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FOR THE  
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## COLLECTOR'S REPORT,

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	CR.
To amount of taxes due on list of 1891,	\$7,201 72
	CR.
By discount, . . . . .	\$64 92
abatements, . . . . .	112 52
cash paid treasurer, . . . . .	5,986 11
non-resident highway tax paid in labor, . . . . .	29 92
uncollected taxes on list for 1891. . . . .	1,008 25
	<hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$7,201 72

OWEN HINCKLEY, *Collector.*

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## TREASURER'S REPORT.

	DR.
To cash in treasury March 1, 1891, . . . . .	\$1,256 01
due from H. J. Caldwell, uncollected taxes. . . . .	1,735 59
due from S. W. Annis, uncollected taxes, . . . . .	264 32
due from G. W. Miller, uncollected taxes, . . . . .	145 53
Leach cemetery fund, . . . . .	1000 00
Leach library fund, . . . . .	1000 00
interest on cemetery fund, . . . . .	41 23
interest on library fund, . . . . .	99 82
resident list state, county, town and school tax, . . . . .	5,951 10

To non-resident state, county, town, school and highway tax, . . . . .	1,117 62	
received from insurance tax, . . . . .	22 50	
received from railroad tax, . . . . .	523 16	
received from savings bank tax, . . . . .	2,846 17	
received from literary fund, . . . . .	241 25	
received from Rockingham county for support of poor, . . . . .	351 39	
received from dog license fees, . . . . .	202 55	
received from dog tax, . . . . .	131 00	
received from Sedley A. Lowd, for wood, . . . . .	2 00	
received from Methodist society, for cement, . . . . .	2 00	
received from S. W. Annis, interest on taxes, . . . . .	20 86	
received from G. E. Anderson, use of town hall, . . . . .	15 35	
received from C. H. Watts, 2nd, for old bridge plank, . . . . .	50	
received from Geo. F. Maxfield, for old Hears runners, . . . . .	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$17,016 11
		CR.
By amount of orders paid, . . . . .	.\$12,175 78	
Leach cemetery fund, . . . . .	1,000 00	
Leach library fund, . . . . .	1,099 82	
due from G. W. Miller, uncollected	43 04	
due from S. W. Annis, uncollected taxes, . . . . .	34 86	
due from H. J. Caldwell, uncol- lected taxes, . . . . .	358 69	
due from Owen Hinckley, uncollected taxes, . . . . .	1,008 25	
cash in treasury, . . . . .	1,295 67	
	<hr/>	\$17,016 11
		DANIEL G. ANNIS, <i>Treasurer.</i>

## LEACH LIBRARY.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

To cash on hand	March 1, 1891	\$1 40	
received of Rev. Irad Taggart, libra- rian	.	3 30	
received of Mrs. Geo. Maxfield, libra- rian	.	90	
		—————	\$5 60
			Cr.
By paid C. H. Kerr & Co. 1 volume		50	
L. H. Morrison 1 volume		1 50	
Estes & Lauriat 1 volume		75	
Express and postage		77	
Cash on hand		2 08	
		—————	5 60

CHAS. S. PILLSBURY, *Treasurer.*

## TRUSTEES' REPORT.

We have purchased three volumes the past year viz. :

Religions and Science, James T. Bixby, Ph.D.,	No. 2270
Zig-Zag Journeys in Australia by H. Butterworth	No. 823
Among the Scotch Irish, L. H. Morrison,	No. 2272

There has been presented to the library

Black Beauty, by A. Sewell	No. 2273
Biography of Connecticut	No. 2247
Two Albums from Department of Agriculture	

CHAS. S. PILLSBURY, *Clerk.*

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT AT LIBRARY.

No. of books taken out from April 8, 1891 to Feb. 27, 1892,	775
Catalogues given away	37
Catalogues sent to the Branch	200
Money taken for dues	\$4 25
Money paid to Treasurer	\$3 30
Money on hand	.95

IRAD TAGGART, *Librarian.*

## LIBRARIANS' REPORT AT BRANCH.

No. of books taken out from April 24, 1891 to Feb. 10, 1892	1375
Catalogues given away	68
Catalogues on hand	132
Sold none	
Received on books overdue	\$0 90
Paid to Treasurer of Library	\$0 90

MRS. GEORGE MAXFIELD, *Librarian.*



## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

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### STATE AND COUNTY TAX.

Paid state tax, . . . . .	\$1,865 00
county tax, . . . . .	1,802 00

### SCHOOL MONEY.

Paid William F. Nevins, treasurer of school board . . . . .	\$2095 35
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### HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES, 1890.

Paid J. W. Peabody, Labor on highway . . . . .	75
E. C. Peabody " " " . . . . .	2 63
George W. Crispin covering stone . . . . .	3 00
H. H. White . . . . .	75
D. W. Goodwin . . . . .	75
S. A. McGregor . . . . .	6 50
Charles Foster . . . . .	75
R. L. Pettingill . . . . .	3 10
James I. Chase . . . . .	4 35
Josiah Goodwin . . . . .	12 97
C. L. Manter . . . . .	4 50
I. C. Smith . . . . .	1 20
David Anderson stone for culvert . . . . .	2 00
George W. Cutler . . . . .	1 05
C. L. Avery . . . . .	6 10
John P. Wilson . . . . .	3 00
Mason V. Boyce . . . . .	1 50
H. C. Smith . . . . .	10 19
William Emerson . . . . .	75
James H. Ryder, . . . . .	17 70

Paid Frank Manter,	.	.	3 00
Newell Boyce,	.	.	12 60
Nicholas Hart,	.	.	3 00
James P. Daley,	.	.	6 45
Elbridge W. Peabody,	.	.	2 63
C. B. Knowles, stone for culvert,	.	.	1 50
C. B. Knowles, labor,	.	.	1 50
B. F. Whorf, lumber for bridge,	.	.	2 25
John P. Hart,	.	.	3 00
George Manter,	.	.	3 00
John Daley,	.	.	45
John P. Whidden,	.	.	1 50
William Ferren,	.	.	3 45
Geo. W. Kimball, plank for bridge,	.	.	2 56

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 \$130 43

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES, 1891.

Paid C. H. Watts, 2nd,	.	.	\$10 50
D. W. Goodwin,	.	.	4 50
James M. Floyd,	.	.	3 00
C. S. Greeley,	.	.	7 50
John Madden,	.	.	75
A. J. Morse,	.	.	1 35
E. C. Woods,	.	.	1 50
James I. Chase,	.	.	2 25
R. J. Lund,	.	.	6 00
James M. Noyes,	.	.	13 50
John Johnson,	.	.	3 51
Richard Merrill,	.	.	1 08
C. H. Watts 2nd, drawing plank,	.	.	8 00
L. A. Dickey,	.	.	45 69
Charles K. Titcomb,	.	.	9 40
William D. Hardy,	.	.	5 00
David W. Ela,	.	.	5 00
Annis & Co., plank for bridges,	.	.	27 57
Head & Dewst, plank for bridges,	.	.	37 60
C. H. Watts 2nd,	.	.	2 45

Paid S. P. Robie, . . . . .	6 75
T. T. Moore, . . . . .	1 95
N. C. Alexander, . . . . .	1 90
S. W. Annis, . . . . .	60

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 \$207 35

## WINTER ROADS.

Paid Charles R. Bailey, . . . . .	\$7 45
Richard Merrill, . . . . .	1 50
S. D. Smith, . . . . .	13 27
C. H. Watts, 2nd . . . . .	2 50
William B. Stott, . . . . .	3 90
C. S. Batchelder, . . . . .	2 70
A. A. McFarland, . . . . .	1 80
James M. Noyes, . . . . .	8 80
John F. Corliss, . . . . .	3 17
Thomas Boyd, . . . . .	6 28
Henry R. Hall, . . . . .	14 30
Nelson Boyce, . . . . .	60
L. E. Cross, . . . . .	5 28
David Anderson, . . . . .	90
John H. Remington, . . . . .	4 40
M. Dickey, . . . . .	8 00
Edwin Follansbee, . . . . .	75
W. W. McKay, . . . . .	60
George W. Cutler, . . . . .	3 45
D. D. Smith, . . . . .	2 68
William G. Cross, . . . . .	10 85
Hiram Cutler, . . . . .	4 05
S. A. Estey, . . . . .	5 21
A. J. Morse, . . . . .	75
I. G. Adams, . . . . .	4 60
N. C. Alexander, . . . . .	4 26
G. A. Watts, . . . . .	5 70
Ransom Flanders, . . . . .	1 20
C. A. M. Clark, . . . . .	75
L. A. Dickey, . . . . .	21 00

Paid Charles Tilley,	1	35
Fred O. Cochran,		90
Charles Tilley,	2	70
Martin M. Bowles,	2	25
L. H. Nesmith,	6	77
W. F. Messer,		60
C. S. Greeley	1	57
Eddie J. Follansbee,		45
Luther Varrell,		60
Foster J. Bailey,	1	50
William Bancroft,	2	10
David W. Ela,	10	50
Frank E. Avery,		90
Mason Boyce,	3	50
William S. Pillsbury,	15	00
George E. Anderson,	3	25
James P. Dailey,	4	75
Gilman Farley,	1	80
James Dooley,	26	30
George W. Annis,	13	90
Charles E. Greeley,	4	20
Henry J. Caldwell,	4	35
John P. Whidden,	3	25
Geo. W. Twiss,	2	10
George W. Miller,	2	25
C. H. Watts 2nd,	2	10
Benjamin Hardy,	4	59
John Hardy,	4	59
Myron Evans,	2	10
S. P. Robie,	4	55
T. T. Moore,	1	00
N. C. Alexander,	2	80
John A. Corning,	5	01
Joseph Eaton,	1	50
William Clark,	15	74
Moses F. Colby, time on roads,	34	50

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## SHINGLING TOWN HOUSE.

Paid C. A. Martin, shingling town house	\$31 00	
Head & Dowst, shingles for town house	75 00	
Manchester Hardware Co., shingle nails	2 25	
C. H. Watts, 2d, drawing shingles	3 50	
C. S. Greeley, drawing shingles	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$115 75

## CEMETERIES.

Paid Albert Tenney, cutting grass and bushes in cemeteries	\$11 00	
W. E. Woodbury, shovel	60	
C. R. Frost, painting cemetery gates	12 83	
Washington Colby, care of tomb and records of lots in Pleasant View cemetery	5 00	
W. E. Woodbury, pick and oil	1 20	
W. E. Woodbury, interment of bodies	72 50	
	<hr/>	\$103 13

## APPRAISAL OF REAL ESTATE.

Paid Simon Mullins	84 00	
Simon Mullins, cash paid	75	
	<hr/>	\$84 75

## NEW ROAD.

Paid Thomas M. Holmes		\$150 00
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## TOWN POOR,

Paid Clara M. Boyce, support of Amos Goodwin,		\$91 00
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## TRANSIENT POOR.

Paid C. R. Bailey keeping 57 tramps,	42 75	
C. S. Greeley, keeping 4 tramps,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$44 75

TOWN AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR  
FAMILIES.

Paid Harriet Corliss, board Mrs. Emery,	\$16 50
John B. Foisie, supplies for N. D. Morey,	16 75
E. G. Anderson, supplies for E. Follansbee,	42 19
Wilbur L. Blood, supplies for E. Follansbee,	1 95
Sedley A. Lowd, board and care Mrs. Emery,	115 00
Sedley A. Lowd, supplies for Mrs. Emery,	1 00
E. G. Anderson, supplies for E. Follansbee,	8 78
F. B. Perkins, medical attendance for Mrs. Emery,	20 00
W. E. Woodbury, coffin for Mrs. Emery,	12 00
F. B. Perkins, medical attendance Edward Follansbee,	3 00
	\$237 17

COUNTY POOR.

Paid E. G. Anderson, supplies for Mrs. D. R. Patterson	32 92
F. B. Perkins, medical attendance for Mrs. D. R. Patterson	12 00
G. N. Plummer, rent for Mrs. D. R. Patterson	10 00
R. K. Plummer, wood for Mrs. D. R. Patterson	8 00
E. G. Anderson, supplies for Cooley family	91 46
John March, rent for Cooley family	40 00

Paid I. H. Adams, medical attendance for Cooley family . . . . .	15 00	
E. G. Anderson, supplies for Cooley family . . . . .	1 92	
	—	\$211 30

COUNTY AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR  
FAMILIES.

Paid E. G. Anderson, supplies for J. N. Corey, . . . . .	\$19 99	
Annis & Co., supplies for J. N. Corey	1 00	
F. B. Perkins, medical attendance for J. N. Corey, . . . . .	35 00	
C. R. Bailey, supplies for J. N. Corey	75	
C. R. Bailey, moving J. N. Corey, .	4 00	
Annis & Co., supplies for Lewis War- ren, . . . . .	4 67	
F. B. Perkins, medical attendance for Lewis Warren, . . . . .	10 00	
E. G. Anderson, supplies for War- ren Tenney, . . . . .	7 29	
Joseph Proctor, care William Spin- ney, . . . . .	2 00	
F. B. Perkins, medical attendance on William Spinney, . . . . .	21 60	
Jonathan McAllister, board and care William Spinney, . . . . .	23 00	
Augustus Alexander, care William Spinney, . . . . .	20 00	
Sedley A. Lowd, board William Spinney, . . . . .	3 50	
	—	\$152 20

DAMAGE BY DOGS.

Paid John R. Gilchrist, for cow, . . . . .	\$30 00
George H. Hardy, appraising, . . . . .	1 00
Granville F. Plummer, appraising, . . . . .	1 00

Paid C. S. Greeley, appraising and time,	3 00	
John R. Gilchrist, killing and burying		
cow,	5 00	
Joseph Eaton, damage by dogs,	2 00	
Myron Richardson, dog constable,	4 50	
	<hr/>	\$46 50

## LEGAL ADVICE.

Paid George I. McAllister,		\$12 50
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## NOTES PAID

Paid Derry National Bank, Notes,		\$2700 00
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## INTEREST PAID.

Paid Derry National Bank, interest on		
notes,	\$118 19	
Washington Perkins, interest on		
bonds, 1890,	80 00	
Daniel G. Annis, treasurer, interest		
on bonds,	232 50	
Samuel P. Robie, of Glenwood		
cemetery,	26 67	
	<hr/>	\$457 36

## DISCOUNT

Paid Owen Hinckley,		\$64 92
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## HIGHWAY TAX.

Paid non-resident highway tax in labor		
list 1891,	\$29 92	
non-resident highway tax in labor		
list 1889,	85 73	
	<hr/>	\$115 65

## ABATEMENTS.

Paid S. W. Annis list 1889,	\$2 60	
H. J. Caldwell list 1890,	30 77	
G. W. Miller list 1888,	14 58	
Owen Hinckley list, 1891.	112 52	
	<hr/>	\$160 47



## TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid C. S. Greeley, selectman 1888 .	\$8 00
C. G. Pillsbury, selectman 1890 .	10 50
George W. Miller, selectman 1890	12 00
Wallace P. Mack, services supervi- sor, . . .	8 00
Charles H. Fling, services as supervi- sor, . . .	7 00
Daniel G. Annis, moderator .	6 00
Irak Taggart, librarian .	45 00
Mrs. G. F. Maxfield, librarian .	41 25
Horace N. Smith, librarian 1890 .	11 25
William H. Crowell, clerk .	25 00
Charles S. Greeley, select clerk .	10 00
Charles S. Greeley, selectman .	93 00
William Butterworth, selectman .	54 00
Charles R. Bailey, selectman ,	52 00
Owen Hinckley, collector .	100 00
Daniel G. Annis, treasurer .	25 00
Jonathan McAllister, auditor .	2 00
Charles S. Pillsbury, auditor .	2 00
Samuel P. Robie, auditor .	2 00

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 \$514 00

## SCHOOL OFFICERS.

Paid C. S. Pillsbury, district clerk .	\$3 00
H. M. Whorf, secretary of school board . . .	25 00
William P. Nevins, treasurer school board, . . .	50 50

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 \$78 50

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid H. W. Blanchard, damage to wagon,	12 00
C. M. Edgerly, insurance on Branch library, . . .	3 75
John P. Thurston, decorating soldiers' graves, . . .	50 00

Paid Temple & Farrington Co., highway books and stationery, . . . . .	9 54
W. B. Wellman, damage to horse, . . . . .	45 00
Abbott, Davis & Co., painting hearse, . . . . .	28 15
Charles Bartlett, printing, . . . . .	117 40
Temple, Farrington Co., record book for branch library, . . . . .	3 50
John B. Varick Co., step-ladder for branch library, . . . . .	1 75
Gregg & Son, door and frame for town house, . . . . .	2 80
O. Hinckley, moving books from branch library, . . . . .	2 25
C. G. Pillsbury, lock for town hall, . . . . .	1 50
I. H. Adams, returning birth and death records, . . . . .	7 25
William Butterworth, treasurer, watering trough, . . . . .	3 00
Charles R. Bailey, taking pauper to Brentwood, . . . . .	4 00
C. G. Pillsbury, taking affidavits . . . . .	1 25
Fred S. Pillsbury, glass and putty, . . . . .	1 35
R. K. Plummer, wood for town hall, . . . . .	8 00
Geo. E. Anderson, care town house, . . . . .	20 11
F. B. Perkins, returning births and death records, . . . . .	6 75
C. R. Bailey, looking up criminals, . . . . .	4 00
John Mottram, damage to harness, . . . . .	3 00
James McColly, Goffs Falls school bills, . . . . .	5 00
Charles L. Bolles, labor on vault, . . . . .	9 95
William P. Nevins, 75 feet of lumber . . . . .	1 12
O Hinckley, stamps and stationery . . . . .	4 56
C. S. Greeley, settling state tax, . . . . .	3 52
C. S. Greeley, settling with county commissioners, . . . . .	4 80

Paid C. S. Greeley, taking pauper to Brentwood, . . . . .	4 22
C. S. Greeley, time and expense in pauper cases, . . . . .	8 00
C. S. Greeley, moving safe, . . . . .	2 00
J. G. Towne, grading at town hall, '90,	1 50
William H. Crowell, recording births deaths and marriages, . . . . .	8 40
William H. Crowell, stationery and stamps, . . . . .	3 15
Willie A. Butterworth, work on vaults,	3 75
Fred Pillsbury, one barrel lime, . . . . .	1 20
William Butterworth, nails, lead and lock for vault . . . . .	1 90
William Butterworth, one day labor on vault, . . . . .	2 00
William Butterworth, time and ex- pense in pauper cases, . . . . .	4 00

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\$405 42

#### RECAPITULATION.

Paid State tax . . . . .	\$1865 00
county tax . . . . .	1802 00
school money . . . . .	2095 35
roads and bridges 1890 . . . . .	130 43
roads and bridges 1891 . . . . .	207 35
winter roads . . . . .	346 02
shingling town house . . . . .	115 75
cemeteries . . . . .	103 13
appraisal of real estate . . . . .	84 75
new road . . . . .	150 00
town poor . . . . .	91 00
transient poor . . . . .	44 75
town aid to dependent soldiers and their families . . . . .	237 17
county poor . . . . .	211 30

Paid county aid to dependent soldiers		
and families	.	152 20
damage by dogs	.	46 50
legal advice	.	12 50
notes	.	2700 00
interest	.	457 36
discount	.	64 92
highway tax paid in labor	.	115 65
abatements	.	160 47
town officers	.	514 00
school officers	.	78 50
miscellaneous	.	405 42
		<hr/> \$12191 52

LONDONDERRY, N. H., Feb. 27, 1892.

This certifies that we have this day audited the selectmen's and treasurer's accounts and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

JONATHAN McALLISTER,	} <i>Auditors.</i>
CHARLES S. PILLSBURY,	
SAMUEL P. ROBIE,	

TOWN BALANCE SHEET.

To bonds payable,		DR.	\$5,700 00
		CR.	
By cash in treasury,	\$1,295 67		
due from collectors, uncollected taxes,	1,444 66		
due from county,	70 42		
Balance debt of town,	2,889 25		
			<hr/> \$5,700 00
Reduction of debt during year,			\$2,038 20

CHARLES S. GREELEY,	} <i>Selectmen</i>
WILLIAM BUTTERWORTH,	
CHARLES R. BAILEY,	
	<i>of</i>
	<i>Londonderry.</i>

## INVENTORY OF THE TOWN TAKEN APRIL 1st, 1891.

325 polls,	.	.	.\$32,500 00
Real estate,	.	.	.432,536 00
392 horses,	.	.	. 31,235 00
28 oxen,	.	.	. 1,115 00
848 cows,	.	.	. 21,242 00
163 other neat stock,	.	.	. 2,525 00
66 sheep,	.	.	. 216 00
3 hogs,	.	.	. 30 00
60 fowls,	.	.	. 30 00
16 carriages,	.	.	. 985 00
Stock in public funds,	.	.	. 100 00
Bank stock,	.	.	. 5,300 00
Money at interest,	.	.	. 11,614 00
Stock in trade,	.	.	. 12,650 00
Mills and machinery,	.	.	. 7,200 00
			—————\$559,278 00



## SCHOOL REPORT.

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Another school year has come to a close and according to the usual custom, the people of Londonderry look for a report from those who have had oversight of their schools. By consulting our statistical table one may see at a glance the amount of schooling we have had, the number of pupils attending school, and the average attendance, and also who have been our teachers with the wages they have received. And by consulting our "roll of honor" one may also learn who among the pupils have been regarded as specially praiseworthy.

In justice, however, to some whose names do not here appear, it ought perhaps to be stated that had it not been for the prevailing epidemic, this roll would probably have contained a greater number of names. And if the average attendance of pupils for the year has been less than usual, it may be accounted for in the same manner. While we have had much sickness and many deaths in town during the fall and winter, only one of our school children has died. This was Ernest H., the son of Mr. George Annis, whose mysterious and accidental death must have been a great shock to his parents, and calls for our hearty sympathy. Notwithstanding the prevailing sickness, and the fact that, in one or two of our schools, there was for a few weeks, more or less friction, yet we think all our schools have made a good degree of progress for the year. Your committee has been obliged to employ several new teachers, during the year, and a change of teachers is always attended with more or less risk.

A teacher may come to us with the very best of recommendations, and may pass an excellent examination, and yet her real

worth is not known until she is tested in the school room. To be successful a teacher needs to possess tact, a knowledge of human nature, and the power to control herself as well as her pupils, and right here we desire to say

A WORD TO TEACHERS.

We are sorry to enter any complaint against any of the excellent young ladies who as a whole, have done their work so well during the year ; but some of their number have not been sufficiently careful in making out their registers. To return a register only partially filled out we regard as a serious failure on the part of a teacher, and one that tends to injure her reputation as a teacher. Life is made up of little things and "Straws show which way the wind blows." A word to the wise ought to be sufficient. We sincerely hope that hereafter no register will be returned till every question has been answered. The above complaint does not apply to all our teachers.

We desire also to remind the teachers of the importance of taking good care of the school supplies. See that charts, books and flag are carefully used during the term and packed away properly at the close. We desire also kindly to make

A SUGGESTION TO PARENTS.

We believe that you are each desirous of having a prosperous school in your respective districts and we trust that you will be mindful of the fact that whether the school is successful or otherwise depends largely upon yourselves. We think it may be safely said that, in nine cases out of ten, when a pupil goes home with a complaint against his teacher, the blame rests mainly upon the pupil, but if the parent listens to the complaint and takes sides against the teacher, that child may be encouraged in a wrong course, and both he and the school be injured in consequence. And if you go so far as to remove your child from the school you encourage others to do the same and so still greater injury is done to both teacher and school. Would it not be better by far, in all such cases to pay little attention to the child's petty complaints and insist upon his going to school until you can take time to investigate the matter for yourself. We really



wish that all parents would regard it as their duty to visit their school occasionally. If they could see the teacher as she is engaged in her responsible work, and notice how laborious and perplexing is that work, we think they would have more sympathy for her who toils so faithfully and kindly for the welfare of the young committed to her care, and would be less inclined to listen to complaints against her.

Parents may not only promote the welfare of the school by exercising great charity toward the teacher, but also by seeing that their children attend school regularly and that they are never needlessly tardy. The temptation to keep the larger children out of school a day or two now and then we know is sometimes great, but to do this is such a serious injury to the child that parents ought to be willing to suffer great inconvenience rather than do it. If your boy gets all the schooling there is for him he will surely get none too much. Every American youth should have, at least, a good common school education. This may be all you can give your child. Be fully determined to give him this at any cost. The mother of Martin Luther carried bundles of faggots from the forest to the village on her own back that her boy might be spared to attend school. So doing, she, through her son, greatly blessed the world. Your child may not fully appreciate the value of what you give him now but in future years he will bless you for that which will be worth more to him than gold.

If we would have our children do good work in the school room, we must, so to speak, furnish them with good tools, with which to do that work. With this thought in view we have introduced the past year

\*  
A NEW SERIES OF READERS.

The readers long in use were quite unsatisfactory, and we think that both pupils and teachers highly appreciate the change. More attention has also been given to the study of history during the past year than heretofore. Every school has its flag, and we desire that every child should learn to love and prize the "Star Spangled Banner." A careful study of his own country's history

will surely tend to awaken in his heart a love for his country and her flag. We have also recently introduced a "Language chart," the use of which can but be a very great help to our pupils in their efforts to learn to speak and write the English language correctly. Our schools are now well equipped for service and we trust the future will show happy results. Our school buildings also are now in a good state of repair except that one or two of them need some slight repairs within, with additional black boards. This is the case with school No. 9, The friends in this district have raised funds and purchased a clock for the school room.

This is surely a commendable act and it may be that it will inspire the friends of some other needy school to similar good works. We trust that, next to the christian church, our common schools will ever have the first place in the affections of the good people of Londonderry, and that as they have devised liberal things for them in the past, so will they continue to do in the future.

<i>Chairman,</i> HENRY B. COPP,	} <i>School Board</i>	
<i>Secretary,</i> HATTIE M. WHORF,		<i>of</i>
<i>Treasurer,</i> WILLIAM P. NEVINS,		<i>Londonderry.</i>

## ROLL OF HONOR.

Pupils perfect in attendance during the year.

Walter S. Young.	Albert J. Townes.
Alden L. Corthell.	Edith H. Davis.
George L. Dickey.	Blanche L. Corning.
Cleon E. Nesmith.	Herman L. Watts.
Orin B. Corning.	Charles J. Dooley.
George W. Robie.	May Belle Spear.
Bessie C. White.	Mary N. Caldwell.
Ruth E. Tenney.	Mary E. Roach.

Pupils perfect in attendance during two terms.

Herbert S. Rogers.	Harry M. Perkins.
John Bresnon.	Josie Bresnon.
Carrie Bresnow.	Walter A. Crowell.
Howard Greeley.	Frank H. Goodwin.
Benning Noyce.	Josie Pettengill.
Forest G. Kimball.	Edwin J. Bailey.
Clarence M. Crowell.	Irvin M. Sleeper.
Bertha E. Crowell.	Mary E. Crowell.
Anna Belle Ela.	Blanche A. Gilcreast.
Alice B. Smith.	Florence A. Sleeper.
Edward Z. F. Brooks.	

Pupils perfect in attendance during one term.

Jessie E. Eaton	Raymond Gilcreast
Mansford Benson.	Irving Robinson,
Mellie D. Smith.	Anna C. Brooks.
Marietta E. Livingstone.	Georgie L. Benson.
Laura T. Benson.	Grace R. Smith.
Everett M. Chase.	Miles C. Cochrane.
Ollie S. Garvin.	Nelson E. Smith.
Rosie A. Chase.	Herbert S. Lowd,
Willie H. Lowd.	Jennie A. Lowd.
Alice E. Miller.	Lillian M. Miller.
Willie N. Smith.	Carl Floyd.
Howard F. Greeley,	Albert W. Goodwin.
Herbert M. Noyes.	Lulu Floyd.

Villa Greely.	Ethel Hamblet.
Edna G. Morse.	Euretta M. Robie.
Frank W. Biathrow.	Ernest H. Annis.
Frank L. Tenney.	Frank Thomas.
Effie E. Lowd.	

Whole number of scholars not less than five years of age who have attended school not less than two weeks 209.

Number of children reported by the Selectmen April 1, 1891

Boys	132.	
Girls	83,	
		215
Number of visits of school board		51
Number of visitors		376

#### AUTHORIZED TEXT BOOKS.

Bible, New Normal Readers, Warren's Improved Geographies, Harvey's Grammars, Greenleaf's Practical Arithmetic, Colburn's Mental Arithmetic, Greenleaf's First Lessons in Numbers, Worcester's Spellers, Eggleston's Histories, Brand's Lessons on the Human Body, Meservey's Book-keeping, Business Standard Copy Books.

#### REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE SCHOL BOARD FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1 1892.

##### SCHOOL NO. 1.

Paid Miss Martha J. Boyd teaching	\$216 00	
“ F. A. Gilcreast wood	7 50	
“ H. A. Gilcreast sawing wood	50	
“ S. J. Corthell cleaning school room	1 50	
		\$225 50

##### SCHOOL NO. 2.

Paid Carrie M. Jones, teaching,	\$29 00	
G. W. B. Knight, teaching,	166 75	
D. M. Boyd, wood,	7 50	
Lottie Doherty, cleaning school room,	1 50	
		\$204 75

## SCHOOL NO. 3.

Paid Miss Nellie A. Robie, teaching, . . .	\$189 00	
James Dooley, repairs, . . . . .	6 49	
Mrs. Dooley, cleaning school room, . . .	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$196 99

## SCHOOL NO. 4.

Paid Miss Hannah Coughlan, teaching, . . .	\$62 50	
Miss Helen N. Galloupe, teaching, . . . .	119 00	
B. F. Whorf, wood . . . . .	8 00	
C. S. Pillsbury, wood, . . . . .	1 25	
C. L. Boles, repairs, . . . . .	1 50	
Lottie Doherty, cleaning school room, . . . . .	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$193 75

## SCHOOL NO. 5.

Paid Miss Grace H. Gibson, teaching . . . .	\$70 00	
Miss Sarah J. Probert, teaching . . . . .	97 50	
H. M. Whorf, broom . . . . .	30	
B. F. Whorf wood . . . . .	6 25	
C. G. Pillsbury, repairs . . . . .	60	
Lottie Doherty, cleaning school rooms . . . . .	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$176 15

## SCHOOL NO. 6.

Paid Miss Hattie S. Platts, teaching . . . .	\$140 00	
Miss Mary F. Barker . . . . .	43 75	
G. W. Kimball, wood . . . . .	2 50	
D. D. Smith wood . . . . .	9 75	
S. J. Corthell, cleaning school room . . . . .	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$197 50

## SCHOOL NO. 7.

Paid Miss Fannie L. Pillsbury, teaching . . .	\$80 00	
Miss May W. Dodge, teaching . . . . .	63 00	
Miss Grace H. Gibson, teaching . . . . .	60 00	
G. W. Kimball, wood . . . . .	6 50	

Paid D. G. Annis & Co., wood and supplies	6 25	
Mrs. Colby, cleaning school room	1 50	
D. S. Roberts, repairs and supplies	5 90	
Fannie Pillsbury, express and glass	25	
	<hr/>	\$223 40

## SCHOOL NO. 8.

Paid Miss Mary E. Crowell, teaching	\$189 00	
S. J. Corthell, cleaning school room	1 50	
Washington Perkins, wood	11 67	
	<hr/>	\$202 17

## SCHOOL NO. 9.

Miss Mary E. McElligott teaching	\$184 00	
Lyman Dickey, wood,	10 00	
S. J. Cortheil, cleaning school room,	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$195 50

Tuition paid Derry,	56 40	
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BOOKS AND SUPPLIES PURCHASED FOR THE USE  
OF SCHOOLS.

Bought of Boston School Supply Co.	\$96 57	
“ “ American Book Co.	28 00	
R. W. Musgrove labels,	1 10	
E. N. Whitney, ink,	75	
Freight and expense	2 25	
Porter and Coats New Normal Readers,	88 20	
Expense of Books and Supplies,		\$216 87
Teachers' Salary, wood repairs etc.,		1872 11
Amount due Manchester on Goffs Falls school account,		32 77
Indebtedness of 1890,		198 06
		<hr/>
Total Expenses,		\$2319 81

## RECEIPTS.

Town School Tax,	1176 00
Special tax,	700 00
Literary Fund,	219 35
Tuition from Derry,	16 20
Sale of books,	35 26
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Total receipts,	\$2146 81
Indebtedness,	173 00

## ADAMS FUND MONEY.

Cash on hand,	\$10 50
Received of Manchester & Lawrence Railroad,	20 00
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	\$30 50
Paid Miss Mary E. Crowell, teaching,	\$24 00
Unexpended balance,	6 50
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	\$30 50

All of which is respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM P. NEVINS.

*Treasurer School Board*

LONDONDERRY, N. H., Feb. 27, 1892.

This certifies that we have this day examined the accounts of the treasurer of the school board, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched,

JONATHAN McALLISTER,	} Auditors.
CHAS. S. PILLSBURY,	
SAMUEL P. ROBIE,	





# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1891.

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In compliance with chapter 74 of the pamphlet laws passed June session, 1887, requiring clerks of town and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages and deaths for publication, I hereby submit the following.

WILLIAM H. CROWELL, Town Clerk.

## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LONDONDERRY

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of the Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.					Name of Father.
			Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child, 1st, 2d, &c.	Color.	
Jan. 31	Londonderry			F.	Living.	5	W.	John F. Corliss
Feb. 18						3		Charles E. Greeley
Mar. 2		Russell A Parshley	M.			12		Enoch Parshley
Mar. 17		Elmer Franklin				5		Joshua F. Wheeler
April 27		Vivian Gertrude				1		Wm J. Eaton
May 18						2		Louis F. Brown
May 22		Arthur Boyd				2		Fred A. Young
June 7		Neil Edson				1		Walter J. Watts
June 8		Normzn Fling				2		G. Alvah Watts
June 9		George				6		John K. Wells
June 12						7		Charles R. Bailey
July 5		Joseph Oscar				6		Joseph Bergeron
July 12						4		William G. Cross
July 12					Still'b'n	1		Abram Bean
July 12					Living.	3		Charles H. Watts
Aug. 16						1		Frank E. Avery
Sept. 23		George Henry				5		Adolph Pereaun
Oct. 1						3		Phincas A. Reed Jr.
Oct. 1						4		Phineas A. Reed Jr.
Oct. 3						3		Peter Avery
Oct. 13		Edward Lafayette				8		Charles E. Smith
Nov 8						1		Edmund G. Anderson
Dec. 7		Guy				2		Elijah G. Chase, 2d
Sept. 5		Horace Watts				2		Rosecrans W. Pillsbury

## MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LONDONDERRY

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each.
June 24	Lynnfield, Ms	Charles H. Fling..... Jennie Flannigan.....	Londonderry .. Lynnfield, Mas	21.. 22..	W. ....	Shoemaker. Sch'l tea'h'r	Londonderry ... Lynfield, Mass.....
July 14	Londonderry	James L. Brooks..... Myra F. Boyce.....	Londonderry..	24.. 19..	.... ....	Clerk .....	Woburn, Mass..... Manchester.....
Sept 28	Londonderry	George A. Lovell..... Fannie B. McCutcheon	Manchester.... Kenne'kp't Mas	38.. 21..	.... ....	Mechanic..	Weymouth, Mass.. Kennebunk'pt, Me
Oct. 30	Manchester..	Reuben K. Pratt..... Hannah J. Estey.....	Londonderry..	46.. 45..	.... ....	Shoemaker. House work	Stafford, Conn..... Londonderry .....
Dec. 19	Londonderry	William O. Morrison... Mattie E. Corbett.....	..... .....	22.. 22..	.... ....	Laborer....	Salem..... Nova Scotia.....

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1891.

Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Elsie W. Loreland.....	W.	Londonderry...	Farmer....	Topsam, Vt.....	Rumney, Vt....	55	35
Phebe A. Church.....				Londonderry....	Walton, N. S....	39	23
Julia A. Varel.....			Shoemaker	Greenland.....	Meredith Ill....	41	39
Mary Ellen Corning....				Londonderry....	Londonderry....	51	42
Gertie Speare.....					Boston, Mass....	23	19
Sarah A. Noble.....			Laborer....	Andover, Mass..	Shubenacadie NS	37	29
Emma D. Boyd.....			Shoecutter..	Londonderry....	Londonderry....	26	28
Evelyn M. Wheeler....			Farmer.....		Londonderry....	21	23
Martha W. Fling.....					Londonderry....	21	29
Zulian Cote.....			RREmp'ye	Canada.....	Canada.....	31	24
Augustus G. Hunkins..			Farmer.....	Lebanon.....	Manchester.....	31	33
Lizzie Archambeault..			Mill hand..	Canada.....	St. Albans, Vt..	31	32
Clarissa Colburn.....			Farmer.....	Hudson.....	Dracut, Mass....	30	42
Augustus W. Blodgett		Exeter.....	Shoemaker..	Brentwood.....	Londonderry....	64	44
Mabel A. Andrews....		Londonderry..	Farmer.....	Londonderry....	Londonderry....	26	21
Florence E. Putnam....					Hudson.....	21	22
Josephine M. Largess..			Black smith	St John, Canada.	Worcester, Mass.	36	39
Addie A. Chase.....			Merchant....	Litchfield.....	Londonderry....	39	29
Addie A. Chase.....			Merchant....		Londonderry....	39	29
Francis A. Smith.....			Black smith	Franby, Vt.....	East Concord....	29	24
Mary McCann.....			Farmer.....	Colebrook.....	Sigo Co. Ireland	40	29
Mattie M. Sawyer.....			Merchant....	Salem.....	West concord....	23	21
Lottie F. Corning.....			St've sawy'r	Londonderry....	Litchfield.....	33	24
Annie Watts.....			Lawyer.....		Londonderry....		

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1891.

Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Condition.	Name, Residence, and Official station of person by whom married.
John H. Fling.....	Londonderry...	Farmer.....		Rev. Andrew McKeown.....
Mary A. Goodwin.....	Londonderry....			Clergyman.....
John J. Flannigan.....	Nova Scotia....	Farmer.....		..... Newton, Mass.
Mary E. Wiley.....	Lynnfield, Mass..			
Edward W. Brooks....	Medford, Mass....	Carpenter....		
Anna M. Buck.....	New Bedford....	Housewife....		Rev. A. Herbert Armes.....
Giles L. Boyce.....	Londonderry....			Clergyman.....
Clara M. Goodwin....		Housewife....		.....Londonderry, N. H.
John P. Lovell.....	Braintree, Mass..	Merchant.....		
Lydia Whitton.....	Weymouth, Mass..			Rev. F. E. Mills.....
John F. McCutchen....	Bath, Me.....			Clergyman.....
Fanny E. Wilders....	Kennebunkp't, Me	Housewife....		.....Londonderry, N. H.
George G. Pratt.....	Union, Conn.....	Merchant.....		
Adeline L. Walton....	Vernon, Conn....			Rev. F. E. Mills,.....
Daniel Estey.....	Topsfield.....			Clergyman.....
Rebecca Estey.....	Centre Harbor....			.....Londonderry, N. H.
George Roberts.....	Salem.....	Shoe manuf'cr.		
Mary E. Morrison....				Rev. A. Herbert Armes,.....
Patten Corbett.....		Farmer.....		Clergyman.....
Sarah Corbett.....				.....Londonderry, N. H.

## DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LONDONDERRY

Date. 1891	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex & Condition.			
			Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.
Jan. 18	Londonderry	Joshua L. Whittemore	80	10	17	Londonderry	M.		W.	M.
..20	do	George F. McGregor	50		1	Londonderry	"			
Feb. 10	do	John S. Furber	71	2	26	Ossipee	"			
Mar. 8	do	Daniel Floyd	51	3		Lowell, Mass.	"			
..12	do	Rachel J. Gale	66			Manchester	"	F.		
..23	do	Margaret Richardson	77			Nova Scotia	"			W.
..27	do	Greenleaf Ambrose	74	8	14	Moultonborough	"			M.
Apr. 1	do	Lena Rainey				Londonderry	"			S.
..1	do	Mrs J T. Rainey	23	10		Hooksett	"			M.
..3	do	Montgomery Dickey	75	4		Londonderry	"			W.
May 17	do	David McGregor	74	4	5	Londonderry	"			M.
June 5	do	Wartha V. Bacheller	3	9	21	Londonderry	"			S.
July 19	do	Albert W. Goodwin	7	5	26	Weare	"			S.
Aug. 2	do	Sarah L. Floyd	77	7	10	Hill	"			M.
..6	do	George H. Cooley	56	8	24	Pittsfield, Vt	"			S.
..12	do	Jerome B. Harvey	56	6		Londonderry	"			S.
..15	do	Wary A. B. Smith	55	11	30	New Boston	"			
Sept. 16	do	Delia W. Hardy	71		25	Hampstead	"			W.
..23	do	Amy M. Townes	53	4	4	Brooklyn, Ohio	"			M.
..25	do	Rose A. Berry	30	3		Ipswich, Eng	"			
..29	do	Mattie H. Roberts	25		24	Lowell, Mass	"			S.
Oct. 12	do	Quincy E. Clark	43	6	22	Roxbury, Mass	"			M.
Nov. 12	do	Daniel Estey	85			Topsfield, Mass	"			W.
..20	do	John Gilcrest	72	4	7	Londonderry	"			
Dec. 14	do	William B. Loud	74			Portsmouth	"			M.
..26	do	Joseph E. Moore	94	5	11	Londonderry	"			S.
..30	do	Harold M. Reid		3		Londonderry	"			
..31	do	Sarah M. Emery	68	6		Londonderry	"			

### NAMES OF THOSE BROUGHT TO

Jan. 15	Salem N H.	Lizzie A. Smith	50	4	2		"			
Feb. 9	Haverhill, Mass.	Nellie Barker	30		18		"			M.
Apr. 9	Derry Depot	Emma A. Wychoff	37	6	13	Londonderry	"			S.
June 9	Manchester	Sarah H. Lawrence	75				"			
July 29	Derry	Susie A. Fitzgerald		2	25	Derry	"			S.
Aug. 14	St. Stephen, N B.	George F. Barker					"			
..22	Boston, Mass	Etta M. Hale	39	9	14		"			
..23	Litchfield	James Trask	84	11		Londonderry	"			
Oct. 8	Derry	Martha Gage	6	11	20	Londonderry	"			M.
..16	Nashua	Pauline O Young	31	11			"			
Nov. 2	Derry	Edmund A Chase	63	10	5	Derry	"			M.
..8		Elwin D. Robie	18				"			M.
Dec. 25		Artha J. Bagley	67	11	14		"			S.
Sept. 6	Litchfield	Mary W Chase	78	8	2	Haverhill, Mass.	"			S.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1891.

Occupation.	Place of Birth		Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.
	Father.	Mother.		
Clergyman.....	Sharon, Mass.....	Londonderry.....	Joshua Whittemore....	Eunice Morse.....
Farmer .....	Warwick, R. I.....	Newmarket.....	David McGregor.....	Marietta Nesmith....
Pump m'factur	Wolfborough.....	Hill.....	Joseph Furber.....	Sarah Fulsom.....
Laborer.....	Warner.....	Manchester.....	James M. Floyd.....	Sarah Karr.....
Housewife.....	Bow.....		Rodney Hadley.....	Lydia Brown.....
Farmer.....			J. T. Rainey.....	
Housewife.....	Dunbarton.....	Pembroke.....	Charles Powell.....	
Farmer.....				
	Londonderry.....	Pawtucket, Mass..	Robert McGregor.....	Mary Havens.....
	Lynn, Mass.....	Boxford, Mass....	Charles S. Bacheller..	Phebe A. Newhall....
	Londonderry.....	Nashua.....	Daniel Goodwin.....	Sarah A. Moody.....
Housewife.....	Goffstown.....	Hill.....	James Karr.....	Sarah Huse.....
Farmer.....	Pittsford, Vt.....	Pittsford, Vt.....	Reuben Cooley.....	Phoebe Sterling.....
	Manchester.....	Manchester.....	John Harvey.....	Rebecca Emerson....
Housewife.....	Acquith.....	Lyndboro.....	David Smith.....	Ruth Whittemore....
			Jonathan Brickett....	Lydia Kent.....
	Portland, Conn....	Portland, Conn....	Leavitt S. Pelton.....	Esther Strickland....
	Ipswich, Eng.....	Ipswich, Eng.....	Robert Andrews.....	Ellen Brudden.....
	Wiscasset, Me....	Vesselborough, Me	N. Roberts.....	P. F. Hussy.....
Traveling ag't.		Poverty Hill.....	Eli Clarke.....	Mary Mosley.....
Farmer.....			John Esty.....	Sarah Peabody.....
Con. & builder.	Dracut, Mass.....	Pelham.....	David Gilchrist.....	Sarah Davis.....
Farmer.....	Portsmouth.....	Portsmouth.....	Mark Lowd.....	Susan Abbott.....
	Litchfield.....	Londonderry.....	Phineas A. Reid, Jr...	Addie A. Chase.....

LONDONDERRY FOR INTERMENT.

Housewife.....			— Richardson.....	— Eaton.....
			Joseph Wychoff.....	
		Londonderry.....	George Fitzgerald....	Martha Watts.....
Housewife.....				
Shoecutter.....				
Housework.....			Daniel Chase.....	Sarah Bartlett.....

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

WILLIAM H. CROWELL  
TOWN CLERK.





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