C. Call, Everett Cumming, Arthur Call, Harold Hadley, Ernest Hadley, Mildred Hadley.

For Two Terms—Martha M. Pattee, Helen L. Dietrich, Rena M. French, Christie L. Rolfe, Warren W. Hartwell, Peter Sullivan, Harold Buxton, Clarence W. Merrill, Benjamin B. Woodbury, Isabella L. Adams, Agnes M. McAskill, Bertha L. Palmer, Pearl E. Woodbury, Carrie M. Shippee, Vivian Richardson, Charles W. Belmer, Allan E. Smith, Clarence O. Woodbury, Arlene Peabody.

For One Term—Grace E. Pattee, Joseph M. Pattee, J. Paul Jones, George H. Jones, Howard Jones, Harold A. Weinhold, Martha Hird, Gertrude B. Metzner, Erma J. Metzner, Agnes Kijohn, Amelia Weinhold, Willie A. Kinzler, Marion A. Turner, Florence G. Turner, Minnie A. Kinzler, Bernice M. Rolfe, Florence A. French, Oscar S. Duston, Edward Hussell, John L. Taylor, Ella Breckels, Ethel Woodbury, Walter S. Foote, Willie Breckels, William Cole, John Sullivan, Ollie Graves, Earle Beal, Bernice Atkins, Hattie E. Atkins, Thomas R. Atkins, William R. Atkins, Ruth Palmer, John Palmer, Warren E. Chase, Arthur Abbott, Ralph M. Haigh, Donald McAskill, Richard K. Bodwell, Lois M. Ayer, Eva M. Terpsten, John H. Hollis, Carrie M. Gibson, Vera G. Webster, Della F. Smith, Flora F. Greenwood, Wesley B. Ayer, Albert F. Greenwood, Frank W. Richardson, James T. Wallace, William McAskill, Pearl I. Eastman, Arnold L. Ganley, Irving

Lundbury, Ernest E. Shaw, John Goodrich, Bernice Dunbar, Gertrude Kimball, Harry Joyce.

STATISTICS FOR YEAR ENDING AUGUST 1, 1907.

Number of weeks in school year,	34
Number of different schools,	12
Number of school buildings in use,	9
Number of different teachers employed during year,	14
Total enrollment,	353
Boys,	180
Girls,	173
Average membership,	25 1-11
Average daily attendance,	22
Pupils under five years of age,	0
Pupils between five and sixteen years of age,	348
Number of cases of tardiness,	645
Number of pupils who attended Tilton Seminary,	3
Number of pupils who attended Methuen High School,	19

SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC.

To Superintendent Wignot and the School Board of Salem:

Following is a brief report of the work of the pupils of the Salem schools in the study of music for the past year:

In the beginning I will say that in nearly all the schools I find that improvement which was sure to follow the favorable conditions noted in last year's report. It is somewhat difficult to make a just comparison of the schools in the different parts of the town, as hardly the same conditions exist in any two of them. Generally speaking, however, in rooms where there are the greater number of grades, the results are correspondingly less satisfactory. This is true of all towns which have come under my notice. Especially is it true of the lowest grades. The little people need a good many attractive rote and motion songs, and quite a deal of attention should be given to their scale practice in the simple forms, if they are to become interested and

shine as little stars in the work. This, of course, is impossible if they are in rooms with higher grades, as the older ones really require the greater part of the time which can be given to the subject, thus obliging the little folk to grasp what they can. Yet the interest keeps up all through the town, yea, has increased, I am pleased to state, and in many instances I find it difficult to leave the rooms on time, so eager are the children to sing longer.

The schools have all been supplied with the best of books, the teachers, almost without exception, are coöperating as never before, and to these reasons I ascribe largely the great interest that is manifest and the success which is ours. Lack of sufficient time to develop the work assigned by the special teacher is retarding the progress in some rooms, which I hope will soon be remedied.

I would recommend that all the boys and girls be required to take part in the singing period, and that each be given credit for attention to, and ability in, the work, as in other branches of learning. It is understood that all children are not on an equality as regards musical expression, but all are born equal in the ability to grasp and learn the principles of reading music, and a person is not required to be a singer in order to obtain benefit from the period devoted to musical study.

I am pleased to say that all the good work in music is not confined to the central buildings, as in former years, but very enjoyable and meritorious singing can be heard in some of the outer ungraded schools as well.

My thanks are due to the superintendent of schools for valuable suggestions to the committee for the best of material, to the teachers for patient and painstaking assistance and to the pupils for courteous treatment and honest endeavor.

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. HARTWELL.

Supervisor of Music.

Haverhill, Mass., February 20, 1908.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

The school board debit themselves with the following sums raised for general school purposes:

Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1907,	\$92.37
Appropriation by law,	2,160.00
Appropriation by vote,	5,000.00
Literary fund,	216.55
Dog tax,	358.62
Received from state under the equalization laws of 1899,	306.28
Received from state one half of superintendent's salary,	250.00
Received from state rebate on high school tuition for school year 1906-07,	41.76
Received tuition from Derry,	34.50
D. W. Felch, interest on No. 3 note,	9.31

	\$8,469.39

RAISED UNDER SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Appropriation new floor No. 4,	\$125.00
Appropriation for well at No. 3,	75.00
Appropriation for reinsuring schoolhouse,	140.00
Raised for No. 8 new schoolhouse,	500.00
Raised for No. 6 schoolhouse, note and interest,	648.00

Total for all school purposes,	\$9,957.39

The School Board credit themselves with the following sums expended for the maintenance of schools:

Teachers,	\$3,938.70
Janitors,	438.80
Fuel,	305.24
Books,	301.62
Supplies,	145.34

Repairs,	\$139.98
Tuition at Tilton Seminary,	106.68
School officers,	125.00
Superintendent,	374.96
Music,	199.30
Conveyance,	361.00
Furnishings,	92.14
Freight and express,	16.53
Miscellaneous,	19.82
Enumeration,	12.00
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	\$6,577.11

EXPENDED UNDER SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	
Expended on floor, No. 4,	\$132.94
Expended on No. 3, well,	45.41
Expended on insurance,	110.00
Paid No. 6 schoolhouse note and interest,	648.00
Paid on account of No. 8 schoolhouse to date,	252.61
Total amount expended for all school purposes,	7,766.07
Unexpended balance of general school fund,	1,892.28
Unexpended part of No. 8 appropriation,	247.39
Unexpended on all other special appropriations,	51.65
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	\$9,957.39

CLINTON L. SILVER,
 SETH M. PATTEE,
 WILLIAM A. TURNER,
School Board of Salem, N. H.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and found them correct and properly vouched for.

FRANK D. WILSON,
 JOSEPH H. BRECKELS,
 GEO. B. NOYES,
Auditors.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Schools.	Teachers.	Terms.	Weeks.	No. of pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Average attendance.	Average daily absence.	Average membership.	Reading and spelling.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Physiology.	Musico.	Algebra.	Latin.	Visits by school board.	Visits by superintendent.	Visits by others.	Salaries per month.		
No. 1. Primary.	Maud H. Wheeler.....	Fall....	12	40	19	21	36	3	39	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	2	31	\$40.00		
	Maud H. Wheeler.....	Winter.	7	40	21	19	31	7	39	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	1	16	40.00		
	Maud H. Wheeler.....	Spring..	15	39	20	19	35	3	39	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	4	6	40.00		
No. 1. Grammar.	Elizabeth E. Brown.....	Fall....	12	32	16	15	29	1	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	9	2	23	30.00		
	Elizabeth E. Brown.....	Winter.	7	32	16	15	28	3	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	9	9	5	19	30.00	
	Elizabeth E. Brown.....	Spring..	15	29	14	15	26	2	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	8	8	5	5		
No. 3.....	Mary E. Bartlett.....	Fall....	12	20	12	8	16	3	19	20	20	19	9	9	7	9	20	20	1	1	7	36.00	
	Mary L. Nixon.....	Winter.	8	20	11	9	11	6	17	20	20	20	8	8	7	8	20	2	3	4	7	34.00	
	Mary L. Nixon.....	Spring..	15	23	13	10	18	2	21	23	23	23	8	8	7	7	23	1	4	16	34.00		
No. 4	Mary E. R. Smith.....	Fall....	12	31	14	17	27	3	31	31	31	31	24	15	15	11	31	5	5	1	17	40.00	
	Mary E. R. Smith.....	Winter.	7	28	13	15	25	4	28	28	28	28	20	15	15	11	28	5	5	2	18	40.00	
	Mary E. R. Smith.....	Spring..	15	27	18	14	23	3	27	27	27	27	20	13	13	10	27	4	4	4	17	40.00	
No. 5.....	Lillian B. Silver.....	Fall....	11	13	12	1	11	1	12	13	13	13	8	8	6	13	1	1	1	2	32.00		
	Lillian B. Silver.....	Winter.	8	13	12	1	8	4	13	13	13	13	8	8	5	2	12	1	3	1	32.00		
	Lillian B. Silver.....	Spring..	15	11	11	11	7	7	10	13	13	13	8	8	5	3	11	1	1	2	6	32.00	
No. 6. Primary.	Florence M. Seaver.....	Fall....	12	27	12	15	21	2	23	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	24	2	80	40.00	
	Florence M. Seaver.....	Winter.	7	24	11	13	17	4	21	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	27	27	27	64	40.00
	Florence M. Seaver.....	Spring..	15	27	14	13	22	2	24	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	68	40.00

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the SELECTMEN of SALEM: In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June session, 1877, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report," I submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SALEM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

Date of birth.	Name of child (if any.)	Sex and condition.			Maiden name of mother.	Name of father.	Colo of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.	Mass.
		Male.	Female.	No. of children or still- born.								
Jan. 31	Vernice Myrtle.	L.	F.	4	W. Clarence S. Eastman...	Annie L. Tyler...	W. Salem	Motorman.	Amherst, Me....	Georgetown, Pittsford, Vt.		
Feb. 10	Mary Alice.	L.	F.	5	" Daniel R. Welch...	Ida L. Pelkey...	"	Butcher.	Thomaston, Me.	Salem.		
Mar. 26	Henry Welf.	M.	M.	4	" Joseph H. Welch...	Carrie E. Haigh...	"	Operative.	England.	England.		
Apr. 10	Allie Ruth.	M.	F.	5	" August Dietrich...	Annie M. Dimick...	"	Farmer.	Germany.	New York.		
"	Douglas.	M.	M.	2	" Egbert J. Manor...	Alonzo H. Woodbury...	"	"	"	Salem.		
"	Clarence P.	M.	M.	4	" Alonzo H. Woodbury...	Annie L. Henderson...	"	Shoemaker.	Canada.	Waterboro, Me.		
"	"	M.	M.	1	" Frank F. Pattoss...	Emma M. Martel...	"	Laborer.	Canada.	Westville.		
"	Dorothy Adeline.	M.	F.	1	" George A. Richardson...	Marg'r't M. Littlejohn...	"	Shoemaker.	Canada.	Salem.		
May 1	"	M.	S.	...	" William E. Dunbar...	Mary A. Blois...	"	Conductor.	Nova Scotia.	Nova Scotia.		
"	Vera Frances.	M.	F.	2	" Charles P. Nichols...	Bessie I. Ross...	"	Laborer.	Derry.	Haverhill, Ms.		
"	David Joseph.	M.	F.	2	" Otis B. Felch...	Helen M. Lane...	"	Farmer.	Salem.	P. E. Island.		
"	Bedrose.	M.	M.	4	" John Olanion...	Mariam Gabayan...	"	"	"	Harpoot, Turk.		
"	Helen May.	M.	F.	1	" Paul Clifford Kezer...	Anna Russ...	"	"	"	Barre, Vt.		
June 6	Fred Henry.	M.	F.	1	"	Mary Aurilla Davis...	"	Shoemaker.	Atkinson.	Lowell, Mass.		
"	Charlotte Ruby.	M.	F.	1	" Edward J. Cavanaugh.	Hattie C. Hadley...	"	Barber.	Harpoot, Turk.	Salem.		
"	Karing.	M.	F.	5	"	Soign Kaforian...	"	Car barn emp.	Atkinson.	Salem.		
"	Dorothy May.	M.	F.	1	"	Clarence H. Jameson...	"	Farmer.	Salem.	Methuen, Mass.		
"	Elizabeth.	M.	M.	3	"	Minnie Hayden...	"	"	"	Canada.		
Sept. 6	"	M.	M.	7	"	Lizzie Brooks...	"	Painter.	Pembroke.	Pembroke.		
"	Lois Marie.	M.	M.	2	"	Effie M. Graves...	"	"	"	"		

Oct. 2	Mildred Lillian	F.	L.	2	W. Charles Everett Lewis	Adelaide Scott	W. Salem	Conductor	Woodsville	Windham
" 13	"	M.	.....	6	" Henry Candler	Bessie G. Main	"	Clergyman	London, Eng.	Allou, Scott.
" 18	" Watt Baker	M.	.....	6	" Charles R. Hair	Grace Baker	"	"	Rockport, Miss.	"
Nov. 3	Roger Walcott	M.	.....	3	" Edward D. Seaver	Clara Teatels	"	Clerk	Newt'nvile, Ms.	N. Brunswick.
" 6	Marion Adella	F.	.....	4	" Noble H. Henderson	Rachel E. Williams	"	"	Nav'a Scotia	P. E. Island.
" 25	Hazel Estelle	M.	.....	1	"	Mary A. Estates	"	Farmer	S'Deafwick Nova Scotia.	"
" 28	Albert Lewis	M.	.....	4	"	Wm. Davis Bradford	"	"	New Brunswick	Turkey.
Dec. 9	Tenney Oskaan	M.	.....	4	"	John T. Johnston	"	Farmer	Hopedale, Mass.	Westboro, Me.
" 19	Arthur Bernard	M.	.....	1	"	Oskaan Jangothian	"	"	"	"
				"	"	Arthur C. Esty	"	Agent	Mabel Kelley Gassett	"

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

DANIEL A. ABBOTT, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SALEM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

MARTRIAE DATE OF MARRIAGE	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of bride and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	MARTIAE.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 9	Salem.....	Harry Short.....	Salem.....	21 W Baker.....	Lawrence, Mass.	John Short.....	England	Baker.....	1 Rev. Henry E. Allen,	
		Margaret Kelley.....	Lawrence, Mass.	19 " Mill hand.....	England	Sarah Joseph Kelley.....	England	Concretor ..	1 Salem.	
" 24	"	Raymond A. Hoxie	Newburyport, Mass.	26 " Jeweler.....	Skowhegan, Me.	Mary Abner Hoxie	Ireland	Fairfield, Me. Farmer	1 Rev. Henry E. Allen,	
		Ada L. Davenport....	Newburyport, Mass.	22 " Bookkeeper	Haverhill, Mass.	Ara Deering	"	Rowley, Mass. Shoemaker	1 Salem.	
Feb. 9	"	Willard A. Phillips	Sandown ...	19 " Teamster	Sandown	Ben Lizzie Brown	Georgetown, Ms.	Plaistow, Germany	1 Fred C. Buxton,	
		May C. Lawrence....	Salem.....	18 " Housekeeper.	Nashua.....	Jacob Phillips	Pauline River	Merrimack, Fred Shores	2 J. P., Salem.	
Apr. 16	"	George F. Joslyn	"	53 " Farmer.....	Peteham, Ms.	Elizabeth Hodskin	Nashua, Webster, Ms.	Dana C't'r, Ms. Farmer	2 Rev. Henry E. Allen,	
		Annie R. Stanley	"	50 " Housekeeper.	Denmark, Me.	John Long	John Long	Pe'rsham, Ms. Massachusetts Denmark, Me.	3 Salem.	
May 8	"	Charles C. Norris	"	34 " Shoe cutter	Salem.....	Arthena Grover	Arthena Grover	Shoe cutter, Sarah H. Woodbury Salem	1 Rev. Henry E. Allen,	
		Carrie F. Woodbury.	"	18 " Stitcher	"	Lewis F. Woodbury	Hudson, Ms.	Engineer	1 Salem.	
" 18	"	Ellestion T. Williams.	Quincy, Mass.	25 " Clerk	Boston, Mass.	Francis J. Story	Cha'town, Ms.	Washin'n Williams Geo'town, Me. Pat'n maker	1 Rev. Henry E. Allen,	
		Alice G. Leishman	Boston, Mass.	22 " Cashier	"	Eliza' th A. Osborne	Boston, Mass.	Eliza' th A. Osborne Boston, Mass. Manager	1 Salem.	
June 8	"	Lazar Hagopian	Salem.....	25 " Mill operative	Turkey	John E. Leishman	"	Mary E. Sanderson Turkey	1 Rev. E. Wolcott,	
		Pariz Krikorian	"	24 " Teacher	"	Zarlic Lazarian	"	Zarlic Lazarian	1 Lawrence, Mass.	
" 12	"	George F. Talbot	Methuen, Mass.	39 " Leather business	Lawrence, Mass.	Krikor Lazarian	"	Mariam Moses	1 Rev. J. F. Blacklock,	
		Bertha Eliza Davies.	Salem.....	35 " At home	Pottsdam, N. Y.	George F. Talbot	Newypt, N. Y.	Mig. phar st	2 Rev. J. F. Blacklock,	
						Anna M. Rowell	Amesbury, Mass.	Farmer	2 Martin S. Clark	
						Marin S. Clark	P'scam, N. Y.	Farmer	2 Jennie Mullens	
									N. Y. St. Ansit, Can.	

June 15	Salem.....	John J. Richardson.....	Salem.....	29	W. Foreman.....	Danvers.....	W. G. Richardson.....	N. R'ding, Ms. Policeman.....	1 Rev. Henry E. Allen.
	Alice Perkins.....	" "	"	28	" At home	Somerville, Mass.....	Mass. Georgiana Morang Edmunds, Ms.....	Edmunds, Ms.....	Salem.
" 17	" "	Thomas H. Stafford.....	Rowley.....	36	" Gardener	Lepreau, N. B.	Mass. Andrew J. Perkins, N. Hamp'shire Jeweler.....	Salem.....	Salem.
"	Lucy Safford Savage.....	Newburyport, Mass., Salem.....	Shoe worker	20	"	Rowley, N. B.	Mass. Laura J. Kelley.....	Lepreau, N. B. Shoemaker.....	Rev. Henry E. Allen,
"	Hampstead.....	Irven W. Felch.....	Carpenter	21	"	Salem.....	Samuel Stafford, Ireland.....	Carpenter	Rev. A. B. McAllister,
"	Lillian B. Silver.....	" "	Teacher.....	22	"	"	Annie Howe.....	Farmers.....	Hampstead.
"	30 Salem.....	W. S. H. Thompson.....	E. Boston, Mass.....	26	" Painter	Shelter Island, N.Y.	Willie A. Savage.....	Somer'lle Ms. Foreman.....	Rev. Henry E. Allen.
July 3	Bertha Lightbody	E. Boston, Mass.....	At home	26	"	East Boston, Mass.....	Mary Congdon.....	Bath, Me.....	Painter.....
"	Roy L. Glines	Methuen, Mass.....	Teamster	19	"	Mass. E. Lightbody.....	Chas. E. Lightbody.....	Shelv'lsl N.Y.	Painter.....
"	Elsie M. Gisser.	Lawrence, Mass.....	Weaver.....	17	"	Bridgton, Me.	Mary F. Cox.....	Nova Scotia.....	2
"	" "	Harry L. Mackle.....	Sawmill em- ployee	19	" Steep Falls, Me.	Germany.....	Freeman B. Glines.....	Bridgton, Me.	1 Nathan G. Abbott,
"	Grace E. Wilson.....	" "	At home	17	" Derry	El'e Hessenboehler.....	Rosette Haslettine.....	Naples, Me.	J. P., Salem.
"	" "	Joseph C. Laraway ..	Farmer	55	" Johnson, Vt.	Henry J. Giesser.....	Henry J. Giesser.....	Germany.....	Rev. Henry E. Allen.
"	Mary E. Laraway	Lawrence, Mass.....	Housekeeper. England.....	41	" Johnson, Vt.	El'o Hessenboehler.....	El'o Hessenboehler.....	Maine.....	Painter.....
"	Theodore Goodrich..	Haverhill, Mass.....	Shoe cutter	21	" Haverhill, Mass.	James H. Wilson.....	Alenna Nason.....	Windham.....	1 Rev. Henry E. Allen.
"	Ethel Wells	Haverhill, Mass.....	At home	18	" Haverhill, Mass.	Francis Laraway	James H. Wilson.....	Franklin, Canada.....	Salem.
Aug. 5	Roland A. Jennings	Salem.....	Laborer.....	23	" Somerville, Mass.	Mary Mussey.....	William O. Connor.....	Windham.....	Mail carrier
"	Gertrude M. French	" "	Housekeeper	18	" South Royals- ton, Mass.	William Cook.....	Frank Goodrich.....	Salem.....	Expressman
Sept. 4	Foster Smith.....	N. Andover, Mass.....	Farmer.....	25	" N. Andover, Mass.	Martha J. Nason.....	Margaret Smith.....	Anapolis, N.S.	1 Rev. Henry E. Allen.
"	Ida Gurley.....	N. Andover, Mass.....	Housekeeper. N. Andover, Mass.	45	" Jonathan Fish.....	Wm. E. Jennings.....	Lorenzo Smith.....	Nora Scotia.....	2
Sept. 10	Andrew A. Johnson	Salem.....	Steward	30	" Brooklyn, N. Y.	Martha J. Nason.....	Herbert W. French.....	Lebanon, Nova Scotia.....	Benj'mn R. Wheeler,
"	Annie E. Farrell	" "	At home	22	" Ireland.....	Nellie Gilmore.....	William Wells.....	Lebanon, Nova Scotia.....	J. P., Salem.
							Lorenzo Smith.....	Cambridge, Ms.	Rev. William Gauley,
							Jonathan Fish.....	N. And'er, Ms. Farmer.....	Farmer.....
							Mary Wagner.....	" Sweden.....	2
							Mary Kimball.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Undertake
							A. P. Johnson	" Ireland.....	Rev. Charles R. Bair,
							Thomas J. Farrell.....	" Lawyer.....	Salem.
							Maria Alice Mahood	"	1

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SALEM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.—Concluded

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Sept. 11	Salem...	Irvin L. Eaton...	Boston, Mass.	63 W	Shoemaker...	No. Reading, Mass.	Ebenezer Eaton...	N. R'ding, Ms.	Shoemaker.	2 Rev. Henry E. Allen,	Salem.
"	Charity Cooksey...	Boston, Mass.	41 "	At home.....	Thomas Cooksey...	England.....	Sarah Emerson...	England.....	Retired.....	1	
" 18	" Garfield A. Morrill...	Salem.....	26 "	Motorman....	Ways Mills, Can.	Fred H. Morris...	Deborah Robinson.	Canada.....	Farmer.....	1 Rev. William Gauley,	Salem.
" 18	" Bessie M. Kezer....	" "	22 "	Telephone operator	Barre, Vt.....	Etta M. Reed...	Charles G. Kezer...	Riverside, Me.	Farmer.....	1 Rev. J. F. Blacklock,	Salem.
"	Albro B. Benjamin...	Methuen, Mass.	33 "	Clerk.....	Gay's River, N. S.	Mina V. Carnes...	John A. Benjamin...	Haverhill, Ms.	Machinist.....	1 Rev. J. F. Blacklock,	Salem.
"	May M. Milbury....	Methuen, Mass.	32 "	Housekeeper.	Gloster Falls, N. S.	Elizabeth McFee...	John A. Benjamin...	N. Brunswick, N. H.	Farmer.....	1 Rev. J. F. Blacklock,	Salem.
" 26	Revere, Ms. Frank L. Brackett...	Revere, Mass.	21 "	Teamster....	Gara H. Brackett...	James Vaughn...	James Vaughn...	Nova Scotia.....	Lumberman	2	
"	Lizzie A. O'Rourke...	Salem.....	20 "	Housework...	Belfast, Ire.....	Orofti.....	G. H. Brackett...	Nova Scotia.....	Lumberman	2	
Oct. 5	Hampstead, Robert W. Copeland.	" "	25 "	Farmer.....	Bear River, N. S.	Prescott C. Hall...	James Vaughn...	Cape Cod, Ms.	Farmer.....	1 Rev. Nelson S. Bur-	
"	Annie Florence Rand...	Sandown....	18 "	At home.....	Raymond....	Frank E. Rand...	James Vaughn...	Melrose, Ms.	Farmer.....	1 Rev. Nelson S. Bur-	
" 24	Somerville, Lester W. Hall....	Salem....	33 "	Lawyer.....	Boston, Mass.	Susan Sanborn...	James Vaughn...	Belfast, Ire.....	Farmer.....	1 Rev. Nelson S. Bur-	
"	Mabel G. Fisher....	Somerville, Mass.	31 "	At home.....	W. Peabody, N. S.	Arthur V. Fisher...	Mary A. McCurdy...	Cork, Ire.....	Farmer.....	1 Rev. Nelson S. Bur-	
" 30	Salem....	West Derry...	28 "	Shoemaker...	Londonderry, N. H.	Abbie M. Flint...	Londonberry, N. H.	Londonberry, N. H.	Mill operative	1 Rev. A. B. McAlister,	Hampstead.
"	Nina S. Hervey....	East Derry....	35 "	At home.....	Little Booth...	Wesley J. Young...	William D. Hervey...	Boston, Mass.	Farmer.....	1 Rev. Chas. L. Noyes,	
Dec. 16	Elgie Nudd....	Bradford, Mass.	21 "	Shoe packer...	Exeter, Mass.	Elizabeth Jordan...	David Nudd...	Newburyport, N. H.	Canterbury...	1 Rev. Chas. L. Noyes,	
"	Florence Pendleton...	Bradford, Mass.	19 "	"	"	"	Elizabeth Jordan...	"	Stonemason	1 Fred C. Buxton,	
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	David Nudd...	"	Carpenter	1 J. P., Salem.	
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Nancy Pickard...	"	Carpenter	1 J. P., Salem.	
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Frank Pendleton...	"	Carpenter	1 J. P., Salem.	

Dec. 19	Salem.....	John D. Finucane...	Methuen.	26	W	Teaming.....	Lawrence,	Michael Finucane.	Ireland.....	Butcher....	1 Rev. Henry E. Allen,
			Mass.				Mass.	Sarah A. Sawyer...	Methuen, Ms.	.....	Salem.
	Jessie P. Richardson	Salem.....		22	"	Bookkeeping	Salem.....	Will S.G. Richardson	.....	.....	1
"	25	"	"	"	"	Farmer.....	"	Annie Morong	.....	.....
"	"	"	Loren L. Hunt.....	"	"	Housekeeper.	"	Lewis A. Hunt	.....	Carpenter.	2 Rev. William Gauley,
			Addie E. Hall.....	"	"		"	Ruth Dunton	Salem	.....	Salem.
							"	John Roberts.....	"	.....	2
							"	Sarah Wood.....	N. And er, Ms.	.....

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

DANIEL A. ABBOTT, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SALEM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

Date of death.	Name and surname of the deceased.	Age.	Place of birth.		Sex and condition.	Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
			Years. Moths. Days.	s. y.s. d.			Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 24	Anna C. Partee	43	16	Derry	M. ♀	M. Housekeeper	Derry	New Brunswick	John Hemphill	Christina McAskill
" 26	James D. Johnston	2	6	19 Salem	M. ♀	M. Farmer	New Brunswick	Salem	John T. Johnston	Prudence B. Kelley
Feb. 2	Israel Thordike Foster	82	11	9 "	M. ♀	M. Farmer	Hudson	Salem	Ezekiel Foster	Henry O. Annis
" 11	Florence R. Annis	7	5	14 New York	F. ♀	M. "	S. Berwick, Me.	Danvers, Mass	Temple R. Roberts	Rebecca Wilson
" 16	Susan Smith	83	10	18 Salem	F. ♀	M. " .....	.....	.....	Henry W. Ames	Patty P. Dwinnell
" 17	Emma M. Buck	75	10	25 Dracut, Mass.	M. ♀	M. Engineer .....	.....	.....	Joseph Kugh	Sylvia Ketchum
Mar. 1	Charles E. Knight	76	1	25 Vermont	M. ♀	M. Engineer .....	.....	.....	Jonathan M. Quimby	Quimby Sarah Horne
" 1	Moses Y. Quimby	78	6	20 Acton, Me	M. ♀	M. "	Action, Me	Turkey	Batzar Garabedian	Ozgian
" 24	Yearzag	1	9	19 Salem	F. ♀	M. At home	England	England	Isaac Haley	Elizabeth Newton
Apr. 6	Ann Heaps	60	9	14 England	F. ♀	M. "	Ireland	Ireland	William Woods	Elizabeth Ogle
" 7	Catherine Lindsay	79	7	4 Ireland	F. ♀	M. " .....	.....	.....	William Hardy	William Hardy
" 10	Clara L. Chase, [Wright	63	11	27 Manchester	M. ♀	M. Housewife	St. John, N. B.	St. John, N. B.	Edward N. Wright	Alice McFee
" 18	Theodore Roosevelt	42	23	Salem	M. ♀	M. Housewife	S. Berwick, Me.	N. Hadley, P. Q.	Hattie E. Hartwell	Hattie E. Hartwell
" 25	Eva O. Turner	31	5	29 "	M. ♀	M. Housewife	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	William E. Dunbar	Mary A. Blois
May 1	—— Dunbar	1	7	" "	M. ♀	M. "	England	Salem	Joseph Heaps	Carrie Haigh
" 2	Henry W. Heaps	1	7	" "	M. ♀	M. "	Salem	P. E. Island	Otis B. Feich	Helen McLane
" 11	David Joseph Felch	1	1	" "	M. ♀	M. Housewife	Methuen, Mass.	Maine	Andrew J. White	Hannah Bowley
July 4	Juliette B. Andrews	42	8	6 Methuen, Mass	F. ♀	M. "	Boston, Mass.	Minerva, N. Y.	Peter Farley	Almeda M. Farley
" 5	Almeda M. Horan	37	1	Minerva, N. Y	M. ♀	M. "	Ireland	" "	Daniel Horan	Marlboro, Ms
" 5	James Andrew Horan	12	6	Lawrence, Mass	M. ♀	S. "	Salem	Salem	William Lancaster	Lowell, Mass
" 8	Thomas D. Lancaster	85	1	26 Boston, Mass	M. ♀	M. Shoemaker	Stoneham, Ms	Stoneham, Ms	Walter F. Hadley	[rick Nudd
" 8	Hadley	88	1	Lawrence	F. ♀	M. "	P. E. Island	P. E. Island	Martin Burns	Catherine Fitzpat
" 10	Charles Burns	38	1	Lawrence, Mass	M. ♀	M. Laborer	Waterboro, Me.	Waterboro, Me.	Alonzo H. Woodbury	Annie L. Henderson
" 10	Clarence F. Woodbury	21	14	Salem	F. ♀	M. "	Salem	Salem	Odile Beaudette	Maxime Croteau
" 14	Caroline Hamel	58	12	Londonderry	F. ♀	M. Housekeeper	Canada	Canada	Canada	Canada

		F.	W.	S.	Housekeeper...	Salem.....
AUG. 3	Serena E. Gordon.....	58	8	2	Salem.....	Methuen, Mass. Jonathan R. Gordon
"	Bedrose Obanion.....	2	29	"	M.	Betsy A. Merrill.
"	Charles Herchert Kelley	80	9	11	M.	Harpoot, Turkey John Obanion.
Sept. 1	Edgar Caron.....	6	1	"	M.	Mariam Gabayan.
"	Hattie A. Chase.....	58	7	"	M.	Betsy Tagge.
Ovt.	William Perry.....	62	4	7	England.....	Methuen, Mass. Samuel Kelley.
"	George W. Jones.....	72	10	30	Painter.....	Canada.....
Nov. 4	Henrietta G. Hall.....	63	3	20	F.	Frank Caron.....
"	Bernard E. Pattee.....	7	1	14	E.	Alice Berube.
"	Stephen Webster.....	82	1	20	M.	Catherina Wentworth
Dec. 18	Rose Anna Gillie.....	75	7	"	M.	W. Bristol, Me. Gilman Merrill.
"	Caroline Chase.....	88	9	"	W.	James Perry.....
					England.....	Ann Trish.
					England.....	Sarah Howe.
					England.....	Joseph Jones.....
					England.....	Betsy Cole.
					England.....	Garnier Cross.
					England.....	William S. Pattee.....
					England.....	Mattie L. Plummer.
					England.....	Anna Poor.
					England.....	Jane Stuart.

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

DANIEL A. ABBOTT, Town Clerk.

TOWN OF SALEM.

PERMITS ISSUED FOR THE INTERMENT OF DECEASED PERSONS FROM OTHER PLACES FOR THE YEAR
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Place of interment.	Name of cemetery.	Date of death.	Age.		
					Years.	Mos.	Days.
Lavina R. Jameson.....	Windham.....	Salem.....	Pine Grove.....	Jan. 5, 1907	48	2	28
James M. Smith.....	Haverhill, Mass.	"	Mt. Pleasant.....	Jan. 10, 1907	74	9	2
Spurr.....	"	"	Pine Grove.....	Jan. 14, 1907	....	....	....
Lorenzo Dow Wheeler.....	"	"	Mt. Pleasant.....	Jan. 14, 1907	88	3	1
Charles Franklin Grant.....	"	"	Mt. Pleasant.....	Feb. 10, 1907	....	....	....
Fannie Greene.....	So. Berwick, Me.	"	.....	Mar. 25, 1907	45	5	15
Nathaniel H. Paul.....	Pawtucket, R. I.	"	.....	Mar. 26, 1907	85	10	28
Grace E. Briggs.....	Madison.....	"	.....	Apr. 3, 1907	....	....	....
Edgar L. Hill.....	Haverhill, Mass.	"	Pine Grove.....	Apr. 12, 1907	47	4	24
Charles B. Smith.....	Boston, Mass.	"	.....	Apr. 22, 1907	61	9	21
Joseph Byron.....	Haverhill, Mass.	"	.....	Sept. 2, 1907	62	....	....
Annie M. Goodwin.....	Haverhill, Mass.	"	Mt. Pleasant.....	Sept. 20, 1907	42	11	16
Mary E. Eastman.....	Methuen, Mass.	"	Pine Grove.....	Sept. 20, 1907	47	11	11
Sabra Watson.....	Windham.....	"	Mt. Pleasant.....	Dec. 22, 1907	26	8	13
Rachel Burgen.....	Pelham	"	Pine Grove.....	Dec. 31, 1907	81	5	29

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

DANIEL A. ABBOTT, Town Clerk.

PERMITS ISSUED FOR THE REMOVAL OF BODIES OF DECEASED PERSONS TO OTHER PLACES FOR
INTERMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Place of interment.	Date of death.	Age.		
				Years.	Mos.	Days.
Moses Y. Quimby.....	Salem.....	Wakefield	March 1, 1907	78	6	20
Yeazagar O. Jamajochian.....	".....	Lawrence, Mass.....	March 24, 1907	1	9	19
Ann Heaps.....	".....	".....	April 6, 1907	60	9	14
Clara L. Chase.....	".....	Manchester....	April 10, 1907	63	11	27
Juliette B. Andrews.....	".....	Somersworth....	July 4, 1907	42	8	6
Almeda M. Horan.....	".....	Lawrence, Mass.....	July 5, 1907	37	.....	.....
James Andrew Horan.....	".....	".....	July 5, 1907	12	6	.....
Charles Burns.....	".....	".....	July 10, 1907	38	.....	.....
Caroline Hamel.....	".....	".....	July 14, 1907	58	.....	.....
Bedorose Ohanion.....	".....	".....	August 16, 1907	.....	2	29
Edgar Caron.....	".....	".....	September 13, 1907	.....	5	.....
Hattie A. Chase.....	".....	Methuen, Mass.....	October 3, 1907	58	.....	.....

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

DANIEL A. ABBOTT, Town Clerk.

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