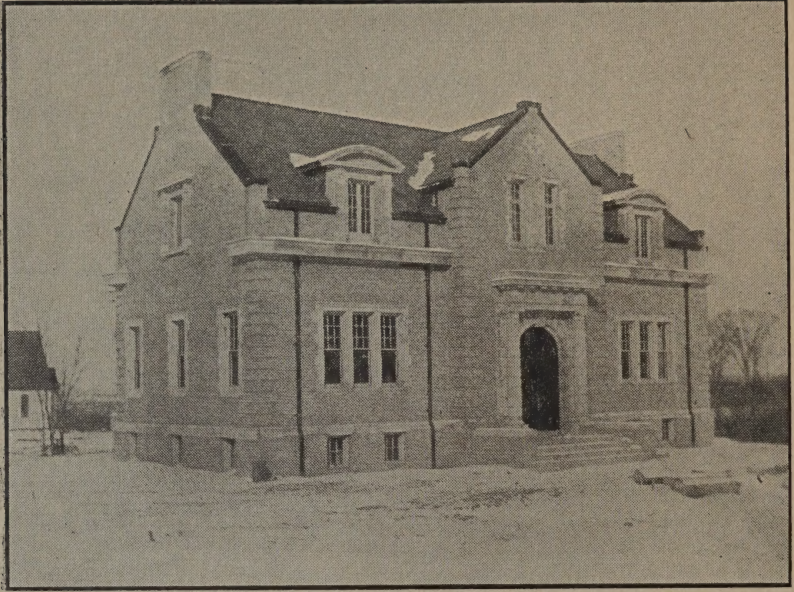


ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE TOWN OF
BETHLEHEM, N. H.
FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR
ENDING
FEBRUARY 15, 1913

LITTLETON, N. H.
THE COURIER PRINTING COMPANY
1913



THE NEW BETHLEHEM TOWN BUILDING

Presented to the Town by General George T. Cruft

It is with no little degree of satisfaction on the part of your selectmen that we recognize the magnificent gift of Gen. George T. Cruft to the Town of Bethlehem in the splendid Library and Town Building, which the voters will christen on Town Meeting day this year. Bethlehem people feel a deep sense of pride, not alone in the possession of so beautiful a structure in which all may feel a degree of ownership, but also in the possession of a citizen of such generosity and public spirit as Gen. Cruft, who takes this method of showing his love for the town in which he has spent so many pleasant years and which he still chooses to call his home. As we gather in this new building from year to year, even to the generations to come, we can but do homage to one who has so well remembered Bethlehem in so practical a manner.

FRED D. LEWIS,
W. S. WALLACE,
MICHAEL FINN,
Board of Selectmen.

Town Officers

MODERATOR

Benjamin Tucker

CLERK

Wm. M. Fogg

TREASURER

Wm. M. Fogg

SELECTMEN

Fred D. Lewis

W. S. Wallace

Michael Finn

COLLECTOR

A. J. Dexter

AUDITOR

Geo. H. Turner

HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS

Edgar B. Straw

W. A. Green

Chas. A. Ash

BOARD OF HEALTH

Benjamin Tucker

Dr. H. E. Thompson

W. H. Presby

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

W. H. Clark

H. C. Barrett

Brinie Ferrin

POLICE

A. A. Varney, Chief

James Carr

George Tucker

Chas. Baker

Arthur E. Bowles

SURVEYOR OF WOOD AND LUMBER

Ambrose W. Blandin

COLLECTOR OF PEDDLERS' LICENSES

W. H. Presby

FENCE VIEWER

Ambrose W. Blandin

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

H. P. Smith

Inventory of the Town of Bethlehem

April 1, 1912

317 polls	\$ 31,700 00
Real estate	1,324,508 00
389 horses	47,487 00
13 oxen	1,210 00
705 cows	28,344 00
71 neat stock	1,595 00
121 sheep	829 00
2 mules	100 00
Fowls	148 00
64 hogs	576 00
Carriages and automobiles	12,750 00
Stock in bank	4,845 00
Stock in trade	29,210 00
Mills and machinery	30,252 00
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Total valuation	\$1,518,897 00
Soldiers' exemption, law of 1907	7,000 00
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Balance	\$1,511,897 00

NOTE

It is worthy of note that the town's valuation was increased 59 percent, while the average increase throughout the county was 61 percent, showing that Bethlehem property has not been excessively taxed as compared with other places in the county.

Appropriations

For the Fiscal Year Ending February 15, 1913

Current expenses	\$1,200 00
Electric lights	1,400 00
Highways and bridges 6-10 of 1 per cent of 1911 valuation	
Cemetery	300 00
Memorial day	60 00
Extra highway appropriation for trunk line	1,000 00
For United States Hay Fever association meeting	50 00

TAX RATE ON \$100

State, county and town	\$.81
Highways, bridges and sidewalks	.38
School district No. 1	.56
Town school district	.33
Precinct, original	.34
Precinct, addition	.26

Selectmen's Report

Bills Paid

MISCELLANEOUS

A. C. Ayer, labor in hall and selectmen's room	\$ 6 00
Benjamin Tucker, making deeds and expense on reports 1912	2 34
Courier Printing Co., printing notices 1911	1 25
Republic Journal, printing town reports and caucus notice 1912	50 40
George Veazie, labor on timber lands	10 00
A. R. Smith, flowers for W. H. Mitchell's funeral	15 00
John I. Dutton, Memorial day	60 00
W. I. Richardson, labor on timber lands	6 00
Ira A. Taylor, team for carrying fish for Walter Clark	6 00
W. S. Wallace, labor fencing gravel pit	11 00
Thomas Finn, winter road	3 00
E. J. Cummings, services in Steere case 1911	26 92
Bethlehem Electric Light Co., street lighting	928 00
Eli B. Wallace, stationery	2 90
Littleton Lumber Co., fence posts for gravel pit	7 80
Courier Printing Co., printing envelopes and letter heads	3 75
L. M. Jackson & Son, rent	100 00
Delia B. Mitchell, services of William H. Mitchell and Smith & Smith, Sunday law 1911	40 00
George H. Turner, money paid out and labor	4 75
William M. Fogg, stamps and envelopes for con- stitutional amendments	3 33
F. L. Blake, 2 drag scrapers	14 00

F. L. Blake, 1 steel plow	\$ 25 31
Bethlehem Electric Light Co., extra charge on 65 lights	65 00
Delia B. Mitchell, services of William H. Mitchell	6 00
Coos Telephone Co.	20
H. C. Bean, labor	1 50
Benjamin Tucker, for making taxes and copying inventory	45 00
A. J. Dexter, making winter road	5 00
Good Roads Machine Co., repairs on road machine	1 50
Irons for town hall	2 50
Dr. John M. Page, births and deaths	75
Harold Fogg, caring for town clock	12 00
William M. Fogg, postage and stationery	3 90
William M. Fogg, recording 16 marriages	2 40
William M. Fogg, recording 16 births	2 40
William M. Fogg, recording 17 deaths	2 55
William M. Fogg, perfecting 13 birth records	3 25
F. W. Bean, housing of snow roller 2 years	5 00
Dr. H. E. Thompson, recording 5 deaths	1 25
Bethlehem Electric Light Co., street lighting	600 00
M. J. McCauley, 1 acre gravel pit	62 50
John D. Harrigan, winter road	2 00
Guy Roberts, Hay Fever association	50 00
Fred D. Lewis, trip to Woodsville, tax commissioner	3 09
Michael Finn, trip to Woodsville, tax commissioner	3 56
F. D. Lewis, cash for stationery	6 05
Tax collector's book	1 75
F. D. Lewis, 3 days at Concord with tax commissioner	15 56
F. D. Lewis, cash paid for labor on highway	1 05
F. D. Lewis, cash paid for labor, addressing envelopes, inventory blanks	2 00
F. D. Lewis, cash paid for sundry bills	3 10
W. H. Presby, collecting licenses	17 20

HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND SIDEWALKS

E. C. Dexter, blacksmith bill	\$ 41 31
Herbert Hopkins, labor on sidewalks	30 00
Fred Foster, one stone lifter	21 00
Ohio Culvert Pipe Co., pipe for Edgar Straw	131 40
Ohio Culvert Pipe Co., pipe for Edgar Straw	50 00
John Bean, painting bridges	40 00
Ed. Tibbetts, labor on highway	1 50
F. A. Dodge, plank	264 42
Frank M. Richardson, cedar posts	5 00
D. E. Sullivan, labor on gutter and sidewalks	35 10
Arthur Weld, labor on highway	17 51
Judson Burroughs, labor	23 40
A. C. Atto, labor on Maple street sidewalk	70 75
G. A. Harris estate, labor on highway	3 42
L. M. Jackson & Son, goods delivered to E. Straw	5 96
F. M. Richardson, 40 cedar posts	6 00
N. E. Culvert Co., for culverts	86 23
Napoleon Fleury, labor	25 63
J. M. Mathes, grade for roads	16 90
H. E. Whitcomb, shoveling snow, spring 1912	2 75
W. S. Phillips & Co., labor	4 00
J. S. Mudgett, shoveling snow, spring 1912	2 50
John Enderson, labor on highway, 1911	4 00
C. L. Whitcomb, labor on sidewalk	28 50
John Bean, painting bridges	50 00
Frank M. Richardson, 100 cedar posts to Chas. Ash	15 00
The Rocks estate, Feb. 27, 28 and 29, 1912, breaking roads	23 00
Edson & Kinne, highway bill	14 99
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	\$1,020 27

CEMETERIES

George H. Turner, breaking road in cemetery	\$ 2 00
George H. Turner, services and cash paid out	242 68
E. P. Brown, care of Winch lot three years	6 00
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	\$250 68

FIGHTING FOREST FIRES

Thomas Trudeau	\$ 33 20 ^s
Thomas Trudeau	110 41
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	\$143 61

TOWN PAUPERS

C. H. Goss, care of H. E. Hoit to March 8	\$ 36 00
Charles Herbert, board of Goss care of Hoit to March 8	16 00
N. F. Miles, milk for George Howland to March 8	1 35
C. F. Bingham, burial of Mrs. Eliza J. Steere	10 00
Obediah Pollock, milk to George Howland	3 35
Mary Kay, paid Goss care of H. E. Hoit	92 00
Mary Kay, paid Goss care of H. E. Hoit	44 00
Mary Kay, paid George Hoit Goss' board	16 00
Charles H. Herbert, Goss' board bill	35 61
N. F. Miles, milk to George Howland	1 77
L. M. Jackson & Son, goods to George Howland	29 05
Mary Kay, for Charles Goss for care of H. E. Hoit	50 00
Mary Kay, for George Hoit for Goss' board	40 00
George Hoit, board for Goss	20 00
Charles Goss, care of H. E. Hoit	33 00
N. H. State Hospital, Charles S. Miles	21 71
Charles Goss, care of H. E. Hoit	25 14
George S. Hoit, board of Goss for one week	4 00
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	\$478 98

COUNTY PAUPERS

Woodman drug Co., medicine for Jordan	\$ 5 00
L. M. Jackson & Son, goods for H. E. Jordan	1 77
Dr. C. M. Sneden, Joseph McKinnen	15 00
F. D. Lewis & Co., goods for Jordan	3 84
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	\$25 61

WATERING TROUGHS

Alec McDonell	\$ 3 00
C. H. Kay	3 00
H. E. Whitcomb	3 00
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	\$ 9 00

BOARD OF HEALTH

G. W. Smith, supplies	\$ 4 40
W. H. Presby	16 85
L. M. Jackson & Son, goods delivered to board of health	75
W. H. Presby at Hudson's	3 50
Benjamin Tucker	9 00
Dr. H. E. Thompson, attendance Mary Sedigrass	11 50
Dr. H. E. Thompson, sundry bills	18 50
Littleton hospital for Mary Sediques	67 85
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	\$132 35

POLICE

James Carr, nine tramps	\$ 9 70
James Carr, 28 nights, watchman	28 00
James Carr, four meals for Charles Miles	1 40
James Carr, one meal for J. Rae	35
James Carr, one meal for tramp	35
George Norman, gala day	1 00
James Carr, night watchman 40 nights	40 00
A. A. Varney, keeping tramps and services as police	20 00
H. C. Bean, five tramps	5 00
James Carr, two tramps	2 00
Charles Baker, town meetings	7 00
Charles H. Hoit, gala day	1 00
James Carr, two tramps	2 00
George Tucker, two gala days	2 00
W. S. Wallace, on account of gypsies	4 00
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	\$123 80

TOWN OFFICERS

John Whyte, supervisor	\$ 36 00
H. F. Miller, supervisor	36 00
Benjamin Tucker, moderator	13 00
William M. Fogg, treasurer	100 00
William M. Fogg, town clerk	50 00
C. A. Gardner, service as supervisor	12 00
A. J. Dexter, tax collector	100 00
F. D. Lewis, services as selectman	200 00
Michael Finn	136 00
Woodman S. Wallace	180 00
Michael Finn, election inspector, one day	2 00
W. S. Wallace, election inspector, two days	4 00
W. H. Clark, election inspector, two days	4 00
L. M. Knight, election inspector, one day	2 00
F. D. Lewis, election inspector, two days	4 00
George H. Turner, auditor	5 00
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	\$884 00

EXCESS TAXES AND ABATEMENTS

Mrs. R. I. Homens, excess	\$ 16 72
E. G. Fitzgerald, rebate of Miss Major's taxes	6 08
John Huntoon, excess tax	3 81
John Drohen, excess tax	82
Howard Lightfoot, excess tax	4 18
Ezra N. Peavey excess tax	15 20
F. P. Cheney, excess tax	3 04
Amos Lamere, excess tax	57
Charles H. Hoit, excess tax	11 40
D. H. Perkins, excess tax	7 60
Carrie Quimby, excess tax	10 45
Rebate tax on land sold 1910, 1911 and 1912, not in existence	67 15
Daniel Lamere	2 09
Edwin Ash	2 09
Harry Dedrick	1 52

Clifford Burgess	\$ 1 52
Andrew Dion	1 52
Harry Glode	1 52
William M. Fogg, tax on lot 15, range 3, lot 20, range 11, lot 21, range 13, not in existence	3 06
Trudeau horse, taxed in Lancaster	3 50
H. C. Moulton, excess tax 1911	6 06
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	\$169 90

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1

Paid M. L. Jackson, treasurer	\$3,525 00
Paid M. L. Jackson, treasurer	1,168 55
Paid M. L. Jackson, treasurer, literary fund	67 87
Paid M. L. Jackson dog tax	80 25
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	\$4,841 67

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Arthur E. Bowles, treasurer	\$ 300 00
Arthur E. Bowles, treasurer	400 00
Arthur E. Bowles, treasurer	500 00
John Whyte	300 00
Arthur E. Bowles	100 00
Arthur E. Bowles	500 00
Arthur E. Bowles	500 00
Arthur E. Bowles	600 00
Arthur E. Bowles, literary fund	88 53
Arthur E. Bowles	993 95
Arthur E. Bowles, dog tax	104 65
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	\$4,387 13

BETHLEHEM VILLAGE PRECINCT

Myron L. Jackson, treasurer	\$ 500 00
Myron L. Jackson, treasurer	1,800 00
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	\$2,300 00

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Arthur E. Bowles, treasurer	\$2,670 00
Arthur E. Bowles, treasurer	1,523 95
Literary fund	88 53
Dog tax	104 65
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	\$4,387 13

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

County tax	\$ 1,755 65
State tax	2,872 00
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	\$4,627 65

BOUNTIES ON WILD ANIMALS

W. A. Green, hedge hog	\$ 20
Daniel Byron, 6 hedge hogs	1 20
W. L. Wallace, 3 hedge hogs	60
Charles Green, 7 hedge hogs	1 40
Charles Burt, 3 hedge hogs	60
L. J. Ash, 2 hedge hogs	40
Ola Ash, 1 hedge hog	20
John Hoik, 1 hedge hog	20
John McCrea, 1 hedge hog	20
William Harrigan, 1 hedge hog	20
Ray Hoit, 1 hedge hog	20
George Hughes, 4 hedge hogs	80
Bernard McCulloch, 1 hedge hog	20
Ray Hoit, 1 hedge hog	20
C. Fraser, 1 hedge hog	20
Arthur Wright, 3 hedge hogs	60
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	\$7 40

HIGHWAY ORDERS OF 1911

S. W. Cameron, breaking roads	\$ 4 00
Peter McPherson, breaking roads	5 00
C. H. Kay, breaking roads	1 00

E. J. Cummings, Barden land damage by F. P. Cheney	\$ 7 00
Ralph Noyes, snow rolling	49 00
R. S. Bedell, road plank delivered to Fred Badger	14 51
The Rocks estate, breaking roads Feb. 8 and 9	23 00
The Rocks estate, moving snow roller Jan. 23	1 20
The Rocks estate, repairing snow roller	8 00
Robert Cryan	2 00
D. J. Sullivan	14 40
James R. Ash	1 00
Joseph Duranto	1 75
C. A. Ash	7 00
Joseph Budreau	2 62
William Duranto	1 75
W. E. Burt	2 27
F. P. Cheney	14 07
Ralph Hildreth	5 92
F. F. Badger	3 00
W. W. Thayer	2 04
James Ash	1 05
Walter Gannon	2 62
William Bartlett	2 97
E. E. Crane	3 50
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	\$180 67

PERMANENT HIGHWAY FUND

J. J. Glessner	\$4,000 00
Thomas Trudeau	6,426 00
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	\$10,426 00

JOINT FUND, HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Due from State, unexpended money	\$630 79
Balance due from town	315 39
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Total unexpended balance	\$946 18

The selectmen desire that the people of Bethlehem shall have due appreciation of the work done on the Bethlehem roads this year through the cooperation and financial assistance of J. J. and J. G. M. Glessner. They have built the stretch of road past the Cheney place for \$4000, which has cost upwards of \$6000, and the work on the Wallace Hill, which amounted to hundreds of dollars, was done at no expense to the town whatever.

Road Agents' Account

EDGAR STRAW

George Norman	\$ 6 12
George Reed	50
Michael Morris	7 44
Elmore Derby	31 50
Edgar B. Straw	75 00
Dennis Sullivan	17 85
Michael Morris	3 50
Fred C. Gardner	7 00
Maurice Henderson	3 50
Tom Davis	7 00
Peter Sheedy	7 00
W. S. Blandin	7 00
C. F. Davis	13 13
James Sullivan	9 62
Peter Sheedy	9 62
Herbert Hopkins	8 32
Napoleon Lamere	3 07
Archie Lamere	6 12
Freddie Gardner	1 75
Thomas Riley	6 12
J. M. Mathes	12 30
C. F. Davis	8 31
Thomas Riley	6 56
James Sullivan	9 19
Napoleon Lamere	3 94
Peter Sheedy	3 94
A. C. Atto	168 17
Herbert Hopkins	5 25
Charles Miller	2 52

John McDonald	\$ 5 00
Edgar B. Straw	56 00
Joseph Macia	8 75
Herbert Hopkins	8 75
C. F. Davis	7 00
George Sargent	7 00
Alfred Huntoon	7 75
Alfred Huntoon	10 75
William Huntoon	2 25
M. H. Chamberlain	6 00
George Sargent	10 50
Albert Eastman	14 50
John McManus	4 37
Hosea Sanborn	7 00
Herbert Hopkins	15 75
Joseph Macia	20 12
Alfred Huntoon	20 00
Charles Miller	7 87
Willie Huntoon	8 25
George King	9 62
A. C. Atto	167 25
Israel Daggie	35 00
Willie Huntoon	7 50
Alfred Huntoon	16 00
Herbert Hopkins	10 50
George Sargent	8 75
Charles Miller	8 75
Napoleon Lamere	5 25
George King	7 00
E. C. Dexter	31 05
Charles Churchill	12 25
Edgar B. Straw	60 00
Jerry S. Mudgett	20 00
Andrew Huntoon	16 25
Alfred Huntoon	17 25
Joseph Macia	16 62
Willie Huntoon	7 50
Charles Miller	8 75

Napoleon Lamere	\$ 7 00
F. M. Gardner	50 00
Herbert Hopkins	1 75
H. C. Moulton	53 00
E. N. Miles	11 19
A. C. Atto	108 30
Joseph Macia	12 25
Ben Clough	41 13
Charles Miller	1 75
Charles Churchill	8 75
Albert Eastman	11 38
M. H. Chamberlain	1 80
Charles Churchill	5 25
Edgar B. Straw	63 81
Michael Morris	9 63
Billy Ray	7 88
John McDonald	7 06
H. E. Moulton	18 00
Frank Gardner	9 00
Dennis Sullivan	11 78
Edgar B. Straw	38 00
Joe Harrington	12 69
Charles Miller	5 69
Phil Sanborn	5 69
Joe Macia	7 00
Walter Blandin	8 00
John McDonald	5 50
Russel Enderson	1 00
Charles Wilson	12 75
Albert Eastman	20 13
Sidney G. Straw	5 50
George Sargent	5 69
E. C. Dexter	8 39
Fred Dodds	5 25
Stanley Canham	2 00
John Huntoon	1 00
Bert Lovejoy	32 12
Ransom Quimby	2 62

Herbert Hopkins	\$ 7 52
Albert Eastman	7 87
Edgar B. Straw	72 50
Joseph Macia	1 75
Israel Daggle	88
Fred Badger	3 50
Bert Lovejoy	4 81
Ira B. Simonds	1 75
A. C. Atto	77 45
S. F. Swett	7 00
M. J. McCauley	30 00
Charles Herbert	7 00
E. B. Straw	5 00
F. D. Lewis, labor	4 88
F. D. Lewis, plank	25 44
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Total	\$2,021 82

W. A. GREEN

Obediah Pollock	\$ 7 87
Peter McPherson	6 12
John McPherson	1 75
Martin McPherson	4 37
Wm. A. Green	44 50
John Shea	25 81
John Shea	11 37
Ed Shea	11 37
John Seeley	18 37
W. A. Green	20 50
W. A. Green	25 38
Paul Chasse	13 57
John Shea	15 32
Charles Howland	13 57
W. A. Green	36 75
John Seeley	5 69
E. C. Dexter	18 10
W. A. Green	31 12
John Shea	8 75

Edward Shea	\$ 17 83
Paul Chasse	10 50
Wm. Monahan	14 00
Henry Howland	13 56
Patrick Harris	14 00
Tom Walsh	10 50
George Estabrook	10 37
Leo Callahan	10 50
Peter McPherson	7 00
Leo Callahan	10 50
Peter McPherson	7 00
Myron Burt	27 25
John Pollock	6 12
W. A. Green	39 00
Joseph Seeley	10 50
John Shea	10 50
Paul Chasse	5 25
Levi Cotnoir	8 75
Charles Howland	24 50
Patrick Harris	10 50
Tom Walsh	10 50
George Estabrook	10 50
Leo Callahan	5 25
John Pollock	9 19
Peter McPherson	2 00
George McLain	12 25
Thomas Walsh	3 50
Patrick Harris	8 00
Paul Chasse	8 75
W. A. Green	37 87
John Seeley	8 75
A. C. Atto	198 00
Tom Walsh	21 00
Martin McPherson	3 50
George M. Blaney	40 50
Robert Tann	12 25
John Seeley	3 50
Patrick Harris	5 00

W. A. Green	\$ 42 75
Peter McPherson	5 25
Walter McPherson	10 75
John Shea	17 94
W. A. Green	40 50
Charles Howland	10 05
Clarence Beecher	3 50
Peter McPherson	5 25
Martin McPherson	8 00
Peter McPherson	6 38
Martin McPherson	4 38
John Reynolds	15 75
Ed Shea	10 50
Wm. A. Green	13 50
John Seeley	10 50
Ed Shea	10 50
John Shea	10 50
George Estabrook	5 25
George Hughes	9 63
James Hughes	31 30
George Howland	3 00
Henry Howland	5 25
W. A. Green	30 75
Peter McPherson	3 50
John Seeley	11 37
Peter McPherson	1 75
A. C. Atto	35 00
W. A. Green	22 25
John Lynch	2 00
John Shea	1 50
F. D. Lewis	7 75
W. L. Wallace	9 00
Woodman Thayer	1 75
John Pollock	8 19
R. B. Hildreth	25 90
R. B. Hildreth	22 24
E. C. Dexter	10 82
M. J. Sullivan	31 25

A. C. Atto	\$156 75
John Seeley	7 00
John Shea	10 50
Wm. A. Green	34 50
Edward Shea	10 50
Henry Howland	10 50
Paul Chasse	10 50
Patrick Harris	10 50
Tom Walsh	10 50
George Estabrooks	12 25
George Blaney	24 12

CHARLES A. ASH

Frank P. Shattuck	\$ 87
William Finn	87
C. A. Ash	4 00
C. A. Ash	5 00
Walter Gannon	4 37
Henry Vashaw	3 50
Charles A. Ash	16 00
Charles A. Ash, team	16 00
Thomas Harrigan	15 92
John Hoik	7 87
Paul Champagne	6 65
Dan Byron	8 00
Joseph Budreau	17 67
John Hoik	14 18
Paul Champagne	10 50
Edward Harrigan	29 05
Charles A. Ash	32 00
Charles A. Ash	29 00
John Hoik	9 62
Paul Champagne	12 25
William Bartlett	60 00
Frank Shattuck	52 00
Charles A. Ash	16 00
Walter C. Gannon	29 75
Charles A. Ash	16 00

John Hoik	\$ 8 75
Charles Wilson	92 00
Paul Champagne	10 50
John Hoik	10 50
Loren Ash	36 92
Charles Wilson	28 00
William Finn	13 12
John Finn	31 50
Eddie Harrigan	17 50
Joseph Boudreau	40 25
John McCrea	2 62
A. C. Atto	66 00
John S. Harrigan	7 63
Tom Harrigan	49 53
Alec McDonell	24 50
John Hoik	5 25
Walter Gannon	25 37
Alfred Jobin	14 87
Charles A. Ash	19 00
Charles A. Ash	19 00
Edward Harrigan	8 75
William McCloud	5 25
David Perkins	59 00
William McCrea	2 62
Tom Harrigan	7 75
Eddie Harrigan	2 62
Joe Laundry	10 50
Joe Laundry	6 12
Loren Ash	2 62
Joseph Budreau	38 50
Charles Wilson	74 00
Alec McDonnell	56 00
Walter Gannon	49 00
Charles A. Ash	42 00
Charles A. Ash	57 00
Stanley Canham	8 00
William Duranto	2 62
William Finn	87

Ben Burgess	\$ 1 00
Edson & Kinne	8 26
Nelson Gates	5 65
E. C. Dexter	1 00
Joseph McKinna	14 50
Charles A. Ash	8 00
Fred D. Lewis for plank	48 00
Total	<u>\$1,459 51</u>

SUMMARY

Highway orders of 1911	\$ 180 67
Permanent highway fund	10,426 00
Bounties on wild animals	7 40
State and county tax	4,627 65
Bethlehem village precinct	2,300 00
Town school district	4,387 13
School district No. 1	4,841 67
Rebate taxes and excess	169 90
Town officers	884 00
Police	123 80
Board of health	132 35
Watering troughs	9 00
County paupers	25 61
Town paupers	478 98
Fighting forest fires	143 61
Cemeteries	250 68
Highways, bridges and sidewalks	1,020 27
Miscellaneous	855 36
Miscellaneous	<u>1,400 45</u>
	\$32,264 53

CHARLES A. ASH,
W. A. GREEN,
EDGAR STRAW,

Road Commissioners.

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1912	\$ 1,302 59
State railroad tax	1,280 12
State savings bank tax	1,703 39
State literary fund	156 40
State license commissioner	57 50
New Hampshire state highway	6,493 50
New Hampshire state highway, maintenance	562 48
Grafton county, support pauper 1911	174 50
Littleton National bank, for note	10,500 00
Helen W. Knight, for note	1,800 00
School District No. 1, for note	1,000 00
Dog license	184 90
Bowling and billiard license	43 00
Peddlers' and show license	180 00
Police fines	56 00
Bethlehem precinct, for electric lights	100 00
Arthur J. Dexter, collector	27,102 44
Tax receipts and interest redeemed	30 45
Hay on Steere place	4 50
State primary fees	7 00
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	\$52,738 77

DISBURSEMENTS

Selectmen's orders	\$32,196 56
Notes and interest	13,720 35
Road commissioners' orders	5,295 01
Road commissioners' orders, 1911	46 20
Cash on hand	1,480 65
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	\$52,738 77

LIABILITIES

Estate of F. L. White, note	\$1,000 00
Mrs. F. L. White	600 00
Accrued interest	43 33
Katherine Winch, trust fund and interest	102 16
Martha B. Jesseman, trust fund and interest	210 04
David S. Phillips, trust fund and interest	540 80
Appropriation state aid, (trunk line) not expended	315 39
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	\$2,811 72

ASSETS

John Pollock, for taxes, 1907, and interest	\$25 78
John Pollock, for taxes, 1908, and interest	27 56
N. F. Miles, for taxes, 1910, and interest	24 62
N. F. Miles, for taxes, 1911, and interest	22 67
R. D. Qumby, for taxes, 1911, and interest	14 04
W. R. Steere, for taxes, 1912	2 89
Clarence Dodge, for taxes, 1912	13 62
Due from Grafton County	25 61
Due from State of New Hampshire, forest fires	55 21
Due from State of New Hampshire, hedgehogs	7 40
Real Estate for quarantine purposes	200 00
Two road machines	75 00
One snow roller	25 00
One stone lifter	21 00
One steel plow	25 00
Two scrapers	14 00
Gravel pit	50 00
William Steere property	200 00
Cash on hand	1,480 65
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	\$2,310 05

RECAPITULATION

Liabilities	\$ 2,811 72
Assets	2,310 05
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Total liabilities, Feb. 15, 1913	\$ 501 67

Total liabilities, Feb. 15, 1912	\$1,444 36
David S. Phillips' children fund in Littleton Savings bank	\$1,221 26

WILLIAM M. FOGG, Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer of the town of Bethlehem for the financial year ending Feb. 15, 1913, and have found them correctly cast and properly vouched and there is in the hands of the treasurer a cash balance of \$1,480.65.

GEORGE H. TURNER, Auditor.

Bethlehem Village Precinct

February 15, 1913

Commissioners' Report

PAID OUT ON NEW SEWER

1912		
May 18	Albert Morran, labor on sewer	\$ 3 93
	Mat Collins, labor on sewer	5 68
	James Kennedy, labor on sewer	3 50
	John O'Toole, labor on sewer	3 50
	John Shea, labor on sewer	3 50
	Joseph Gill, labor on sewer	87
	John Fogarty, labor on sewer	2 62
	Thomas Warren, labor on sewer	2 62
	Mrs. David Bristol, boarding sewer men	7 74
	Mrs. Laura Gardner, boarding sewer men	2 82
	John Neville, boarding sewer men	1 52
May 25	Mat Collins, labor on sewer	8 30
	James Kennedy, labor on sewer	8 75
	John O'Toole, labor on sewer	7 43
	John Shea, labor on sewer	8 75
	Thomas Warren, labor on sewer	7 87
	George King, labor on sewer	7 00
	Patrick Smith, labor on sewer	5 25
	John Casey, labor on sewer	5 25
	Dan Linehan, labor on sewer	5 25
	Michael Sullivan, labor on sewer	5 25
	Dennis Kelley, labor on sewer	5 25
	Dan Kelliher, labor on sewer	5 25
	John McManus, labor on sewer	5 25

May 25	R. Cushing, labor on sewer	\$ 4 37
	Chris Cassidy, labor on sewer	4 37
	Pat Craven, labor on sewer	5 25
	John Neville, boarding sewer men	12 94
	Mrs. Laura Gardner, boarding sewer men	7 98
	Mrs. David Bristol, boarding sewer men	11 86
	W. E. Tucker, boarding sewer men	3 65
	James Carr, labor	14 00
June 1	George King, labor on sewer	3 50
	Mat Collins, labor on sewer	1 75
June 8	Dennis Kelley, labor on sewer	2 13
	Michael Sullivan, labor on sewer	1 63
	William Rea, labor on sewer	5 25
	George King, labor on sewer	12 25
	Warren Tucker, boarding sewer men	4 00
	Mrs. David Bristol, boarding sewer men	4 50
June 13	Pat Craven, labor on sewer	46
	Thomas Warren, labor on sewer	15
	James Creeden, labor on sewer	61
	R. Cushing, labor on sewer	75
	John Shea, labor on sewer	3 87
	Dan Kelliher, labor on sewer	3 87
	J. O'Neill, labor on sewer	4 58
	Dan Linehan, labor on sewer	3 37
	Michael Sullivan, labor on sewer	3 37
	Dennis Kelley, labor on sewer	3 37
	Martin McPherson, labor on sewer	9 00
	James Carr, labor	8 50
	Frank Freeman, labor on sewer	7 87
	John Neville, boarding sewer men	12 96
	Mrs. Laura Gardner, boarding sewer men	4 50
	Mrs. David Bristol, boarding sewer men	13 50
18	R. Cushing, labor on sewer	3 50
	J. O'Neill, labor on sewer	3 50
	Michael Sullivan, labor on sewer	3 50
	Dennis Kelley, labor on sewer	3 50
20	Dennis Kelley, labor on sewer	1 75
	Michael Sullivan, labor on sewer	1 75

June 20	James Carr, labor	\$ 6 00
22	Dan Linehan, labor on sewer	7 66
	Martin McPherson, labor on sewer	8 66
	Frank Freeman, labor on sewer	7 60
	Marsh Chamberlain, land damage	12 50
	Mrs. David Bristol, board bill	2 16
	Ira Taylor, drawing sewer pipe	14 50
	Richardson & Cameron, sewer pipe	120 36
	Littleton Hardware Co., sewer pipe	1 00
	F. D. Lewis & Co., cement	8 15
	E. C. Dexter, tools and repairs	11 62
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		\$521 02

CURRENT EXPENSES AND SALARIES

1912

Mar. 8	Coos Telephone Co., fire bells	\$ 3 75
May 7	Fred Gardner, cleaning hose	1 75
	Russell Enderson, Gilmore fire	2 00
	Harold Fogg, Gilmore fire	1 75
July 18	N. H. Pearson, storage on sprinkler	10 00
	F. H. Gardner, sprinkling streets	6 75
	F. A. Haskell, repairs on sprinkler, 1911	72 10
30	Michael Morris, cleaning dump	8 00
Aug. 5	A. J. West, repairs on sewer	3 00
20	A. C. Atto, sprinkling streets	227 25
	W. H. Presby, water tax	285 00
Nov. 23	Bernard Harvey, labor	75
Dec. 11	E. C. Heath, use of dump and repairs	16 85
	A. C. Atto, balance street sprinkling	202 50
30	Water Department, cleaning sidewalks	100 00
	F. A. Haskell, repairs	9 25

1913

Feb. 3	W. H. Mitchell Est., counsel Precinct Annex	20 00
	L. M. Jackson & Son, store bill	1 75
	H. P. Smith, rent hose house	30 00
	Courier Printing Co., receipt books	2 00
5	H. C. Barrett, fire warden and commissioner	20 00

Feb. 3	James Carr, fire warden and commissioner	\$20 00
	W. A. Clark, fire warden and commissioner	20 00
11	Benj. Tucker, clerk	8 00
	Charles Gardner, supplies, 1911	3 00
	A. J. West, digging up sewer	66
14	Myron Jackson, treasurer Water Co. and Precinct	50 00
	Bethlehem Electric Light Co., street lights	100 00
	Coos Telephone Co., fire bells	2 75
15	Geo. H. Turner, auditor	2 00
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		\$1,230 86

W. H. CLARK,
H. C. BARRETT,
Precinct Commissioners.

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1912	\$ 821 88	
Warren Tucker, sewer tax 1911	89	
John Lynch, entering sewer	10 00	
Flora Varney, entering sewer	10 00	
Carrie Quimby, entering sewer	10 00	
Carrie Quimby, pipe and cement	6 27	
Board of health, for sewer pipe	5 00	
William M. Fogg, treasurer	2,300 00	
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DISBURSEMENTS

Commissioners' orders	\$ 1,751 88	
Notes and interest	1,187 17	
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		\$224 99

LIABILITIES

Precinct water department note	\$ 1,260 00	
Precinct water department note	400 00	
Precinct water department note	500 00	
Accrued interest	86 13	
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ASSETS

Cash on hand	\$ 224 99	
Mrs. Lizzie Jones, sewer tax, 1910-1911	2 96	
Mrs. Lizzie Jones, entering sewer	10 00	
Mrs. R. H. Gardner, entering sewer	10 00	
Samuel Varney, entering sewer	10 00	
Elliott Goodenough, entering sewer	10 00	
Harry Howland, entering sewer	10 00	
J. Howland estate, entering sewer	10 00	
Benjamin Clough, entering sewer	10 00	
Mrs. Burt Lovejoy, entering sewer	10 00	
Mrs. George Green, entering sewer	10 00	
William Jefferies, entering sewer	10 00	
Reginald Atwood, entering sewer	10 00	
Perley Waterman, entering sewer	10 00	
B. & M. R. R., entering sewer	10 00	
B. & M. R. R., pipe and labor	38 00	
E. L. Merrow, entering sewer, 2 cottages	20 00	
E. L. Merrow, labor on sewer	30 00	
	<hr/>	\$445 95
		\$1,800 18
Net liabilities, Feb. 15, 1912		\$2,228 00
Net liabilities, Feb. 15, 1913		\$1,800 18

MYRON L. JACKSON, Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the commissioners and treasurer of the Bethlehem village precinct and find them correctly cast and properly vouched and a balance of \$224.99 in the hands of the treasurer.

GEORGE H. TURNER, Auditor.

Water Department

Commissioners' Report

FOR REPAIRS

George Norman, labor	\$ 3 00
F. D. Lewis & Co., cement	1 88
L. M. Jackson & Son, supplies	5 36
W. H. Presby, men's labor	2 00
D. J. Gardner, supplies	2 50
A. J. West, labor	2 50
George Norman, labor	2 50
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	\$19 74

FOR LABOR ON CONSTRUCTION ON MAPLE STREET

Frank Freeman, labor	\$ 17 82
Mike Sullivan, labor	10 82
Dan Kelliher, labor	18 70
John Shea, labor	18 70
Patrick Smith, labor	16 95
Ralph Cushing, labor	17 82
Chris Cassidy, labor	16 95
Thomas Warren, labor	17 82
Pat Craven, labor	18 70
Dan Linehan, labor	18 70
John McManus, labor	1 75
John O'Toole, labor	5 25
Mat Collins, labor	3 50

James Kenney, labor	\$ 8 20
Dennis Kelley, labor	10 82
Martin McPherson, labor	21 50
W. H. Presby, labor of men	14 00
H. C. Bean, material and labor	26 65
W. H. Presby, labor	20 00
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	\$284 65

FOR BUILDING BARN AT GALE RIVER

F. A. Dodge, lumber	\$49 20
H. C. Bean, labor	17 50
Ed Connery, labor	13 75
L. M. Jackson & Son, nails	1 32
Edson & Kinne, supplies	16 65
J. T. Dutton, drawing lumber	12 00
J. T. Dutton, labor and team work	10 00
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	\$120 42

FOR EXPENSE

B. & M. R. R., freight on pipe	\$46 50
B. & M. R. R., freight	9 05
Express	30
I. A. Taylor, drawing pipe	26 38
M. H. Chamberlain, wood and team work	11 75
W. H. Presby, freight	3 86
Mrs. J. G. Sinclair, rent of stable	12 00
Stamps	4 75
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	\$114 59

FOR SALARIES

James Carr	\$591 70
J. T. Dutton, commissioner	25 00
W. H. Presby, commissioner	25 00
W. H. Presby, clerk	75 00
Edward Connery, commissioner	15 00
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	\$731 70

FOR SUPPLIES

Ellis & Ford, pipe cutter	\$25 60
H. Meuller Mfg. Co., pump and wrench	33 11
National Meter Co., meters	36 40
Richardson & Cameron Co., rubber	1 65
Concord Pipe Co., pipe and fixtures	411 26
National Lead Co., lead	47 41
Braman, Dow & Co., fixtures	5 64
Concord Pipe Co., supplies	54 24
E. C. Heath, supplies	13 65
E. C. Dexter, 4 wrenches	2 40
Richardson & Cameron Co., supplies	2 25
H. C. Bean, supplies	1 45
	<u>\$635 06</u>

All debts against the Water Department are paid, so far as we know.

We have laid 1000 feet of 4-inch pipe on Maple street, and built a barn at Gale River.

We have about \$300.00 worth of supplies on hand.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. PRESBY,

J. T. DUTTON,

Water Commissioners.

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1912	\$624 49
Littleton National bank, 3 mos. note	800 00
W. H. Presby, clerk, water rents	5,533 34
W. H. Presby, lumber sold	6 62
Bethlehem village precinct, cleaning sidewalks	100 00
Bethlehem village precinct, interest on notes	108 00
	<u>\$7,172 45</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Commissioners' orders	\$1,906 16	
Notes and interest	1,795 77	
Sinking fund	3,233 00	
	<u> </u>	\$6,934 93
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		\$237 52

LIABILITIES

Outstanding 4 percent bonds	\$49,500 00	
Accrued interest	907 50	
	<u> </u>	\$50,407 50

ASSETS

Cash on hand	\$ 237 52	
Sinking fund account	13,512 61	
Accrued interest on bonds and notes	141 13	
	<u> </u>	\$13,891 26
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		\$36,516 24
Net liabilities, Feb. 15, 1912		\$38,673 74
Net liabilities Feb. 15, 1913		36,516 24

SINKING FUND

Water bond, No. 22	\$1,000 00	
Water bond, No. 30	1,000 00	
Water bond, No. 31	500 00	
Water bond, No. 32	500 00	
Bethlehem village precinct, note	1,260 00	
Bethlehem village precinct, note	400 00	
Bethlehem village precinct, note	500 00	
Littleton Savings bank	8,352 61	
	<u> </u>	\$13,512 61

MYRON L. JACKSON, Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the commissioners and treasurer of the Bethlehem village precinct water department and find proper vouchers for all bills paid and a balance of \$237.52 in the hands of the treasurer. I find the sinking fund as reported by the treasurer, \$13,512.61, correct.

GEORGE H. TURNER, Auditor.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town School District

FOR THE
Fiscal Year Ending February 15, 1913.

APPROPRIATIONS

Support of schools	\$ 1,500 00
Supplies	100 00
Tuition	400 00
Current expense	300 00
School desks	100 00
Repairs	250 00

Treasurer's Report

1912	RECEIPTS	
Feb. 15	Balance on hand	\$ 556 48
Mar. 25	Received from town treasurer	300 00
May 21	Received from town treasurer	400 00
June 15	Received from town treasurer	500 00
Aug. 28	Received from town treasurer	300 00
Oct. 16	Received from town treasurer	100 00
Nov. 4	Received from town treasurer	500 00
Dec. 11	Received from town treasurer	500 00
Dec. 31	Tuition from District No. 1	13 65
1913		
Jan. 16	Received from treasurer	600 00

Feb. 13	Proportion of literary fund	\$ 88 53
Feb. 15	Received from town treasurer	993 95
Feb. 15	Proportion of dog license	104 65
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		\$4,957 26

DISBURSEMENTS

TEACHING

Mrs. C. E. Simonds, winter term, 1912	\$63 00
Julia Lewis, winter term, 1912	70 00
Adele Fournier, winter term, 1912	90 00
Clarence E. Simonds, winter term, 1912	100 00
Mrs. C. E. Simonds, spring term, 1912	90 00
Clarence E. Simonds, spring term, 1912	100 00
Julia Lewis, spring term, 1912	70 00
Adele Fournier, spring term, 1912	90 00
Elizabeth Miller, fall term, 1912	117 00
Mrs. C. E. Simonds, fall term, 1912	117 00
Clarence E. Simonds, fall term, 1912	130 00
Clarence E. Simonds, winter term, 1913	40 00
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	\$1,077 00

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

E. E. Babb & Co., books and supplies	\$39 86
J. McDonnell, supplies	1 25
F. P. Shattuck, money paid for supplies	55
E. E. Crane, money paid for supplies	2 73
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	\$44 39

JANITOR SERVICE

Willie Huntoon, winter, 1912	\$ 2 50
Warren Maxner, winter, 1912	4 00
Frank Connery, winter, 1912	3 00
Arthur Wright, winter, 1912	2 75
Willie Huntoon, spring, 1912	2 50

Warren Maxner, spring, 1912	\$ 3 00
Frank Connery, spring, 1912	3 00
Arthur Wright, spring, 1912	2 50
Charles Maxner, fall, 1912	3 50
Frank Connery, fall, 1912	3 25
Arthur Wright, fall, 1912	3 25
Mrs. W. E. Burt, cleaning	2 50
J. Boudreau and wife, cleaning	3 00
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	\$38 75

REPAIRS

Cephas Jobin, labor and material	\$ 45 68
Richardson & Cameron Co., hardware	3 49
H. B. Mann, chair and varnish	2 25
F. M. Richardson, flooring	40 25
Sears Roebuck & Co., school desks	81 00
Fred Cheney, painting	25 00
John Whyte, labor and money paid out	6 85
E. E. Crane, labor and material	2 75
A. E. Bowles, teaming	2 00
B. & M. R. R., freight bills	18 64
F. P. Shattuck, labor and material	6 95
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	\$234 86

FUEL

Charles Miller, sawing wood	\$ 2 70
Will L. Huntoon, wood	13 50
A. E. Bowles, wood	20 00
W. C. Bartlett, wood	10 63
F. P. Shattuck, wood	18 00
C. E. Wilson, sawing wood	4 50
Frank Connery, labor on wood	75
E. E. Crane, wood	2 50
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	\$72 58

TRANSPORTATION

Fred Miller, winter term, 1912	\$ 82 50
Dennis Lehan, winter term, 1912	10 00
Phillip Cyr, winter term, 1912	20 00
Robert Lewis, winter term, 1912	35 00
Mrs. Edward Guy, winter term, 1912	5 00
Mrs. Harry Day, winter term, 1912	40 00
Eugene McCulloch, winter term, 1912	30 00
Mrs. Bertha Canham, spring term, 1912	15 00
Mrs. Margaret Green, spring term, 1912	40 00
Fred Miller, spring term, 1912	75 00
Phillip Cyr, spring term, 1912	20 00
Dennis Lehan, spring term, 1912	10 00
Mrs. Edward Guy, spring term, 1912	5 00
Robert Lewis, spring term, 1912	32 50
Charles Howland, spring term, 1912	5 00
Eugene McCulloch, spring term, 1912	10 00
Ernest Miles, fall term, 1912	30 00
C. L. Whitcomb, fall term, 1912	35 00
Phillip Cyr, fall term, 1912	20 00
Dennis Lehan, fall term, 1912	10 00
W. C. Bartlett, fall term, 1912	124 00
A. H. Blakley, fall term, 1912	14 00
Harold F. Green, fall term, 1912	55 00
E. H. Richey, fall term, 1912	10 00
Mrs. Edward Guy, fall term, 1912	5 00
Ernest Miles, fall term, 1912	35 00
C. H. Sanborn, fall term, 1912	5 00
Mrs. Stanley Canham, fall term, 1912	15 00
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	\$793 00

TUITION

HIGH

Littleton union school district, fall term, 1911	\$ 15 00
Littleton union school district, winter term, 1912	156 00
Littleton union school district, spring term, 1912	136 00

Littleton union school district, fall term, 1912	\$ 141 00
Bethlehem, district No. 1, winter term, 1912	108 00
Bethlehem, district No. 1, spring term, 1912	104 50
Bethlehem, district No. 1, fall term, 1912	91 00
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	\$751 50

GRADES

Littleton union school district, winter term, 1912	\$60 50
Littleton union school district, spring term, 1912	58 00
Littleton union school district, fall term, 1912	94 50
Bethlehem, district No. 1, winter term, 1912	61 50
Bethlehem, district No. 1, spring term, 1912	58 30
Bethlehem, district No. 1, fall term, 1912	83 53
Lisbon, district No. 1, spring term, 1912	10 00
Carroll school district, spring and fall 1912, winter 1913	40 00
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	\$466 33

SALARIES

W. C. Bartlett, services and money paid	\$ 3 00
John Whyte, school board	25 00
Frank P. Shattuck, school board	5 00
Elmer E. Crane, school board	4 00
Arthur E. Bowles, treasurer	12 00
Charles E. Baker, clerk	2 00
C. H. Hazen, auditor	2 00
John Whyte, reports	5 00
F. P. Shattuck, enumeration	4 00
John Whyte, enumeration	1 00
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	\$63 00

SUMMARY

Balance cash on hand Feb. 15, 1912	\$ 556 48
Total cash received	4,400 78
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	\$4,957 26

PAID

Teaching	\$1,077 00
Books and supplies	44 39
Janitor service	38 75
Repairs	234 86
Fuel	72 58
Transportation	793 00
Tuition, high school	751 50
Tuition, grades	466 33
Salaries	63 00
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	\$3,541 41
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1913	\$1,415 85

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR E. BOWLES, Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

I have this day audited the accounts of Arthur E. Bowles, treasurer of the town school district, and find the accounts properly kept and vouched for the same. The balance on hand is \$1,415.85.

Feb. 15, 1913.

C. H. HAZEN, Auditor.

ESTIMATES FOR 1913

As required by law the following estimates are submitted for the fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1914:

Money required by law	\$1,550 00
Books and supplies	200 00
High school tuition	800 00
Flags and appurtenances	15 00
Salaries and expenses of school board	50 00
Truant officer	10 00
Other district officers	25 00
Needed for repairs	100 00

Insurance	\$ 75 00
Additional amount needed	275 00
Income from state Dec. 1913	

Owing to an increase of over 64 per cent in the valuation of the town school district the past year, state aid (of which we received over \$700.00 last year) was not apportioned our district this year.

On this account, it will be noticed, we have increased some of the estimates for 1913.

The district's appropriation was overpaid this year, which accounts for our large balance.

JOHN WHYTE,
 F. P. SHATTUCK,
 E. E. CRANE,
 School Board.

Births Registered in the Town of Bethlehem, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1912

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male	Female	Living or Stillborn						
Jan. 3	Willard H.	M	"	7	Arthur W. Muller	Florence Dodge	Bethlehem	Laborer	Dalton	Littleton
5	Marjory Ella	F	"	2	John Yates	Mary Audibert		Shoemaker	Pennsylvania	Canada
20	Clara Etta	"	"	2	Walter S. Blandin	Mary McKenna		Farmer	Bethlehem	Bethlehem
Feb. 18	Gilmore	"	"	7	Nathan Kidder	Mabel Bowles		"	Bradford, Vt.	Lisbon
22	George	"	"	9	Joseph McKennon	Katie Gilmore		Laborer	Prince Edward's Isle	Prince Edward's Isle
Mar. 23	Agnes Eleanor	"	"	3	Napoleon Flaury	Annie Gay		Wood contractor	Canada	Berlin
Apr. 10	William Goodnow	"	"	2	Joseph J. Cyr	Mary Rotch		Farmer	"	Ireland
12	Martin Eugene	"	"	1	Henry C. Barrett	Violet Newcaster		Hotel	"	Canada
May 22	Dorothy Madline	"	"	6	Myron Burt	Elva Snyder		Teamster	Bethlehem	Nova Scotia
June 14	Ella Mildred	"	"	10	Joseph Landry	Mary Boudreau		Farmer	Canada	Littleton
Aug. 31	Erving Clair	"	"	3	Warren W. Thompson, Jr	Charlotte Donaldson	*	Laborer	Orford	Orford
Sept. 20	Leland Stanford	"	"	5	Bert W. Sanborn	Sarah Bowles		Painter	Bethlehem	Prince Edward's Isle
24	Vera	"	"	12	John H. Hoik	Sadie Fowler		Farmer	Canada	Philadelphia
Oct. 8	Alice Effie	"	"	13	Judson Burroughs	Rhoda McCullock		"	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
22		"	"	1	Levi Comoir	Olive Cote		"	Rhode Island	Canada
		"	"	8	Carl G. Hoyt	Gladys Phillips		Laborer	Littleton	Littleton

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. WILLIAM M. FOGG, Town Clerk.

* Littleton

Marriages Registered in the Town of Bethlehem, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1912

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years of each	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Condition, No.	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
Jan. 4	Bethlehe	Loren J. Ash Charlotte MacMullen	Bethlehem Yarmouth, N. S.	27 24	White	Farmer Waitress	Bethlehem Yarmouth, N. S.	James R. Ash Georgena Swasey Daniel MacMullen Alvira Allen	Bethlehem " " Yarmouth, N. S.	1	Guy Roberts Clergyman
Apr. 16	Littleton	William H. Aiken Margaret A. Reynolds	Bethlehem " "	32 32	White	Trainman " "	McIndoes, Vt. Twin Mountain	John F. Aiken Amie Banks Michael Reynolds Bridget Sheridan Frederic Gainer Laura A. Hitchcock George Alexander Catherine M. Caffrey	Barnet, Vt. Lancashire, Eng. Canada Bethlehem Barton, Vt. Quebec Vermont Campton Bethlehem Lynan Newbury, Vt. Lynan	1	Daniel A. O'Neil Catholic Priest
16	"	Frank M. Gardner Elizabeth J. Alexn'd'r	" "	23 38	White	Tel'ph'ne employe " "	Bethlehem Quebec	Benjamin F. Heath Freeman V. Phillips Escher L. Ferguson Edward E. Bishop Carrie M. Miner Joseph LaFamme Jessie Allard	Bethlehem Quebec Littleton " "	1	Daniel A. O'Neil Catholic Priest
June 1	Bethlehem	Carl G. Hoit Gladys Phillips	" "	22 16		Laborer " "	Littleton " "	Benjamin F. Heath Freeman V. Phillips Escher L. Ferguson Edward E. Bishop Carrie M. Miner Joseph LaFamme Jessie Allard	Vermont Campton Bethlehem Lynan Newbury, Vt. Lynan	1	Guy Roberts Clergyman
4	Littleton	Harry J. Bishop Elizabeth L. LaF'emme	" "	21 23		Salesman Nurse	Bethlehem Littleton	Benjamin F. Heath Freeman V. Phillips Escher L. Ferguson Edward E. Bishop Carrie M. Miner Joseph LaFamme Jessie Allard	Bethlehem Littleton	1	William A. Bacon Clergyman
5	"	Frank J. Beaton Elizabeth W. Gray	Bethlehem " "	34 22		Farmer " "	Bethlehem Scotland	Daniel Beaton James Gray Emma Walker B. M. Chaffee Aima H. Coburn George Puffer Christina Gibson Henry E. Alvord Alice Bissell Mary J. Foulds	Canada Scotland Scotland	1	William A. Bacon Clergyman
8	Bethlehem	Chester V. Chaffee Etta Belle Puffer	" "	28 31		Chauffeur " "	Westfield, Vt. Richford, Vt.	B. M. Chaffee Aima H. Coburn George Puffer Christina Gibson Henry E. Alvord Alice Bissell Mary J. Foulds	Berkshire, Vt. Westfield, Vt. Canada Richford, Vt.	1	Guy Roberts Clergyman
27	"	Henry B. Alvord Margaret Graham	Brunswick, Me. Bethlehem	27 19		Teacher " "	Montague, Mass. Lakeville, Mass.	Henry E. Alvord Alice Bissell Mary J. Foulds	Fulton, Ct. Charlemont, Mass. England Ontario	1	John Graham Clergyman

July 29	Bethlehem	Rob't Von M'schz'sb'r	Bethlehem	42	Justice of S. court	Philadelphia	Dr. Franz Von M'schz'r	Austria	1	N. Dandr'ge P'ndlet'n
	"	Anne Macbeth	"	30	Lawyer	Pittsburg, Pa.	Clara Harrison	Philadelphia	1	Clergyman
Aug. 17	"	Ernest C. Simpson	New Haven, Ct.	40	White	Jef'rs'n City, Tenn	George A. Macbeth	Urbana, O.	1	Robert N. Merriman
	"	Mae E. Hodson	"	28	Teacher	New Haven, Ct.	George Simpson	Baltimore, Md.	1	Clergyman
Sept. 4	Lancaster	Dana S. Jordan	Raymond, Me.	25	Carpenter	Quebec	Frances Shenaler	Winchester, Va.	1	G. N. Dorr
	"	Ethel M. Mathes	Bethlehem	22	Housekeeper	Bethlehem	Kate Seward	Litchfield, Ct.	1	Clergyman
Oct. 22	Malden, Mass.	William Whalen	"	68	Station agent	West Campton	Lester H. Jordan	New Haven, Ct.	2	T. J. Holland
	"	Annie S. Powers	Cliffondale, Mass.	50	Teacher	Lowell, Mass.	Josephine L. Davis	Poland, Me.	1	Catholic Priest
23	Woodsville	Philip F. McKenna	Bethlehem	24	Landlord	Duxbury, Mass.	John M. Mathes	Raymond, Me.	1	Thomas Redden
	"	Mary Whalen	Twin Mountain	23	Domestic	CH'r'lottet'n, P. E. I.	Jeanette E. Hodgdon	Colebrook	1	Catholic Priest
30	Bethlehem	William Arthur Rowe	Bethlehem	24	Porter	Lawrence, Mass.	James Whalen	Lancaster	1	Guy Roberts
	"	Ethel V. Estabrook	"	20	Lawrence, Mass.	Lawrence, Mass.	Philip Powers	Quebec	1	Clergyman
Nov. 4	Portland, Me.	William Weston	"	48	Justice of Peace	Canada	Mary Kelley	Ireland	1	H. T. Waterhouse
	"	Annie McGee	Lowell, Mass.	25	Porter	Canada	Joseph McKenna	"	1	Justice of Peace
29	Lawr'n'e, Mass.	James H. Vashon	Bethlehem	29	Porter	Canada	Margaret Whitley	Canada	1	P. J. Gallagher
	"	Mary O'Connell	Lawrence, Mass.	28	Porter	Ireland	John F. Whalen	Ireland	1	Catholic Priest
	"						Elizabeth Corrigan	"	1	
	"						Arthur Phyliss Rowe	"	1	
	"						Nellie Withee	"	1	
	"						George L. Estabrook	"	1	
	"						Florence McEwan	"	1	
	"						Charles W. Weston	"	1	
	"						Sarah Paulding	"	1	
	"						Andrew McGee	"	1	
	"						Johanna Nelligan	"	1	
	"						Henry Vashon	"	1	
	"						Katherine McCrea	"	1	
	"						Daniel O'Connell	"	1	
	"						Mary Martin	"	1	

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Bethlehem, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1912

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex, Condit ⁿ			Occupation	Birthplace		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Cause of Death
		Years	Months	Days		Male	Female	Color		Father	Mother			
Jan. 11	Sarah Maria Presby	78	1	7	Franconia	M	F	White	Housewife	Franconia	Lisbon	Thos. J. Spooner	Rhoda Quimby	Valvular heart dise ^{se}
Jan. 21	Louis Simond	59	2	10	St. John ^{'s} , Vt	S	"	"	Farmer	St. Mary, P. Q.	New Hampshire	Enoch Simonds	Mary Kennett	Acute nephritis
Feb. 21	Eliza Ann Dexter	72	10	12	Lisbon	W	"	"	"	New Hampshire	Bethlehem	James Young	Rebecca Closson	Cerebral hemorrhage
Mar. 7	Daniel B. Brane	80	4	9	Bethlehem	"	"	"	"	Bethlehem	Hartford, Ct.	Otis W. Crane	Jane Kenney	Cirrhosis of the liver
Mar. 19	Martha M. Ash	81	2	17	Derby, Vt.	"	"	"	"	Hartland, Vt.	"	Harvey May	Mary Ann Snow	Pulmonary tuberc ^l 's
Mar. 23	Lydia F. Sawyer	70	11	21	Franconia	"	"	"	Housewife	"	"	Melzar L. Wats ⁿ	Ars ⁿ Th L. Wright	Chronic bronchitis
May 3	Joseph Morris	65	8	7	Canada	M	W	"	Lumberman	"	"	Alex C. Morris	Sarah J. W. son	Cerebral hemorrhage
May 30	John H. McCullock	78	4	1	Pittsburgh, Pa	"	"	"	Farmer	"	"	John McCullock	Esther Richards ⁿ	Tubercular pneumo ⁿ ia
June 23	Kate Macbeth	53	3	6	"	"	"	"	Housewife	Bethlehem	Bethlehem	Obad Crane	Elvira Bowles	"
July 28	Wendell P. Rice	60	6	3	Bethlehem	"	"	"	Promoter	"	"	Alpha Bartlett	Zelluda Cole	Uraemia
July 29	Allen B. Crane	65	5	3	Whitefield	"	"	"	Carpenter	England	Lymau	John Lovelock	Caroline Und ^r tw ^d	Enterocolitis
Aug. 8	Charles L. Bartlett	85	2	1	England	W	"	"	Ret ^d Ind ^{'d}	Derby, Vt.	Derby, Vt.	John P. Miner	Sally Foss	Veg. on aortic valve
Sept. 1	Caroline Blake	53	2	13	Lymau	M	"	"	Housewife	"	"	George Russell	Susan B. Stevens	Meningitis
Sept. 1	Carrie M. Bishop	56	7	13	Bethlehem	"	"	"	Farmer	"	"	Lucius A. Russell	Olive Cote	Paralysis agitans
Sept. 1	Harley E. Hoyt	79	11	11	Derby, Vt.	"	"	"	Landlord	Rhode Island	Derby, Vt.	Levi Cohnoir	Henrietta Swett	Senile dementia
Oct. 19	Russell H. Gardner	82	11	11	Derby, Vt.	W	"	"	Housewife	Colebrook	Colebrook	Kimball Jordan	Draxie Eaton	Stillborn
Oct. 8	Emily R. Gilmore	79	2	20	Cabot, Vt.	"	"	"	"	Derby, Vt.	Derby, Vt.	Russell Gardner	"	Apoplexy
Oct. 8	Cotnoir	82	11	11	Bethlehem	"	"	"	"	Derby, Vt.	Derby, Vt.	"	"	Cerebral hemorrhage
Oct. 25	Mary Jane Howland	72	4	28	Columbia	M	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Dec. 6	Fred R. Gardner	49	7	28	Bethlehem	"	"	"	Stage driver	"	"	"	"	"

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