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EIGHTY-SECOND
ANNUAL -:- REPORT

... of the ...

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, AUDITOR, CHIEF OF FIRE
DEPARTMENT, AND SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS

. of the ...

Town of Richmond

... for the ...

Year Ending February 1, 1905.

RICHMOND:

W. F. Dunham, Printer.

1905

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1904.

MORRILL McKENNEY
DANIEL STEWART
ARTHUR C. RANDALL

Town Clerk

WM. R. FAIRCLOUGH

Treasurer

WM. H. STUART

Collector of Taxes

FRANK R. DUREN

Supervisor of Schools,

CHAS. D. NEWELL

Auditor,

GEORGE B RANDLETTE

REPORT OF SELECTMEN FOR 1904.

APPROPRIATIONS.

Highway and Bridges.....		\$2,200 00	
Purchase of lumber.....		1,400 00	
Hydrant Rental.....		2,050 00	
Night watch and street lights.....		800 00	
Fire Department.....		550 00	
Bell for Northend Hose House.....		75 00	
Support of poor.....		900 00	
Salary of Town Officers.....		1,150 00	
Contingent Fund.....		200 00	
Snow.....		800 00	
Memorial Day.....		75 00	
Common Schools.....		2,500 00	
Free High Schools.....		1,000 00	
School books and supplies.....		300 00	
Repair of School houses and supplies....		300 00	
Rent of School houses.....		200 00	
For State Road.....		400 00	
For sewer over A. E. Small's land.....		250 00	
State Tax.....	\$2,993 22		
County Tax.....	1,616 35		
		\$4,609 57	
Overlayings.....		358 11	
		\$20,117 68	
Real estate, resident....	\$564,396	\$10,892 84	
“ “ non-resident... 152,050		2,934 56	
Personal estate, resident.. 232,913		4,495 22	
“ “ non-resident.. 15,910		30 06	
No of polls 496 at \$3....		1,488 00	
		\$20,117 68	
Amount committed for collection.....		\$20,117 68	
Supplementary tax		62 20	
Frank R. Duren, col. 1904 receipts.....		\$20,179 88	
		\$20,179 88	\$20,179 88

A. L. THEOBALD, Collector 1898.

Balance uncollected Feb. 1, 1904.....	\$200 60	
Released by vote of Town.....		\$200 60

T. F. PARSONS, Collector 1899.

Balance uncollected Feb. 1, 1904.....	\$113 10	
Released by vote of Town.....		\$21 22
Abated by vote of Town.....		91 88
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	\$113 10	\$113 10

F. R. DUREN,, Collector 1904.

Amount of Commitment.....	\$20,117 68	
Supplementary Tax.....	62 20	
By Treasurer's receipts.....		\$20,179 88
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	\$20,179 88	\$20,179 88

UNEXPENDED BALANCE ACCOUNT OF 1903.

Paid Richmond Nat. Bank claim on vault and safe in Hagar Building	\$100 00	
Paid Fannie H. Curtis, guardian one-third Hagar Building,	333 33	
Paid Ida L. Hosmer and Fannie H. Curtis, two-thirds Hagar Building,	666 67	
Paid for recording deeds,	1 00	
Paid H. F. Smith, Collector 1903, abate- ment on American Ice Co's tax, 1903	\$172 48	
Cash in Treasury, Feb. 1, 1904,		\$5,055 07
Balance	3,781 59	
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	\$5,055 07	\$5,055 07

Of the above balance we have transferred to the following departments,

Common School account,.....	\$914 70
School books and supplies,.....	109 46
Free High School,.....	571 05
Fire Department.....	63 15
Support of the poor.....	518 18
Town officers account.....	242 10
Highway and Bridges.....	408 05
Snow account.....	445 05
General account.....	509 85
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	\$3,781 59

SNOW ACCOUNT.

Paid N. H. Skelton.....	\$3 30
D. C. Lapham.....	90
C. H. Davis.....	3 45
Fred Smith.....	45
G. H. Smith.....	1 57
Lewis A. Rideout.....	2 02
Bradford Simpson.....	5 85
S. C. Watson.....	3 75
D. C. Lapham.....	97
E. E. Meserve.....	1 20
M. S. Leavitt.....	4 28
John A. Rider.....	1 66
Wm. M. Loud.....	38
J. A. Hinkley.....	2 55
Ernest Buker.....	2 90
Thomas Merriman.....	9 57
A. J. Adley.....	2 02
Edward T. Hatch.....	7 05
S. J. Spear.....	10 58
A. S. Small.....	28 25
G. S. McFee.....	7 80
R. E. Wyman.....	6 45

J. A. Hathorn	1 35
J. C. Shepard	10 35
D. C. Lapham	97
D. C. Lapham	90
L. W. Beedle	4 05
E. H. Smith	75
G. E. Huntington	6 75
Jesse L. Huntington	2 70
E. P. Curtis	15 46
Geo. B. Moody	9 00
S. G. Winslow	4 35
L. M. Alexander	2 62
M. C. Runnels	4 95
Geo. V. Bacon	4 13
W. L. Grover	9 00
Arthur Randall	5 68
Geo. W. Paine	2 55
H. L. Foster	3 90
R. Q. Webber	5 55
A. F. Reed	75
H. L. Foster	7 83
J. C. Blair	5 77
J. C. Blair	45
H. M. Parker	4 50
A. F. Reed	90
A. F. Reed	3 68
S. J. Spear	4 79
W. L. Stinson	3 60
E. G. Higgins	4 05
W. L. Stinson	6 68
G. E. Peacock	1 65
G. E. Peacock	5 00
Fred Peacock	4 28
Ruel H. Adams	3 75
Daniel Brown	24 33
R. W. Frott	4 87

W. S. Pollard.....	6 30
V. J. Ring.....	14 85
Randall Patterson.....	6 22
N. Howard Libby.....	5 18
G. M. Fuller.....	11 25
H. C. Hinkley.....	1 80
Ernest Buker.....	1 35
D. C. Lapbam.....	52
Geo. W. Brown.....	60
Geo. W. Brown.....	53
Chas. F. Griffin.....	2 55
Charles Davis.....	1 28
M. W. Toothaker.....	15 14
L. C. Watson.....	4 50
Geo. H. Smith.....	1 05
Edwin R. Stewart.....	3 75
J. A. Hinkley.....	1 42
Sterling Averill.....	1 00
Sterling Averill.....	3 93
E. G. Higgins.....	1 12
Wm. P. Carr.....	6 30
Wm. O. Lake.....	1 50
J. L. Robinson.....	7 20
J. L. Robinson.....	6 32
H. C. Clark.....	8 28
S. G. Winslow.....	7 28
F. D. Rogers.....	60
Geo. Jackson.....	4 27
S. E. Meserve.....	6 30
E. E. Meserve.....	14 09
D. G. C. J. White.....	3 75
J. E. Dale.....	3 83
Annie Dale.....	3 75
A. S. Small.....	8 60
F. J. Libby.....	23 30
D. R. Abbott.....	4 50

Pearl E. Perry	2 32
H. C. Kidder	75
W. S. Stuart	2 85
W. Stockman	1 50
W. L. Nelson	1 80
F. R. Plummer	12 15
Bert McCleese	2 17
R. W. Trott	1 01
H. F. Smith	1 50
H. M. Trott	6 68
J. W. Passmore	5 25
J. W. Passmore	10 37
R. W. Trott	2 85
John Smith	90
Chas. H. Trott	5 50
H. C. Parridge	15 67
Q. F. Knight	14 71
C. B. Harlow	10 60
D. N. Pollard	5 39
Chas. E. Pollard	6 45
W. S. Pollard	5 39
S. E. Meserve	3 90
D. N. Buker	4 43
Geo. A. Buker	12 37
V. J. Ring	21 37
H. E. Whitehouse	2 70
J. L. Haley	1 05
R. Q. Webber	3 50
C. S. Savage	7 50
C. S. Savage	17 62
H. C. Hinkley	5 40
Edwin Totman	4 35
Arthur Blanchard	17 20
Chas. F. Griffin	2 85
Ernest Buker	3 00
Chas. Kennerup	85

Chas. Whitmore.....	1 80
Frank E. Dickey.....	3 98
James Haulon.....	1 35
B. Simpson.....	4 35
F. M. Yeaton.....	10 05
Daniel Stewart.....	2 43
Edwin R. Stewart.....	4 16
A. S. Small to Feb. 1, 1905.....	51 75
O. P. Galusha.....	1 05
S. E. Skillings.....	2 03
H. Hanover.....	75
G. o. A. Johnson.....	2 70
Geo. A. Johnson.....	4 05
W. H. McGinn.....	2 40
Pearl Perry.....	1 05
James Parks.....	75
W. E. Wilson.....	8 55
R. P. Stewart.....	11 02
R. P. Stewart.....	6 30
A. C. Kandall.....	5 85
H. S. Yeaton.....	1 57
S. A. Dearborn.....	98
D. A. Pinkham.....	1 99
D. A. Pinkham.....	8 70
G. N. Gilpatrick.....	30
Chas. S. Libby.....	9 45
D. G. C. T. White.....	75
M. T. Costellow.....	30
Harry Pierce.....	85
R. E. Page.....	60
Johnson Seed Potato Co.....	16 50
H. L. Foster.....	5 63
Daniel Webber.....	3 40
Q. R. Webber.....	4 05
Chas. M. Dicker.....	2 03
W. H. McGinn.....	1 28

C. L. Hutchins.....	5 70
Millage Cray.....	1 05
Albert Follett.....	1 80
Sumner Harmon.....	4 95
A. C. Randali.....	5 25
Lewis R. Rideout.....	3 30
G. N. Gilpatrick.....	1 80
G. N. Gilpatrick.....	30
Geo. Gilpatrick.....	1 80
J. A. Hinkley.....	7 72
D. C. Lapham.....	2 10
R. E. Wyman.....	9 15
G. S. McFee.....	10 95
John D. Lowell.....	3 15
F. J. Libby.....	18 30
W. E. Wilson.....	4 50
John Collins.....	2 25
B. S. Clark.....	4 50
Alonzo Curtis.....	1 20
Everett Kincaid.....	2 25
Fred Peacock.....	10 88
E. J. Partridge.....	8 70
J. P. Jenkins.....	1 20
Henry Page.....	2 25
C. B. Trott.....	1 50
U. M. Lancaster.....	3 97
Alfred D. Trott.....	1 65
Alfred D. Trott.....	1 65
U. M. Lancaster.....	49
O. H. Trott.....	2 25
Wm. S. Stuart.....	1 05
Edwin Totman.....	6 97
L. J. Little.....	90
Bert Allard.....	2 25
W. F. Allard.....	3 30
H. C. Merriman.....	9 83

S. B. Hathorn.....	14 25
James Litch.....	8 86
John A. Rider.....	5 26
P rley Leavitt.....	7 80
M. S. Leavitt.....	11 11
F. Marson.....	1 36
L. O. Clark.....	4 35
A. P. Ring.....	19 19
J. W. Frott.....	43
W. L. Blair.....	8 47
D. N. Buker.....	1 87
D. N. Buker.....	4 05
N. Howard Libby.....	13 74
A. E. Moore.....	4 50
G. A. Gilpatrick.....	45
Henry P. Lancaster.....	1 13
Trundy Shepard.....	9 71
N. H. Sketton.....	10 06
G. L. Roberts.....	2 25
J. A. Spinney.....	1 88
A. B. Reed.....	98
Geo. M. Curtis.....	9 08
Bradford Simpson.....	13 65
H. L. Beedle.....	11 77
J. J. Gaubert.....	60
M. S. Castner.....	1 05
Elmer Eastman.....	3 00
H. S. and D. T. Beedle.....	5 40
Sammie Leavitt.....	10 06
V. E. Call.....	2 00
H. Cunningham.....	3 30
H. Cunningham.....	90
Menerva Shepard.....	1 65
J. C. Shepard.....	3 00
F. M. Yeaton.....	8 71
C. A. Donnell.....	2 02

John E. Page.....	75
Joseph Galusha.....	8 40
Levi Foster.....	1 20
John Easler.....	4 35
B. R. Flanders.....	5 85
George G. Page.....	10 80
H. L. Yeaton.....	45
Leslie Reed.....	90
W. M. Dingley.....	3 90
Robert Wyman.....	3 53
George A. Buker.....	4 57
George A. Buker.....	11 55
A. J. Niles.....	18 83
August Harries.....	3 16
W. A. Smith.....s.....	8 55
John A. Mero.....	4 05
J. L. Ross.....	4 05
Wallace Staples.....	2 10
Charles Pollard and sons.....	7 88
W. K. Buker.....	8 32
Mark Ryder.....	2 57
Daniel Stewart.....	2 85
F. B. Plummer.....	10 08
H. C. Hatch.....	60
George M. Beane.....	2 25
A. W. McMaster.....	5 85
C. B. Harlow.....	6 77
H. M. Smith.....	6 00
Albert Ryder.....	2 57
George N. Libby.....	8 38
W. H. Holman.....	2 19
Andrew Votour.....	94
D. R. Abbott.....	5 85
E. J. Partridge.....	1 27
Wm. P. Carr.....	3 45
D. W. Ridley.....	1 27

L. C. Lewis.....	2 55
Davis P. Collins.....	1 85
B. R. Temple.....	2 25
B R. Temple.....	3 00
D. C. Lapham.....	2 11
Daniel Brown.....	15 08
A. A. Ring.....	2 40
A. A. Ring.....	3 00
Wm. H. Cutts.....	12 95
L. M. Alexander.....	2 17
C. H. Goodrich.....	6 61
C. H. Goodrich.....	12 32
George B. Moody.....	6 90
L. J. Little.....	1 95
James E. Dale.....	75
Annie E. Dale.....	1 25
Wallace Staples.....	2 47
Charles M. Dicker.....	2 10
H. C. Clark.....	1 76
L. O. Clark.....	82
F. G. Marson.....	1 72
C. A. Donnell.....	1 50
S. E. Skillins.....	2 10
James A. Hathorn.....	90
A. J. Niles.....	10 96
J. C. Shepard.....	6 73
M. Shepard.....	2 92
M. S. Castner.....	75
E. P. Curtis.....	14 30
R. P. Stewart.....	1 65
Charles H. Trott.....	6 03
John Easler.....	7 35
A. P. Ring.....	10 05
C. S. Libby.....	9 25
A. Pray.....	2 55
G. G. Page.....	6 07

Thomas Merriman.....	6 25
G. M. Fuller.....	6 82
A. Pray.....	5 10
James Douglass.....	3 98
E. C. Meserve.....	17 09
W. M. Dingley.....	6 30
Warren J. Wood.....	2 62
A. W. McMaster.....	5 70
D. A. Pinkham.....	1 70
A. D. Trott.....	1 65
O. H. Trott.....	2 10
N. Howard Libby.....	8 26
Sterling Averill.....	3 45
Wm. M. Loud.....	3 38
Everett Kincaid.....	98
Edward Cross.....	1 35
A. C. Cross.....	2 85
Wm. K. Buker.....	3 75
W. A. Smith.....	6 45
Ira Shaw.....	1 95
Carroll Clark.....	75
J. C. Blair.....	49
C. H. Reed.....	1 28
H. A. Partridge.....	3 90
C. H. Reed.....	2 25
Davis P. Collins.....	1 50
C. H. Reed.....	3 00
H. M. Smith.....	3 75
M. C. Runnels.....	1 80
M. W. Toothaker.....	14 85
G. Peacock.....	4 13
G. E. Peacock.....	4 58
Fred Peacock.....	7 28
Geo. A. Johnson.....	8 47
S. Reed Allen.....	3 52
W. L. Blair.....	1 81

Alton E. Moore.....	3 29	
S. Reed Allen.....	2 25	
J. C. Blair.....	3 15	
Edward T. Hatch.....	3 67	
Geo. N. Libby.....	2 85	
R. W. Trott.....	4 48	
U. M. Lancaster.....	4 50	
H. F. Hanover.....	3 90	
E. A. Rideout.....	4 35	
E. A. Rideout.....	8 40	
A. F. Reed.....	97	
Millard I. Patterson.....	1 20	
Geo. W. Brown.....	1 72	
N. B. Preble.....	5 32	
N. B. Preble.....	3 60	
Leroy Spear.....	50	
A. A. Spear.....	2 25	
Transfer from Balance Acct. of 1903.....		\$445 05
By Appropriation.....		800 00
Balance overdrawn.....		562 09
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	\$1807 14	\$1807 14

HIGHWAY AND BRIDGES

Paid W. M. Holman.....	1 50
Fred Peacock.....	2 02
James H. Lowell.....	50
H. C. Hinckley.....	25
George H. Smith.....	1 95
D. G. C. T. White.....	25 50
A. S. Small.....	11 50
George Cole.....	6 30
Fred Mayo.....	6 00
Frank Thoole.....	2 02
F. A. Stetson.....	15 00
G. S. McFee.....	9 60

George N. Gilpatrick.....	3 00
F. A. Stetson.....	20 25
George N. Gilpatrick.....	2 25
Albert Meserve.....	11 70
D. G. T. C. White.....	67 50
E. F. Alexander.....	1 95
P. E. Curtis.....	12 00
E. P. Curtis.....	74 00
F. A. Stetson.....	19 50
Cornelius Deehan.....	1 35
M. W. Toothaker.....	4 20
J. A. Hinkley.....	6 75
Chas. R. Johnson.....	1 00
G. S. McFee.....	20 00
Alfred Meserve.....	5 62
Chas. F. Merrill.....	75
Alonzo Curtis.....	1 42
O. H. Trott.....	18 62
Everett Kincaid.....	7 50
A. J. Smith.....	4 50
W. L. Grover.....	10 12
I. L. Spaulding.....	3 00
John McGinn.....	75
Levi Foster.....	84
Chas. H. Abbott.....	9 00
Elmer J. Partridge.....	3 00
M. W. Toothaker.....	28 37
G. S. McFee.....	27 25
George A. Glidden.....	1 50
Everett Kincaid.....	1 50
Benjamin S. Clark.....	22 95
George B. Moody.....	5 03
Bradford Simpson.....	7 20
John Collins.....	3 00
George N. Libby.....	3 75
Frank Dickey.....	5 40

Edwin Totuan.....	6 40
Trundy Shepard.....	7 25
Q. R. Webber.....	5 00
Daniel Stewart.....	10 25
Joseph Temple.....	2 25
Heirs of Joseph Dale.....	4 50
Annie Dale.....	75
Heirs of Bates Curtis.....	7 50
Henry S. Yeaton.....	75
O. C. and H. M. Smith.....	3 00
Samuel Leavitt.....	7 50
George A. Gilpatrick.....	4 20
H. L. Foster.....	6 90
George V. Bacon.....	4 50
Joseph Galusba.....	5 00
Albion Pray.....	9 00
John Smith.....	3 00
James Litch.....	11 85
George M. Curtis.....	5 85
George M. Fuller.....	16 05
Robert J. Niles.....	8 08
Edward T. Hatch.....	6 23
George M. Curtis.....	10 00
Alfred J. Niles.....	9 00
S. B. Hathorn.....	21 75
George Jackson.....	5 25
Seth C. Watson.....	1 50
Chas. H. Grant.....	12 75
F. J. Libby.....	6 75
Wm. P. Carr.....	6 75
Alvin P. Ring.....	7 20
B. F. Plummer.....	3 50
William Cutts.....	9 00
Byron Dodge.....	3 00
I. M. Dodge.....	1 50
F. E. Dodge.....	2 25

Edward Flaherty.....	3 00
Jesse Huntington.....	3 75
Elmer Huntington.....	3 75
V. J. Ring.....	6 75
A. A. Ring.....	3 00
S. E. Skillins.....	1 50
John W. Hartford.....	9 60
George E. Page.....	9 00
Bradford Harlow.....	15 00
B. R. Temple.....	8 25
S. Reed Allen.....	10 42
F. J. Libby.....	9 00
W. M. Dingley.....	5 70
John A. Mero.....	7 20
Daniel Webber.....	4 95
W. K. Buker.....	3 75
J. L. Ross.....	7 50
B. V. Stinson & Son.....	6 00
W. A. Smith.....	6 00
H. F. Hanover.....	3 00
James Lancaster.....	1 95
F. M. Yeaton.....	33 15
Wm. P. Carr.....	2 25
F. J. Libby.....	11 25
Irving Hodgdon.....	3 75
A. F. Reed.....	3 00
F. G. Marson.....	3 00
A. B. Reed.....	6 00
H. S. Beedle.....	15 61
D. T. Beedle.....	14 70
Leander Blair.....	7 50
J. C. Blair.....	8 10
C. H. Trott.....	4 05
George M. Curtis.....	12 25
J. W. Trott.....	6 75
R. W. Trott.....	3 00

Alton E. Moore.....	3 00
Wm. M. Loud.....	1 50
N. Banks Preble.....	3 75
H. S. Yeaton.....	4 50
S. B. Winslow.....	3 75
Ruel Niles.....	3 00
A. W. McMaster.....	3 00
H. E. Whitehouse.....	3 30
D. A. Pinkham.....	4 50
J. L. Robinson.....	4 50
Wm. R. Clark.....	2 10
Arthur C. Randall.....	8 85
D. N. Buker.....	60
George A. Buker.....	1 80
Daniel Brown.....	91 21
A. J. Niles.....	18 00
L. O. Clark.....	24 16
H. C. Clark.....	22 81
F. J. Libby.....	23 00
N. H. Skelton.....	6 75
John T. Palmer.....	2 25
F. B. Plummer.....	53
Mary Meserve.....	8 25
C. B. Harlow.....	5 00
George E. Alexander.....	36 30
John L. Beedle.....	4 00
John Woodard.....	44 10
L. B. Freeman.....	28 85
Benjamin Alexander.....	13 65
Job. H. Trott.....	23 25
Thomas Roper.....	7 50
D. A. Pinkham.....	12 00
George A. Alexander.....	13 35
Alfred Trott.....	4 50
A. J. Niles.....	24 90
N. Howard Libby.....	10 20

Fred Peacock.....	9 00
M. S. Leavitt.....	8 25
Randall Patterson.....	3 75
S. B. Hathorn.....	4 05
Perley Leavitt.....	10 80
Bert Allard.....	6 00
A. S. Small.....	30 90
A. S. Small.....	49 85
A. S. Small.....	112 50
John Lowell.....	21 23
C. H. Merrifield.....	4 50
L. Bronsdon.....	5 25
J. C. Shepard.....	2 55
R. P. Stewart.....	6 75
Minervia Shepard.....	2 68
Carl S. Savage.....	8 69
Thomas Merriman.....	5 40
Booker & Curtis.....	22 03
Chas. Goodrich.....	9 45
John Easler.....	9 50
Noah Alexander.....	4 50
H. M. Smith.....	4 80
S. E. Meserve.....	4 50
H. C. Hinkley.....	1 25
S. E. Meserve.....	7 87
D. G. C. T. White.....	58 90
Albert Meserve.....	2 40
M. W. Toothaker.....	25 00
C. W. Moore.....	9 40
O. L. Buker.....	12 40
Benj. S. Clark.....	5 00
Chas. L. Hutchins.....	14 25
F. J. Libby.....	22 00
Elmer J. Partridge.....	1 50
O. H. Trott.....	2 40
O. H. Trott.....	3 00

John Lowell.....	28 87
N. H. Skelton.....	20 25
H. M. Libby.....	75
Joseph Temple.....	90
John Palmer.....	45 75
E. P. Curtis.....	10 00
Geo. M. Curtis.....	2 55
Arthur Partridge.....	1 50
G. S. McFee.....	55 43
A. S. Small.....	73 29
Sumner Harmon.....	9 07
John E. Page.....	1 00
R. M. Reed.....	1 50
Mary Meserve.....	16 75
F. B. Plummer.....	31 80
C. H. Jackson.....	1 85
John Collins.....	1 50
Mrs. Patrick Donovan.....	3 46
A. G. Thomas.....	8 40
F. A. Stetson.....	6 75
Johnson Seed Potato Co.....	6 00
Geo. Paine.....	45
C. B. Harlow.....	13 50
I. F. Ueberhine.....	32 77
Geo. M. Beane.....	41 17
F. B. Plummer.....	60
Alfred Gardiner.....	8 68
Minerva Shepard.....	1 50
H. C. Hatch.....	1 50
S. J. Plummer.....	5 25
W. E. Wilson.....	5 92
James Hanlon.....	7 35
Carl S. Savage.....	3 37
Geo. A. Johnson.....	2 70
D. N. Baker.....	1 05
O. W. Stetson.....	1 50

Chas. S. Libby.....	23 00	
W. H. Thurlow.....	3 75	
D. G. C. T. White.....	3 45	
J. F. Umberhine.....	30	
Robert Niles.....	1 50	
John T. Palmer.....	21 50	
Transfer from Wall on Front St.....	67 49	
By S. E. Meserve paid back.....		\$2 40
Transfer from Balance Acct. of 1903....		408 05
By Appropriation.....		2,200 00
Balance Unexpended.....	81 76	
	<u>\$2,610 45</u>	<u>\$2,610 45</u>

WALL ON FRONT STREET.

Paid Geo. Gilpatrick.....	\$2 25	
Davis P. Collins.....	10 50	
E. P. Curtis.....	16 25	
C. W. Moore.....	13 25	
Geo. M. Curtis.....	6 07	
R. M. Reed.....	6 07	
I. F. Umberhine.....	10 75	
W. E. Wilson.....	2 35	
Transfer from Highway and Bridges.....		\$67 49
	<u>\$67 49</u>	<u>\$67 49</u>

NIGHT WATCH AND STREET LIGHTS ACCOUNT.

Paid E. A. Call, salary.....	550 00	
B. F. Curtis, oil.....	27 21	
D. R. Alexander, special.....	2 00	
I. F. Umberhine, supplies.....	7 53	
F. E. Webber, supplies.....	27 22	
F. E. Webber, oil.....	133 56	
Balance Overdrawn Feb. 1, 1904.....	21 38	
By Appropriation.....		800 00
Balance Unexpended.....	31 10	
	<u>\$800 00</u>	<u>\$800 00</u>

TOWN OFFICER ACCOUNT.

Paid Morrill McKenney, Selectman.....	\$300 00	
Daniel Stewart " 	75 00	
Arthur C. Randall " 	65 00	
C. D. Newell, Supt. Schools.....	250 00	
Wm. R. Fairclough, Town Clerk....	15 00	
Wm. H. Stuart, Town Treasurer....	60 00	
" " " Trustee Randall		
Fund 	15 00	
Frank R. Duren, Col, commissions..	403 60	
Transfer from unexpended bal. acct of 1903		\$242 10
By appropriation.....		1,150 00
Balance expended Feb. 1, 1905.....	208 50	
	<u>\$1,392 10</u>	<u>\$1,392 10</u>

STATE OF MAINE ACCOUNT JOHN I. RANKINS.

Paid Town of Monmouth.....	61 50	
W. H. Hathaway.....	1 50	
O. S. Wheeler.....	12 00	
S. W. Donnell.....	27 00	
Received from State of Maine....		70 00
Transfer from Poor off Farm account....		32 00
	<u>\$102 00</u>	<u>\$102 00</u>

LUMBER ACCOUNT.

Paid E. O. Dinsmore.....	\$710 00	
Nellie A. Merriman.....	154 95	
F. R. Duren.....	46 58	
Bradstreet Lumber Co.....	9 41	
Lawrence Bros.....	81 71	
Balance overdrawn Feb. 1, 1904.....	12 83	
Transfer to concrete walk account.....	500 05	
By appropriation.....		1,400 00
By lumber sold.....		4 52
Balance overdrawn.....		111 01
	<u>\$1,515 53</u>	<u>\$1,515 53</u>

CONCRETE ASPHALT WALK.

Paid James F. Meserve	75	
Geo. N. Gilpatric.....	3 75	
Geo. B. Kumbalt.....	8 85	
Geo. N. Gilpatrick.....	6 60	
Albert Meserve.....	10 42	
Davis P. Collins.....	11 63	
Alfred Meserve.....	2 25	
Davis P. Collins.....	10 42	
P. J. Nelligan & Co.....	286 07	
Sarah L. Preble, gravel.....	33 60	
Frank Ray McKenney.....	7 20	
A. S. Small.....	77 85	
H. C. Hinkley.....	1 50	
Alfred Meserve.....	6 26	
Herbert M. Carr.....	1 50	
James K. Hathorn, gravel.....	12 80	
A. G. Thomas.....	5 55	
Wm. P. Carr.....	13 05	
Transfer from lumber account.....		500 05
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	\$500 05	\$500 05

FIRE DEPARTMENT ACCOUNT.

Paid Noble Maxwell Hose Co.....	61 60
Independent ".....	62 70
Volunteer ".....	64 80
J. Clark Flagg, H. & L. Co.....	56 10
J. M. Curtis.....	6 00
J. K. Hathorn, land rent.....	5 00
Chas. R. Johnson.....	90
W. A. Bibber, supplies.....	75
J. Clark Flagg, fire ward.....	6 00
J. Clark Flagg.....	2 80
Wm. R. Fairclough, fire ward.....	6 00
J. M. Odiorne " ".....	6 00

Transfer from balance account of 1903.....		63 15
By appropriation.....		550 00
Balance unexpended.....	334 50	
	<u>\$613 15</u>	<u>\$613 15</u>

PURCHASE OF FIRE BELL.

By appropriation.....		\$75 00
Balance unexpended.....	\$75 00	

TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.

Paid B. F. Curtis, supplies.....	16 05
R. A. Proctor, salary.....	300 00
W. L. Stinson.....	1 50
C. B. Randall 2 pigs.....	5 00
D. B. Cornish, cow.....	35 00
Maurice E. Rankins, haying.....	21 00
F. R. Duren, lumber.....	10 33
L. W. Beedle, repairing chimneys..	12 00
C. H. Reed, supplies.....	78 28
F. J. Libby, threshing.....	1 68
F. J. Libby, repairs mowing machine	1 80
Daniel Stewart, fertilizer.....	7 95
I. F. Umerhine, supplies.....	4 74
A. E. Small	11 95
F. L. Rogers	25 70
Wm. Slom	4 50
B. F. Curtis	33 22
H. Mansir	2 13
Rogers Bros.	18 62
A. W. Smith	3 71
W. E. Wilson, brick and sand.....	3 60
C. H. Reed, supplies.....	10 45
A. L. Theobald, horse haying.....	15 00
R. H. White, supplies.....	30 12
Geo. A. Buker, Ctg., hay.....	9 00

B. R. Temple, supplies.....	50 66	
J. Clark Flagg ".....	2 92	
R. H. White ".....	1 44	
F. E. Webber ".....	12 84	
D. F. Emerson ".....	28 67	
James A. Smith ".....	9 67	
Geo. E. Page.....	1 00	
By calf sold.....		7 12
" hay ".....		108
" hog ".....		17 57
" cream ".....		41 69
" eggs ".....		15 83
" apples ".....		8 41
Balance.....		571 65
	<u>\$770 53</u>	<u>\$770 53</u>
Net expense of Farm.....	571 65	
Poor off Farm.....	949 05	
Transfer from balance account of 1903....		518 18
By appropriation.....		900 00
Balance overdrawn Feb. 1, 1905.....		102 52
	<u>\$1,520 70</u>	<u>\$1,520 70</u>

POOR OFF FARM ACCOUNT.

Paid Town of Whitefield, James Siegars.....	5 00
City of Gardiner, C. McCurdy.....	27 75
A. L. Perry, rent, Thornton.....	9 33
B. F. Curtis, Geo. H. Smith.....	8 25
F. R. Duren, Flora E. Rogers.....	3 24
M. McKenney, Flora E. Rogers....	5 39
Carrie M. Shaw, board of Harold and Kirvin Rogers.....	8 00
S. B. Dinsmore, board of Alice Rogers	8 59
Maine Insane Hospital, Flora E. Rogers.....	129 59

Maine Insane Hospital, Marco.....	131 57
" " " Mary Quinn...	130 72
" " " Joanna Conley.	120 85
M. McKenney, looking up paupers..	54
N. E. Lancaster, rent Maloon.....	6 00
W. E. Wilson, Geo. H. Smith.....	6 76
W. E. Wilson, Geo. Alexander....	2 00
W. E. Wilson, Mrs. Edwin Smith..	2 00
N. E. Lancaster, rent, Maloon.....	8 00
M. McKenney, expense.....	6 21
M. McKenney, car fare tramp.....	2 80
Geo. Cole, feeding soldier.....	75
M. McKenney, looking up paupers..	4 82
Mrs. Edwin Smith, board and care	
Edna Merrill's child.....	8 00
F. M. Robinson, Mary Quinn.....	3 40
F. A. Danforth & Co., rent, Thornton	43 33
City of Gardiner, Thornton.....	33 37
" " " C. McCurdy.....	21 00
Chas. A. Milliken, rent, Page.....	48 00
Geo. C. Lovell, Adra Stilphen.....	2 67
" " " Edna F. Merrill....	2 50
" " " Mary Maloon.....	4 14
" " " Geo. H. Smith.....	3 45
O. S. Sherburn & Co., Mrs. Edwin	
Smith	2 75
O. S. Sherburn & Co., Edna Murrill.	1 20
C. W. Price, town physician.....	40 00
A. E. Small, Mary Quinn.....	1 50
Wm. Slom, Harold Rogers.....	75
" " Kirvin Rogers.....	1 50
W. A. Bibber, Alice Stilphen.....	3 80
B. F. Curtis, Geo. H. Smith.....	2 00
A. W. Smith, Mary Quinn.....	5 58
W. E. Wilson, Geo. W. Alexander..	2 00
" " " Alice Stilphen.....	1 25

H. C. Allard, C. McCurdy	7 00	
W. E. Wilson, Lincoln Hilton	3 38	
" " " Harriet Jones	5 83	
D. F. Emerson, Edner Murrill	1 99	
" " " Alice Stilphen	3 00	
Margaret McCausland, rent, Thoruton	5 00	
E. A. Mansir, su, plies	50	
City of Gardiner, Thornton	30 00	
Transfer to State of Maine Account.	32 00	
" from Town Farm		949 05
	<u>\$949 05</u>	<u>\$949 05</u>

LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid I. L. Spaulding, horse hire	\$7 00	
I. L. Spaulding, fumigating school house	2 00	
W. A. Bibber, supplies	2 50	
D. S. Richards, health officer	15 00	
I. L. Spaulding " "	10 00	
Geo. C. Lovell " "	10 00	
Transfer from contingent account		46 50
	<u>\$46 50</u>	<u>\$46 50</u>

CONTINGENT FUND ACCOUNT.

Paid Farmers' and Mechanics' Club	\$100 00	
Transfer to Carney Fund	2 50	
" " Creamery Drain account	55 43	
" " Board of Health " " "	46 50	
By appropriation		200 00
Balance overdrawn Feb. 1, 1905		4 43
	<u>\$204 43</u>	<u>\$204 43</u>

HYDRANT RENTAL.

Paid Richmond Water Works	\$2050 00	
By appropriation		\$2050 00

MEMORIAL DAY.

Paid W. S. Voter, John Merrill Post.....	\$75 00	
By appropriation.....		\$75 00

CARNEY FUND.

Paid Frank S. Hall.....	\$2 50	
Transfer from contingent account.....		2 50

STATE ROAD ACCOUNT.

Paid C. H. Merrifield, labor.....	\$10 12	
A. J. Adley, ".....	10 12	
Geo. Cole ".....	9 37	
Pearl Clark, ".....	4 50	
A. Spear, ".....	8 25	
D. R. Abbott ".....	5 25	
C. H. Abbott, stone and gravel.....	20 90	
Samuel J. Spear, stone.....	10 42	
W. L. Grover, stone and gravel. . .	19 75	
Sarah L. Preble, 377 loads gravel... .	75 40	
A. S. Small.....	39 07	
John Lowell, labor.....	5 25	
Lore Bronsdon ".....	6 75	
A. Page ".....	4 20	
H. C. Hinkley, stone.....	50	
Albert Meserve, labor.....	7 20	
H. S. Densmore, ".....	18 00	
H. F. Smith stone and gravel.....	25 21	
Chas. L. Hutchins, labor.....	4 50	
Geo. B. Moody, stone and gravel....	30 22	
H. Hilton, labor.....	2 85	
H. A. Partridge, stone.....	14 84	
John Easler ".....	15 56	
Booker & Curtis ".....	12 52	
Bradford Simpson " and gravel....	28 94	
Chas. Goodrich ".....	8 70	
Geo. M. Curtis ".....	13 50	

Ray McKenney “	50	
E. H. Page, weighing stone.....	1 40	
E. H. Page, sharpening drills.....	1 45	
F. J. Libby, stone.....	5 00	
A. S. Alexander, dynamite.....	3 55	
E. C. Meserve, stone... ..	6 41	
R. M. Reed “	9 87	
H. Libby, labor.....	13 50	
Geo. N. Libby, stone and labor.....	15 45	
Johnson Seed Potato Co., stone....	21 00	
Geo. A. Buker “	12 36	
C. B. Harlow “	11 96	
R. H. White, weighing stone.....	50	
W. E. Wilson, stone and gravel....	30 06	
B. S. Clark “ “ “	23 94	
J. E. Bailey “	9 13	
W. H. Thurlow, labor.....	1 50	
Arthur Blanchard, stone.....	17 81	
Received from State.....		200 00
By appropriation.....		400 00
Balance unexpended.....	2 72	
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	\$600 00	\$600 00

BUILDING DRAIN OVER A. E. SMALLS LAND.

Paid Rufus E. Page.....	\$3 38
Bert McCleese.....	1 35
Rufus E. Page.....	1 50
Bert McCleese.....	3 00
C. H. Merrifield.....	11 63
A. J. Adley.....	11 63
Geo. Cole.....	11 63
Davis P. Collins.....	3 00
E. H. Page.....	2 45
A. S. Alexander.....	8 60
Brooks Hardware Co., Tile.....	119 81

By appropriation.....		250 00
Transfer to Creamery Drain.....	72 02	
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	\$250 00	\$250 00

BUILDING CREAMERY DRAIN.

Paid John McGinn.....	\$5 62	
Geo. H. Smith.....	5 25	
Rufus E. Page.....	1 50	
Bert McCleave.....	3 00	
Rufus E. Page.....	3 00	
George Kimball.....	2 25	
C. H. Merrifield.....	1 50	
Alfred Meserve.....	60	
Brooks Hardware Co., Tile.....	104 73	
Transfer from Small Drain account.....		72 02
Transfer from Contingent account.....		55 43
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	\$127 45	\$127 45

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLY ACCOUNT.

Paid Am. Ex. Co.....	\$2 20
Homer E. Alexander.....	10 00
W. H. Harlow.....	2 55
Caxton Company.....	6 50
American Book Company.....	216 60
Atlas School Supply Co.....	45 50
Edward E. Babb & Co.....	8 50
Hinds and Noble.....	28 60
Ginn and Company.....	12 40
Maynard Merrill & Co.....	11 87
H. Mansir.....	9 58
W. F. Dunham.....	4 25
M. C. R. R. freight.....	3 54

Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1904.....		109 46
Books sold.....		2 42
By appropriation.....		300 00
Balance due Book and Supply account Feb. 1, 1905,.....	49 79	
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	\$411 88	\$411 88

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

PAID TEACHERS

Paid Herbert D. Stewart, principal \$760 00		
Katherine Shea, assistant, . . . 330.00	\$1,090 00	
L. Brondson, janitor.....	75 45	

FUEL.

Paid Wm. E. Wilson.....	56 19	
S. E. Meserve.....	14 25	
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	70 44	

Tuition.....		30 80
Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1904.....		571 05
State Free High School.....		125 00
By appropriation.....		1000 00
Balance due Free High School, Feb. 1, 1905.....	490 96	
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	\$1726 85	\$1726 85
Balance due Free High School from Town		\$490 96
due " " " " State		125 00
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due Free High School, Feb. 1, 1905..		\$615 96

SCHOOL REPAIR AND SUPPLY ACCOUNT.

Paid James Haynes & Son.....	\$52 20
I. F. Umberhine.....	5 24
Geo. G. Page.....	25
Daniel Brown.....	5 00

I. L. Spaulding.....	3 50	
Alvin Eastman.....	12 50	
Ernest E. Meserve.....	75	
C. M. Dale.....	1 10	
P. E. Curtis.....	1 25	
Am. Express Co.....	1 15	
J. L. Purington.....	20 00	
Harvey C. Hatch.....	3 00	
E. M. Bates.....	44 00	
F. R. Duren.....	4 72	
Dunton Chenery Co.....	12 25	
Annie D. Dale.....	7 50	
J. E. Dale.....	1 75	
H. C. Hinkley.....	3 00	
D. A. Pinkham.....	25	
A. C. Reed.....	8 43	
Oakland Mfg Co.....	4 25	
Rogers Bros.....	19 68	
J. Clark Flagg.....	3 85	
A. S. Alexander.....	85	
James Litch.....	75	
F. E. Webber.....	8 63	
James Haynes & Son.....	2 47	
J. G. C. Farnham.....	5 82	
I. F. Umberhine.....	1 14	
Daniel Brown.....	2 00	
Balance overdrawn Feb. 1, 1904.....	5 50	
By appropriation.....		300 00
Balance due repair and supply account Feb. 1, 1905.....	57 22	
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	\$300 00	\$300 00

RENT OF SCHOOL HOUSE.

Paid Geo. H. Theobald, Treasurer.....	\$200 00	
By appropriation.....		\$200 00

COMMON SCHOOLS.

PAID TEACHERS.

W. E. Seekins.....	\$400 00
Emily McFadden.....	162 00
Julia C. Richards.....	231 00
Annie L. Call.....	264 00
Nellie C. Thomas.....	264 00
Loretta E. Parks.....	264 00
Ethel M. Baker.....	231 00
Ella A. Peacock.....	66 00
C. M. Leavitt.....	198 00
Marcia E. Paine.....	198 00
Nellie A. Merriman.....	114 00
Maude W. Howe.....	132 00
Cleora Umberhine.....	36 00
Lucy M. Billings.....	135 00
H. T. Tallman.....	66 00
Cynthia Stetson.....	48 00
W. F. Skelton.....	28 00
Nettie B. Stewart.....	72 00
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	\$2,909 00

PAID JANITORS.

Julia C. Richards.....	\$8 25
Ella A. Peacock.....	2 75
Edward Foster.....	2 75
L. Bronsdon.....	194 05
John F. Riley.....	8 25
Geo. G. Page.....	2 75
Carrie M. Leavitt.....	2 75
Marcia E. Paine.....	2 75
Maude W. Howe.....	5 50
Cleora Umberhine.....	1 50
H. T. Tallman.....	2 75
Adelaide H. Page.....	2 75
Nellie A. Merriman.....	2 75

John Pinkham.....	2 75	
C. M. Toothaker.....	3 00	
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CONVEYING PUPILS.

W. L. Grover.....	\$49 50	
Wm. M. Loud.....	31 66	
J. C. Shepard.....	66 00	
G. W. Paine.....	57 75	
Hattie M. Harlow.....	27 50	
Seth C. Watson.....	33 00	
D. G. C. T. White.....	6 00	
C. H. Reed.....	22 80	
Daniel Brown.....	58 00	
Nellie A. Merriman.....	9 50	
Geo. N. Libby.....	22 00	
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FUEL.

Geo. G. Page.....	\$7 50	
Ernest Meserve.....	23 00	
Levi Foster.....	1 00	
S. E. Meserve.....	154 87	
A. F. Reed.....	1 00	
W. L. Blair.....	3 00	
John Riley.....	25	
N. Howard Libby.....	2 50	
Geo. C. Lovell.....	85 96	
E. A. Rideout.....	5 50	\$2 4 58
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Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1904.....	\$914 70	
School Fund and Mill Tax.....	1295 87	
By appropriation.....	2500 00	
Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1905.....		887 98
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	\$4,710 57	\$4,710 57

ABATEMENT OF TAXES 1904.

Joseph Peacock, error in value.....	\$7 71	
Chas. F. Gorham, over value.....	49	
C. H. P. J. Southard.....	75 27	
David A. Abbott, paid in Gardiner.....	3 00	
Heirs of Fannie Averill.....	1 93	
J. H. Knight considered.....	9 65	
Elizabeth D. Reed, ".....	1 93	
Heirs of Benson Rogers considered.....	1 93	
Lyman M. Small, gone.....	3 19	
Heirs of Sarah Smith considered.....	3 86	
Walter G. Thomas paid in Augusta....	3 00	
Joshua Webber, gone.....	3 00	
Maggie O. Neil.....	96	
Chas. A. Howes, paid in Hallowell.....	3 00	
Joseph Temple, error.....	3 00	
Rachel Clark, considered.....	3 08	
W. R. Washburn, dead.....	3 00	
Nellie Merriman, over value.....	48	
Heirs of Herbert C. Rodick, considered..	5 79	
By order F. R. Duren, charge in gen. acct.		\$134 27
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	\$134 27	\$134 27

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Paid J. M. Odiorne, auditor.....	\$15 00
W. F. Dunham, reports.....	74 40
W. F. Dunham, printing.....	9 50
M. McKenney, carfare.....	2 61
H. C. Hinkley, town hall.....	1 00
H. C. Hinkley, moving safe.....	3 50
Geo. B. Randlette, moderator.....	5 00
Geo. B. Randlette, copying valuation.	25 00
M. McKenney, carfare and stamps...	7 08
M. C. R. R., freight on tile.....	90
M. McKenney, expense.....	20

Alonzo Adley, town landing.....	15 00
I. L. Spaulding " "	45
Alonzo Adley " "	2 00
J. F. Umberhine " "	5 60
C. F. Gorham " "	75
J. G. C. Farnham " "	7 78
J. C. Blair, sheep killed.....	12 00
Henry S. Beedle " "	30 00
Ruel Seigars " "	5 00
Henry L. Foster " "	16 50
Alton E. Moore " "	20 00
Mary J. Gaubert, trough.....	3 00
Sumner Harmon "	3 00
Amanda Scott "	3 00
J. L. Ross "	3 00
C. B. Harlow "	3 00
S. E. Skillings "	3 00
Q. F. Knight "	3 00
I. L. Lake, office rent.....	2 00
Am. Ex. Co.....	30
F. R. Duren, dog constable.....	20 00
Wm. H. Harlow, land rent pest house.....	3 00
Wm. H. Harlow, Ctg.....	60
I. L. Spaulding, letter box.....	1 50
Wm. R. Fairclough, state aid papers.....	22 00
M. C. R. R., freight.....	36
M. McKenney, expense.....	8 55
M. C. R. R., freight on tile.....	13 10
J. F. Ames, repairs.....	3 65
H. M. Parker, cleaning old lockup.....	1 50
M. McKenney, stamps and cartare.....	1 99
Eastern S. S. Co.,.....	25
Eastern S. S. Co.....	25
A. L. Preble, telephone and supplies.....	7 41
M. McKenney, expense.....	4 85
Geo. B. Jenkins, repairing fountain.....	2 00

James A Griffin stove selectmen's office	7 00
Davis P. Collins, new lockup	14 70
Eastern S. S. Co. " "	40
M. C. R. R. " "	1 52
John H. Sedgley " "	10 00
W. W. Beedle " "	21 07
L. W. Beedle " "	19 04
L. W. Beedte " "	17 70
E. C. Harlow, wood " "	4 87
F. R. Duren, " "	40 27
C. M. Averill " "	7 50
John H. Sedgley " "	25 88
Ray McKenney " "	2 50
E. H. Page " "	5 55
C. A. Donnell " "	31 06
H. C. Hinkley " "	50
Geo. C. Lovell, coal " "	1 69
M. C. R. R. " "	25
M. McKenney " "	70
I. F. Umberhine " "	24 38
Oakland Manuf'g Co. " "	63 58
W. E. Wilson " "	14 11
W. E. Wilson " "	75
The Van Dorn Iron Works Co. cages	275 00
Alvin Eastman, new lockup	6 90
C. C. Gardiner " "	6 15
J. G. C. Farnham " "	18 72
Chas. M. Averill " "	10 87
John Merrill Post, settees,	14 00
Globe Gas Light Co.	3 50
Winslow & Co., tile	9 60
Good Roads Machinery Co.	9 30
Edwin Totman, election clerk	10 00
W. S. Voter " "	10 00
M. G. Buker, ballott "	10 00
D. F. Emerson " "	10 00

M. T. Costello, repairs.....	4 65
F. R. Duren, collector, abatements '04	134 27
E. H. Page, repairs.....	11 45
A. S. Alexander ".....	20 54
J. K. Hathorn, land rent.....	5 00
F. E. Connor, team.....	1 00
W. S. Voter, truant officer.....	5 00
Frederick Small, repairs.....	6 40
F. A. Shepard ".....	13 51
Geo. C. Lovell, coal, selectmen's office	7 10
Geo. C. Lovell, " " "	10 12
M. McKenney, expense.....	3 98
Loring, Short & Harmon.....	15
I. F. UMBERHINE, supplies.....	2 98
George B. Randlette, pipe and battery	2 69
Wm. H. Haynes, care town clock...	20 00
James Haynes & Son, supplies.....	22 74
W. N. Price, statistics.....	7 00
I. W. Gilbert, ".....	1 00
Geo. A. Weeks, ".....	1 75
William Slom.....	2 75
Rogers Bros.....	21 80
H. Mansir, value books.....	21 42
W. E. Wilson, wood, selectmen office	1 63
W. F. Dunham, warrants, etc.....	21 25
Sarah J. Preble, gravel.....	4 40
F. R. Duren, constable.....	20 00
Noah Alexander.....	2 10
Wm. R. Fairclough, statistics.....	14 00
J. Clark Flagg, burial C. F. Estes....	34 75
D. F. Emerson.....	45
J. G. C. Farnham, supplies.....	27 51
M. T. Costello, repairs.....	1 50
M. McKenney, car fare and stamps..	1 88
M. McKenney.....	1 58
Wallace Staples, repairs.....	50

Wm. T. Hall, legal service.....	30 00	
State dog license.....		84 17
“ damage to sheep.....		83 50
“ R. R. and telegraph tax.....		629 43
“ Burial of soldier.....		34 75
From licenses.....		35 00
“ Title sold.....		13 03
“ Tax deed paid.....		17 53
“ Rent from J. A. Griffin.....		27 00
“ Old Lockup Shed sold.....		6 00
“ “ “ stove “.....		50
“ H. F. Smith paid back W. G. Mc Donald's poll tax abated twice 1903		3 00
“ Geo. Norris poll tax 1899.....		3 00
“ Supplemental tax.....		62 20
“ Overlaying.....		358 11
Transfer from balance account of 1903...		509 85
Balance unexpended.....	294 58	
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	\$1867 07	\$1867 07

EXPENDITURES.

Paid State tax 1904.....	\$2,993 22
County tax 1904.....	1,616 35
State pensions.....	660 00
" dog license.....	108 00
Night watch and street lights.....	747 52
Hydrant Rental.....	2,050 00
Snow account.....	1,807 14
Memorial Day.....	75 90
General account.....	1,572 49
Poor off Farm.....	917 05
Town farm.....	770 53
Highway and bridges.....	2,528 69
Town officers.....	1,183 60
Fire department account.....	278 65
Contingent account.....	100 00
Lumber account.....	1,502 0
Building sewer A. E. Small, land....	177 98
" creamery drain.....	127 45
State of Maine account J. I. Rankin..	102 00
State road.....	597 28
Common schools.....	3,822 59
Rent of school houses.....	200 00
School book and supply account....	362 09
" repair and supply account....	237 28
Free High School.....	1,235 89
Carney Fund.....	2 50
Unexpended balance account of 1903	1,273 48
Local Board of Health.....	46 50
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1905.....	1,773 77
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	\$28,869 75

RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury Feb. 1, 1904.....	\$5,055 07
From license.....	35 00
State dog licenses.....	84 17
" pensions.....	660 00
" School Fund and Mill tax 1904.....	1,295 87
" Free High School.....	125 00
" R. R. and telegraph tax.....	629 43
" sheep killed.....	83 50
" burial of soldier.....	34 75
" for John I. Rankins.....	70 00
" for State road.....	200 00
Farm produce sold.....	198 88
Tax deeds.....	17 53
Tile sold.....	13 03
Rent from J. A. Griffin.....	27 00
Old lockup shed and stove.....	6 50
H. F. Smith Col. 1903.....	3 00
Geo. Norris poll tax 1899.....	3 00
Town clerk dog license 1904.....	108 00
Tuition Free High School.....	30 80
Books sold.....	2 42
S. E. Meserve, paid back.....	2 40
Lumber sold.....	4 52
Frank R. Duren Col. 1904.....	20,179 88
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	\$28,869 75

RESOURCES.

Cash in treasury Feb. 1, 1905.....	\$1,773 77
Tax deeds owned by town.....	84 91
Executions for taxes.....	30 77
Due from State dog licenses.....	108 00
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	\$1,997 45

LIABILITIES.

Carney Fund.....	374 13
Common Schools.....	887 98
Free High School.....	490 96
School book and supply account.....	49 79
School repair and supply account.....	57 22
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	\$1,860 08
Resources more than liabilities.....	<hr/>
	\$137 37

I certify that I have examined the books of the selectmen for the municipal year ending Feb. 1, 1905. I find them properly kept, correctly cast and vouchers on file for all orders issued upon the treasurer and that the foregoing is a true exhibit of same.

Geo. B. Randlette, Auditor

Richmond, Feb. 7, 1905.

ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 1905.

Repair of highway and bridges.....	\$2,200 00
Purchase of lumber.....	1,400 00
Payment of hydrant rental.....	2,050 00
Night watch and street lights.....	750 00
Fire department.....	300 00
Support of the poor.....	1,100 00
Town officers.....	1,000 00
Contingent fund.....	200 00
Snow account.....	1700 00
Memorial Day.....	75 00
Common schools.....	2,500 00
Free High School.....	1,000 00
Free text books and supplies.....	300 00
Repair of school houses and supplies.....	300 00
Rent of school houses.....	200 00
Insurance of school houses.....	90 00

Respectfully submitted,

MORRILL MCKENNEY,)	Selectmen of Richmond.
DANIEL STEWART,)	
ARTHUR C. RANDALL.)	

Town Expense and School Accounts for Twelve Months Ending Feb. 1, 1905

Departments	Appropriation	Credits	Total	Expense	Over-drawn	Unexpended
Night watch and street lights..	800 00		800 00	768 90		31 10
Hydrant rental.....	2,050 00		2,050 00	2,050 00		
Snow account	800 00	445 05	1,245 05	1,807 14	562 09	
Memorial Day.....	75 00		75 00	75 00		
General account.....		1,867 07	1,867 07	1,572 49		294 58
Support of the poor.....	900 00	717 06	1,617 06	1,719 58	102 52	
Highway and bridges.....	2,200 00	410 45	2,610 45	2,528 69		81 76
Town officers account.....	1,150 00	242 10	1,392 10	1,183 60		208 50
Fire Department.....	550 00	63 15	613 15	278 65		334 50
Purchase of fire bell.....	75 00		75 00			75 00
Contingent account.....	200 00		200 00	204 43	4 43	
Lumber account.....	1,400 00	4 52	1,404 52	1,515 53	111 01	
Building drain.....	250 00	55 43	305 43	305 43		
State of Maine.....		102 00	102 00	102 00		
Unexpended balance of 1903.		1,273 48	1,273 48	1,273 48		
State road	400 00	200 00	600 00	597 28		2 72
Board of Health.....		46 50	46 50	46 50		
Carney Fund.....		2 50	2 50	2 50		
Common schools.....	2,500 00	2,210 57	4,710 57	3,822 59		887 98
Rent of school houses.....	200 00		200 00	200 00		
School books and supplies....	300 00	111 88	411 88	362 09		49 79
School repairs and supplies....	300 00		300 00	242 78		57 22

Free high school.....	1,000 00	726 85	1,726 85	1,235 89		490 96
	<u>\$15,150 00</u>	<u>\$8,478 61</u>	<u>\$23,628 61</u>	<u>\$21,894 55</u>	<u>\$780 05</u>	<u>\$2,514 11</u>
		15,150 00		1,734 06	1,734 06	
		<u>\$23,628 61</u>	<u>\$23,628 61</u>	<u>\$23,628 61</u>	<u>\$2,514 11</u>	<u>\$2,514 11</u>
					\$1,734 06	
Accounts of 1903 overexpended.....					\$39 71	
					<u>\$1,773 77</u>	
Unexpended February 1, 1905.....						1,485 95
Due schools and books and repair accounts, February 1, 1905.....						287 82
Due town expense account February 1, 1905.....						
					<u>\$1,773 77</u>	<u>\$1,773 77</u>
Net balance overexpended for twelve months ending February 1, 1905.....						\$3,281 30
Cash in treasury February 1, 1904.....					5,055 07	
Cash in treasury February 1, 1905.....						1,773 77
					<u>\$5,055 07</u>	<u>\$5,055 07</u>

EXPENDED BY VOTE OF TOWN WITHOUT ANY APPROPRIATION.

Paid for Hagar building repairs and lockup.....	\$1,725 66
Paid for wall on Front street.....	67 49
Abatements for years 1898 and 1899.....	313 17
Overdrawn, snow account 1904.....	562 09
Overdrawn, poor account 1904.....	102 52
	<u>\$2,770 93</u>

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance in Treasury, Feb., 1904		\$5,055 07
Received from State, school fund and mill tax of 1904	\$1,295 87	
“ R. R. & Tel. Tex, 1904	629 43	
“ State pensions refunded	660 00	
“ State road	200 00	
“ Free High School	125 00	
“ Dog licenses of 1904 refunded	84 17	
“ damage done by dogs	83 50	
“ State pauper	70 00	
“ Burial of soldier	34 75	\$182 72
Received for licenses, billiard and pool,		
Chas. B. Day	10 00	
“ billiard and pool,		
H. M. Hersey	10 00	
bowling, M. B. Smith & Co	3 00	
“ Fire works, A. L. Preble	2 00	
“ Fire works, Chas. B. Day	2 00	
“ Opera house, C. H. C. J. Southard	8 00	\$35 00
Received from Town Farm, for hay sold		
“ “ “ cream	41 69	
“ “ “ hog	17 57	
“ “ “ eggs	15 83	
“ “ “ apples	8 41	
“ “ “ calf	7 12	\$198 88
“ For rent of J. A. Griffin		27 00
“ “ tuition High School		30 80
“ “ sale of books		2 42

“ “ dog licenses 1904....	108 00
“ “ tax deed M. W. Toothaker.....	17 53
“ “ tile sold.....	13 03
“ “ old lockup shed and stove.....	6 50
“ “ lumber sold.....	4 52
“ “ poll tax 1899 collected	3 00
“ “ “ abated twice..	3 00
“ “ highway tax paid back	2 40
“ “ F. R. Duren, collector	20,17 ⁹ 88
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	28,869 75
Paid county tax of 1904.....	\$1,916 35
State tax.....	2,993 22
State pensions.....	660 00
Dog licenses of 1904.....	108 00
Release order series 1904.....	1,121 33
Town orders, series 1904.....	20,597 08
Balance in treasury.....	1,773 77
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	\$28,869 75

WM. H. STUART, Treasurer.

Richmond, Feb. 1, 1905.

I certify that I have examined the foregoing account of the Treasurer and find it correctly cast, with vouchers for disbursements made.

GEO. B. RANDLETTE, Auditor.

REPORT OF TRUSTEE, RANDALL FUND.

Feb. 1, 1904.

On deposit in Augusta Savings Bank....	\$1,000 00
“ In Gardiner Savings Institution	1,000 00
“ In Bath Savings Institution...	1,000 00
“ In Portland Savings Bank....	1,000 00
Cash	3 00
Dividends for the year.....	140 60
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	\$5143 60

Paid Geo. W Alexander	\$3 00
Wm. C. Alexander.....	5 00
Jane Chase.....	9 00
Jane O. Dale.....	4 00
Dorothy Harmon.....	9 00
Edward T. Hatch.....	5 00
Mrs. Levi Higgins.....	5 00
Lincoln Hilton.....	10 00
Mrs. Isaac Jack.....	9 00
Margaret Jenkins.....	3 00
Harriet Jones.....	10 00
D. C Lapbam.....	5 00
Mary Maloon.....	11 35
Sarah McCleave.....	3 75
Elizabeth D. Reed.....	5 00
Maria E. Reed.....	10 00
Mrs. Edward Smith.....	7 00
Samuel Smith.....	15 00
Alice Stilphen.. ..	6 50
Rose Sutherland.....	5 00
Feb. 1, 1905.	
Deposited Augusta Savings Bank	\$1,000 00
“ Bath Savings Institution	1,000 00
“ Gardiner “ “	1,000 00
“ Portland Savings Bank	1,003 00
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	\$4143 60

Richmond, Me., Feb. 1, 1905.

WM. H. STUART, Trustee.

I certify that I have examined the accounts of Wm. H. Stuart Trustee and find it correctly cast, with orders from the selectmen for moneys paid. I have seen the above described Savings Bank books showing amount deposited \$4,003

GEO. B. RANDLETTE, Auditor.

TOWN WARRANT

To Frank R. Duren, a constable in the Town of Richmond, in the county of Sagadahoc.

Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Richmond, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall, in said town, Monday, the sixth day of March, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

- ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
2. To hear the reports of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Auditor and Superintendent of schools.
3. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
4. To choose three, five or seven selectmen for the ensuing year.
5. To choose assessors for the ensuing year.
6. To choose Overseers of the Poor for the ensuing year.
7. To choose a Town Agent for the ensuing year.
8. To choose one member of the school committee.
9. To choose an Auditor of accounts for the ensuing year.
10. To choose one or more Truant officers for the ensuing year.
11. To choose Fire Wards for the ensuing year.
12. To choose a town Treasurer for the ensuing year.
13. To choose fence viewers, surveyors of lumber, measurers of wood and bark, constables, public weighers, and all other necessary town officers.
14. To see what sums of money the Town will grant and raise for the following departments for the ensuing year:
 - Repair of highways and bridges.
 - Purchase of lumber.
 - Payment of hydrant rental.
 - Night watch and street lights.
 - Fire department.
 - Maintenance and support of the poor.
 - Salary of town officers.

- Contingent fund.
 Snow account.
 Defraying of the expenses of Memorial day.
 Maintenance and support of common schools.
 Maintenance of a free High school.
 Repair of school houses and supplies.
 Rent of school houses
 Free text books and supplies.
 Insurance on school buildings.
 Farmers and Mechanics club.
15. To see if the town will vote to fix a date when all taxes for the ensuing year become due and payable, or act anything relative.
16. To see if the town will vote to charge interest at the rate of six per cent. on all taxes remaining unpaid January 1, 1906, or act anything relative.
17. To see if the town will vote that the collector of taxes shall settle in full for all taxes legally assessed and committed to him for collection on or before February 1, 1-06, or forfeit all of his commissions, and that said collector shall be elected upon the above conditions.
18. To choose a collector of taxes for the ensuing year under the conditions expressed in article 17.
19. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to expend one third or more of the lumber appropriation in building concrete side walks, or act any thing relative.
20. To see what action the town will take in relation to the repairs of highways and bridges, prices to be paid men, horses, and oxen.
21. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise to be expended in building a state road.
22. To see if the town will raise the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to cut or remove bushes within the limits of the highways, or act anything relative. (by petition.)
23. To see if the town will instruct the selectmen to pay James E. Dale for white washing and kalsomining the Gatchell school house, so called and for material used and furnished for same, the whole amounting to \$7.25. (by petition.)

24. To see if the town will vote to build a sidewalk from Bradford Simpson's crossing to James Parksquare now owned by Johnson Seed Potato Company, or act anything relative. (by petition.)

25. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for the building of said sidewalk, or act anything relative.

26. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to pay Alfred L. Theobald, \$17.62, the amount claimed by him for commissions on taxes for the year 1898, or act anything relative. (by request.)

27. To see if the town will instruct and authorize the selectmen to transfer by bill of sale, or lease to the Richmond Board of Trade, for and in consideration of one dollar, all of the shoe making machinery, shafting, and belting, now owned by said town.

28. To see what manner the town will vote to warn their town meetings, or act anything relative.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at their office in said town on Saturday, the fourth day of March next, from 2 to 4 p. m., and at town hall on the day of election from 9 to 10 a. m., to correct the list of voters.

Given under our hands at said Richmond this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D., 1905.

MORRELL MCKENNEY, } Selectmen
 DANIEL STEWART, } of
 ARTHUR C. RANDALL. } Richmond.

A true copy. Attest: F. R. DUREN, Constable of Richmond.

Annual Report Of The Chief Engineer Of The Fire Department.

I hereby submit the eighth annual report of the condition of the fire department for the year ending Feb. 1, 1905, containing a full and complete list of the officers and members, condition of apparatus, number of fires, the cause, the loss and insurance as near as could be ascertained, the amount of money expended, and recommendations.

FORCE OF DEPARTMENT.

The force of the department consists of forty-three men classed as follows: One chief engineer, two assistant engineers, four foremen, four assistant foremen, thirty-two hosemen, ladder men and axe men.

FIRES AND ALARMS.

The number of alarms the department has responded to from Feb. 1, 1904, to Feb. 1, 1905, are as follows. One bell alarm and eight still alarms.

Still alarm March 24, at 8.15 o'clock a. m., from Hathorn Block, corner of Main and Front streets, fire around chimney. Extinguished by chemical from hose one. Damage about four dollars.

Bell alarm April 4, at 11.15, a. m., from Russell's hay barn, on Ferry road. The department responded promptly as usual. The fire being out of the water district, the companies were ordered to their several quarters. Loss about four hundred dollars. Covered by insurance.

Still alarm Nov. 25, at 9.30, p. m., from Thomas Parsons' house on Kimball street, chimney fire. Extinguished by chemical from hose one. No damage.

Still alarm Dec. 9, at 1.10, p. m., from James Flynn's house on White street. Fire in chimney and two rooms (a close call). Extinguished by chemicals from hose one and three, after a half hours hot work. Damage twenty-five dollars. Covered by insurance.

Still alarm Jan. 5, 1905, at 3.15, p. m. from Mrs. Wilson's store corner of Main street and railroad, chimney fire. Extinguished by chemical from hose one. No damage.

Still alarm July 21, at 1.20, p. m., from Mrs. S. Odiorne's, corner of Main street and railroad. Fire in grass at rear of stable (a close call) caused by spark from M. C. engine. Extinguished by chemical from hose one. No damage.

Still alarm Oct. 7, at 2.40, p. m., from Jerico, on roof of lumber shed, caused by spark from M. C. engine. Extinguished by water. No damage.

Still alarm Jan. 25, 1905, at 2.20, p. m., from Mrs. Wilson's store, corner Main street and railroad; chimney fire. Extinguished by chemical from hose one. No damage.

Still alarm Jan. 28, 1905, at 6.45, p. m., from Edward Call's house, South Front street; chimney fire. Extinguished by chemical from hose three. No damage.

LOSSES AND INSURANCE.

The entire loss by fire this year is about \$429 00. Covered by insurance.

APPARATUS.

The apparatus in the department consists of two hose wagons, with two pony chemicals each, one hose reel, one hook and ladder truck, three sleds for winter use for hose, two pony chemicals on Mt. Pleasant, at J. J. Gaubert's residence, and F. P. Hathorne's residence, one each. In reserve we have one hand engine and reel, and one hose reel.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF APPARATUS.

Noble Maxwell Hose Co. No. 1. House on Main street, near railroad. Apparatus in fine condition.

Independent Hose Co. No. 2. House on South Front street. Apparatus in fine condition.

Volunteer Hose Co. No. 3. House on North Eront street. Apparatus in first class condition.

J. Clark Flagg Hook and Ladder Co. House on School street. under Town Hall. Apparatus in splendid condition.

HOSE.

There are 2,000 feet of hose in the department, 2 1 2 inches, all first class. All of the old 2 inch hose has been condemned and is out of commission.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

I would recommend an appropriation of \$300.00 for the fire department for the year 1905.

Very respectfully submitted,

J. CLARK FLAGG, CHIEF.

Unexpended balance from 1903.....		\$33 15
By appropriation.....		550 00
Paid fire department.....	\$278 65	
Balance unexpended.....	334 50	
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	\$613 15	\$613 15
By appropriation for bell.....		\$75 00
Balance unexpended.....	\$75 00	

LOCATION AND NUMBER OF HYDRANTS.

We have forty-one hydrants, located and numbered as follows:

- No. 1..... Foot of Main street
- 2..... Main street, front of A. F. Williams' store
- 3..... Main street, corner Derrah street
- 4..... Main street, near railroad
- 5..... Main street, opposite Centre street
- 6..... Main street, junction Chestnut street

7	.....	Main street, opposite Cross street
8	.....	Main street, corner Williams street
9	.....	Front street, opposite William Harlow's residence
10	.....	Front street, opposite Lincoln street
11	.....	" " " Bridge street
2	.....	" " " near Dr. Price's res
13	.....	" " " opp. Mrs. Houdlette's
14	.....	" " " corner White street
15	.....	" " " " Church street
16	.....	" " " " Gardiner street
17	.....	" " " near J. T. Robinson's
18	.....	" " " opposite Spring street
19	.....	" " " " Maple street
20	.....	" " " " South street
21	.....	" " " opp. Frank Stetson's
22	.....	North Pleasant, corner Kimball street
23	.....	North Pleasant, near James Ames' res
24	.....	Pleasant street, corner White street
25	.....	" " " " Church street
26	.....	" " " " Gardiner street
27	.....	Pleasant street, opp. Mrs. Sturtevant's res
28	.....	Pleasant street, corner Spring street
29	.....	" " " " Fuller street
30	.....	" " " " South street
31	.....	" " " opp. D. C. Ames' res
32	.....	South street, near railroad
33	.....	Spruce street, opp. Mrs. Geo. Weymouth's res
34	.....	Gardiner street, corner Centre street
35	.....	Gardiner street, near brick schoolhouse
36	.....	Centre street, opposite William Wilson's residence
37	.....	High street, corner Beech street
38	.....	Chestnut street, near Mrs. Flagg's house
39	.....	Chestnut street, corner Boynton street
40	.....	Lincoln street, opposite Mrs. Adams' residence
41	.....	Kimball street, corner Darrah street

BOARD OF ENGINEERS.

J. Clark Flaeg	Kimball street
J. M. Odiorne	Pleasant street
W. R. Fairclough	" "

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF NOBLE MAXWELL HOSE.
CO. No. 1.

Name	Residence
G. M. Beane, foreman	Main street
A. S. Small, assistant foreman	North Pleasant "
Ralph Call	South Front "
J. Bronsdon, hydrant man	High "
C. C. Gardner, hoseman	Front "
A. Hinkley	Main "
Horace Hinkley	Main "
G. F. McFee	Main "
C. H. Merrifield	North Front "
C. Johnson	Chestnut "

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF NOBLE MAXWELL HOSE
CO. No. 1.

One hose wagon, two Pony Chemical Fire Extinguishers, one hose pung, 700 feet of hose, eight rubber coats, one discharge pipe plain nozzle, Waldron controlling nozzle, one Siamese hydrant gate, three lanterns, one fire axe, one crowbar, one table, one chandelier, four lamps, one oil can, two stoves, one broom, one carpet, two hydrant wrenches, six spanners, ten chairs, one carriage jack, two hose suspenders.

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF INDEPENDENT HOSE
CO. No. 2.

Name	Residence
M. B. Smith, foreman	Fuller street
Charles Morang, assistant foreman	Water "
J. M. Jordan, clerk	Springer "
Frank Stetson, 1st pipeman	South Front "

C. B. Webbar, 2d	“	..... Pleasant	“
Geo. C. Shaw, hydrant man	..... Fuller	“	“
Oscar Stetson, hoseman	..... Fuller	“	“
H. S. Dinsmore,	“	..... Spruce	“
Geo. Gilpatrick,	“	..... Water	“
Reed Jack,	“	..... Church	“

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF INDEPENDENT HOSE CO.
NO. 2.

One hose reel, one hose sled, 600 feet hose, one discharge pipe, plain nozzle, one discharge pipe, Waldron controlling nozzle, eight rubber coats, one broom, one pipe rest, two stoves, nine chairs, two lamps, one lantern, two hydrant wrenches, six spanners, two hose suspenders.

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF VOLUNTEER HOSE CO.
NO. 3.

Name	Residence
Frank D. Reed, foreman	..... North Front Street
Earl H. Frost, assistant foreman	..... Bridge “
W. H. Thurlow, clerk	..... North Front “
S. J. Honaker, steward	..... Darrah “
A. B. Randlette, 1st pipeman	..... North Front “
Frank E. Lint, 2d	“ Lincoln “
George H. McDonald, hoseman	..... North “
William McGinn	“ Bridge “
C. W. Sherburn,	“ North Front “
H. C. Kidder,	“ Lincoln “

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF VOLUNTEER HOSE CO.
NO. 3.

One hose wagon, two pony chemical fire extinguishers, one Siamese hydrant gate, one discharge pipe, plain nozzle, one discharge pipe, Waldron controlling nozzle, two hydrant wrenches, six spanners, three lanterns, two lamps, one stove, 700 feet hose, eight rubber coats, one table, three settees, one hose sled, one carriage jack, two hose suspenders.

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF J. CLARK FLAGG HOOK
AND LADDER CO.

Name	Residence
Chas. Griffin, foreman	North street
Chas. Hutchins, assistant foreman	Beech “
A. A. Williams, clerk	Center “
Chas. Dale, steward	High “
Thomas Pierce, 1st axeman	Main “
Daniel Knight, 2nd “	School “
James Meserve, 3d “	North Pleasant “
John Leavitt, 4th	Centre “
Fred Small, ladder man	High “
J. H. Curtis “	Main “

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF J. CLARK FLAGG HOOK
AND LADDER CO.

One ladder truck, one 55 ft. extension, one 45 ft. splice with two side poles, one each 20 ft., 16 ft., 14 ft., 12 ft. ladders, five lanterns, seven rubber coats, four axes, twelve buckets, four small hooks, one pick pole, one fire hook and pole with rope attached, one crow-bar, one broom, one oil can, one stove, ten chairs, two lamps, one carriage jack, two hose suspenders, one snow shovel.

CONCLUSION

As we have already stated there has been one bell alarm, to which the department responded promptly. The eight still alarms were occasioned by fires of such a nature as to have been serious if they had not been attended to promptly, but were all taken care of by the use of chemical fire extinguishers and without giving a general alarm.

As the different companies are composed of the old members nothing more need be said as to the efficiency of the department.

Yours respectfully.

J. CLARK FLAGG.

SCHOOL REPORT

For The Financial School Year Ending Feb.1, '05

I respectfully submit my fifth annual report: For receipts and expenditures see items in selectmen's report.

Owing to an increase in the number of school children in District No. 1 and District No. 5, it was thought best to open a school in both districts. In Districts No. 1 extensive repairs were necessary and the building has been put in good condition.

Nearly every school building in town, needs to be painted, many of them need to be shingled and all need the ordinary repairs.

Notwithstanding the fact that the two new schools have been started, the school board have kept within their appropriations and no account has been overdrawn.

I wish to mention that there is due from the State for the year 1904, one hundred and twenty-five dollars belonging to the High School Account, in addition to the balance of \$490 96 as shown by the report of the selectmen, making the sum of \$615 96, as available for High Schools.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 51, average 45.

Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 48, average 44.

Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 59, average 55.

Teachers: Principal, H. D. Stewart. Salary \$80 per month.
Assistant, Miss Katherine Shea. Salary \$10 per week.

Graduates of the class of 1904: Joseph S. Cunningham, Ruie Curtis, William W. Fairclough, Florence J. Fuller, Edward I. Jack, Joseph Mansir, Charles W. Newell, Lina M. Ridley, William F. Skelton, Jennie Smith, Nettie B. Stewart, Harry T. Tallman, Lewis E. Wilson, Chester H. Yeaton.

Class officers: President, Charles Wilbur Newall; vice president, William Whitney Fairclough; secretary, William Fremont Skelton; treasurer, Ruie Louise Curtis.

Graduation exercises held in Opera House June 17th, 1904:

PROGRAMME.

Music, "Arizona"	Smith
Prayer,	
Music, "Meditation,"	Morrison
Salutatory, Our Highest Possibilities,	Lewis Elmer Wilson
Popular Prejudices Against Higher Education,	Lina May Ridley
The Progress of Mechanical Engineering,	Harry Taylor Tallman
Music, Overture, Carnival,	Schlepegrill
Class Motto, "Strive to Excel,"	William Fremont Skelton
The Founder of the Franciscan Order,	Florence Jennie Fuller
The Age of Progress in the United States,	Joseph Maurice Mansir
Music, "A Bird of Paradise,"	Matthews
Class History,	William Whitney Fairclough
The Power of the Press,	Nettie Belle Stewart
Why We Should Be Proud of the Pine Tree State,	Joseph Sumner Cunningham
Music, Selection, "Faust,"	Gounod
Presentation of Gifts,	Charles Wilbur Newell
A Purpose in Life Essential to Success,	Jannette Alice Smith
A Plea for Clean Politics,	Edward Isaac Jack
Music, "Alla Stella Confidente,"	Robaudi
Prophecy,	Ruie Louise Curtis
Valedictory,	Chester Henry Yeaton
Music, "Sammy,"	Hutchinson

Conferring of Diplomas.

Singing Class Ode.

Benediction.

FIRST GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

FIFTH GRADE

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 36, average 30.

Spring term, 11 week. No. of pupils 37, average 32.

Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 18, average 15.

Teachers: Winter and spring terms, Miss Emily McFadden.

Salary \$9.00 per week. Fall term, Miss Lucy M. Billings. Salary

\$9.00 per week. In Miss Billings the Board found a worthy successor to Miss Ham.

Grammar School Building.

SECOND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

FOURTH GRADE.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 26, average 23.
 Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 25, average 20.
 Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 24, average 22.

FIRST INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

THIRD GRADE.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 22, average 19.
 Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 22, average 20.
 Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 25, average 22.

SECOND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

SECOND GRADE.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 41, average 34.
 Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 38, average 32.
 Fall term 11 weeks. No. of pupils 34, average 32.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

FIRST GRADE

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 26, average 21.
 Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils 34, average 28.
 Fall term 11 weeks. No. of pupils 26, average 23.

The town has been very fortunate in retaining the services of the same corps of teachers.

NORTH INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 12, average 10.
 Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 15, average 11.
 Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 13, average 11.
 Teacher, Miss Julia C. Richards. Salary, \$7.00 per week.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Owing to an increase of the number of pupils in District No. 2, it was thought best to repair the old school building and open the school which has been discontinued for a number of years. Accordingly the school was opened for the Fall term, with twelve pupils, average, ten. Teacher, Harry T. Tallman. Salary, \$6.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 17, average, 16.
 Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 23, average 19.
 Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 14, average 13.
 Teacher, Miss Carrie M. Leavitt. Salary, \$6 per week.

DISTRICT NO. 4.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 9, average, 6.
 Spring term, 6 weeks. No. of pupils, 11, average 10.
 Fall term, 12 weeks. No. of pupils, 12, average 10.
 Teachers: Winter term, Miss Ella A. Peacock. Salary, \$6.00 per week. At the close of the winter term, Miss Peacock resigned and it was with reluctance her resignation was accepted. Spring term, Miss Cleora Umberhind. Salary, \$6.00 per week. On account of illness, at the end of the sixth week, Miss Umberhind was obliged to resign. Fall term, Miss Nettie B. Stewart. Salary, \$6.00 per week.

DISTRICT NO. 5.

The number of children living in District No. 2, at the time when the Fall term of schools began seemed to warrant opening that school also. Mr. William F. Skelton was engaged as teacher and after teaching five weeks, Mr. Skelton resigned and Miss Cynthia Stetson accepted the position.

DISTRICT NO. 6.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 20, average 15.
 Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 23, average 20.
 Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 28, average 21.
 Teacher, Miss Ethel Baker. Salary, \$7.00. Miss Baker has been one of our best teachers and is very thorough in her work.

DISTRICT NO. 9.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 12, average 11.

Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 13, average 11.

Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 12, average 10.

Teacher, Miss Maude W. Howe. Salary \$6.00 per week. Miss Howe is interested in her work and the result of the same has been satisfactory.

DISTRICT NO. 10.

Winter term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 16, average 11.

Spring term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 11, average 9.

Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 11, average 9.

Teacher, Miss Marcia E. Paine. Salary \$6.00. At the close of the Fall term, Miss Paine resigned.

DISTRICT NO. 11.

Winter term. No school.

Spring term, 8 weeks. No. of pupils, 15, average 13.

Fall term, 11 weeks. No. of pupils, 9, average 8.

Teacher, Mrs. Nellie C. Merriman. Salary \$6.00

TABLE OF REFERENCE.

Number of pupils,	466.				
Average wages of female teachers, per week,					\$7.50
“ “ “ male “ , per month,					64.24
Highest “ “ female “ , per week,					10.00
Lowest “ “ “ “ “ “					6.00
Highest “ “ male “ per month,					80.00
Lowest “ “ “ “ “ “					24.00

Number of schools in town, 15

No. of teachers employed, 16.

In closing I wish to repeat that Richmond is fortunate in securing its present teachers. We feel that every one of them has brought to his or her work honest and efficient efforts, and the results accomplished justifies the conclusion.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. D. NEWELL, Superintendent.