

ANNUAL REPORT

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— FOR —

THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1893.

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS
OF THE TOWN OF EASTON,
MARCH 1, 1893.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on deposit March 1, 1892	\$ 484 91
County pauper claim	50 00
O. W. Noyes. S. Kendall note	12 00
Fall Mountain Paper Co., tax on Brooks farm	10 18
Town Clerk for dog licence	31 80
Savings Bank tax, from State	356 08
Literary fund, from State	70 40
D. A. Drew, collector 1884	20 00
Kirk Bowles " 1888	3 04
" " 1889	8 80
" " 1890	35 44
A. M. Ball " 1891	316 27
A. M. Ball, " 1892	844 18
	\$ 2243 10

DISBURSEMENTS.

State tax	240 00
County tax	247 80
School money	461 25
E. B. Coodrich & Co., two complete school charts	32 00
Henry K. Noyes, part of school house tax raised in '89	25 00
	\$ 1,006 05

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

P. P. Oakes,	labor	\$ 7 80
Alonzo Bowles,	"	75
A. G. Aldrich,	"	9 28
Byron A. Clark,	"	48 11
Fall Mountain Paper Co.,	on bridge below dam	125 00
Henry K. Noyes,	logs and plank	23 20
Dan. K. Bowles,	labor	5 62
Thomas Tague,	"	7 80
Israel Jones,	"	18 47
Arthur Ingerson,	"	1 50
W. B. Hall,	"	10 35
Ralph D. Blake,	"	3 15
Kirk Bowles,	"	5 24
Walter Ball,	"	2 06
John W. Gray,	"	10 65
Whitcher & Kendall,	plank	39 72
Stephen Kendall,	"	1 00
O. W. Noyes,	"	7 50
A. M. Ball,	"	6 80
O. E. Judd,	"	5 55
C. A. Young,	plank	10 90
Willis Bowles,	"	3 60
Charles C. Bowles,	"	1 50
Alonzo Cooley,	"	8 00
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		\$ 363 49

BILLS CONTRACTED PRIOR TO MARCH 1, 1892.

B. F. Andrew & Son,	plank	14 84
Whitcher & Kendall,	lumber and labor	59 47
C. F. Eastman,	labor	5 00
A. K. Judd,	labor	1 05
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		\$ 80 36

WATER TROUGHS.

Whitcher & Kendall,	2 50
C. F. Eastman,	3 00
A. M. Ball,	3 00
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	\$ 8 50

TOWN OFFICERS.

George S. Judd, services on school board	\$ 4 00
George S. Judd, supervisor	4 00
W. P. Ball, services as dog constable two years	6 00
John W. Gray, treasurer	10 00
C. A. Young, town clerk	18 00
Willis Bowles, services as selectman	34 91
Henry K. Noyes, services as selectman	23 25
Charles C. Bowles, services as selectman	18 50
Kirk Bowles, collector	10 44
A. M. Ball, collector	30 47
Willis Bowles, chairman school board	15 00
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	\$ 174 57

MISCELLANEOUS.

E. C. Eastman, public statutes, collectors' highway books and blank	\$ 4 97
A. M. Ball, land bid off by town	15 63
Edgar L. Morse, erecting wire fence by highway	6 00
For school supplies	53 31
S. E. Randall, recording births	25
J. A. Morris, recording births and deaths	1 75
Town Clerk, recording births and deaths	1 20
Dog blanks and express	90
Selectmen, stationery and postage	1 86
Berlin Iron Bridge Co., guide boards	6 00
Library trustees	15 00
James A. Smalley, use of shop March and November	15 64
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	\$ 122 45

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COUNTY PAUPERS.

David Eastman, keeping C. Corum	\$13 72	
Alonzo Cooley, keeping A. Cooley	8 42	
Byron A. Clark, taking C. Corum to Co. farm	3 50	
		<u> </u> \$ 25 64

RECAPITULATION.

Total amount of receipts for year	\$1,758 19	
Cash on deposit March 1, 1892	484 91	
		<u> </u> \$2,243 10

DISBURSEMENTS.

State tax	\$ 240 00	
County tax	247 80	
School money	461 25	
School charts	32 00	
School house tax (part of raised in 1889)	25 00	
Highways and bridges	363 49	
Bills contracted prior to March 1, 1892	80 36	
Water troughs	8 50	
Town officers	174 57	
Miscellaneous	122 45	
Paupers	25 64	
Cash on deposit	462 04	
		<u> </u> \$2,243 10

ASSETS.

Cash on deposit	\$ 462 04
Due from D. A. Drew, collector 1884	40 96
Kirk Bowles, collector 1890	27 31
A. M. Ball, collector 1891	17 69
A. M. Ball, collector 1892	322 16
Alonzo Cooley, note and interest	11 74

Due from George W. Kendall, note and interest	24	31	
Stephen Kendall, note and interest	212	00	
County pauper claim		22	14
Ethel A. Corlis, land bid off by town	12	46	
T. J. Pratt, land bid off by town	18	50	
J. M. Atwood, land bid off by town	1	47	
J. K. Corey, land bid off by town, A.			
Cooley farm		6	04
Theodore Gordon on execution		82	16
			<hr/> \$1,260 98

LIABILITIES.

H. Judd order	\$	1	13	
Local fund		400	00	
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Assets above liabilities March 1, 1893				\$ 859 85
Assets above liabilities March 1, 1892	\$	881	03	

The foregoing is presented as a true statement of cash received and expended for the past year. Also the liabilities and assets of the town, as presented by the Selectmen and Treasurer, whose accounts I find correctly kept and properly vouched.

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. DRURY, Auditor.

Easton, N. H., March 1, 1893.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

Text Books Authorized by School Board,

Readers, Lippincott's. Speller, Patterson's Common School. Grammar, Tweed's Common School. Arithmetic, Greenleaf's Inductive. Geography, Harper's. Copy Book, Harper's. History, Barnes'. Physiology, Smith's. As these are satisfactory there is no change contemplated at present.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE,

Including the names of all pupils who have been present every half-day of a term without being tardy.

SCHOOL No. 1. First term—Harold Aldrich, Fred E. Tague, Willie G. Tague, Eugene F. Tague, Eva S. Aldrich, Edna E. Ball, Nellie O. Noyes. Second term—Harry F. Noyes.

SCHOOL No. 2. First term—Edua Brown, Frank Jones, Ida Hall. Second term—Viola M. Lane.

SCHOOL No. 3. First term—Bertha Whitcomb, Edith Gordon. Second term—Jessie Noyes, Horace Stevens.

In No. 1 we have had 26 weeks of school and the average attendance was very good. Miss Evelyn A. Wells had charge the first term, Mrs. Helen M. Smalley the second, both experienced and successful teachers. At the close of each term the pupils did themselves and their teachers credit.

In No. 2 the first term was taught by Mrs. A. T. Young, who had taught a number of terms in this school before and always with excellent success.

The second term Miss Luella M. Huse had charge and did good work, sparing no pains on her part to make this a profitable term. The parents in this school could help if they would see that their children attend school more regularly.

No. 3. This school had two terms, 26 weeks in all, Miss Grace Webster was employed as teacher each term and was well liked by parents and scholars.

Our schools all celebrated Columbus Day and although it was a rainy day most of the parents attended and the exercises were enjoyed by all.

The amount of school money was \$461.25, and of this \$442 has been expended, leaving \$19.25 unexpended. Hoping that the interest of the past year will be continued and our schools still improve,

We respectfully submit this report.

WILLIS BOWLES,
GEORGE S. JUDD,
HENRY K. NOYES. }

School Board
of
Easton.

TABLE NO. 1.

Whole number of scholars not less than five years who have attended school not less than two weeks, none.

Number of persons between 14 and 21 unable to read and write, none.

Number of children reported by selectmen, male 23, female 27.

Number of children between 5 and 15 not attending school, male 0, female 1.

Number of visits by school board. By chairman, 12
 " " " " citizens, 78

Money raised by town, \$ 366 85

Literary fund, 70 40

Interest on local fund, 24 00

Amount of school money, 461 25

Amount unexpended, 19 25

Number of children in district attending private schools not accounted in a public school, 0.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

School	Term.	Teachers Name														
			No. Weeks school	No. of Scholars.	Average Attendance		No. in Reading.	No. in Spelling.	No. in Writing.	No. in Arithmetic.	No. in Geography.	No. in Grammar.	No. in History.	No. in Physiology.	No. in Book-keeping.	No. in Composition
No. 1.	Spring	Evelyn A. Wells	10	23	18	23	23	20	17	11	1	0	23	0	0	23
	Fall	Helen M. Smalley	16	30	22	30	30	30	22	18	4	1	30	1	0	20
No. 2.	Spring	Mrs. A. F. Young	10	9	2	9	9	9	1	5	1	0	9	0	0	9
	Fall	Luella M. Huse	15	16	11	16	16	16	12	5	2	2	16	0	0	16
No. 3.	Spring	Grace B. Webster	10	9	8	9	9	9	2	9	6	2	9	0	6	9
	Fall	Grace B. Webster	16	10	8	10	10	8	8	8	4	1	8	0	6	10

The wages of teachers per week, including board, were as follows: Evelyn A. Wells, spring, \$5.12; Helen M. Smalley, fall, \$5.50; Mrs. A. T. Young, spring, \$5.00; Luella M. Huse, fall, \$5.00; Grace B. Webster, spring, \$5.00; Grace B. Webster, fall, \$5.00.