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Annual Report

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School Board, Selectmen, Treasurer, Overseer of Poor, Library Trustees, and Treasurer of South Antrim Village Fire Precinct,

-OF THE-

Town of Antrim,

FOR YEAR ENDING

February 15, 1906.

Also Vital Statistics for the Year Ending December 31, 1905.

> ANTRIM, N. H.: H. WEBSTER ELDREDGE, BOOK AND JOB PRINTER, 1906.



FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of the Treasurer of the School District of the Town of Antrim, N. H., for the Year ending February 15th, 1906.

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To cash o	n hand from last year,		\$ 236 83
Re	ceived from Town Trea	surer :	
	District Schools,	\$2,800 00	
	High School,	1,456 00	
	School Supplies,	250 00	-
	Appropriation for Su	p't	
	salary in 1900,	$150 \ 00$	
			4,656 00
	Literary fund,		161 15
	Dog licenses,		139 40
	State fund,		530 57
	School Tuition,		253 50
	Goodell fund,		55 00
	Sale of grass at Centre	e,	2 00
	Sale of apples,		$2 \ 00$
	Sale of books,		1 32
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Receipts brought forward,

Expenditures:

Cash paid	District schools,	\$2,463	80
	High school,	1,296	55
	Supt's salary,	300	00
	Books and supplies,	530	66
	Fuel,	297	73
	Transportation,	289	50
	Janitors,	211	80
	Cleaning school houses,	43	95
	Repairs,	36	32
	Miscellaneous,	30	78

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Balance on hand.

\$536 68

F. G. WARNER, Treasurer.

\$6,037 77

Report of the School Board of the Town of Antrim for the Year ending February 15th, 1906.

DISTRICT SCHOOLS

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To cash balance on hand 1905,	\$235	97		
Received from Treasurer,	2,800	00		
Books and supplies,	250	00		
State fund.	380	57		
Literary fund,	161	15		
Dog tax,	139	4 0		
Goodell fund,	55	00		
Tuition,	43	50		
Apples,	2	00		
Grass at Centre,	2	00		
Books sold,		50		
Old flag,		75		
			\$4,070 84	Ł

By cash paid teachers,	\$2,487	80		
Fuel,	231	70		
Books,	126	16		
Supplies,	86	72		
Cleaning school houses,	45	55		
Janitors,	132	75		
Transportation,	301	50		
Miscellaneous,	158	54		
			\$3,570	72

Balance on hand,

\$500 12

TEACHERS.

Edith C. Wadleigh	\$18	00
Lillian E. Seaver	18	00
Charlotte E. Balch	18	00
Clara M. Smith	20	00
Ethel A. Moore	20	00
Maude E. Miller	8	50
Lillian E. Seaver	9	00
Clara M. Smith	10	00
Edith C. Wadleigh	9	00
Ethel A. Moore	10	00
Edith C. Wadleigh	36	00
Lillian E. Seaver	36	00
Charlotte E. Balch	45	

Clara M. Smith Ethel A. Moore Ethel C. Duncan Maude E. Miller Ida M. Lord Ethel G. Hudson Charlotte E. Balch Maude E. Miller Ethel C. Duncan Ethel G. Hudson Edith C. Wadleigh Lillian E. Seaver Clara M. Smith Ethel A. Moore Ida M. Lord Alice Cuddihy Ethel Duncan Alice Cuddihy Ethel G. Hudson Maude E. Miller Ida M. Lord Edith C. Wadleigh Lillian E. Seaver Charlotte E. Balch Clara M. Smith Ethel A. Moore Maude E. Miller Ethel A. Moore Edith M. Child Lillian E. Seaver Charlotte E. Balch Clara M. Smith Ida M. Lord

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Charlotte E. Balch Maude E. Miller Ethel C. Duncan Ethel A. Moore Clara M. Smith Lillian E. Seaver Edith M. Child Ida M. Lord Lillian E. Seaver Maude E. Miller Ethel C. Duncan Charlotte E. Balch Ida M. Lord Edith M. Child Clara M. Smith Ethel A. Moore Alice Cuddihy Ethel A. Moore Clara M. Smith Edith M. Child Chrrlotte E. Balch Lillian E. Seaver Maude E. Miller Ida M. Lord Ethel A. Moore Maude E. Miller Ida M. Lord Lillian E. Seaver Edith M. Child Clara M. Smith Florence R. Rice Charlotte E. Balch Ethel C. Duncan

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Alice Cuddihy	\$48 00
Edith M. Child	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \ 60 \\ 12 \ 60 \end{array}$
Lillian E. Seaver Charlotte Balch	$\begin{array}{c} 12 & 60 \\ 12 & 60 \end{array}$
Clara M. Smith	12 00
Florence R. Rice	14 00
	\$2,487 80

FUEL.

John E. Loveren, Division 5	\$6	25
Alvin Smith,	6	50
E. D. Putnam, sawing wood	1	95
W. W. Merrill, wood Division 2	32	00
W. E. Ellinwood, wood Division 4	8	00
J. E. Faulkner, sawing wood	4	00
Morris Burnham, coal Division 1	16	00
E. D. Putnam, putting in wood Division 1	1	50
John E. Tenney, wood Division 4	3	00
Willard Manning, wood Division 1	19	00
C. F. Holt, wood Division 1	1	00
Alvin Smith, coal Division 1	103	00
E. D. Putnam, putting in wood Division 1	3	00
Bertie Swett, kindling Division 3	1	00
John E. Tenney, wood Division 2	1	75
Walter Buchanan, wood Division 5	12	00
M. P. McIlvin, wood Division 2	8	00
A. H. Hutchinson, sawing wood Division 2	1	50
E. D. Putnam, splitting wood	1	00
Marie Haefeli, wood Division 4	1	25

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Silver Burdett & Co.,	\$2	35
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	1	25
Rumford Printing Co.,		4 6
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	5	18
F. A. Owen Pub. Co.,		30
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	8	22
Ginn & Co.,	- 34	04
American Book Co.,	7	68
American Book Co.,	3	61
Little, Brown & Co.,	14	60
Ginn & Co.,	19	79
D. Appelton & Co.,	28	68

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SUPPLIES-

J. L. Hammett & Co.,	\$11	06
Harry Deacon		65
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	7	20
W. E. Cram & Co.,		75
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	9	53
H. W. Eldredge,	5	00
Ginn & Co.,	7	85
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	21	88
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	10	87
Davis-Patterson Co.,	1	76
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	9	4 2
Edward E. Babb & Co.,		75
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CLEANING SCHOOL HOUSES.

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E. D. Putnam, Division 1			\$14	65
H. C. Rogers, Divisi	on	2	3	00
E. D. Putnam, Divis			12	00
Mrs. Will Ellinwood			1	50
E. D. Putnam, Divis			12	60
Alice Cuddihy, Divi			1	80
			\$45	55
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George Kiblin, I	Div	. 5,	\$ 4	00
E. D. Putnam,	66	1,	12	00
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Edna Cutter,	66	5,	2	00
Ethel G. Hudson,	66	4,	2	00
E. D. Putnam,	66	1,	7	00
Bertie Swett,	66	3,	2	00
E. D. Putnam,	66	1,	12	00
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Ethel C. Duncan,	66	4,	2	00
Alice Cuddihy,	66	5,	2	00
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Leonard A. Merrill,	. 64	2,	11	00
Alice Cuddihy,	66	5,	2	00
E. D. Putnam,	66	1.	10	00
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Leonard A. Merrill.	66	2,		00
Marie Haefeli,	66	4,		00
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TRANSPORTATION.

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B. K. Bryer, 36 00 E. R. Whitney, 18 00 Mrs. James Cuddihy, 6 00 B. K. Bryer, 36 00 Alvin Brown, 18 00 Mrs. James Cuddihy, 30 00 Mrs. James Cuddihy, 30 00 Mrs. L. A. Rowell, 27 00 B. K. Bryer, 30 00 Mrs. James Cuddihy, 18 00 Mrs. James Cuddihy, 20 00 E. R. Whitney, 18 00 Mrs. James Cuddihy, 20 00 E. R. Whitney, 12 00 B. K. Bryer, 20 50	E. R. Whitney	\$12	00
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	E. R. Whitney,	12	00
	B. K. Bryer,	20	50
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MISCELLANEOUS.

Geo. W. Hunt, hardware, labor and grates,	\$	35	00
	6	25	00
A. N. Harriman, printing warrants,		5	00
E. D. Putnam,			75
Hillsboro Town District, tuition Arthur Hartnet,		5	00
Morris Wood, cleaning vaults, Div. 2,		1	00
W. E. Cram, express and freight,		1	80
L. H. Carpenter, repairs on clock, etc.,		1	15
Goodell Company, lumber, Div. 1,		1	12
W. E. Cram, water rent,		3	00
H. A. Hurlin, expenses to Wilton and Milford,		2	68
" " postage and telephone,		2	35
L. H. Carpenter, cleaning clock, Div. 1,		1	00

E. D. Putnam. repairing fence, Div. 1,	\$	45
Tuition, Dorothy Saltmarsh, Hillsboro,	6	25
Geo. W. Butterfield, mason work, Div. 1,	2	75
C. F. Butterfield, repairs, Div. 2,	3	00
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" " expenses to Wilton and Milford,		
postage and telephone,	6	62
E. D. Putnam, repairs, Div. 1,	1	20
Morris Wood, cleaning vault, Div. 2,	1	00
W. E. Cram, express and freight,	6	80
Goodell Company, repairing closets,	5	68
H. A. Hurlin, stamps and keys,	1	69
Edward Heath, repairs on seats,		80
Walter Buchanan, banking school house, Div. 5,	2	00
Geo. W. Butterfield, mason work, Div. 1,	2	25
W. E. Cram, express, freight, etc.,	- 3	08
H. W. Eldredge, printing census cards,	1	25
L. H. Carpenter, repairing clock,	1	10
Tuition, Dorothy Saltmarsh, Hillsboro,	2	75
W. E. Cram, water rent,	3	00
G. W. Hunt, repairs, Div. 2,	3	47
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W. E. Cram, brooms, glass, etc.,	2	15
H. W. Eldredge, printing,	4	00
J. E. Perkins, expenses to Wilton and Milford,	2	68

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HIGH SCHOOL.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To balance on hand Feb. 15, 1905, Received from Treasurer, "for tuitions, "for supplies sold,	\$ 1456 210		\$1666	93
By cash paid teachers,	\$1260			
Books,	141			
Janitor,	46	20		
Fuel,	74	03		
Cleaning school house,	16	85		
Supplies,	45	77		
Miscellaneous,	45	16		
			\$1630	37
Balance on hand,			36	56

TEACHERS.

Frederica M. Whitney	\$48	00
Louis DeWitt Record	50	00
Frederica M. Whitney	12	00
Louis DeWitt Record	68	75
Frederica M. Whitney	12	00
Louis DeWitt Record	23	75
Louis DeWitt Record	95	00
Frederica M. Whitney	48	00
Louis DeWitt Record	95	00
Frederica M. Whitney	48	00
Louis DeWitt Record	71	25
Frederica M. Whitney	36	00
Frederica M. Whitney	60	00
G. Gordon Newell	100	00
Frederica M. Whitney	48	00
G. Gordon Newell	80	00
Frederica M. Whitney	36	00
G. Gordon Newell	60	00
Frederica M. Whitney	36	00
G. Gordon Newell	60	00
Frederica M. Whitney	48	00
G. Gordon Newell	80	00
Frederica M. Whitney	16	80
G. Gordon Newell	28	00
	\$1260	55
BOOKS.		
Maynard, Merrill & Co.,	\$5	60
American Book Co.,		00
Edward E. Babb & Co.,		42

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Edward E. Babb & Co., Ginn & Co., H. A. Hurlin, dictionary D. C. Heath & Co., American Book Co.,	\$19 92 45 71 6 00 1 32 8 96
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	9 17
American Book Co.,	8 00
D. C. Heath & Co.,	2 58
Ginn & Co.,	2 80
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E. D. Putnam	\$5 00
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Alvin Smith	\$4 00
J. E. Faulkner, sawing wood	1 20
Morris Burnham, coal	7 30
Willard Manning, wood	. 9 00
Alvin Smith, coal	50 73
E. D. Putnam, putting in woo	ođ 1 80
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CLEANING SCHOOL HOUSE.

E . D. 1	Putnam	<u>\$</u> 7 00	
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		\$16 85	

SUPPLIES.

Whitall, Totum & Co.,		\$3 6 4
J. L. Hammett & Co.,		3 68
Edward E. Babb & Co.,		8 08
H. W. Eldredge		$12 \ 25$
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J. L. Hammett & Co.,		6 00
Edward E. Babb & Co.,		2 00
H. W. Eldredge, report cards		$2 \ 00$
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		\$45 77

MISCELLANEOUS.

George W. Hunt, hardware, labor and grates	\$15	00
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Charles W. Prentiss, engrossing diplomas	1	75
W. E. Cram, Treas., water rent	1	00
H. A. Hurlin, music for graduation	10	00
Harry Deacon, ribbon for diplomas	1	93
H. W. Eldredge, printing examination papers	2	50
W. E. Cram, Treas., water rent	1	00

\$45 16

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SUPERINTENDENT ACCOUNT.

To cash recei Receiv	ved from 8 ed from Ti			\$150 150	00	\$300	00
By cash:							
R. M. Moor	e, Treas., s	alary of	Supt.,	\$75	00		
66			66	75	00		
6.6	66	66	66	150	00		
					-	300	00

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the officers of the School District, and find them properly vouched and correctly cast.

> W. W. MERRILL, WM. E. CRAM, Auditors.

Antrim, N. H., Feb. 15, 1906.

Remarks of School Board.

Inasmuch as the District Superintendent has treated the subject in such an exhaustive manner it will be unnecessary for the School Board to add much regarding the conditions and needs of our schools. Suffice it to say that we believe real progress has been made during the past year and that it is the desire and aim of all connected with their management to achieve greater successes in the future.

Much credit is due Mr. Newell for his efforts in securing funds sufficient to repaint and thoroughly renovate the High school room and thanks are due him and all others who assisted in transforming this room from what it was to what it now is without cost to the district. In this connection it may be said that the entire building needs painting inside and out, with the exception of the High school room, and we think it will be wise to appropriate a sum sufficient for the purpose this year.

It will be seen that we have closed the fiscal year with a balance on hand but it must be remembered that the schools have been closed earlier than anticipated owing to the prevalence of measles and it is intended to increase the length of the spring term as much as the winter term has been cut short, consequently much of the balance will disappear before another appropriation will be available. If as now seems probable it becomes necessary to maintain schools at the Pond (Div. 6) and at the Branch (Div. 3) the coming year our expenses will be increased proportionally. Again while we have received State aid for several years there is no surety that we shall receive it this year and probably we would not should our appropriations be reduced. Therefore we recommend that a sum at least equal to last year be raised for District Schools.

While the sum expended for books and supplies is less than the amount appropriated for the purpose we could have spent more to good advantage. Many of the books now in use are in bad condition and the best good of the schools requires that a somewhat larger sum be expended during the coming year.

Our High school is doing good work. The present standard cannot be maintained with any less sum than that raised last year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. BUTTERFIELD, BENRY A. HURLIN, J. ELROE PERKINS,

School Board.

Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

To the School Committee of Antrim, N. H.:

It is my pleasure to submit to you for your consideration the first report from this office upon the condition of the public schools. Embodied herewith are the usual statistical tables and some recommendations and suggestions concerning your future policy.

STATISTICS—Population of Antrim (estimated) 1350-Number children between ages of five and sixteen years, October, 1904, 234. Whole number of pupils enrolled for year ending June, 1905, boys 155; girls 142; total 297. Under six years of age, 17; over sixteen, 28; between six and sixteen, 252; average membership, 254.6; average attendance, 237.1; percentage attendance to membership, 93.

September, 1905, there were 260 pupils in the schools. They were distributed as shown in the following table:

Grades,	I	Π	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX
Number,	29	25	31	20	28	21	23	18	29
	High 8	Scho	ol,	Х	XI	XII	XIII		
	Numb	er,		9	7	12	8		
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Total, 260

The foregoing shows 36 pupils in the High school and 29 in the Ninth grade which is properly High school work. A total of 65 are virtually taking advantage of High school instruction or 25 per cent. of all pupils enrolled. This is very creditable. The last state report shows that about 6 per cent. of the pupils in the state attended High school. Another year the percentage of attendance should be even better than this year.

The following tables show the attendance record of the several schools for the school year ending June, 1905, and the summary of the schools' attendance from September, 1905, to February 10, 1906:

Name	Average	Average	Per
1/4/110	Membership	Attendance	Cent.
High School	42.9	40.9	95
Grade IX	11.2	10.6	94
Grades VIII-VII	40.1	37.8	94
Grades VI–V	32.3	31.1	96
Grades IV–III	38.4	35.7	90
Grades II–I	35.7	32.1	90
Center Grammar	14.3	13.8	97
Center Primary	12.9	12.3	95
West School	9	7.1	86
East School	10.3	8.6	88
Branch School	7.5	7.1	94
Totals	254.6	237.1	93

Attendance from September. 1904, to June, 1905.

During the year there were 39 reported as having not been absent nor tardy. Total number of tardinesses. 978; visits by the Committee, 88; by the parents and others, 809.

Summary of attendance from September, 1905, to February, 1906. Enrolled, 267; average membership, 251; average attendance, 238; per cent. attendance, 94.8.

During this period there have been recorded 391 tardinesses; 42 visits by Committee; 358 visits by parents and others; and 102 visits by the Superintendent of Schools.

Name	School		Salary	No. Weeks
Edith C. Wadleigh Lillian E. Seaver	1st Prim'y	I	\$36 36	33 33
Charlotte E. Balch Clara M. Smith	Interme'te Grammar	Division	36 40	33 33
Ethel A. Moore Louis DeW. Record, Prin.	9th Grade High	ion 1	$\begin{array}{c} 40\\ 40\\ 95 \end{array}$	33 36
Frederica Whitney, Asst. Ida M. Lord	High Primary, Di	v.2	48	$\frac{36}{31}$
Maude E. Miller Ethel C. Duncan	Grammar " Division 3	6	$\frac{34}{24}$	$\begin{array}{c} 31\\ 31 \end{array}$
Ethel G. Hudson Alice E. Cuddihy	Division 4 Division 5		$\begin{array}{c c} 24\\ 24 \end{array}$	31 31

Table of Teachers Employed, 1904-1905.

FOREWORD—It is less than six months since I assumed the duties of this office. My time allotment is one day each week. This is not sufficient for me to wisely determine the condition of your schools a year ago, nor have I been at work a sufficient length of time to understand the obstacles you have encountered which have militated against a fuller realization of your plans for the schools. All that I can here do is to report the condition in which I found the work and make such recommendations as may tend to bring the most efficient instruction and the wisest administration that your town may hope to give to the men and women of the future.

There are weaknesses which must be strengthened. There are before us possibilities and impossibilities, perhaps. In what I shall say I will look into the future and in so doing there shall be no intention to disapprove the efforts of the past. The past is gone, and before us is the hereafter. From the days bygone we may draw lessons to guide us in the future. Then with this understanding permit me to speak unconstrainedly of the needs of your schools.

COURSE OF STUDY—Soon after the opening of school I placed in the hands of each teacher a Course of Study as prepared by the State Department of Public Instruction. Each teacher was directed to follow the course and to adjust her work thereto as rapidly as her limitations would permit. The course is well adapted to the schools in New Hampshire. The Course provides for an elementary training of eight years instead of nine according to our present regime. In order to work upon this basis there will needs be a change in our scheme.

ENTERING AGE—Your superintendent has sent out to every superintendent in the State a circular letter securing opinions of our leading educators as to the advisability of permitting children to enter school at five years of age. The returns are interesting. Twenty-two responses came and twenty replied that eight years were sufficient to prepare pupils for High school if they entered not younger than six years of age. One thought that with a good course they could be fitted in that time if they entered at five. Fifteen of the number believed that six years or more should be the entrance age. When it is considered that ten of these are superintendents of cities where the home life of the children is not so good as that of our rural communities, these results should bear weight. Fifteen reported that they had a nine year course but only four of these stated that they advocated such. Because of this consensus of opinion I recommend that you make the entrance age six years.

NINTH GRADE—This will do away with the Ninth grade and the instruction which now falls upon the overtaxed grade teachers will be placed upon the High school corps. This will save to the town the instruction of one whole year and furthermore it will be a saving of a number of years in the lives of your children, no inconsiderate item.

HIGH SCHOOL--But not alone would the elementary grades profit. It would benefit the High school as well. Our youth would be stimulated to continue longer in school. That child who ends thon's education with the Grammar grades will surely find an up-hill fight in this age of industrialism. The times of our fathers have passed and the successful man of the future will be the one whose every avenue of resource has been cultivated. Our High school is certainly engendering a right spirit and it has been a great pleasure to me to note this among the students. A student atmosphere has begun to develop and I trust its growth will not stop in the near future.

DRAWING—There are a few things that I might suggest in the hope that they may be discussed, if not for action soon, perhaps later. Drawing and Music should hold a place in your course. Especially should the former secure a considerable part of the time of the curriculum. It would be the first stage of a Manual Training course. It is not urged from the utilitarian side that is, I do not intend to convey the thought that a large per centage of pupils will become artists and thus need this instruction. Nor do I claim that a large percentage of your children will ever become Arithmaticians, Historians, Grammarians and the like, yet these subjects are the avenues through which the after life is enriched, and Drawing should be included in the number.

MUSIC—Music is another neglected subject but I do not consider its absence from the work so serious a defect as that of drawing. It must be admitted that it does fulfill a part in our social life of no mean value, and therefore should receive our consideration in the work of the schools.

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES—The greatest hindrance that we have labored under has been in the way of books and supplies. There is hardly one fourth the books being used at present by the pupils that are fit from a sanitary and ethical standpoint to be thrust into the hands of a child. To give the schools the proper efficiency I do not see how the work can be done on less than \$400 for books and supplies. We have a good corps of teachers, pupils of at least average ability, but workmen and stock are of no avail unless the requisite tools are forthcoming. MEASLES—On account of the prevalence of measles the schools were closed February 13, a number of weeks earlier than scheduled by the school calendar.

CONCLUSION—In summing up what I have said it will be noted that my recommendations include the following:

Raising of the entering age to six years.

Establishment of an eight year elementary course as per recommendation of the State superintendent. Incidentally as a result of this a school year of 35 or 36 weeks.

The absorbtion of the Ninth grade by the High school.

That a sufficient allowance be made for text-books and supplies.

In addition to the foregoing I have suggested for discussion the need of providing some instruction in Drawing and Music as soon as the sentiment of the community may demand it.

It is fitting for me to state here that my work in your community has been pleasant. That I have reason to thank you, members of the Committee, for that measure of confidence that you have seen fit to place in me and for the individual and combined help you have extended toward making this new work among you as successful as the limitations would permit. That the teachers have willingly tried my suggestions and endeavored to help me in the plans I have brought to their attention. That the pupils of the schools have graciously shown me uniform courtesy. That the citizens whom I have had the pleasure to meet have been cordial and Thus withal has my work been pleasant friendly. among you and I trust has been also fraught with a degree of good to the schools.

Cordially submitted,

HERVEY LUCIUS WOODWARD.

February 14, 1906.

ROLL OF HONOR

Neither Abcent nor Tardy, Sept. 1904, to June, 1905.

- HIGH SCHOOL-Roy H. Eaton, Phil W. Whittemore, Edith B. Hunt.
- SECOND PRIMARY--Howard E. Paige, John W. Thornton, Alice S. Paige, Elsie A. Thornton.
- INTERMEDIATE--Guy E. Elliott, Carl L. Elliott, Augustus G. Fluri, Walter A. Rogers, Mildred Cram, Frances A. Roberts.

GRAMMAR-Ross H. Roberts.

CENTRE GRAMMAR-Byron G. Butterfield, Leonard A. Merrill, Francis A. Whittemore, Emma M. Merrill. CENTRE PRIMARY-Bertha F. Merrill.

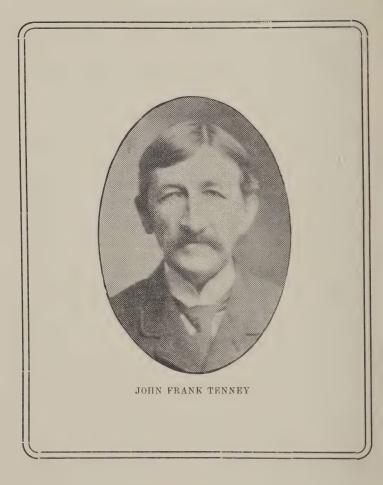
BRANCH-Aura M. Carr.

WEST-George H. Kiblin.

CLASS OF 1905

MOTTO, "KNOW THYSELF"

Alfred Tenney Balch Susie Beatrice Clement Leon Walter Shoults Charles Francklyn Whitney, Jr. Martha Elizabeth Whittemore.



In the death of JOHN FRANK TENNEY, which occurred December 23, 1905, the town of Antrim has lost a most valued citizen and an efficient worker. As Selectman and Overseer of the Poor at the time of his death, and in the several town offices which he had previously held, he served the town faithfully and well.

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Town Accounts

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AUDITORS' ACCOUNT For the Year Ending February 15, 1906.

George H. Hutchinson and Hiram W. Eldredge, Auditors for the year 1905, charge Lewis R. Gove, Collector of Taxes, with the amount of taxes committed to him for collection by John F. Tenney, Warren W. Merrill and George F. Lowe, Selectmen of Antrim:

Amount of Tax Warrants \$1	6,529	95
CREDIT		
By sundry receipts from Treasurer \$1	5,733	59
Uncollected taxes	796	36
\$1	6,529	95
L. R. Gove, Collector for 1904	\$507	66
CREDIT		
By receipts from Treasurer	\$451	65
Abatements	3	00
Cash in hand	1	20
Uncollected taxes	51	81
	\$507	66

George P. Little, Treasurer of the Town of Antrim for the year 1905, in account with said Town:

To cash received from Treasurer, 1904 \$	1,370	74
C. E. Hills & Son, insurance dividend	2	50
E. W. Baker, rent	6	00
L. R. Gove, collector	256	22
Morton Paige, from County	12	00
Harry Deacon, rent	25	00
William F. Dickey, rent	25	00
L. R. Gove, collector, 1904	143	68
Albert Clement, rent	50	00
Harry Deacon, rent	25	00
William F. Dickey, rent	25	00
L. R. Gove, collector, 1904	51	75
J. G. Abbott Est., on note	500	00
Morris Christie, on note	300	00
W. W. Merrill, old brick,	2	25
L. R. Gove, collector, 1905	76	00
W. E. Wright, pool table	2	00
J. G. Abbott Est., on note	500	00
Harry Deacon, rent	25	00
Tax and expense on goods of W. R. Smyth	15	00
E. W. Baker, rent	5	00
Emma Whitney, for town clock	85	00
L. R. Gove, collector	729	50
William E. Gibney, on note	300	00
L. R. Gove, collector	623	52
E. W. Baker, rent	5	00
L. R. Gove, collector	508	42
L. R. Gove, collector	92	00
John Nesmith, use of hall	1	00
Albert Clement, rent	50	00

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Harry Deacon, rent	\$25	
W. F. Dickey, rent	75	
E. W. Baker, rent	Ð	00
State Board License Commissioners		22
John S. Nesmith, use hall	11	00
E. W. Baker, rent		00
O. H. Robb, use town team	75	
Harry Deacon, rent	25	00
John S. Nesmith, use hall		24
L. R. Gove, collector	1,179	80
W. F. Dickey, rent	-50	00
J. S. Nesmith, use hall	6	00
Harry Deacon, rent	25	00
E. W. Baker, rent	5	00
Harry Deacon, rent	25	00
Albert Clement, rent	-50	00
Harry Deacon, rent	25	00
L. R. Gove, collector	862	46
E. W. Baker, rent	5	00
L. R. Gove, collector	531	80
L. R. Gove, collector	686	49
L. R. Gove, collector	503	08
J F. Tenney, pool room	10	00
L. R. Gove, collector	397	28
E. W. Baker, rent	5	00
W. F. Dickey, rent	50	
L. R. Gove, collector	1,051	
John S. Nesmith, use hall	'	00
Town of Deering, painting half Cork bridge		75
L. R. Gove, collector	1,689	
E. W. Baker, rent	· ·	00
Insurance tax		00
Railroad tax	129	
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C D b tom	\$1,687	88
Savings Bank tax	φ1,081 161	
Literary fund	530	
School fund		
Harry Deacon, rent	25	
L. R. Gove, collector	3,154	
Albert Clement, rent	50	
L. R. Gove, collector	1,001	
E. W. Baker, rent		00
O. H. Robb, use town team	25	00
O. H. Robb, use town team	71	70
L. R. Gove, collector	632	77
W. F. Dickey, rent	50	00
Harry Deacon, rent	50	00
John S. Nesmith, use hall	5	00
O. H. Robb, use town team	17	30
E. W. Baker, rent	5	00
E. W. Baker, rent	3	00
Lewis R. Gove, collector	782	18
O. H. Robb, town team	30	00
E. D. Putnam, use hall	30	00
E. D. Putnam, rent of land	10	25
Selectmen, on Saltmarsh fund	202	07
E. W. Baker, rent	5	00
William F. Dickey, rent	25	00
Lewis R. Gove, collector	1,231	39
John A. Balch, dog license	182	
Richard C. Goodell, trustee	205	
E. D. Putnam, rent of hall		00
Mary Curtis, trustee, Arthur Curtis acct.,		64
O. H. Robb, use town team		25
o, ii. 1000, use town team	12	

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CREDIT

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By cash paid, Town Orders	\$21,625	64
Cash on hand,	2,052	10

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MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS.

Town of Bennington, painting bridge	\$ 4	20
Morton Paige, insurance	- 31	25
John Munhall, watering trough	1	50
C. R. Jameson, insurance	29	07
Anson Swett, insurance	25	00
C. E. Hills & Son, insurance	18	00
Morris Burnhan, coal	7	86
A. N. Harriman, printing	5	00
Albert Clement, stamps	8	00
H. W. Eldredge, town reports and official ballots	62	50
C. R. Jameson, insurance	14	30
Anson Swett, insurance	25	00
C. E. Hills & Son, insurance	12	5 0
E. W. Baker, insurance	8	25
Alvin Smith, coal	42	98
E. W. Baker, expenses in Crampton case	20	70
G. W. Hunt, pipe, labor and care furnace	11	75
M. C. McIlvaine, service as sexton	5	00
F. P. Ellinwood, cement and labor	16	00
J. L. Reed, G. A. R., appropriation	50	00
Alvin Smith, coal	227	94
J. E. Perkins, bridge plank	88	75

E. D. Putnam, care of hall, tuning piano	\$23	10
J. W. Merrill, repairing hall	4	75
Harry Deacon, screen door	2	23
O. H. Robb, work on sewer	. 7	05
O. H. Robb, drawing coal	6	00
H. W. Eldredge, printing Invoice and Taxes	55	00
H. W. Eldredge, printing and supplies	19	75
Library Trustees, part appropriation	25	00
O. H. Robb, railing at pond	21	15
O. H. Robb, post and poles, horse collars	20	62
Davis-Patterson Co., floor brush	2	38
G. W. Hunt, repairs on water works at hall	25	78
S. G. Wallace, sled	5	00
W. W. Merrill, copying Invoice and Taxes	5	00
W. W. Merrill, wood	3	00
W. W. Merrill, postage and stationery	5	57
J. S. Nesmith, cleaning and repairing hall	10	35
J. S. Nesmith, care of hall	1	65
Library Trustees, part appropriation	75	00
J., W. Barton, counsel fee	3	00
Willard Manning, services as sexton	18	40
Herbert Dustin, travel through field	5	00
J. S. Nesmith, repairs town hall	1	60
Ivon L. Balch, copying Invoice and Taxes	5	00
J. S. Nesmith, care town hall	1	65
William H. Hill, Agent, lot in cemetery		00
James Green, painting bridge and rails	38	50
A. J. Lapoint, labor at town hall	6	75
A. J. Lapoint, labor on sidewalk	11	25
I. C. Notte, slating hall roof	11	50
Goodell Company, pine lumber		80
J. S. Nesmith, care of hall	1	75
Goodell Company, electric lights	2	69

Leander Emery, glass and setting	\$	65
N. B. Swett Estate, over tax	1	25
Sarah M. Adams, balance library appropriation	100	00
W. W. Merrill, wood	1	00
J. W. Barton, counsel fee	2	00
Davis-Patterson Co., paint and curtains	15	88
E. W. Baker, insurance	60	00
J. S. Nesmith, labor and care of hall	3	25
Goodell Company, lumber for sidewalk	81	80
G. I. & W. & F. Haywood Estate, over tax	7	50
Goodell Company, electric lights	1,057	71
Mrs. G. H. D. Rowell, damage to team	16	75
L. D. Cole, labor in hall	2	25
Solon A. Carter, state tax	1.385	50
L. H. Carpenter, caster for piano	1	00
G. W. Wilson, fire J. W. Brooks	6	00
A. J. Lapoint, labor at Deacon's store	3	25
M. McIlvaine, service as sexton	7	50
J. S. Nesmith, care of hall	1	70
George Wheeler Estate, over tax	5	00
Arthur S. Healy, county tax	1,774	10
S. W. Holman, counsel fee	1	00
J. A. Bryer, blacksmith	16	90
H. W. Eldredge, printing	9	00
J. S. Nesmith, care of hall		75
G. G. Whitney Jr., fire J. W. Brooks	5	50
G. W. Hunt, repairs at town hall	10	73
W. H. Shoults, watering trough	3	00
William H. Hill, service as sexton	26	00
B. F. Upton, blankets and repairing harness	7	70
Susan C. Stearns, watering trough	3	00
E. D. Putnam, care of boiler	35	10
W. E.Cram, oil and burners	1	04

J. A. Balch, postage	\$	1	25
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L. A. Swett, housing roller		2	00
M. F. Lawrence, watering trough		3	00
W. E. Wright, damage to team		2	00
John Munhall, watering trough		1	50
A. A. Chesnutt, returning births and deaths		3	00
D. P. Bryer, blacksmith	17	71	88
F. G. Warner, returning births and deaths		3	50
E. W. Baker. cost in C. E. Brooks case		9	35
J. F. Tenney, watering trough		3	00
J. F. Tenney, use of telephone		3	06
C. A. Whittemore, service at J. W. Brooks fire			50

\$5,909 67

NOTES AND INTEREST

Paid notes	\$5,204 64
Interest	750 95
	\$5,955 59

SCHOOL ORDERS.

Paid F. G. Warner, Treasurer, appropriation	\$2.800	00
High School	1,456	00
Supplies	250	
Appropriation 1900 for Dist. Superintender	nt 150	00
State fund	530	57
Literary fund	161	15
Dog License	139	4 0

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BOARD OF HEALTH

J. G. Abbott Estate, formaldehyde	\$5 64
F. G. Warner, fumigating five houses	$40 \ 00$
	\$ 45 64

POOR ORDERS.

Aid for Mrs. S. A. Gokey \$	16	00
Aid for W. E. Braley	21	24
Aid for Mrs. Albert Cram	78	98
Aid for Mrs. Ed. Craige	73	23
C. H. Boutelle, care of tramps	12	37
Board of Arthur Curtis	59	64
George Brown, board at county farm	86	07
Aid Mrs. C. E. Brooks	3	60

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TOWN OFFICERS.

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Paid G. H. Hutchinson, Auditor	\$4	00
W. W. Merrill, Auditor	4	00
W. W. Merrill, auditor School District	1	00
G. H. Hutchinson, Ballot Inspector	2	50
C. F. Woodward, Ballot Inspector	2	50
W. H. Munhall, Ballot Inspector	2	50
M. C. Butterfield, Ballot Inspector	2	50
Charles L. Fowler, Supervisor	5	00
C. H. Boutelle, Truant Officer	3	00
C. H. Boutelle, taking School Census	12	00
F. P. Ellinwood, Police	2	00

J. A. Balch, Town Clerk	\$10	00
Writing and Recording		00
Drawing and notifying Jurors	9	00
Returning Vital Statistics	11	00
C. H. Boutelle, Police Officer	25	00
W. E. Cram, Moderator	5	00
J. D. Hutchinson, Supervisor	5	00
J. A. Balch, Town Clerk	10	00
F. G. Warner, School Treasurer	25	00
F. G. Warner, Board of Health	10	00
J. F. Tenney, Selectman	71	98
J. F. Tenney, Overseer of Poor		00
H. A. Hurlin, School Board		00
J. E. Perkins, School Board	~ ~	00
C. F. Butterfield, School Board		00
G. P. Little, Town Treasurer	85	
G. F. Lowe, Selectman	~~~	00
W. W. Merrill, Selectmen	100	
W. W. Merrill, Overseer of Poor		00
L. R. Gove, Tax Collector	100	0
W. C. Hills, Clerk of School District		00
O. H. Robb, Supervisor		00
o. II. Roob, Supervisor	9	00

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Road Agents' Account.

BREAKING ROADS.

Charles A. Whittemore, Agent.

, C'		
Fred Merrill	\$ 6	00
J. Cuddihy	9	60
C. H. Coombs		75
C. H. Shoults	2	Ò0
L. Livingston	3	50
S. G. Wallace	10	20
H. A. Rogers	5	78
W. S. Smith	8	68
B. A. White	5	50
L. Loveren	1	05
Ralph Bass	2	70
J. E. Stowell	7	80
C. R. Whitney		60
J. Sessler		90
J. Greene	8	70
L. A. Tenney	7	80
Ernest Waldron	10	50
J. Brooks	11	37
C. Brown	10	60
G. Miner	6	00
Thomas Bonner		75
C. A. Whittemore	32	00
C. A. Whittemore, team	12	
D. Buttrick, repairing scraper		50
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	#140	00

\$169 28

C. A. Whittemore, keeping town team	\$13	38
M. D. Poor, sawdust		70
E. Waldron, labor	13	50
C. S. Abbott, sand	2	10
G. S. Wheeler, sand		50
C. S. Fletcher,	3	20
	*33	38
C. A. Whittemore, keeping town team	\$11	00
C. A. Whittemore, cart seat	1	00
C. A. Whittemore, drawing coal	12	00
	\$24	00
C. A. Whittemore, labor	\$18	00
L. Loveren, labor	3	00
J. A. Richardson, labor		26
C. A. Whittemore, use of horse	3	00
O. Cutter, sanding sidewalks		20
P. Whittermore, sanding sidewalks		20
George Waldron, labor	3	00
Fred Merrill, labor	4	50
S. G. Wallace, labor	4	5 0
J. Green, labor	3	90
H. K. Bryer, labor	3	12
H. A. White, labor	13	00
C. Brown, labor	1	40
J. E. Story, labor	1	05
E. Waldron, labor	17	25

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A. C. Wade, labor	\$ 1	80
John Pike, labor	2	4 0
G. H. Fogg, labor	12	00
	\$16	20

C. O. Woods, Agent.

H. E. Boutelle, labor	\$ 4	35
H. E. Boutelle, travel through field	3	00
George Cote, labor	12	05
C. O. Woods, labor	57	84
Earl Prescott, labor	10	43
Albert Prescott, labor	2	10
G. M. Carr, labor	2	85
A. O. Cutter, labor	6	80
L. A. Swett, labor	12	75
M P. McIlvaine, labor	2	85
G. W. Horne, labor	2	25
M. F. Lawrence, labor	2	80
Ira P. Hutchinson, labor	17	35
H. G. Richardson, labor	46	85
	\$184	27

REPAIRING HIGHWAYS.

C. O. Woods, Agent.

	\$74	60
L. A. Swett, labor	21	4 5
C. O. Woods, labor	\$53	15
May Settlement.		

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G. W. Horne, labor	\$18	00
L. A. Swett, labor	34	50
C. A. Woods, labor	16	50
C. O. Woods, labor	90	30
	\$159	30
July Settlement.		
C. O. Woods, labor	\$89	53
C. A. Woods, labor	7	50
L. A. Swett, labor	32	47
L. A. Swett, posts	34	40
G. Horne, labor	29	25
	\$193	15
August Settlement.		
C. O. Woods, labor	\$42	00
L. A. Swett, labor	17	90
W. Buchanan, posts	6	50
	\$66	40
September Settlement.		
C. O. Woods, bolts for railing	\$ 6	00
G. W. Horne, labor	1	50
George Cote, labor	. 37	05
John E. Loveren, lumber for railing	108	19
	\$152	74

BREAKING ROADS.

O. H. Robb, Agent.

April Settlement.

O. H. Robb, labor	\$38 20
O. H. Robb, hay and grain	28 00
F. A. Holt, labor	6 8 0
J. W. Brooks, labor	2 25
I. M. Lowell, labor	75
	\$75 50

REPAIRING ROADS.

O. H. Robb, Agent.

May Settlement.

O. H. Robb, labor	\$27	00
F. P. Ellinwood	3	00
O. H. Robb, grain	8	3 0
L. Greene, labor		60
B. Clark, labor	13	5 0
G. Stevens, labor	20	10
O. H. Robb	4	00
M. Clark	1	50
B. Clark	1	50
G. Stevens	1	5 0
O. H. Robb	2	00
B. Clark	1	50
M. Clark	3	00
	\$87	50

June Settlement.		
O. H. Robb	\$44	00
James Elliott	48	00
Thomas Smith	17	4 0
T. W. Mansfield	30	90
J. Brooks	34	50
W. H. Shoults	. 12	90
B. Clark	24	00
M. Clark	3	00
F. Bullard	21	90
J. Hadlock, knife for road machine.	8	50
Goodell Company, lumber and tools.	37	13
O. H. Robb, work at Gregg pond	2	00
J. Brooks, work at Gregg pond	1	50
L. Green, work at Gregg pond	1	50
M. Clark, work at Gregg pond	3	00
Fred C. Bullard, work at Gregg pond	3	00
	\$293	23
July Settlement.		
O. H. Robb	\$28	
J. Brooks F. Mansfield	39 31	~ ~
B. Clark	24	
E. McClure	.9	
T. Smith	. 25	35
H. Curtis	17	
W. H. Shoults	28	
F. C. Bullard J. A. Elliott	68 (B	
C. G. Whitney	9	
F. P. Ellinwood	2	~ ~
O. H. Robb, board at Stoddard W. E. Cram, grain	5	00 44

\$335 49

August Settlement.

Grain	\$ 41	00
O. H. Robb, labor	20	60
B. Clark, labor	7	50
B. Clark, labor	1	35
H. Curtis, labor	1	50
J. Brooks, labor	12	00
F. Mansfield	· 1	50
Nelson St. Sauveur		85
C. E. Brooks	4	50
W. R. Call	,	85
E. McClure	2	25
C. Severance		75
A. Cooledge		75
W. H. Shoults	1	50
Goodell Co., lumber	2	00
Goodell Co., stone tools	2	75
Goodell Co., plank	. 3	37
J. Brooks	27	00
	\$118	65
September Settlement.		
O. H. Robb, hay	\$28	00
O. H. Robb, grain	12	14
O. H. Robb, labor	13	00
John Brooks, labor	27	00
T. Smith, labor	18	15
C. S. Fletcher, labor		75
John Brooks	13	50
	\$112	54

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October Settlement.	• • • •	00
O. H. Robb	\$22	
John Brooks	13	
W. H. Shoults		80
E. McClure	. 1	65
O. H. Robb, labor on sidewalks	6	00
John Brooks	25	80
W. E. Cram, grain	22	80
C. S. Fletcher, sand		65
	\$103	10
November Settlement.		
O. H. Robb	\$13	00
John Brooks	22	27
T. Smith	8	25
H. S. Cutter	6	00
H. S. Curtis	1	50
L. D. Cole, labor on sidewalk	7	88
A. J. Lapoint, labor on sidewalk	6	25
G. W. Wilson, flushing pipe	6	20
W. H. Shoults, flushing pipe		00
John Brooks, labor		72
W. H. Shoults, cutting brush		00
W. E. Cram, grain		40
W. H. Smith		38
W. D. Wheeler, stringers		00
w. D. wheeler, stringers		
	\$165	85
December Settlement.		
O. H. Robb, labor	* \$13	00
W. H. Shoults, labor	11	70
T. Smith		00
J. Brooks		55

M. J. Muzzerell	\$ 1	50
J. Brooks	12	
W. E. Cram, grain	15	35
	\$83	55
January Settlement.		
O. H. Robb, labor	\$1 0	00
M. D. Poor, labor	3	00
M. Burnham, labor	4	60
J. Brooks, labor	24	00
George Wheeler, sand	2	25
C. S. Abbott, sand	2	75
Andy Clary, sand	3	60
C. F. Downes, nails	7	87
John Brooks	15	00
W. E. Cram, grain	15	55
W. E. Cram, powder and blankets	11	16
O. H. Robb, clearing sidewalks	6	00
	\$105	78
February Settlement.		
B. L Brooks, housing snow roller	\$ 2	00
John Brooks, labor	12	75
O. B. Robb, breaking road	1	00
John Brooks, breaking road	3	75
John Munhall, breaking road	6	80
W. E. Cram, grain	7	45
Ann Miller, hay	13	5 8
Ann Miller, sand	1	9 0
O. H. Robb, labor	12	00
John Brooks, labor	40	50
W. E. Cram, grain	12	05
	\$113	78

M. F. Lawrence, Agent.

September Settlement.		
George W. Horne	\$9	38
October Settlement.		
M. F. Lawrence, labor	\$43	1 6
Mrs. J. Boutelle, gravel		4 0
G. W. Horne, labor	10	13
	\$53	69
November Settlement.		
M. F. Lawrence, labor	\$13	75
M. F. Lawrence, gravel		60
G. W. Horne, labor	7	50
	\$21	85
January Settlement.		
M. F. Lawrence	\$16	38
G. W. Horne	5	25
L. A. Swett	5	25
	\$26	88
February Settlement.		
M. F. Lawrence	\$11	45

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Expense of Forest Fire at West Pond.

F. M. Brooks	\$27	50
J. H. McMahan	. 7	50
L. Cuddihy	23	75
A. Cuddihy	2	50
H. S. Curtis	13	4 6
M. Muzzerell	7	50
E. A. Prescott	2	50
Pete Laseure and Rouche Sefen	4	00
George P. Hildreth	16	25
D. B. Dunham	8	23
G. W. Butterfield	10	00
E. Taylor	5	00
J. F. Tenney	25	00
C. A. Whittemore	27	50
Ed. A. Severance	15	00
Wm. Mudge	5	00
J. M. W. Hills	rjasi 5	00
W. E. Wright	2	50
Elias Mallere	· · 1	25
George W. Hunt		60
Bert Paige	, 1	25
Goodell Company	1	30
	010	50
	\$212	99

Recapitulation

Miscellaneous orders,	\$5.909	67
Notes and Interest paid,	5,955	59
Repairing Roads and Bridges, breaking roads,	2,855	92
School Orders,	5,487	12
Board of Health,	45	64
Poor Orders,	351	18
Town Officers,	807	98
Expense of forest fire,	212	59

\$21,625 64

Finances of the Town.

Amount Notes Outstanding, Feb. 15, 1906 \$19,191 36

ASSETS.

Cash in treasury	\$2,052	10
Uncollected taxes, 1904	51	81
Uncollected taxes, 1905	796	36
Due from town team	12	60
Rent due from store	25	00
Due from County	66	00
Plank on hand	48	00
Drain pipe and bricks	35	00
Four snow rollers	250	00

Concreting tools	\$ 20 00	
Road machine	150 00	
Plow and scrapers	8 00	
Drills and hammers	$20 \ 00$	
Chains and shovels	$10 \ 00$	
Iron bars	3 00	
Town Team.		
1 pair horses,	350 00	
1 cart.	$50 \ 00$	
Pair double harness	50 00	
2 sleds	4 0 00	
Blankets	9 00	
1 pair lead reins	3 00	
Whiffletrees and yokes	5 00	
		4,044 87
Town Debt		\$15,146 49
Notes outstanding Feb. 15, 1905		\$23,089 50
Notes outstanding Feb. 15, 1906		19,191 36
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Total amount reduced on notes of	luring year	\$3,898 14
Town debt Feb. 15, 1905		\$20,075 10
Town debt Feb. 15, 1906		15,146 49
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Town debt reduced during year		\$4,928 61
Amount voted to pay on Town d	lebt 1%, \$3,3	300.24.
The appropriation of \$998.00 f	or permaner	at highways

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The appropriation of \$998.00 for permanent highways is included in the money in the Treasury.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the town officers and find them properly vouched and correctly cast.

> G. H. HUTCHINSON, H. W. ELDREDGE, Auditors.

Antrim, N. H., Feb. 17, 1906.

Town Property.

Land and buildings, Town hall,	\$18,000	00
Seats in hall,	450	00
Scenery,	300	00
Piano,	200	00
Fixtures in dry goods store,	125	00
Fixtures in drug store,	100	00
Furniture, Selectmen's and Town Clerk's roo	ms, 150	00
Books in library,		00
State of New Hampshire Reports,	600	00
Law books,	50	00
Cells in lockup,	275	00
Old steam mill site,	5	00
	¢01 155	00

\$21,155 00

Appropriations.

State Tax,	\$1.385	50
County Tax,	1,774	10
District Schools,	2,800	00
High School,	1,456	00
School Supplies,	250	00
Library,	200	00
Memorial Day,	50	00
Electric Lights,	1,200	00
Highways and Bridges,	2,500	00
	\$11,615	60

Overseer of Poor Account.

County Charges.				
Aid for Mrs. Albert Cram,			\$78	98
Town Charges.				
Aid for Mrs. Delia Craige,	\$73	23		
Mrs. S. A. Gokey,	16	00		
W. E. Braley,	21	24		
George Brown,	86	07		
Mrs. C. E. Brooks.	. 3	6 0		
C. H. Boutelle, care of tramps,	12	37		
			\$212	51
Paid H. K. Libbey, board and funeral			e 50	e A
expenses of Arthur Curtis,			\$59	04
Total cost for Town Poor,			\$351	13
CREDIT.				
Received from Mary E. Curtis,	\$59	64		
Saltmarsh Fund,	202	07		
County,	12	00		
Due from County,	66	00		
			\$339	71
Cost of Poor over income,			\$11	42

W. W. MERRILL, Overseer of Poor.

Library Trustees' Report.

Cash on hand February 15, 1905, \$7 00	
Received from town, 200 00	
Received from fines, 9 50	
-	\$216 50
Paid librarian, \$33 75	
For books, 100 75	
Freight, 55	
Printing, 2 00	
Postage and money orders, 45	
Rebinding books, 69 50	
	·\$207.00

Cash on hand February 15, 1906, J. LEON BROWNELL,

SARAH M. ADAMS,

BERT PAIGE,

Library Trustees.

\$9 50

Saltmarsh Fund.

Feb. 15, 1905, Rec'd from former Trustees, Feb. 15, 1906, By Town Note,	\$3,550 3,550	
To interest from Feb. 15, 1905, to Feb. 15, 1906, Rent of land, July 1, 1904, to Apr. 1, 1905, Rent of house, Jan. 1, 1905, to Apr. 1, 1905, Rent of farm, Apr. 1, 1905, to Jan. 1, 1906,	18 15	$\begin{array}{c} 75 \\ 00 \end{array}$
By Repairs on house, Paid Selectmen, Feb. 13, 1906,	\$204 \$ 1 202	93 07
February 15, 1906, due for rent, \$10.63. F. F. ROACH, GEO. A. COCHRAN, C. S. ABBOTT	\$204	00

Trustees.

Antrim Town Clock Fund.

Received of Selectmen,		\$85 00		
Jan. 6, Interest,		1 75		
			\$86	75
Paid Selectmen, Jan. 6, 190	6,		\$86	75

F. F. ROACH, GEO. A. COCHRAN, C. S. ABBOTT,

Trustees.

Work of Town Team.

March, 1905	62 hours	September, 1905	81 ho	urs
April,	$157\frac{1}{2}$	October,	$148\frac{1}{2}$	
May,	242	November,	147	
June,	258	December,	142	
July,	70	January, 1906	75	
August,	180	February,	19	
Total,			1582 ho	urs
Cash received for		wn team,	\$244	
Due for lab	or,		12	60
			\$257	00
			ψ201	00
Keeping tov	vn team, Ma	r. 15, '05, to Feb.	15, '06.	
For grain,		\$169 62		
Hay,		97 46		
			\$267	08
By 3 tons of hay	on hand.		41	38

Total cost of keeping team,

\$225 70

AUDITORS' ACCOUNT

For the Year Ending March 1, 1906.

Frank P. Ellinwood and Fred C. Parmenter, A		
the South Antrim Village Fire Precinc		
Lewis R. Gove, tax collector for the year :	1904, w :	ith
uncollected taxes,	\$48	85
We credit him by sundry receipts		
from treasurer,	\$48	85
We charge Lewis R. Gove, tax collector for the year 1905 with amount of Precinct tax committed to him by the Select-	A1 005	AC
men, amounting to	\$1,025	40
We credit him by sundry receipts		
from treasurer, \$1,001 00		
By uncollected taxes, 24 46		
	\$1,025	46

William E. Cram, treasurer of South Antrim Village Fire Precinct, in account with said Precinct,

DEBTOR

To cash from treasurer, 1904	\$ 698 09	
Water rents, 1903	4 00	
Water rents, 1904	71 03	
Water rents, 1905	2,012 72	
Tax collector, 1904	48 85	
Tax collector, 1905	1,001 00	
Interest on deposits	49 85	
		\$3.885 54

CREDITOR

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By bonds and interest paid	\$2,245	00		
Fire Department orders paid	176	95		
Miscellaneous orders paid	218	35		
Water rents 1904 abated	12	70		
Water rents 1905 uncollected	45	83		
Cash deposited in Hillsboro Br. Guar. Savings Bank	366	28		
Cash deposited in Amoskeag Savings Bank	533	57		
Cash on hand	286	86		
			\$3,885	-54

PRECINCT ORDERS PAID.

Interest on bonds to August 1, 1905 "February 1, 1906	\$350 00 350 00	
One Precinct bond, due 1913	520 00	
	515 00	
" " " 190 8	$510 \ 00$	
		\$2,245 00
Fire Department.		
George W. Wilson, Hose Company	91 95	
G. G. Whitney, Jr., Hook & Ladder Co.	69 75	
Morris Burnham	15 25	
Morris Durinnum		176 95
Miscellaneous.		
Arthur Harriman, printing	3 00	
Michael Clark. labor	10 80	
G. G. Whitney, Jr., labor	1 88	
George W. Hunt, pipe and labor	41 00	
J. L. Reed, labor	14 10	
W. C. Hills, insurance Engine house	8 00	
George W. Wilson, labor	1 80	
J. W. Hartshorn, labor	3 33	
Frank Mansfield, labor	3 33	
C. A. Whittemore, labor	4 37	

J. L. Reed, labor	\$7 17
Milton Tenney, labor	7 00
H. A. Curtis, labor	4 50
H. W. Eldredge, printing	275
C. A. Whittemore, labor	4 00
George W. Hunt, cash and labor	$46 \ 70$
George E. Hastings, services as clerk	3 00
Milton Tenney, labor	5 00
James I. Patterson, labor	$10 \ 00$
W. E. Cram, services as treasurer	30 00
W. E. Cram, stationery, postage and	
salt for hydrants	6 62

Amount of outstanding houds

FINANCES OF PRECINCT.

Amount of outstanding bonds		\$10,000,00
ASSETS		
Uncollected water rents, 1905	\$ 45 8	
Uncollected taxes, 1905	24 4	6
Deposit Hillsboro Br. Guar. Sav. B'k	1.367 5	3
Deposit Amoskeag Savings Bank	2,840 2	4
Cash in hands of treasurer	286 8	6
		- \$4,564 92
Precinct debt more than assets Mar.	1, '06	\$11,435 08
Precinct debt more than assets,		
	\$13,370 1	1
Precinct debt more than assets,		
March 1, 1906	11,435 0	8
Debt reduced in 1905	•	- \$1,935_03
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We hereby certify that we have examined the above accounts of the Precinct officers and find them correctly cast with proper vouchers on file.

FRANK P. ELLINWOOD, Auditors.

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\$16.000 OO

Annual Warrants.

Town Warrant

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall, in said Town, on the THIRTEENTH DAY OF MARCH, 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

- 1-To choose all necessary Town Officers, Agents and Trustees for the year ensuing.
- 2—To hear the report of the Auditors on the Treasurer's account and act thereon.
- 3-To see how much money the Town will appropriate for the support of Schools for the year ensuing.
- 4-To see how much money the Town will appropriate for the Antrim Free Library.
- 5-To see if the Town will appropriate Fifty Dollars to assist Ephraim Weston Post, No. 87, G. A. R., in properly observing Memorial Day.
- 6-To see what action the Town will take in regard to street-lighting and appropriate money therefor.
- 7—To see if the town will vote to have the Invoice and Taxes printed for the ensuing year, with the valuation of each lot of real estate printed separately, and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or take any other action thereon.
- 8-To see how much money the Town will vote to raise to repair roads and bridges the year ensuing.

9-To see what action the Town will take in regard to the bequest and devise made to said Town by Section 12 of the will of James A. Tuttle, late of said Antrim deceased, which section reads as follows:

"12th. All the rest and residue of my estate, both real and personal, I give, bequeath and devise to said town of Antrim in trust for the establishment and maintenance in said Town of a free public library, to be known as 'THE JAMES A. TUTTLE LIBRARY,' and said Town shall expend such portion of the same as it shall deem necessary for the purchase of a suitable site and the erection of a suitable library building thereon; and the balance shall be kept intact by said Town, and the income of the same expended annually in the purchase of books and the care and maintenance of said library: Said Town shall also make all necessary rules and regulations and choose all necessary officers for the proper government of said library."

To choose all necessary officers and agents, and pass any vote relating thereto.

- 10-To see what action the Town will take in regard to accepting the clock now in the tower of the Presbyterian church and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 11-To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with some person to revise and re-publish the History of the town of Antrim, or give the privilege to private parties to use what material they may own, or take any other action thereon.

To see how much money the Town will appropriate to carry the above article into effect.

12-To see if the Town will vote to raise the tower of the Town Hall to sufficient height to accommodate a Town Clock.

To see how much money the Town will appropriate to carry the above article into effect.

- 13-To see if the Town will vote to allow the South Antrim Village Precinct to place a bell in the tower of the Town Hall for a fire alarm.
- 14-To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to secure State aid for the permanent improvement of highways under the law passed at the January Session, 1905.
- 15-To see if the Town will vote to reconsider Article 12 of the Warrant of 1905 in regard to State aid for highways, or take any action thereon.
- 16—To see if the Town will vote to raise a certain per cent. on the valuation to defray town charges, pay existing debts, to cover all appropriations made by the School District, and to carry the above articles into effect.

Given under our hands in said Antrim, this twentythird day of February, 1906.

> WARREN W. MERRILL, GEORGE F. LOWE,

> > Selectmen of Antrim.

School Warrant

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall, in said District, on the TWELFTH DAY OF MARCH, 1906, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act on 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 choose all other necessary Officers, Agents, etc.
- 6-To hear the reports of Auditors, Agents, Committees, or Officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 7-To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for Books and Supplies.
- 8-To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the High School.
- 9-To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for Repairs on School Buildings and Grounds.
- 10-To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for Superintendent's salary, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Given under our hands, in said Antrim, this twentythird day of February, 1906.

> CHARLES F. BUTTERFIELD, HENRY A. HURLIN, J. ELROE PERKINS,

> > School Board of Antrim.

Precinct Warrant

You are hereby notified to meet in the Engine House Hall, in said Precinct, on WEDNESDAY, March 14. 1906, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1-To choose a Moderator for the year ensuing.
- 2—To choose all necessary Officers and Agents, for the year ensuing.
- 3-To hear the report of the Auditors on the account of the Treasurer, and act thereon.
- 4-To hear the reports of the Commissioners, Fire Wards, and Agents, and act thereon.
- 5—To see what sum the Precinct will vote to pay the members of the Fire Department for their services for the year ensuing, and appropriate a sum of money therefor.
- 6-To see how much money the Precinct will vote to raise to defray expenses and pay existing debts the year ensuing.
- 7-To see if the Precinct will vote to furnish water free to the Maplewood Cemetery Association for six or more faucets in the cemetery, provided the Association puts in the pipe.
- 8—To see if the Precinct will vote to purchase a bell for fire alarms, to be placed on the fown Hall, and to see how much money the Precinct will appropriate to carry the above article into effect.
- 9-To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands, in said Antrim, this twentythird day of February, 1906.

> GEORGE W. HUNT, MILTON TENNEY, JAMES I. PATTERSON,

Commissioners of South Antrim Village Precinct.

Vital Statistics.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births Registered in the Town of Antrim for the Year Ending December 31, 1905.

Birthplace of Mother.	Stoddard, N. H. Harwich, Mass. Hinadale, N. H. Peterboro, N. H. Peterboro, N. H. Hancok, N. H. Manlova, N. H. Sheffield, Eng. Salem, N. Y. Marlovy, N. H. Hillsboro, N. H. Sumpscott, Mass. Burn Oak, Kansa Burn Oak, Kansa
Birthplace of Father.	Washington, N. H. Newton, Mass, Y. Newton, Mass, Mass, Antrim Mass, Lyndeboro, N. H. Manchester, N. H. Martield, Fing, Peterboro, N. H. Warte, N. H. Warte, N. H. Marlow, N. H. Martim, N. Y. Fitchburg, Mass, Fitchburg, Mass,
Residence Occupation of Farests, Father.	Cutter Mechanic Teamster Farmer Farmer Laborer Laborer Farming Cutter Cutter Cutter Cutter Farmster Farmster Farmer Teamster Farmer Farmer Teaching
Residence of Parents.	Antrim
Maiden Name of Mother.	Emma J. Loud Mary S. Kiblen Helen E. Blair Clementine Ellis Dera B. Haal Margant Howe Alice L. Hill Margant Howe Alice Dennis Starah A. Simmonie Etha M. Knapp Alice Dennis Fina C. Sarakards Filora C. Sarayer Laura A. Burnham Loura Sawyer Laure Richardson Nellie Franc Case Nellie Franc Case Clarice M. Marquit
Name of Father.	M Henry I. Raleigh E Relvard K. Knapp F Nelvon Bosley M Arthur C. Wade F Robert C. Browning F Frod J. Crosby R Mart Bass M Arwin D. Putnam M Daniel McKay M Daniel McKay M Daniel McKay M Arwood Marston M Arwood Marston M Charles I. Holt M Charles
Liv's or sb.	anivin sus llA
Name of Child.	Harry E. Knapp Harry E. Knapp Harry E. Knapp Amy Maria. Browning Marion Sarah Bass Marion Sarah Bass Marion Sarah Bass Marion Sarah Bass Marion Sarah Bass Marion Sarah Bass Harold Wesley Ollis Harold Wesley Ollis Frank Clifford Elliott Marion Frances Holt Marion Fra
Date of Birth.	March 10 14 April 10 May 10 May 10 June 14 June 14 Sept. 23 Nov. 23 Dec. 3

Marriages Registered in the Town of Antrim for the Year ending December 31, 1905.

Name, Residence, and Official Sta- tion of Person by whom married.	W. R. Cochrane	Antrim Clergyman	W. R. Cochrane	Antrım Clergyman	William E. Braisted	Antrim Minister	William E. Braisted	Antrim Minister of the Gospel	W. R. Cochrane	Antrim Clergymau		Antrim Clergyman	Rev. John C. Breaker	Northampton. Mass Pastor Baptist Church	W. R. Cochrane	Antrim Clergyman
Occupat'n.	Farmer	Mechanic	Housewife Carpenter	Housewife Contractor	Housewife	Housewife Sea Captain	Housewife	Housewife	Farmer	Housewife Farmer	Housewife	Housewife	Muller	Housewife	Housewite	Housewife Cutler Housewife
Birthplace of Parents.	Nashua	Asnburnn mMa's Housewife Antrim Mechanic	St. Albans, Me.	Elbridge, N. Y. Greenfield	Sterling, Mass. Maine	Maine Ireland	Scotland Lyme	Wentworth	Boddeck, N. S.		Lyme	Wentworth	Bennington	Wilton	I. Hartland, Vt Limmerick, Ire.	Ireland Antrini Milton, Vt
Names of Parents.	Nashua, N.H. Herbert H. Putnam	Henry J. Burtt	Ancil S. Prescott	Sarah C. Goodell George Russell	No. Waine, Me Edward J. Marston	Ellen J. Coombs Thomas Foley	Annie McGinn William R. Call	Abby Harris George E. Hutchinson	Emma C. Ash Norman McLeod	Annie McMillan Herbert K. Bryer	Lizzie Stacy William R. Call	Abby Harris Fred A. Whitney	Mary E. Shea Charles F. Holt	Emeline W. Smith John Burton	Lydia A. Kogers James W. Cuddihy	Joanna Coughlin Charles A. Richardson Sophia M. Scarbo
Place of Birth of each.	Nashua, N.H.	Bennington	W.Chesterfield		No. Waine, Me	Manchester	Wentworth	Antrim	Baddeck, N.S.	Surray	Rumney	Hancock	Antrim	Wilton	Greenfield	Bennington
Age of Groom Age & Bride.	Merrimack 26 Electrician	25 Teaching	ar Mechanic	22 Dressmaker Peterboro	24 Foreman	12	25 Mechanic	19 At Home	27 Blacksmith	19 At Home	22 Mechanic	21 At Home	34 Farming	34 Nurse	30 Cutler	19 At Home
Residence of each at time of Marriage.	S. Merrimack	Bennington	Antrim	Greenfield	Manchester	Manchester	Antrim	Antrim	Antrim	Antrim	Antrim	Antrim	Antrim		Antrim	Bennington
Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Herbert L. Putnam	Antrim Ethel M. Burtt	Albert R. Prescott	Antrim Helen P Russell	Edward N. Marston	Antrim Katie Foley	Mortimer Call	Antrim Bessie M. Hutchinson	Kenneth A. McLoud	Antrim Bertha A. Bryer	William E. Call	Antrim Annabelle Whitney	William A. Holt	Northampton Alice E. Burton	William S. Cuddihy	Antrim Esther M. Richardson
Date and Place of marriage.	Feb. 8	Antrim	March 29	Antrim	March 31	Antrim	May 6	Antrim	June 20	Antrim	Aug. 14	Antrim	Oct. 3	Northampton	Oct. 4 MIASS	Antrim

	Name, Residence, and Official Sta- tion of Person by whom married.	W D Cocherro	M. M. COULLAND	Clergyman	William E. Braisted	Antrim Minister of the Gosnel	Father T. W. Coakley	Hillsboro Catholic Clergyman	Willi	Antrim Minister of the Gospel
	Occupat'n.			Manufact'r	Housewite Operative	Housewife Farmer	Housewife Laborer	Housewife Laborer	Housewife	Housewife Carpenter Housewife
0	Birthplace of Parents.	Townsond Mass Barmon	Wermonth "	Coventry, Vt. Manufact'r	N. H.	N. H.	N. Y.	N. Y. Housewi Sherbrooke, Can Laborer	Peterboro	Hilsboro Hillsboro Methuen, Mass. Housewife
	Names of Parents.	Loone Rower	Mary Larabe	50 Book-keeper Coventry, Vt. Josiah Knight	Winchendon, Luther M. Davis	Mass. Mary G. Bates Charles M. Gilbert	Florence A Marston Mich. Nelson Bosley	e, Philip Blair	24 Electro-plat- Lawrence, Ms. Lyman H. Fulton	Mary A. Bass Henry P. Kimball Susan E. Towne
	Place of Birth of each.	U:II.chowo	OIDGEIIITT	Coventry, Vt.	Winchendon,	Mass. Hillsboro	Mich.	Black Lake,	Can. Lawrence, Ms.	
	Occupat'n of Groom & Bride.	66 Dativad	TACHTCH	Book-keeper				16 At Home	Electro-plat-	20 At Home Antrim
	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Antrim 66		Somerville, 50	Winchendon, 29 Operative	Antrim Mass	Antrim 21	Hillsboro	Antrim ^a 24	Antrim
0	Image: Second state of second	Amos T Farrar		Antrim Annah J. Knight-Fairlie Somerville,	Austin M. Davis	Antrim Florence E. Gilbert		Hillsboro Lucina M. Blair	George B. Fulton	Antrim Emma J., Kimball
	Date and Place of marriage.	Oct 8		Antrim	Oct. 23	Antrim	Dec. 26	Hillsboro	Dec. 27	Antrim

Marriages Registered in the Town of Antrim for the Year ending December 31, 1905.

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Antrim for the Year Ending December 31, 1905.

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

J. A. BALCH, Town





