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# Annual Report

## Town of Washington

### 1910

NEW HAMPSHIRE  
STATE LIBRARY



THE ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
SELECTMEN  
AND OTHER  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF THE  
TOWN OF WASHINGTON,

FOR THE  
FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1910

ALSO  
Vital Statistics for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1909.

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HILLSBORO, N. H.  
C. B. GARDNER, PRINTER.  
1910.



## TOWN WARRANT.

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### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Washington, qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said town, on Tuesday, the 8th day of March, next, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon. to act upon the following subjects :

Article 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers. Agents and Committees for the ensuing year.

2. To see what method the town will adopt for the repairs and maintainance of highways for the ensuing year.

3. To see what price the town will vote to pay for labor on the highways the ensuing year.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the repair of highways and bridges the ensuing year.

5. see if the town will vote to raise and set apart the amount required by the State for the building of Permanent Highways for the ensuing year.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

7. To see if the town will vote to build a new highway on the west shore of Mellen Pond, and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to construct the same.

8. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell and deed lots in the several cemeteries of the town, or pass any vote in relation thereto..

9. To see if the town will vote to raise twenty-five dollars for the benefit of Washington Cornet Band.

10. To see if the town will vote to grant Lovell Grange the free use of the Old Academy room, in connection with the band.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise one hundred dollars to paint the town house.

12. To see if the town will vote to do anything in regard to fire protection.

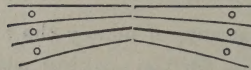
13. To see if the town will vote to build snow-scrapers of uniform size, to be used by the several road agents or surveyors.

14. To transact any other business legally coming before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 17th day of February, 1910.

MASON H. DOLE,  
SUMNER N. BALL,  
CHARLES F. GAGE,

Selectmen of Washington.



## COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

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|                                                                                                          |         |           |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Amount of State, County, Town,<br>School and Highway Taxes<br>committed to me for collection<br>for 1909 |         | \$4796 83 |
| Whole amount collected                                                                                   | 4789 31 |           |
| Abated by selectmen                                                                                      | 7 52    |           |
|                                                                                                          | —————   | \$4796 83 |

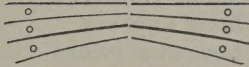
### ABATED TAXES.

Harold Newman, taxed in Boston, Mass.  
 Enoch Severence, not a resident  
 Samuel Woods, left town April 30  
 John Snow, unable to pay

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. J. FLETCHER,

Collector.



TOWN CLERK'S REPORT  
OF DOGS LICENSED FOR 1909.

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|                                        |    |         |
|----------------------------------------|----|---------|
| Number of male dogs licensed           | 30 | \$60 00 |
| “ “ female “ “                         | 6  | 30 00   |
|                                        |    | \$90 00 |
| Amount of dog license money paid       |    |         |
| A. B. Davison, town treasurer          |    | \$82 80 |
| Amount of fees allowed town clerk by   |    |         |
| cash for licensing dogs, 20 cents each |    | 7 20    |
|                                        |    | \$90 00 |

GUY D. BROCKWAY,  
Town Clerk.

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REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH, 1909.  
Washington, N. H.

Town of Washington,

To Board of Health, Dr.

|                                                                                     |         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| To Cash paid Dr. W. H. Abbott, as per bill<br>in Mrs. C. Cunningham diphtheria case | \$15 90 |
| A. T. Wright, two trips fumigating<br>Butters place                                 | 3 00    |
| Cash paid telephoning                                                               | 85      |
| “ “ for assistance rendered                                                         | 2 00    |
| “ “ S. U. Davis express                                                             | 45      |
| To C. W. J. Fletcher, to services<br>in measles cases                               | 1 00    |
| To services in E. Chamberlain case                                                  | 50      |
| To postage                                                                          | 22      |
|                                                                                     | \$23 92 |

ALBERT T. WRIGHT.  
C. W. J. FLETCHER.



## TRUST FUNDS.

The Selectmen have received from Newport and Hillsboro Savings Banks \$9.28 as interest on the several Cemetery Trust Funds, which has been placed in the town treasury, and will be available for any needed repairs on the specified lots the coming summer.

SELECTMEN, Committee.

## LIBRARY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

### RECEIPTS.

|                  |          |          |
|------------------|----------|----------|
| Interest on fund | \$100 00 |          |
| Balance on hand  | 13 48    |          |
|                  | <hr/>    | \$113 48 |

### EXPENDITURES.

|                                 |         |          |
|---------------------------------|---------|----------|
| DeWolf, Fiske Co., books        | \$37 29 |          |
| W. H. Moore, magazines          | 10 00   |          |
| Granite Monthly                 | 1 00    |          |
| Flanders & Chadwick, printing   | 3 00    |          |
| Mr. Kerr, 1 stove               | 7 50    |          |
| 1 cord wood fitted and housed   | 4 75    |          |
| Mrs. Jennie Otterson, librarian | 18 90   |          |
| Albert T. Wright, librarian     | 20 10   |          |
| Incidentals                     | 3 00    |          |
|                                 | <hr/>   | \$105 54 |

|                                                                                 |      |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| Balance on hand                                                                 | 7 94 |
| Whole number books in library, 3786                                             |      |
| Whole number books added in 1909, 50                                            |      |
| The Library fund \$2500.00, is invested in Sullivan County bonds at 4 per cent. |      |

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT T. WRIGHT,  
SARAH J. MILLEN,  
JULIETTE F. BROCKWAY.

## JANITOR'S REPORT.

Washington, New Hampshire, March 5, 1909.

James H. Otterson, in account with the Town of  
Washington, as janitor.

1909.

|      |    |                                                      |       |        |
|------|----|------------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|
| Mar. | 5  | Received from Howard<br>Moving Picture Co.           |       | \$1 00 |
|      |    | Expense, oil                                         | 14    |        |
|      |    | Labor 6 hours                                        | 86    |        |
|      |    | Balance                                              | _____ | 00     |
| "    | 9  | Received from basket<br>ball team                    |       | 2 25   |
|      |    | Expense, oil                                         | 28    |        |
|      |    | Broom                                                | 15    |        |
|      |    | Labor 7 hours                                        | 1 05  |        |
|      |    | Balance                                              | _____ | 77     |
| "    | 18 | Received from<br>club                                |       | 1 00   |
|      |    | Expense, oil                                         | 14    |        |
|      |    | Labor 6 hours                                        | 86    |        |
|      |    | Balance                                              | _____ | 00     |
| July | 16 | Received from base<br>ball club                      |       | 63     |
|      |    | Expense, oil                                         | 14    |        |
|      |    | Labor 4 hours                                        | 49    |        |
|      |    | Balance                                              | _____ | 00     |
| "    | 28 | Received from base<br>ball club                      |       | 63     |
|      |    | Expense, oil                                         | 14    |        |
|      |    | Labor 4 hours                                        | 49    |        |
|      |    | Balance                                              | _____ | 00     |
| Aug. | 7  | Received from base<br>ball club                      |       | 49     |
|      |    | Labor 4 hours                                        | 49    |        |
|      |    | Balance                                              | _____ | 00     |
| "    | 10 | Received from social<br>conducted by<br>Bowens folks |       | 50     |
|      |    | Labor 4 hours                                        | 50    |        |
|      |    | Balance                                              | _____ | 00     |

|       |    |                                                         |                 |      |
|-------|----|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------|
| Aug.  | 14 | Received from base<br>ball club                         |                 | 63   |
|       |    | Expense, oil                                            | 14              |      |
|       |    | Labor 4 hours                                           | 49              |      |
|       |    | Balance                                                 | <u>        </u> | 00   |
| "     | 17 | Received from social<br>conducted by<br>Mrs. Jewel      |                 | 1 00 |
|       |    | Expense, oil                                            | 14              |      |
|       |    | Labor 3 hours                                           | 45              |      |
|       |    | Balance                                                 | <u>        </u> | 41   |
| "     | 19 | Received from Ladies<br>Circle Society                  |                 | 1 50 |
|       |    | Expense, oil                                            | 14              |      |
|       |    | Labor 5 hours                                           | 75              |      |
|       |    | Balance                                                 | <u>        </u> | 61   |
| "     | 21 | Received from base<br>ball club                         |                 | 49   |
|       |    | Labor 4 hours                                           | 49              |      |
|       |    | Balance                                                 | <u>        </u> | 00   |
| "     | 27 | Received from church<br>choir musical                   | 75              |      |
|       |    | Labor 5 hours                                           | 75              |      |
|       |    | Balance                                                 | <u>        </u> | 00   |
| Sept. | 11 | Received from base<br>ball club                         |                 | 63   |
|       |    | Expense, oil                                            | 14              |      |
|       |    | Labor 4 hours                                           | 49              |      |
|       |    | Balance                                                 | <u>        </u> | 00   |
| Nov.  | 25 | Received from ball anni-<br>versary social and<br>dance |                 | 50   |
|       |    | Labor 2 hours                                           | 25              |      |
|       |    | Balance                                                 | <u>        </u> | 25   |
| 1910. |    |                                                         |                 |      |
| Jan.  | 1  | Received from basket<br>ball team                       |                 | 3 20 |
|       |    | Expense, oil can                                        | 25              |      |
|       |    | Labor 12 hours                                          | 1 80            |      |
|       |    | Balance                                                 | <u>        </u> | 1 15 |

|      |    |                                            |                   |               |
|------|----|--------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Jan. | 11 | Received from J. C.<br>Armond Co. 2 nights |                   | \$2 50        |
|      |    | Expense, oil                               | 13                |               |
|      |    | “ lamp chimney                             | 10                |               |
|      |    | Labor 7 hours                              | 1 05              |               |
|      |    | Balance                                    | <u>          </u> | 1 22          |
| “    | 22 | Received from basket<br>ball team          |                   | 3 30          |
|      |    | Expense, oil                               | 13                |               |
|      |    | Labor 11 hours                             | 1 58              |               |
|      |    | Bslance                                    | <u>          </u> | 1 59          |
|      |    | Sum Total                                  |                   | <u>\$6 00</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES H. OTTERSON,  
Janitor.



## INVENTORY, APRIL 1, 1909.

|     |                         |                   |             |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| 107 | Polls                   | \$10700           | 00          |
| 141 | Horses                  | 10144             | 00          |
| 28  | Oxen                    | 1516              | 00          |
| 219 | Cows                    | 5560              | 00          |
| 77  | Neat Stock              | 1388              | 00          |
| 196 | Sheep                   | 904               | 00          |
| 8   | Hogs                    | 58                | 00          |
|     | Bank Stock              | 100               | 00          |
|     | Money at interest       | 250               | 00          |
|     | Stock in trade          | 5750              | 00          |
|     | Mills and machinery     | 3300              | 00          |
|     | Resident real estate    | 116260            | 00          |
|     | Non-resident valuation  | 99216             | 00          |
|     |                         | <u>          </u> | \$255146 00 |
|     | Resident valuation 1909 | \$155930          | 00          |
|     | Non-resident            | 99216             | 00          |
|     |                         | <u>          </u> | \$255146 00 |

## AMOUNT RAISED, APRIL 1, 1909.

|  |                    |                   |           |
|--|--------------------|-------------------|-----------|
|  | State tax          | \$800             | 00        |
|  | County tax         | 839               | 88        |
|  | Town tax           | 500               | 00        |
|  | Highways           | 1200              | 00        |
|  | State highway      | 357               | 00        |
|  | School tax         | 750               | 00        |
|  | Repairs Town house | 200               | 00        |
|  | School supplies    | 60                | 00        |
|  | Memorial expenses  | 25                | 00        |
|  | Old Home Day       | 15                | 00        |
|  | School officers    | 37                | 00        |
|  | Overlay            | 12                | 95        |
|  |                    | <u>          </u> | \$4796 83 |

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

| DR.                                                         |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| To cash in treasury April 1, 1909                           | \$479 69  |
| Collector, State, County, Town,<br>School and Highway taxes | 4796 83   |
| From all other sources                                      | 1221 42   |
|                                                             | Total     |
|                                                             | \$6497 94 |

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By cash paid

### TOWN OFFICERS

| Order No. |                                             |          |
|-----------|---------------------------------------------|----------|
| 1         | F. P. Newman, auditor                       | \$1 00   |
| 84        | “ “ “ moderator                             | 2 00     |
| 89        | O. R. Spaulding, truant officer             | 4 96     |
| 95        | Guy D. Brockway, town clerk                 | 20 15    |
| 96        | “ “ “ “ “                                   | 6 00     |
| 103       | M. H. Dole, selectman                       | 47 00    |
| 104       | S. N. Ball, “                               | 44 00    |
| 105       | C. F. Gage, “                               | 40 75    |
| 107       | M. H. Dole, member school bd.               | 10 00    |
| 108       | C. W. Fletcher, “ “ “                       | 10 00    |
| 109       | A. T. Wright, “ “ “                         | 12 00    |
| 110       | “ “ “ supervisor                            | 6 00     |
| 111       | A. B. Davison, town and<br>school treasurer | 17 00    |
| 114       | C. W. J. Fletcher, tax collector            | 70 00    |
| 116       | A. W. Crane, dog constable                  | 2 50     |
|           |                                             | \$293 36 |

### HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

|   |                             |         |
|---|-----------------------------|---------|
| 5 | C. D. Thing, Harry Davison, | \$6 67  |
| 6 | L. J. Ruudlett, Zadia Book, | 12 65   |
|   |                             | \$19 30 |

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Order No.

|     |                                                  |        |
|-----|--------------------------------------------------|--------|
| 1   | James B. Otterson, sawing wood<br>for town house | \$1 50 |
| 7   | C. B. Gardner, printing reports                  | 27 00  |
| 8   | Chas. Twiss, work on<br>town house               | 50     |
| 13  | J. H. Otterson, work on<br>town house            | 65     |
| 18  | S. H. Edes, rubber stamp                         | 50     |
| 16  | C. F. Gage, paid counsel, etc.                   | 2 50   |
| 29  | A. T. Wright, insurance<br>town house            | 22 00  |
| 29  | E. C. Eastman, supplies                          | 2 20   |
| 32  | W. N. Nichols, wood for<br>town house            | 3 50   |
| 34  | A. T. Wright, ins. school house                  | 15 75  |
| 40  | Joseph Nichols, fighting fire                    | 1 00   |
| 43  | Newman & Shaw, shingling<br>town house           | 21 22  |
| 44  | Geo. J. Shaw, work on<br>town house              | 34 50  |
| 46  | E. W. Severance, memorial exp                    | 25 00  |
| 54  | John M. Safford, wood for<br>town house          | 2 00   |
| 58  | F. J. Gibson, paint, shingles<br>and glass       | 70 85  |
| 70  | W. L. Kelso, return of births<br>and deaths      | 75     |
| 74  | W. H. Abbott, return of births<br>and deaths     | 1 75   |
| 81  | Gardner Millen, work on<br>town house            | 1 80   |
| 82  | H. A. Fowler, sheep killed by<br>dogs            | 5 00   |
| 83  | A. H. Jaquith, cemetery work                     | 9 50   |
| 94  | A. T. Wright, board health                       | 23 92  |
| 99  | J. Woods, gravel pit                             | 35 00  |
| 101 | C. W. J. Fletcher, abated faxes                  | 7 52   |
| 102 | M. H. Dole, carh paid out                        | 2 20   |

|     |                                                             |                   |          |
|-----|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| 106 | C. W. Fletcher, taxes, cost and<br>interest on Lovell House | 112 32            |          |
| 112 | A. B. Davison, supplies                                     | 6 26              |          |
| 113 | S. N. Ball, board selectmen                                 | 10 00             |          |
| 116 | G. W. Carr, work in cemetery                                | 3 00              |          |
|     |                                                             | <u>          </u> | \$449 67 |

## PAUPER EXPENSES.

## TOWN.

By cash paid on account of Jonathan Severance.

Order No.

|    |                                          |                   |         |
|----|------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------|
| 16 | Mrs. J. Severance, br'd a'd care         | \$22 50           |         |
| 41 | " " " " " "                              | 21 00             |         |
| 86 | " " " " " "                              | 6 00              |         |
| 70 | W. L. Kelso, M. D. medical<br>attendance | 2 00              |         |
|    |                                          | <u>          </u> | \$51 50 |

By cash paid on account of Ernest Barron.

|    |                                               |                   |          |
|----|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| 59 | J. J. Osterhout, operation,<br>and attendance | \$95 00           |          |
| 70 | W. L. Kelso, M. D.<br>attendance              | 10 75             |          |
|    |                                               | <u>          </u> | \$105 75 |

By cash paid selectmen,  
keeping tramps

\$13 50

Total

\$170 75

COUNTY.

By cash paid on account of  
Robert Tandy,

|    |                                           |                   |          |
|----|-------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| 47 | H. L. Stickney, operation                 | \$136 50          |          |
| 48 | W. H. Abbott, M. D. medical<br>attendance | 25 00             |          |
| 52 | W. D. Brockway, supplies                  | 36 58             |          |
| 73 | W. H. Abbott, M. D. attendance            | 22 00             |          |
|    |                                           | <u>          </u> | \$202 08 |

By cash paid on account of  
Mrs. Bacon.

A. B. Davison, supplies \$13 50

By cash paid on account of  
Arthur K. Williams.

Aid in sickness \$50 00

Total

\$283 58



## STATE HIGHWAY.

Order No.

|    |                               |          |          |
|----|-------------------------------|----------|----------|
| 30 | By cash paid M. H. Dole, Agt. | \$150 00 |          |
| 45 | “ “                           | 270 17   |          |
| 60 | “ “                           | 233 55   |          |
|    |                               | <hr/>    | \$653 72 |

## OLD HOME DAY EXPENSES.

|    |                            |          |         |
|----|----------------------------|----------|---------|
| 4  | By cash paid               |          |         |
|    | George D. Trow, Treas.     | \$10 67  |         |
| 55 | “ “                        | 90       |         |
| 87 | “ “                        | 1 50     |         |
|    |                            | <hr/>    | \$13 07 |
| 57 | H. N. Johnson, County tax  | \$839 88 |         |
| 63 | Solon A. Carter, State tax | 800 00   |         |

## WATER TUBS.

|     |                               |        |         |
|-----|-------------------------------|--------|---------|
| 17  | D. Tricarton, '09             | \$3 00 |         |
| 25  | Sarah A. Davis, '07, '08, '09 | 15 00  |         |
| 115 | H. P. Fletcher, '08, '09      | 6 00   |         |
|     |                               | <hr/>  | \$24 00 |
|     | S. A. Davis, overpaid         | \$6 00 |         |

## SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

|    |                             |          |
|----|-----------------------------|----------|
| 66 | A. B. Davison, school money | \$837 08 |
| 67 | “ “ “ repairs and supplies  | 60 00    |

## ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

O. G. Putney, in account with the Town of Wash-  
ing, as Road Agent, from Apr. 1, 1909 to Feb. 15, 1910.

DR.

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| To cash received from town | \$418 06 |
|----------------------------|----------|

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By cash paid out as follows.

|           |                |         |
|-----------|----------------|---------|
| Order No. | SUMMER.        |         |
| 23        | O. G. Putney   | \$1 20  |
| 24        | “ “            | \$57 00 |
|           | S. F. Reynolds | 7 50    |
|           | Leo Mellen     | 17 20   |

|           |                           |         |          |
|-----------|---------------------------|---------|----------|
| Order No. |                           |         |          |
|           | A. W. Vickery             | \$5 50  |          |
|           | H. Severance              | 2 00    |          |
|           | H. P. Fletcher            | 2 50    |          |
|           | G. Will Carr              | 29 40   |          |
|           | Grace Bixby               | 80      |          |
|           | A. J. Cutting & Son       | 1 31    |          |
|           |                           | <hr/>   | \$123 21 |
| 35        | O. G. Putney              | 60 30   |          |
|           | S. F. Reynolds            | 9 00    |          |
|           | John Mc Ilvaine           | 2 00    |          |
|           | C. W. J. Fletcher         | 80      |          |
|           | H. P. Fletcher            | 3 00    |          |
|           | Leo Mellen                | 14 00   |          |
|           | A. J. Cutting & Son       | 69      |          |
|           | A. W. Vickery             | 4 05    |          |
|           |                           | <hr/>   | \$93 84  |
| 36        | O. G. Putney              | 8 00    |          |
|           | S. F. Reynolds            | 4 00    |          |
|           | H. P. Fletcher            | 4 00    |          |
|           | Leo Mellen                | 4 00    |          |
|           |                           | <hr/>   | \$20 00  |
| 68        | O. G. Putney              | \$22 35 |          |
|           | Leo Mellen                | 9 60    |          |
|           | J. S. McIlvaine           | 3 80    |          |
|           | A. J. Cutting & Son       | 1 08    |          |
|           | Auren Peasley             | 80      |          |
|           | Union Lumber Co.          | 7 73    |          |
|           |                           | <hr/>   | \$45 36  |
|           |                           |         | <hr/>    |
|           | Amount expended in summer |         | \$283 61 |

## WINTER.

|    |                   |         |
|----|-------------------|---------|
| 92 | O. G. Putney      | \$11 70 |
|    | M. R. Mellen      | 8 10    |
|    | Leo Mellen        | 8 40    |
|    | H. B. Jones       | 2 50    |
|    | E. W. Muzzey      | 13 80   |
|    | E. E. Chamberlain | 3 40    |
|    | F. S. Cutting     | 1 75    |
|    | J. S' McIlvaine   | 7 30    |
|    | C. A. Peasley     | 2 40    |

|                                    |         |                 |
|------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|
| F. M. Peasley                      | \$17 00 |                 |
| A. W. Crane                        | 2 80    |                 |
| P. M. Crane                        | 2 80    |                 |
| George W. Severance                | 1 00    |                 |
| Bert A. Craig                      | 3 40    |                 |
| Orie Spaulding                     | 5 50    |                 |
| Auren L. Powers                    | 25 70   |                 |
| B. H. Nichols                      | 13 00   |                 |
| C. W. J. Fletcher                  | 3 90    |                 |
| Amount expended in winter, '09-'10 |         | \$134 45        |
| Total amount expended              |         | <u>\$418 06</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

O. G. PUTNEY.

Road Agent.

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George D. Trow in account with the Town of Washington as Road Agent, from April 1, 1909 to Feb. 15, 1910.

DR.

To amount received from town \$344 90

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By cash paid out as follows :

SUMMER.

Order No.

|    |                |         |                 |
|----|----------------|---------|-----------------|
| 33 | George D. Trow | \$55 25 |                 |
|    | W. D. Brockway | 8 00    |                 |
|    | George Buffum  | 4 98    |                 |
|    | Fred Bailey    | 11 10   |                 |
|    | Luther Pollard | 6 82    |                 |
|    | H. E. Newman   | 3 15    |                 |
|    | A. O. Codman   | 5 85    |                 |
|    | Oscar Onnella  | 4 50    |                 |
|    | Wm. Shaw       | 1 95    |                 |
|    | J. J. Heselton | 2 80    |                 |
|    |                |         | <u>\$104 40</u> |

Order No.

|    |                                 |         |          |
|----|---------------------------------|---------|----------|
| 38 | George D. Trow                  |         | \$10 79  |
| 39 | “ “ “                           | \$43 47 |          |
|    | Luther Pollard                  | 4 72    |          |
|    | George Buffum                   | 3 50    |          |
|    | J. J. Heselton                  | 5 25    |          |
|    | A. O. Codman                    | 12 77   |          |
|    |                                 | <hr/>   | \$69 71  |
| 57 | George D. Trow                  | \$33 20 |          |
|    | A. O. Codman                    | 1 10    |          |
|    | H. E. Newman                    | 1 75    |          |
|    | W. D. Brockway                  | 3 20    |          |
|    | George Buffum                   | 7 70    |          |
|    | Luther Pollard                  | 7 0     |          |
|    | “ “                             | 4 00    |          |
|    | Oscar Onnella                   | 4 10    |          |
|    |                                 | <hr/>   | \$55 75  |
|    | Total amount expended in summer |         | \$240 65 |

## WINTER.

|    |                |         |
|----|----------------|---------|
| 93 | George D. Trow | \$69 75 |
|    | A. H. Davison  | 1 05    |
|    | J. H. Otterson | 1 05    |
|    | W. H. Colby    | 1 22    |
|    | H. E. Newman   | 7 0     |
|    | S. N. Ball     | 2 59    |
|    | W. N. Nichols  | 2 62    |
|    | H. A. Fowler   | 1 12    |
|    | C. E. Lord     | 1 78    |
|    | H. A. Powers   | 3 15    |
|    | W. S. Stammers | 1 05    |
|    | H. A. Powers   | 6 50    |
|    | A. H. Davison  | 2 45    |
|    | A. W. Crane    | 35      |
|    | P. M. Crane    | 35      |

|                                |                 |                 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| N. Reed                        | \$ 70           |                 |
| Elwyn Young                    | 30              |                 |
| Amount expended winter '09-'10 | <u>        </u> | \$105 71        |
| Total amount expended          |                 | <u>\$344 90</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

George D. Trow.

Road Agent.

W.N. Nichols, in account with the Town of Washington, as Road Agent from April 1, 1909 to January 1, 1910.

DR.

To amount received from town \$275 60

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By cash paid out. SUMMER.

Order No.

|    |                   |                 |         |
|----|-------------------|-----------------|---------|
| 26 | W. Nichols        | \$14 20         |         |
|    | W. D. Brockway    | 28 95           |         |
|    | H. A. Fowler      | 5 25            |         |
|    |                   | <u>        </u> | \$48 40 |
| 31 | W. N. Nichols     | 2 00            |         |
|    | W. D. Brockway    | 14 00           |         |
|    | George D. Trow    | 12 00           |         |
|    | J. J. Heselton    | 3 50            |         |
|    | William Shaw      | 3 00            |         |
|    | Fred Bailey       | 1 75            |         |
|    |                   | <u>        </u> | \$36 25 |
| 37 | W. N. Nichols     | \$25 00         |         |
|    | J. J. Heselton    | 38 85           |         |
|    | William Shaw      | 5 70            |         |
|    | George D. Trow    | 8 00            |         |
|    | Will Colby        | 87              |         |
|    | James H. Otterson | 1 75            |         |
|    | A. E. Follansbee  | 2 00            |         |
|    | Oscar Onnella     | 1 75            |         |
|    | Luther Pollard    | 3 50            |         |
|    | James Knight      | 2 00            |         |

|    |                                 |         |          |
|----|---------------------------------|---------|----------|
|    | P. M. Young                     | \$10 50 |          |
|    | E. A. Young                     | 1 00    |          |
|    |                                 | <hr/>   | \$100 92 |
| 49 | W. N. Nichols                   | \$28 00 |          |
|    | H. A. Fowler                    | 9 45    |          |
|    | E. E. Blanchard                 | 6 70    |          |
|    |                                 | <hr/>   | \$44 15  |
| 61 | E. E. Blanchard                 |         | \$7 20   |
| 62 | Waldo Farnsworth                |         | 4 40     |
| 64 | W. D. Brockway                  |         | 17 28    |
| 97 | W. Nichols                      | \$7 00  |          |
|    | Guy D. Brockway                 | 2 20    |          |
|    |                                 | <hr/>   | \$9 20   |
|    | Total amount expended in summer |         | \$267 80 |
|    | WINTER.                         |         |          |
| 88 | W. N. Nichols                   |         | 7 80     |
|    |                                 |         | <hr/>    |
|    | Total amount expended as agent  |         | \$275 60 |

W. N. NICHOLS,

Road Agent.

Total amount expended by Road

|  |                         |           |           |
|--|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|
|  | Agents for labor        | \$1038 56 |           |
|  | For plank and stringers | 104 02    |           |
|  |                         | <hr/>     | \$1142 58 |

W. N. Nichols resigned as Road Agent Jan. 1, 1910, and the Selectmen have drawn the following orders.

Order No.

|    |                                |        |
|----|--------------------------------|--------|
| 2  | Luther F. Pollard, spring, '09 | \$3 28 |
| 4  | Auren Peasley                  | 5 85   |
| 9  | S. N. Ball                     | 5 95   |
| 10 | J. C. Roberts                  | 4 09   |
| 12 | L. W. Wales                    | 9 50   |
| 14 | Charles Elkins                 | 1 65   |
| 15 | C. E. Lord                     | 4 88   |
| 20 | C. F. Gage                     | 1 75   |
| 22 | J. W. Wood                     | 6 75   |
| 51 | James F. Knight                | 12 30  |

|    |                            |         |          |
|----|----------------------------|---------|----------|
| 72 | A. L. Powers, winter, 1910 | \$11 40 |          |
| 75 | E. E. Blanchard            | 3 00    |          |
| 76 | A. E. Follansbee           | 6 70    |          |
| 77 | J. R. Nelson               | 5 60    |          |
| 78 | Myron Ferry                | 3 10    |          |
| 79 | Ira Butters                | 7 20    |          |
| 80 | J. F. Knight               | 18 06   |          |
| 85 | E. G. Farnsworth           | 28 50   |          |
| 90 | O. R. Spaulding            | 6 30    |          |
| 91 | A. L. Powers               | 14 00   |          |
| 27 | Ira Butters                | 3 45    |          |
|    |                            | <hr/>   | \$163 31 |

## RECAPITULATION.

|                        |          |           |
|------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Town officers          | \$293 36 |           |
| Miscellaneous expenses | 449 67   |           |
| State tax              | 800 00   |           |
| County tax             | 839 88   |           |
| Town paupers           | 170 75   |           |
| County paupers         | 283 58   |           |
| Town highways          | 1305 89  |           |
| State highway          | 653 72   |           |
| Support of schools     | 837 08   |           |
| Supplies and repairs   | 60 00    |           |
| High school tuition    | 19 30    |           |
| Watering tubs          | 24 00    |           |
| Old Home day expenses  | 13 07    |           |
|                        | <hr/>    | \$5750 30 |

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Feb. 15, 1910.

|                       |           |          |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------|
| Whole amount received | \$6497 94 |          |
| Whole amount paid out | 5750 30   |          |
|                       | <hr/>     | \$747 64 |

## ASSETS.

|                                              |          |          |
|----------------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Cash in treasury                             | \$747 64 |          |
| Due from Sullivan county                     | 72 00    |          |
| Taxes, interest and costs on<br>Lovell house | 112 32   |          |
| Due on cemetery lots                         | 24 00    |          |
|                                              | <hr/>    | \$955 96 |

## LIABILITIES.

|                                               |                   |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Interest on school fund                       | \$ 30 00          |                 |
| Unexpended balance on state<br>highway fund   | 105 72            |                 |
| Unexpended balance for painting<br>town house | 73 43             |                 |
|                                               | <u>          </u> | \$209 15        |
| Balance in favor of town                      |                   | <u>\$746 81</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

M. H. DOLE,  
S. N. BALL,  
C. F. GAGE,

Selectmen of Washington.

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Washington, N. H., Feb. 17, 1910.

I hereby certify that I have this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find them correctly cast and well vouched.

FRANK P. NEWMAN, Auditor.





## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT.

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A. B. Davison in account with the Town of Washington

### DEBIT.

|                                 |           |  |
|---------------------------------|-----------|--|
| Cash on hand April 1, 1909      | \$479 69  |  |
| Solon A. Carter, for state road | 402 44    |  |
| "          savings bank tax     | 450 13    |  |
| "          literary fund        | 37 20     |  |
| Town clerk, dog license money   | 82 80     |  |
| Selectmen, history sold         | 3 50      |  |
| "          use town hall        | 6 00      |  |
| County, November term           | 211 58    |  |
| Lots in cemetery                | 12 50     |  |
| C. W. J. Fletcher, collector    | 4796 83   |  |
| J. W. Wood, overpaid            | 6 00      |  |
| Selectmen, int. on trust funds  | 9 27      |  |
|                                 | \$6497 94 |  |

### CREDIT.

|                        |           |  |
|------------------------|-----------|--|
| By cash paid           |           |  |
| Town officers          | \$293 36  |  |
| Miscellaneous expenses | 449 67    |  |
| State tax              | 800 00    |  |
| County tax             | 839 88    |  |
| Town paupers           | 170 75    |  |
| County paupers         | 283 58    |  |
| Town highways          | 1305 89   |  |
| State highways         | 653 72    |  |
| Support of schools     | 837 08    |  |
| Supplies and repairs   | 60 00     |  |
| High school tuition    | 19 30     |  |
| Watering tubs          | 24 00     |  |
| Old Home day expenses  | 13 07     |  |
| Cash on hand           | 747 64    |  |
|                        | \$6497 94 |  |

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. DAVISON, Treasurer.

## STATE HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT.

|                               |                   |                   |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Balance due from State, 1908, | \$ 95 08          |                   |
| Town contribution             | 357 00            |                   |
| State " "                     | 446 25            |                   |
| Total joint fund              | <u>          </u> | \$898 33          |
| Amount expended as follows    |                   |                   |
| M. H. Dole, labor             | \$109 00          |                   |
| A. E. Follansbee              | 160 40            |                   |
| F. W. Dole                    | 73 30             |                   |
| Myron Ferry                   | 36 00             |                   |
| B. F. Leeds                   | 53 62             |                   |
| Stephen Still                 | 31 05             |                   |
| John Baker                    | 22 80             |                   |
| Albert Moran                  | 3 00              |                   |
| Oscar Onnella                 | 73 90             |                   |
| E. E. Blanchard               | 15 90             |                   |
| J. R. Nelson                  | 14 00             |                   |
|                               | <u>          </u> | \$592 97          |
| Amount expended for supplies  |                   |                   |
| Dynamite caps and fuse        | \$46 00           |                   |
| Coal                          | 1 65              |                   |
| Iron bar                      | 1 00              |                   |
| Plow points and express       | 1 90              |                   |
| Hammer handles                | 75                |                   |
| 5 spades                      | 2 75              |                   |
| 2 picks                       | 1 00              |                   |
| Hardpan and gravel            | 5 70              |                   |
|                               | <u>          </u> | \$60 75           |
|                               |                   | <u>          </u> |
|                               |                   | \$653 72          |
| State Engineer's expense      |                   | 6 75              |
|                               |                   | <u>          </u> |
|                               |                   | \$660 47          |
| Balance in Town Treasury      | \$105 72          |                   |
| Balance in State Treasury     | 132 14            |                   |
| Total unexpended balance      | <u>          </u> | \$237 86          |

Respectfully submitted,

MASON H. DOLE, Agent.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

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During the past year schools have been maintained in town as follows: Spring, four terms, Fall, four terms and Winter, two terms. In the several schools six different teachers have been employed and sixty-two children have attended.

Only one school has been maintained in the east part of the town through the school year. Two each in the Farnsworth and Wilcox divisions.

We believe it a wise plan to unite the schools and secure good teachers, rather than maintain a school with a poor teacher, because it may be done at a less cost.

A winter term has been maintained in the two villages and all the scholars in town allowed to attend.

We herewith append items of different schools, together with roll of perfect attendance for each.

Respectfully submitted,

M. H. DOLE,  
C. W. J. FLETCHER,  
A. T. WRIGHT.

## EAST WASHINGTON DIVISION.

Wages of teacher per month, including board and care of school room.

|                  | 1st term<br>10 weeks | 2d term<br>10 weeks | 3d term<br>10 weeks |
|------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
|                  | \$30                 | \$30                | \$30                |
| Number of pupils | 24                   | 24                  | 26                  |

Roll of Perfect Attendance.

First term—Lena Peaslee.

## CENTRE DIVISION.

| Vina A. Dole, teacher  | 1st term | 2d term  | 3d term  |
|------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Wages per month        |          |          |          |
| including board        | \$36     | \$36     | \$36     |
| Length of term         | 11 weeks | 11 weeks | 10 weeks |
| Visits of school board | 2        | 2        | 2        |
| Visits of others       | 34       | 24       | 14       |

Roll of Perfect Attendance.

First term — Phillips Ball, John Colby, Lester Powers, Paul Shaw, Don C. Wright, Etta M. Grace, Hattie B. Grace, Ethel M. Millen, Ora W. Powers, Thelma F. Shaw, Edna M. Strickland, Ruth A. Colby.

Second Term—Phillips B. Ball, John H. Colby, Paul J. Shaw, Ruth A. Colby, Hattie B. Grace, Etta M. Grace.

Third term—Don C. Wright.

## FARNSWORTH DIVISION.

Carroll E Farnsworth, teacher.

Wages per month, including board, \$24.

| Length of term,      | 1st term, 10 wks. | 2d term, 10 wks. |
|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Visits by school b'd | 2                 | 1                |
| Visits by others     | 8                 | 12               |

## Roll of Perfect Attendance.

First term—Ruth N. Clark, Robert J. Williams,  
Albert Williams, Ellis Laycock.

Second Term—Emma L. Clark, Ruth N. Clark.

## WILCOX DIVISION.

Teacher first term — Ruth Farnsworth. Second  
term—Ruth C. Wilcox.

Wages per month, including board, \$20.

Length of term, 1st term, 10 wks. 2d term, 10 wks.

Visits by school board, 2 1

Visits by others 12 12

## Roll of Perfect Attendance.

First term—Maurice Roberts, Stanley Roberts.



## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1910.

## Debit.

|                                 |                   |           |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Balance in treasury from 1908   | \$234 18          |           |
| Town of Windsor for tuition     | 33 25             |           |
| Town treasurer school money     | 837 08            |           |
| “ “ supplies and repairs        | 60 00             |           |
| Penniman fund No. 1 in treasury | 17 50             |           |
|                                 | <u>          </u> | \$1182 01 |

## Credit.

|                                |                   |           |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Teachers' salaries and board   | \$724 00          |           |
| School supplies                | 51 20             |           |
| School repairs                 | 66 34             |           |
| Wood and fitting for stove     | 26 39             |           |
| Janitors                       | 8 65              |           |
| Cleaning                       | 4 00              |           |
| Conveying scholars             | 142 50            |           |
| Balance of Penniman fund No. 1 | 17 50             |           |
| Cash on hand                   | 141 43            |           |
|                                | <u>          </u> | \$1182 01 |

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. DAVISON,

Treasurer of School Board.

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 Washington, N. H., Feb. 17, 1910.

I hereby certify that I have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the School District and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRANK P. NEWMAN, Auditor.



VITAL STATISTICS

FOR 1909.



**Births Registered in the Town of Washington for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1909.**

| Date   | Name of Child  | Sex | Living or sb | Color | Name of Father      | Maiden Name of Mother | Residence of Parents | Occupation of Father | Birthplace of Father | Birthplace of Mother |
|--------|----------------|-----|--------------|-------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Jan 9  | Hazel          | F   | L            | W     | J Oscar Onneta      | Eva Crum              | Washington           | Farmer               | Finland              | Washington           |
| Jan 21 | Eliza Ardelle  | F   | L            | W     | Wm H Colby          | Anna C Brooks         | "                    | Laborer              | Merrimack            | "                    |
| Jan 23 | Florence Alice | F   | L            | W     | Edgar W Friesworth  | Emma Ware             | "                    | Farmer               | Washington           | Hubbardston, Mass    |
| May 20 | .....          | M   | L            | W     | Israel H Vodney     | Ella E Crelighton     | "                    | "                    | Claremont            | Mason                |
| Aug 9  | Guy Theodore   | M   | L            | W     | Henry J Poversy     | Ada C Blanchard       | "                    | "                    | Washington           | Washington           |
| Oct 12 | Weston Imntoon | M   | L            | W     | Guy D Brockway      | Bertha L Dume         | "                    | Photographer         | "                    | Newport              |
| Dec 25 | Elmer Gage     | M   | L            | W     | Everett E Blanchard | Mary Lamore           | "                    | Farmer               | "                    | New York             |



**Marrriages Registered in the Town of Washington for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1909.**

| Date  | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride   | Occupation            | Place of birth of each | Name of Father                   | Maiden name of Mother           | Name, residence and official station by whom married |
|-------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| May 9 | E. Washington     | Everett E. Blanchard<br>Mary A. Brown | Farmer<br>Housekeeper | Washington<br>New York | Geo. W. Blanchard<br>John Lamore | Sarah M. Russell<br>Eddie Miner | W G Hubbard<br>East Washington                       |

**Deaths Registered in the Town of Washington for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1909.**

| Date    | Name                  | Place of Birth |        |      | Occupation | Place of Birth |        | Name of Father  | Maiden Name of Mother | Disease or Cause of Death |
|---------|-----------------------|----------------|--------|------|------------|----------------|--------|-----------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
|         |                       | Years          | Months | Days |            | Father         | Mother |                 |                       |                           |
| Jan 5   | Charles Swanson       | 40             |        |      | M M        | Sweden         |        | H K Richardson  |                       | Falling combs             |
| Feb 26  | Thomas G. Richardson  | 57             | 11     |      | M W        | Newport        |        |                 |                       | Epitaphic fit             |
| Mar 7   | Harvey A. Bowman      | 94             | 8      |      | M W        | Newport        |        |                 |                       | Casirilla                 |
| "       | Clark Spaulding       | 76             | 4      | 25   | M M        | E. Washington  |        | Reub. Spaulding | M Proctor             | Cancer                    |
| Apr 26  | Polly Pligree Tenaley | 94             | 11     | 20   | F W        | Sewbury        |        | Anna Pligree    | Polly Clley           | Senile decay              |
| May 3   | Anna Thompson         | 65             | 1      | 20   | M M        | Sutton         |        | A. Thompson     |                       | Accident                  |
| "       | Alice J. Wilcox       | 45             | 1      | 22   | M M        | "              |        |                 |                       | "                         |
| "       | John J. W. Moore      | 82             | 7      | 8    | F W        | Springfield    |        | Edward Buzzel   | Helen Gove            | Casirilla                 |
| June 27 | Anna Towne Russell    | 68             | 10     | 25   | F M        | Stockard       |        | S G Barker      | Sarah Towne           | Jaundice                  |
| Oct 14  | Jessie A. Hurd        | 34             | 3      | 26   | F S        | Washington     |        | Geo D Hurd      | John A Davis          | Sarcoma Uter              |

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

GUY D. BROCKWAY, TOWN CLERK.





