

TOWN OF CLARENDON.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS,

For the year ending March 31, 1898.

The Board of School Directors organized by choosing John Ridlon as Chairman and F. B. Kingsley as Clerk.

Schools have been maintained in all the districts the same as last year.

Orders to the amount of \$689.58 were drawn to pay the balance of the expenses for the School year ending March 31, 1897. Orders have been drawn since April 1, 1897, as follows:—

Teachers' wages,	\$1045 00
Wood,	72 50
School books and supplies,	191 88
Insurance,	30 16
Cleaning school houses,	9 75
Repairing,	8 00
Incidentals,	8 21
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	\$1365 50
Bills to be paid,—	
Teachers' wages,	646 00
Incidentals, estimated,	25 00

JOHN RIDLON, }
J. J. BROWN, } School Directors.

ACCOUNT OF E. E. CONGDON, ROAD COMMISSIONER.

1897.			
Mar.	9	Order book,	\$ 50
		Plank for sluice,	60
Apr.	27	Two shovels,	1 50
		Wrench,	85
May	4	Spikes,	2 56
		Hatchet,	1 00
	10	Four hooks,	1 85
	11	Oil for machine,	45
	14	Blacksmithing,	2 45
June	1	Extras for harrow,	60
	5	Boxes for road men,	15
		S. Wright, work,	10
	15	Freight on extras for machine,	25
	19	H. Wescot, for repairing machine,	50
	25	Freight on feed for teams,	2 58
	30	S. L. Griffith, for work, men and teams,	190 52
July	9	C. M. Co., extras for machine,	11 00
	20	Extras for plow,	1 75
Aug.	18	Handle for sledge,	15
	21	Two sticks for stringers,	50
Nov.	20	Wm. Flanders, for work,	3 75
Dec.	4	Geo. Fisk, for work,	1 50
1898.			
Jan.	27	Alfred Hayes, for work,	75
		E. E. Congdon, man 6 days., 6 hrs.,	9 90
		" " team 46 " 7 "	93 40
		" " self 87 " 6 "	175 20
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			\$504 36
May	18	Order No. 12	50 00
June	22	" 26	25 00
	29	" 33	200 00
July	7	" 49	11 00
	31	" 54	50 00
Aug.	21	" 57	10 00
Sept.	13	" 62	50 00
Oct.	23	" 73	15 00

Nov.	22	Order No. 82	77 00
		Town order for building cemetery road,	13 05

1898.

Jan.	27	Order No. 87	3 31
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			\$504 36

Tools belonging to town,—

1 plow, 1 harrow, 3 bars, 5 shovels, 2 hooks, 1 sledge, 1 pick, 1 hatchet.

ORDERS DRAWN BY ROAD COMMISSIONER.

Date.	No.	To whom.	Amount.
1897			
Mar.	1 73	S. H. Mitchell, for work,	\$1 75
	1 74	A. H. Spencer, "	7 45
	1 75	M. H. Ridlon, for work,	9 62
	10 1	Thomas Pierce, for work,	1 00
	10 2	C. K. Learned, for work,	2 08
May	7 3	Chas. Atwater, for work,	6 54
	10 4	Elmer Hinkley, for work,	7 00
	10 5	George Fisk,	3 05
	10 6	H. H. Keech, for work,	20 00
	10 7	S. E. Smith, for work,	14 00
	10 8	F. M. Benson, for work,	13 30
	9 9	J. A. H. Eddy, for work,	6 00
	14 10	James Alwell, for work,	3 50
	14 11	L. R. Burr, for work,	16 25
	18 12	E. E. Congdon,	50 00
	31 13	Geo. Fisk, for work,	29 05
	31 14	P. Perry, for work,	25 20
June	1 15	M. Thompson, for work,	34 35
	4 16	L. S. Glynn, for work,	1 05
	4 17	John Mayher, for work,	1 50
	5 18	R. Merrill, for work,	1 50
	5 19	W. E. Burr, for boarding men,	2 50
	5 20	Mrs. C. C. Pierce, for b'rding men,	6 00
	8 21	Hiram Wood for work,	1 80
	14 22	E. Congdon, for boarding men,	17 00
	19 23	C. A. Spafford, for work,	20 00
	19 24	C. A. Spafford, for board,	9 00

June	19	25	J. Keiley, for work,	2 50
	22	26	E. E. Congdon,	25 00
	25	27	Geo. Quincy, for work,	6 00
	25	28	J. F. Eddy, for work,	6 00
	25	29	Ralph Potter, for work,	6 00
	25	30	Wm. Potter, for work,	4 50
	26	31	Geo. Fisk, for work,	20 00
	26	32	Mrs. H. Westcot, for b'rdng men,	11 67
	29	33	E. E. Congdon,	200 00
July	3	34	Herbert Eddy, for work,	1 50
	3	35	James Alwell, for work,	10 50
	7	36	P. Perry, for work,	41 40
	7	37	J. Provo, for work,	7 55
	7	38	W. Wright, for work,	1 75
	7	39	M. Thompson, for work,	33 00
	7	40	L. R. Burr, for work,	30 00
	7	41	D. P. Eddy, Jr., for work,	7 50
	7	42	J. A. H. Eddy, for work,	4 50
	7	43	Wm. Flanders, for work,	1 50
	7	44	R. Potter, for work,	3 00
	7	45	W. Potter, for work,	1 50
	7	46	Geo. Fisk, for work,	12 25
	7	47	F. M. Benson, for work,	17 25
	7	48	H. H. Congdon, for work,	15 00
	7	49	E. E. Congdon, for work,	11 00
	8	50	J. F. Keyes, for 50 cedar posts,	5 00
	10	51	E. Congdon, for work,	22 00
	10	52	E. Congdon, for 573 loads gravel,	28 65
	29	53	B. E. Horton, for lumber,	23 18
	31	54	E. E. Congdon,	50 00
Aug.	4	55	M. Thompson, for work,	30 90
	17	56	E. Congdon, Jr., for work,	5 55
	21	57	E. E. Congdon,	10 00
Sept.	4	58	Wm. Smith, for work,	1 65
	10	59	Geo. Fisk, for work,	15 00
Sept.	10	60	S. E. Smith, work and dirt,	7 00
	10	61	J. H. Kingsley, 2 shovels,	1 20
	13	62	E. E. Congdon,	50 00
	13	63	C. C. Pierce, for work,	5 50
	16	64	H. Wood, for work,	1 50
	21	65	E. Congdon, Jr., for work,	5 25
	21	66	H. H. Congdon, for work,	4 50

	21	67	M. Thompson, for work,	52 05
	21	68	P. Perry, for work,	28 05
	27	69	B. E. Horton, for plank,	15 84
	28	70	Geo. Fisk, for work,	16 65
Oct.	4	71	C. W. Atwater, for work,	17 13
	6	72	M. H. Ridlon, for work,	14 50
	23	73	E. E. Congdon,	15 00
	23	74	L. R. Burr, for work, posts and dirt,	7 10
	23	75	R. F. Powers, for work,	1 20
Nov.	1	76	Geo. Fisk, for work,	4 50
	1	77	J. H. Kingsley, for work,	2 75
	5	78	C. A. Spafford, for work and material,	19 30
	6	79	J. A. H. Eddy, for work,	8 25
	13	80	Wm. Flanders, for work,	9 75
	20	81	P. Perry, for work,	12 00
	22	82	E. E. Congdon,	77 00
	22	83	F. M. Benson, for work,	5 25
	22	84	Wm. Smith, for work,	1 56
Dec.	10	85	M. Thompson, for work,	6 60
1898				
Jan.	27	86	C. E. Seamans, for work,	2 25
	27	87	E. E. Congdon,	3 31
	29	88	E. Flanders, for work,	1 20
	29	89	Wm. Crossman, for work,	1 20
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				\$1380 68

ORDERS DRAWN BY THE SELECTMEN FOR THE
YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 9, 1898.
1897.

Mar.	17	1	F. M. Butler, services as First Selectman in 1896,	\$ 32 75
		2	C. A. Spafford, services as Second Selectman,	18 75
		3	J. C. Colvin, services as Third Selectman,	17 25
		4	F. B. Kingsley, services as Town Clerk,	21 56

	5	F. B. Kingsley, services as School Director,	5 25
	6	F. B. Kingsley, services as Sup't of schools,	20 00
	7	F. B. Kingsley, services as Clerk of School Board,	13 43
	8	Edwin Congdon, services as Lister,	21 00
	9	I. L. Spafford, " "	21 00
	10	W. S. Haynes, " "	19 50
	11	John Ridlon, services as School Director,	6 75
	12	J. J. Brown, services as School Director,	5 25
	13	D. P. Eddy, services as Overseer of Poor,	31 50
	14	Geo. R. Davis, 2d., services as Constable,	8 70
	15	A. H. Spencer, services as Treasurer,	10 00
	16	Roscoe Printing House, for printing Town Reports,	26 40
	17	J. H. Davis, services as Auditor,	10 50
	18	" " paper, postage and express charges,	1 50
	19	A. C. Peck, work on bridges,	1 65
May	5 20	Gratz Powers, money to pay town indebtedness,	600 00
	21	Cora G. Cavanaugh, money to pay town indebtedness,	844 82
	29 22	Henry F. Field, County tax,	62 85
	23	State Treasurer, State School tax.	314 24
	24	State Treasurer, State Highway tax,	314 24
	31 25	C. A. Spafford, work on bridges,	25 70
June	22 26	Chas. Drinwater, " " "	10 00
July	13 27	F. M. Butler, " " "	12 87
	17 28	F. Chaffee's Sons, 1283 ft. lumber,	19 96
	29	E. E. Congdon, building highway to cemetery,	13 05
Aug.	26 30	Chas. Drinwater, work on wing wall of Marsh bridge,	75 00

Sept.	4 31	F. Chaffee's Sons, 640 ft. plank,	8 32
	32	Noel Potter, work and cash paid out,	18 78
	33	I. S. Hall, tax paid on list 1895,	1 70
	18 34	C. A. Spafford, work on bridges and cash paid out,	21 67
	27 35	B. E. Horton, 4741 ft. lumber,	50 15
	36	H. H. Keech, services as Auditor in 1896,	7 50
Oct.	2 37	D. G. Jones, 3010 ft. plank,	32 12
	9 38	F. Chaffee's Sons, 250 ft. lumber,	4 25
	39	Geo. R. Davis, paint and work on bridge,	5 74
	40	Noel Potter, cash pd. out work,	20 00
	18 41	Chas. Drinwater, building break-water Marsh bridge,	150 00
	25 42	State Treasurer, State tax,	606 44
	43	E. S. Barrows, land damage,	3 00
Dec.	17 44	C. A. Spafford, 7170 ft. plank and work on bridge,	97 34
	45	Chas. Drinwater, work on Kingsley bridge,	2 50
1898			
Jan.	24 46	F. M. Butler, 32 lbs. spikes and work on bridge,	8 96
	29 47	E. E. Congdon, work on bridge,	60
	48	Noel Potter, w'k on Everest bridge,	1 80
	49	B. E. Horton, 3074 ft. plank,	30 74
Feb. 3	50	Geo. R. Davis 2d, abatements on list of '96,	5 10
	51	Annie C. Kingsley, Town Clerk's services for 1897,	15 76
	52	Joel C. Baker, services as Town Counsel,	93 30
	53	C. A. Spafford, insurance on Town Hall,	7 40
	54	Transfer to Highway Fund, 20 per cent of Grand List,	1212 88
	7 55	Transfer to School Fund, 30 per cent of Grand List,	1819 32

Feb. 7	56	J. C. Colvin, putting up guard rails,	4 43
	57	Chas. Stafford, services as Auditor, 1897,	5 00
			<u>\$6820 27</u>

SUMMARY.

Miscellaneous orders,	\$1045 48
Borrowed money,	1444 82
State Taxes,	1234 92
County Tax,	62 85
Transfer to Highway Fund,	1212 88
Transfer to School Fund,	1819 32
	<u>\$6820 27</u>

ORDERS DRAWN ON CEMETERY FUND.

1897.			
July	17	1 W. Flanders, for work,	\$5 25
		2 J. C. Spencer, mowing cemetery at E. Clarendon,	3 00
Aug.	11	3 J. F. Hayes, mowing cemetery at Chippenhook,	5 00
Nov.	30	4 B. C. Ingalls, 21 cedar posts,	3 08
1898.			
Jan.	24	5 F. M. Butler, material and work,	3 62
	29	6 C. A. Spafford, mowing Marsh cemetery,	1 50
			<u>\$21 45</u>

ORDERS DRAWN ON DOG FUND.

1897.			
Nov.	30	1 Eugene Hodges, damage to sheep,	\$12 00
		2 Henry Austin, " "	5 00
		3 J. F. Eddy, " "	2 00
		4 Noel Potter, examination and traveling fees,	3 20
		5 F. M. Butler, examination and traveling fees,	1 60
			<u>\$23 80</u>

ORDERS DRAWN BY OVERSEER OF POOR.

1897.

Feb.	23	46	J. A. H. Eddy, 6 bu. potatoes for Lapoints,	\$ 2 10
		47	John Ridlon, butter and services	2 36
Mar.	30	1	D. P. Eddy, cash paid out,	6 02
Apr.	1	2	Chas. Atwater, wood,	4 00
		4	Mrs. G. W. Rhodes, keeping Mrs. Whitney,	16 00
		5	D. P. Eddy, cash paid out,	11 86
May	13	6	" " " " witnesses in Mead case,	21 41
		7	D. P. Eddy, goods for poor,	8 65
June	4	8	Mrs. Wm. M. Flanders, keeping Wm. Smith,	28 52
		9	J. G. Kelly, house rent,	11 00
		10	Mrs. G. W. Rhodes, care and keeping Mrs. Whitney,	21 25
July	12	11	D. P. Eddy, cash paid for Lapoints,	7 60
		12	Fred Taylor, wood for Lapoints,	7 00
Aug.	2	13	Mrs. G. W. Rhodes, keeping Mrs. Whitney,	10 00
		14	D. P. Eddy, goods for Lapoints,	8 64
		15	" " " " " "	2 15
Sept.	25	16	Mrs. G. W. Rhodes, keeping Mrs. Whitney,	12 00
		17	John Ridlon, butter for Lapoints,	15 00
Oct.	5	18	Mrs. W. M. Flanders, keeping Wm. Smith,	11 00
		19	D. P. Eddy, groceries for Lapoints,	3 98
		20	D. P. Eddy, goods for Lapoints,	6 45
		21	J. G. Kelly, house rent,	10 00
		22	Mrs. G. W. Rhodes, keeping Mrs. Whitney,	12 00
Nov.	13	23	D. P. Eddy, cash paid for Lapoints,	12 93
		24	E. D. Leonard, wood for Lapoints,	9 00
Dec.	3	25	J. C. Spencer, goods and medicine,	22 23
		26	Mrs. G. W. Rhodes, keeping Mrs. Whitney,	10 00

1898.				
Jan.	3	27	D. P. Eddy, cash paid for poor,	17 35
	26	28	E. D. Leonard, wood and potatoes for Lapoint,	8 00
	31	29	John Ridlon, butter for Lapoint,	10 05
Feb.	7	30	J. C. Spencer, goods for poor,	2 74
		31	D. P. Eddy, keeping transients,	2 75
		32	J. G. Kelly, house rent to March 1, 1898,	10 00
	8	32	W. M. Flanders, keeping Wm. Smith,	24 75
		33	Mrs. G. W. Rhodes, keeping Mrs. Whitney to Mar. 1, '98,	22 75
				<u>\$391 54</u>

TOWN OF CLARENDON To D. P. EDDY, DR.

1897. SERVICES AS OVERSEER OF POOR.

Mar.	1	To 1 day at Rutland and Springs for supplies,	\$1 50
	19	" 1 day looking after poor,	1 50
Apr.	1	" 1-2 day at Springs for groceries for Lapoint family,	75
	7	" 1-2 day at Rutland, Mead case,	75
	24	" 1-2 day at Springs for groceries for Lapoint family,	75
May	3	" 1-2 day at Rutland for witnesses in Mead case,	75
	6	" 1 day at Rutland, Mead case,	1 50
	7	" 1 day at Rutland, Mead case,	1 50
	13	" 1 day to deliver goods to Lapoint family,	1 50
June	5	" 1-2 day, groceries for Lapoints,	75
	22	" 1-2 day, groceries for Lapoints,	75
July	10	" 1-2 day, groceries for Lapoints,	75
Aug.	9	" 1 day to Rutland and Springs for supplies,	1 50
	30	" 1-2 day for supplies for Lapoints,	75
Sept.	17	" 1-2 day for supplies for Lapoints,	75
	27	" 1-2 day at Burdicks for supplies,	75
Oct.	12	" 1-2 day, supplies for Lapoints	75

Oct.	27	" 1 day at Rutland and Springs for supplies,	1 50
Nov.	20	" 1 day at Rutland and Springs for supplies,	1 50
Dec.	10	" 1-2 day for supplies,	75
	31	" 1 day for supplies,	1 50
1898			
Jan.	28	" 1-2 day at Rutland for supplies,	75
	29	" 1-2 day at Springs,	75
Eeb.	7	" 1 day settling for care of poor,	1 50
	8	" 1 day settling accounts,	1 50
			<u>\$27 00</u>

I have helped George Johnson during the past year to the amount of \$21.22, which sum has been paid in full by the town of Shrewsbury.

D. P. EDDY, Overseer of Poor.

REPORT OF TOWN AGENT.

There is only one suit now pending, which is against the town of Rutland for the care of Mrs. Mead. It is in the Supreme Court and will be heard in May next. While there is no question in regard to the actual residence of Mrs. Mead for fifteen years previous to the demand for her support, the town of Rutland claims that under the new pauper law that it was necessary for her to have gained a residence herself after her husband died, and is the point to be determined.

WM. W. WALKER, Town Agent

TOWN OF CLARENDON To WM. W. WALKER, DR.

FEB. 7, 1898,		
To 3 days spent in pauper case,		\$4 50
To Cash for expenses in same,		1 50
		<u>\$6 00</u>

TOWN OF CLARENDON To F. M. BUTLER, DR.

1897. SERVICES AS FIRST SELECTMAN.

Mar.	17	To 1 day drawing orders and bonds,	\$1 50
June	18	To 1 day at Clarendon Springs,	1 50
Aug.	11	To ½ day at N. Clarendon br'kwater,	75
	26	To ½ day at " " "	75
Oct.	18	To ½ day at " " "	75
1898.			
Jan.	29	To ½ day m't'g B'rd of Civil Authority	75
Feb.	3	To 1 day " " "	1 50
	7	To ½ day to draw orders,	75
			<u>\$8 25</u>

TOWN OF CLARENDON To C. A. SPAFFORD, DR.

1897. SERVICES AS SECOND SELECTMAN.

Mar.	17	To ½ day drawing orders,	75
May	5	1 day borrowing money and making papers,	1 50
	18	1 day looking after bridges and ordering plank,	1 50
Nov.	5	½ day looking after bridges and ordering plank,	75
	30	½ day drawing orders and making deeds,	75
1898.			
Jan.	29	½ day allowing claims,	75
Feb.	3	1 day drawing orders and abating taxes,	1 50
			<u>\$7 50</u>

TOWN OF CLARENDON To NOEL POTTER, DR.

1897. SERVICES AS THIRD SELECTMAN.

March	17	To ½ day drawing orders and seeing A. H. Spencer about settling,	75
June	18	½ d. at Springs to see about bridge,	75

June	19	Making out tax bill, returning G'nd List book, and taking tax book to Treasurer Fuller,	4 00
	28	To Rutland for spikes and to order lumber for bridges,	1 50
Aug.	11	going to N. Clarendon to see about wing to abutment and letting job to Drinwater,	75
Nov.	30	drawing orders and making deeds for cemetery lots,	75
Dec.	7	½ d. at E. Clarendon to ap't Clerk,	75
1898.			
Jan.	29	½ d. m't'g B'rd of Civil Authority,	75
Feb.	3	1 d. " " " "	1 50
			<u>\$11 50</u>

TOWN OF CLARENDON To JOHN RIDLON, DR.

1897. SERVICES AS SCHOOL DIRECTOR.

Mar.	4	To ½ day to organize School Board,	\$ 75
	17	" ½ day to Kingsley's on school business,	75
Apr.	5	" ½ day to meeting Directors,	75
June	1	" ½ day to meeting Directors,	75
	8	" ½ day to meeting Directors,	75
July	3	" ½ day to meeting Directors,	75
	6	" 1 day to Tinmouth, looking for teacher,	1 50
1898.			
Feb.	4	" 1 day making report,	1 50
			<u>\$7 50</u>

TOWN OF CLARENDON To J. J. BROWN, DR.

1897. SERVICES AS SCHOOL DIRECTOR.

Mar.	4	To ½ day meeting Directors,	\$ 75
June	1	" ½ day meeting Directors,	75
	8	" ½ day meeting Directors,	75

July	3	"	½ day meeting Directors,	75
Oct.	25	"	½ day meeting Directors,	75
	28	"	1 day about schools,	1 50
1898.				
Jan.	6	"	½ day meeting Directors,	75
				<u>\$6 00</u>

TOWN OF CLARENDON To F. B. KINGSLEY, DR.

1897. SERVICES AS SCHOOL DIRECTOR.

Mar.	4	To	½ day meeting of Directors,	\$ 75
Apr.	30	"	½ day seeing about schools,	75
June	1	"	½ day meeting of Directors,	75
	8	"	½ day meeting of Directors,	75
Oct.	25	"	½ day meeting of Directors,	75
	28	"	1 day looking after schools,	1 50
				<u>\$5 25</u>

For services as Clerk of School Board,—				
To taking school census,				\$8 68

TOWN OF CLARENDON To J. H. DAVIS, DR.

1897. SERVICES AS AUDITOR.

Mar.	To 1½ days to E. Clarendon to audit Treasurer's acc't. and to Rutland for counsel,			\$2 25
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1898.

Jan.	28	"	1 day on tax book,	1 50
	29	"	1 day with Treasurer and at Town Hall,	1 50
Feb.	1	"	1 day with Treasurer,	1 50
	3	"	1 day at Town Hall,	1 50
	4	"	1 day with School Directors,	1 50
	5	"	1 day on report,	1 50
	7	"	1 day on report,	1 50
	8	"	1 day with Overseer of Poor and report,	1 50
	9	"	1 day on report,	1 50
				<u>\$15 75</u>

TOWN OF CLARENDON To LISTERS, DR.

To Edwin Congdon, 18 days, 1897,	\$27 00
J. C. White, 18 days, 1897,	27 00
W. S. Haynes, estimated,	27 00
<u>\$81 00</u>	

TOWN OF CLARENDON To JACOB FULLER, DR.

Services as Treasurer one year,	\$10 00
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TOWN OF CLARENDON To AUDITORS, DR.

J. H. Davis, as per bill,	15 75
C. F. Stafford,	2 50
H. H. Keech, estimated,	2 50
<u>\$20 75</u>	

SUMMARY OF OFFICERS' CLAIMS FOR SERVICES.

F. M. Butler, First Selectman,	\$ 8 25
C. A. Spafford, Second Selectman,	7 50
Noel Potter, Third Selectman,	11 50
D. P. Eddy, Overseer of Poor,	27 00
John Ridlon, School Director,	7 50
F. B. Kingsley, School Director,	5 25
J. J. Brown, School Director,	6 00
F. B. Kingsley, Clerk of School Board,	8 68
W. W. Walker, Town Agent,	6 00
Edwin Congdon, Lister,	27 00
J. C. White, Lister,	27 00
W. S. Haynes, Lister, estimated,	27 00
Jacob Fuller, Treasurer,	10 00
J. H. Davis, Auditor,	15 75
C. F. Stafford Auditor,	2 50
H. H. Keech, Auditor, estimated,	2 50
<u>\$199 43</u>	

TOWN OF CLARENDON,

IN ACC'T WITH F. B. KINGSLEY ON DOG FUND, 1897.

Whole number of male dogs registered,	84	\$84 00
Whole number of female dogs registered,	1	4 00
Total number,	85	\$88 00
Register fee, 85 at 10 cts. each,	8 50	
Apr. 3, Treasurer's receipt,	63 00	
20, " "	9 00	
May 20, " "	7 50	
		<u>\$88 00</u>

TAXES.

Amount of Grand List, 1897,	\$6064 40	
Amount of Tax bill,	6064 40	
Paid to Treasurer,	\$5210 68	
Discount allowed,	217 58	
Placed in Collector's hands,	636 14	
		<u>\$6064 40</u>
Amount given to Geo. R. Davis, 2d., for collection, List of 1897,	\$636 14	
Paid in to Treasurer,	\$503 74	
Abatements,	22 60	
Collection fee,	12 27	
Balance due Town Feb. 8, 1898,	97 53	
		<u>\$636 14</u>

1897.

Feb. 10 Due from Geo. R. Davis, 2d, on List of 1896,	\$51 32	
Paid in treasury,		<u>51 32</u>

Feb. 10, 1897 Due from M. H. Rid- lon, on Lists of '94 and '95,	\$157 93	
Paid in treasury,	100 00	
Balance due town Feb. 8, 1898,	57 93	
		<u>\$157 93</u>

A. H. SPENCER'S ACCOUNT AS TREASURER.

1897

Feb. 16	Bal. in gen'l fund from settlement,	\$565 46	
	To paid order, J. W. Farrell,		
	61,	3 00	
	Balance in fund Mar. 4, '97,	562 46	
			<u>\$565 46</u>
Feb. 16	Bal. in Highway fund from settlement,		7 08
	To paid order, A. H. Spen- cer, 74,	7 45	
	To paid order, R. Merrill, 72,	75	
	Balance due fund Mar. 4, '97,		<u>1 12</u>
		8 20	8 20

Feb. 16	Bal. due School fund from settlement,	260 97	
	To paid order, Frank B. Fuller, 74,	17 88	
	To paid order, John B. Rid- lon, 61,	10 85	
	Bal. due fund Mar. 4, 1897,	289 70	
			<u>\$289 70</u>

Mar. 4	Balance in Cemetery fund,	62 26	
	Bal. in Dog fund,	338 90	
			<u>338 90</u>

SUMMARY.

Mar. 4	Bal. in General fund,	562 46	
	Bal. due Highway fund,	1 12	
	Bal. due School fund,	289 70	
	Bal. in Cemetery fund,	62 26	
	Bal. in Dog fund,	338 90	
	Total Balance due town,	672 80	
			<u>\$963 62 \$963 62</u>

Mar.	17	Paid Jacob Fuller,	71 32	
April	14	Paid Jacob Fuller,	10 00	
May	4	Paid Jacob Fuller,	40 00	
July	2	Paid Jacob Fuller,	551 48	\$672 80
	2	Paid Jacob Fuller, interest,	8 27	
			\$681 07	

REPORT OF JACOB FULLER, TREASURER.

1897.

GENERAL FUND.

March	17	By check from A. H. Spencer,	\$71 32	
	17	To paid order,—		
		Mrs. W. H. Rhodes,	38 10 00	
		Roscoe Printing House,	16 26 40	
		J. H. Davis,	17 10 50	
		J. H. Davis,	18 1 50	
	28	1 fox bounty, John Marsh,	60	
	30	To paid order,—		
		Edwin Congdon,	8 21 00	
		I. L. Spafford,	9 21 00	
	31	D. P. Eddy,	1 6 02	
		D. P. Eddy,	44 1 50	
April	3	F. B. Kingsley,	4 21 56	
	5	John Ridlon,	47 2 36	
	10	By check for fox bounty,	7 20	
		To pd. order,—		
		J. A. H. Eddy,	46 2 10	
	14	A. H. Spencer,	15 10 00	
		By cash from A. H. Spencer,	10 00	
May	4	By cash from A. H. Spencer,	40 00	
	9	To paid order, the Tuttle Co.	19 85	
	5	By order, Gratz Powers,	600 00	
	5	By order, Carrie Cavanaugh,	844 82	
		To paid order,—		
		Mrs. W. M. Flanders,	27 21 50	
		Mrs. G. W. Rhodes,	22 26 00	
		John Ridlon,	36 11 65	
		Mrs. W. M. Flanders,	45 9 78	
		J. E. Seamons,	42 20 50	
		C. A. Spafford,	2 18 75	

May	5	G. W. Rhodes,	4 16 00	
	17	D. P. Eddy,	13 31 50	
April	29	D. P. Eddy,	5 11 86	
		F. E. Taylor,	40 7 00	
May	13	John Ridlon,	8 33 78	
		C. A. Spafford,	52 32 25	
		State Treasurer, State		
		Tax,	30 262 89	
	14	W. S. Haynes,	10 19 50	
	19	Charles Atwater,	2 4 00	
	20	Leonard Steward,	44 9 00	
	22	F. M. Butler,	1 32 75	
June	12	From M. H. Ridlon, on		
		lists of '94 and '95,		100 00
	15	To 600 tax blanks and		
		1000 envelopes,	5 50	
		Express on same,	30	
	24	To paid order,—		
		Mrs. G. W. Rhodes,	10 21 25	
April	3	F. B. Kingsley,	5 5 25	
		F. B. Kingsley,	6 20 00	
		F. B. Kingsley,	7 13 40	
	5	John Ridlon,	11 6 75	
May	8	J. J. Brown,	12 5 25	
July	2	By cash from A. H.		
		Spencer,		559 75
	7	To paid order,—		
		Rutland County Bank,	29 600 00	
		D. P. Eddy,	6 21 41	
		D. P. Eddy,	7 8 65	
	20	Chas. Drinwater,	26 10 00	
		For postage stamps,	7 50	
	22	To paid order,—		
		F. M. Butler,	27 12 87	
Aug.	16	D. P. Eddy,	14 8 64	
	26	Chas. Drinwater,	30 75 00	
	27	F. Chaffee's Sons,	28 19 96	
	28	John Ridlon,	59 28 75	
	31	E. E. Congdon,	29 13 05	
Sept.	4	Noel Potter,	32 18 78	
	7	I. S. Hall,	33 1 70	
	8	D. P. Eddy,	11 7 60	

Sept.	8	Fred E. Taylor,	12	7 00	
		J. G. Kelley,	9	11 00	
		C. A. Spafford,	25	25 70	
15		Mrs. W. M. Flanders,	8	28 52	
		Mrs. G. W. Rhodes,	10	10 00	
		Henry F. Field,	22	62 85	
18		F. Chaffee's Sons,	68	117 23	
		C. A. Spafford,	34	21 67	
20		A. C. Peck,	19	1 65	
21		J. C. Colvin,	3	17 25	
22		H. L. Hoag,	51	3 15	
		State Treasurer,	26	657 24	
		Fox bounty,		60	
24		State Treasurer, State			
		Highway tax,		314 24	
		State Treasurer, State			
		School tax,		314 24	
25		D. P. Eddy,	43	10 00	
		D. P. Eddy,	15	2 15	
		Mrs. G. W. Rhodes,	16	12 00	
		For tax book,		50	
28		B. E. Horton,	35	50 15	
29		A. J. Newton,	64	3 00	
		H. H. Keech,	36	7 50	
Oct.	5	From State Treasurer			
		1 Fox bounty,			60
11		To paid order, D. P.			
		Eddy,	19	3 98	
		John Ridlon,	17	15 00	
		Mrs. W. M. Flanders,	18	11 00	
13		D. G. Jones,	37	32 12	
14		D. P. Eddy,	20	6 45	
18		Chas. Drinwater,	41	150 00	
19		From Geo. R. Davis 2d,			
		taxes for 1896,			42 80
		To paid order J. E.			
		Seamons,	42	2 00	
		J. G. Kelley,	41	5 00	
		Geo. R. Davis 2d,	14	8 70	
		Noel Potter,	40	20 00	
28		E. S. Barrows,	43	3 00	

Oct.	28	State Treasurer State			
		tax,	42	606 44	
		Mrs. G. W. Rhodes,	22	12 00	
Nov.	2	F. Chaffee's Sons,	31	8 32	
		F. Chaffee's Sons,	38	4 25	
	16	D. P. Eddy,	23	12 93	
30		J. G. Kelley,	21	10 00	
		Geo. R. Davis,	39	5 74	
		From Geo. R. Davis 2d,			
		taxes 1897,			385 74
		For postage stamps,		48	
Dec.	3	E. D. Leonard,	24	9 00	
	17	C. A. Spafford,	44	97 34	
	18	Chas. Drinwater,	45	2 50	
1898. Jan.	7	J. C. Spencer,	25	22 23	
		Mrs. G. W. Rhodes,	26	10 00	
		D. P. Eddy,	27	17 35	
	24	By cash from D. P.			
		Eddy,			5 00
	27	To paid order E. D.			
		Leonard,	28	8 00	
	29	By cash from C. A.			
		Spafford for old plank,			2 00
		To paid order Noel			
		Potter,	48	1 80	
Feb.	2	B. E. Horton,	49	30 74	
	4	By cash of Geo. R. Da-			
		vis, bal. tax of 1896,			8 52
		By cash of Geo. R. Da-			
		vis, list of 1897,			109 48
		To paid order Geo. R.			
		Davis,	50	5 10	
		C. A. Spafford,	53	7 40	
		E. E. Congdon,,	47	60	
	5	Annie C. Kingsley,	51	15 76	
		Transfer to Highway			
		Fund,	54	1212 88	
		Interest on 23 orders,		125 07	
		To paid order F. M.			
		Butler,	46	8 96	
		Taxes received on list			
		of 1897,			5210 68

Feb.	5	To collecting taxes,	52	11
		By cash of F. M. Butler		
		for old plank,		2 00
		Transfer to School		
		Fund,	55	1819 32
		To paid order D. P.		
		Eddy,	31	2 75
		Balance in Fund Feb.		
		8, 1898,	321	24
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			\$7999 91\$7999 91	

1897 HIGHWAY FUND.

May		To paid order,—		
	10	Elmer Hinkley,	4	7 00
	13	Frank Benson,	8	13 30
	15	James Alwell,	10	3 50
	18	E. E. Congdon,	12	50 00
	19	Charles Atwater,	3	6 54
	20	Geo. Fisk,	5	3 05
	21	L. R. Burr,	11	16 25
June	7	L. S. Glynn,	16	1 05
	18	T. C. Pierce,	1	1 00
		Mrs. C. C. Pierce,	20	6 00
		W. E. Burr,	19	2 50
	22	J. Keiley,	25	2 50
		C. K. Learned,	2	2 08
	29	Hiram Wood,	21	1 80
July	6	James Alwell,	35	10 50
	7	From State Treasurer,		332 85
		To paid order,—		
		E. E. Congdon,	49	11 00
		Geo. Fisk,	31	20 00
		E. E. Congdon,	33	200 00
	10	J. A. H. Eddy,	9	6 00
		J. A. H. Eddy,	42	4 50
	12	Ralph Potter,	29	6 00
		Wm. Potter,	30	4 50
		Ralph Potter,	44	3 00
		Wm. Potter,	45	1 50
	17	Wm. Flanders,	43	1 50
	26	Geo. Quincy,	27	6 00

July	29	Geo. Fisk,	13	29 05
		P. Perry,	36	41 40
		L. R. Burr,	40	30 00
		Frank W. Benson,	47	17 25
		Hugh H. Congdon,	48	15 00
		Geo. Fisk,	46	12 25
		Herbert Eddy,	34	1 50
		E. E. Congdon,	54	50 00
Aug.	4	D. P. Eddy Jr.	41	7 50
	18	E. Congdon Jr.,	56	5 55
	19	M. Thompson,	55	30 90
	21	E. E. Congdon,	57	10 00
		J. Provo,	37	7 55
Sept.	8	M. Thompson,	39	33 00
		P. Perry,	14	25 20
		R. Merrill,	18	1 50
		M. Thompson,	15	34 35
		C. A. Spafford,	24	9 00
	16	C. A. Spafford,	23	20 00
		S. E. Smith,	7	14 00
		E. E. Congdon,	26	25 00
		Wm. A. Smith,	58	1 65
	10	Geo. Fisk,	59	15 00
	13	E. E. Congdon,	62	50 00
	21	M. Thompson,	67	52 05
		J. F. Keyes,	50	5 00
	22	H. H. Keech,	6	20 00
		P. Perry,	68	28 05
		John Mayher,	17	1 50
		J. F. Eddy,	28	6 00
		E. Congdon Jr.	65	5 25
		H. H. Congdon,	66	4 50
		S. E. Smith,	60	7 00
		Mrs. Henry Wescot,	32	11 67
		Edwin Congdon,	22	17 00
		Edwin Congdon,	51	22 00
		Edwin Congdon,	52	28 65
	23	J. H. Kingsley,	61	1 20
		W. S. Wright,	38	1 75
		B. E. Horton,	53	23 18
	24	M. H. Ridlon,	75	9 62
		S. H. Mitchell,	73	1 75

Sept.	27	H. Wood,	64	1 50
	28	Geo. Fisk,	70	16 65
		B. E. Horton,	69	15 84
	30	C. C. Pierce,	63	5 50
Oct.	6	C. W. Atwater,	71	17 13
	19	W. F. Phillips,	68	10 00
		J. G. Kelley,	71	2 10
	25	E. E. Congdon,	73	15 00
	27	L. R. Burr,	74	7 10
Nov.	2	Geo. Fisk,	76	4 50
	3	R. F. Powers,	75	1 20
	5	C. A. Spafford,	78	19 30
	15	Wm. Flanders,	80	9 75
	16	J. A. H. Eddy,	79	8 25
	23	E. E. Congdon,	82	77 00
	25	P. Perry,	81	12 00
	26	J. H. Kingsley,	77	2 75
	30	F. M. Benson,	83	5 25
Dec.	11	M. Thompson.	85	6 60
1898.				
Jan.	7	Wm. Smith,	84	1 56
Feb.	4	E. E. Congdon,	87	3 31
	5	By 20 per ct. of Grand List from General fund,		1212 88
		Interest on 15 orders,	3 74	
		Balance in Fund Feb. 8, '98,	175 81	
			\$1545 73\$1545 73	

1897. SCHOOL FUND.

Mar.	16	By check from State Treasurer, Huntington Fund,	\$	35 36
	17	To paid order,—		
		The Tuttle Co.	55	17 12
		F. B. Kingsley,	58	92
		Perry Gee,	71	2 00
		Bernard Ingalls,	78	2 00
		Mrs. Nellie Goulet,	77	24 00
Apr.	29	Mrs. Wm. Crossman,	83	1 50
		Mrs. W. C. Moulton,	85	1 50

May	8	Ada R. Holden,	73	98 00
		A. H. Spencer,	66	11 74
		Addie L. Webster,	68	60 00
		John Ridlon,	75	26 00
		Alice Cavanaugh,	76	42 00
		Julia O'Rourke,	72	98 00
		May A. Morgan,	70	68 00
		Lizzie E. Mills,	69	60 00
		John Ridlon,	62	20 00
	13	Lizzie E. Mills,	45	50 00
		Nellie M. Lincoln,	46	60 00
		E. Lucia Allen,	43	40 00
		J. W. Crampton & Co.	52	31 50
		Amy W. Marsh,	79	98 00
	15	Ellen Hayes,	84	2 25
June	23	J. J. Brown,	87	5 71
	29	Phebe Horton,	90	17 00
July	2	Ada R. Holden,	44	90 00
	7	Minnie Townsend,	89	58 00
		From State Treasurer,		294 23
		To paid order,—		
		Julia O'Rourke,	91	75 00
		Cecelia Battles,	92	50 00
		May A. Morgan,	93	75 00
	29	Anna McCavet,	94	70 00
		Nellie Hall,	95	50 00
		Delia M. Crowley,	96	60 00
Aug.	11	The Tuttle Co.	97	9 50
	27	F. Chaffee's Sons,	67	7 70
	28	Nora Lapoint,	81	1 50
		Mrs. Albert Bixby,	82	1 50
		John Ridlon,	99	20 00
		F. B. Kingsley,	100	8 00
Sept.	3	Carrie Moran,	101	1 50
		Anna McCavet,	80	86 00
	8	Lizzie E. Mills,	88	50 00
		The Tuttle Co.	86	14 30
	17	C. A. Spafford,	102	30 16
	25	B. E. Horton,	98	35 00
Oct.	2	E. D. Leonard,	103	20 00
	19	Edwin Congdon,	59	15 00
	30	Franklin Pub. Co.	104	120 00

Nov. 6	Maryette Wood,	105	75 00	
9	Mary O'Rouke,	108	50 00	
	Julia O'Rouke,	109	75 00	
10	May A. Morgan,	106	50 00	
18	Lizzie McCormick,	110	50 00	
20	John Ridlon,	111	20 00	
23	Nellie E. Hall,	107	50 00	
29	Anna McCavet,	112	70 00	
Dec. 8	Edwin Congdon,	114	12 50	
24	Charles H. Gee,	116	1 50	
29	The Tuttle Co.	115	19 08	
1898.				
Jan. 15	Ginn & Co.	117	26 00	
	Leach, Shewell & San-			
	born,	118	3 00	
27	E. D. Leonard,	119	5 00	
	Interest on 22 orders,		19 73	
Feb. 7	By 30 per ct. of Grand List,			1819 32
	from General fund,			
8	Balance due Fund Feb. 8, '98,			163 30
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				\$2312 21\$2312 21

1897. DOG FUND.

Apr. 3	By cash from F. B. Kingsley,		\$63 00	
20	By cash from F. B. Kingsley,		9 00	
May 20	By Cash from F. B. Kingsley,		7 50	
Dec. 3	To paid order,—			
	Eugene Hodges,	1	12 00	
	Noel Potter,	4	3 20	
1898.				
Jan. 8	Henry Austin,	2	5 00	
Feb. 5	F. M. Butler,	5	1 60	
	Balance in Fund Feb. 8, '98,		57 70	
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				\$79 50 79 50

1897. CEMETERY FUND.

April 27	By check from J. C. Spencer,		\$3 00	
July 17	To paid order,—			
	W. Flanders,	1	5 25	
Aug. 28	J. C. Spencer,	2	3 00	
Sept. 21	J. F. Hayes,	3	5 00	
Dec. 4	B. C. Ingalls,	4	3 08	
1898.				
Jan. 29	By cash from Noel Potter,		10 00	
Feb. 4	To paid order,—			
	C. A. Spafford,	6	1 50	
	F. M. Butler,	5	3 62	
	Balance due Fund,		8 45	
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				\$21 45 \$21 45

1898. SUMMARY OF TREASURER'S REPORT.

Feb. 8	Balance in General fund,	321 24	
	Balance in Highway fund,	175 81	
	Balance in Dog fund,	57 70	
	Balance due School fund,		163 30
	Balance due Cemetery fund,		8 45
	Total balance in Treasury,		383 00
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		\$554 75	\$554 75

OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

GENERAL FUND.

No.		
20	Gratz Powers,	\$600 00
21	Carra Cavanaugh,	844 82
52	Joel C. Baker,	93 30
56	John C. Colvin,	4 43
57	Charles Stafford,	5 00
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		\$1547 55

OVERSEER OF POOR'S ORDERS.

29 John Ridlon,	\$10 05
30 J. C. Spencer,	2 74
32 J. G. Kelley,	10 00
32 W. M. Flanders,	24 75
33 Mrs. G. W. Rhodes,	22 75
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	\$70 29

DOG FUND.

3 J. F. Eddy,	\$2 00
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ROAD COMMISSIONER'S ORDERS.

72 M. H. Ridlon,	\$14 50
86 C. E. Seamans,	2 25
88 E. Flanders,	1 20
89 Wm. Crossman,	1 20
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	\$19 15

SCHOOL DIRECTORS' ORDERS.

113 L. V. Crosby,	\$80 00
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Total outstanding,	\$1718 99

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have examined the accounts of your Selectmen, Road Commissioner, Overseer of Poor, and School Directors, also the books and vouchers of your Treasurer, and find them correct.

The financial condition of the town we find as follows:—

Balance in General fund,	\$321 24
Balance in Highway fund,	175 81
Balance in Dog fund,	57 70
Due from Collector, lists of '94 and '95,	57 93

Due from Collector, list of 1897,		97 53
Balance due School fund,	\$163 30	
Balance due Cemetery fund,	8 45	
Amount necessary for support of schools balance of school year,	671 00	
Outstanding orders,	1718 99	
Town Officers, services,	199 43	
Printing Town Report, estimated,	25 00	
Amount to be provided for		2075 96
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		\$2786 17 2786 17

TAXES TO BE PROVIDED FOR.

State tax of 5 cents on the dollar.
 State School tax of 5 cents on the dollar.
 State Highway tax of 5 cents on the dollar.
 Highway tax, 20 cents on the dollar.
 School tax, 30 cents on the dollar, estimated.

It will take a tax of 35 cents on the dollar (net) of the present Grand List to pay the present indebtedness.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. DAVIS, Auditor.

Clarendon, Vt., Feb. 9th, 1898.

NOTICE.

The inhabitants of the Town of Clarendon who are legal voters in town meetings, are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in said town on the first Tuesday (March 1st) in March, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., to act on the following propositions, viz.:—

1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said Meeting.

2d. To choose all necessary town officers.

3d. To see if the town will vote to raise a tax upon the Grand List to pay its indebtedness, and for other necessary purposes for the ensuing year.

4th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the School Directors to build a new school house, in the original Dist. No. 5.

5th. To transact any other necessary business.

F. M. BUTLER,	}	SELECTMEN OF CLARENDON.
C. A. SPAFFORD,		
NOEL POTTER,		

Clarendon, Vt., Feb. 10th, 1898.