## ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, AND ROAD AGENTS

OF THE

# TOWN OF CHICHESTER

TOGETHER WITH THE

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

CONCORD, N. H.:
IRA C. EVANS, PRINTER, 12 SCHOOL STREET.
1900.

## TOWN OFFICERS.

SELECTMEN.

CHARLES A. LANGMAID, JOHN L. T. SHAW, GEORGE W. LAKE.

TOWN CLERK.

FREDERICK B. SHAW.

TOWN TREASURER.

WALTER S. LANGMAID.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

SAM B. MUNSEY.

AUDITORS.

GEORGE M. WARREN, LEWIS W. TOWLE.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

GEORGE W. LAKE, HARRY S. KELLEY, JOHN L. T. SHAW.

ROAD AGENTS.

LESTER W. HUTCHINSON,
JOHN K. TOWLE,
NOAH G. EDMUNDS.

HEALTH OFFICERS.

CHARLES J. SHAW, LEWIS W. TOWLE, OTIS T. MAXFIELD.

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

INVENTORY OF TAXABLE F	PROPERTY, APRIL	1, 1899.
Polls, 176	0.464.498.3	. \$ 17,600.00
Acres, 12,344		. 200,775.00
Horses, 267		. 11,897.00
Oxen, 40		. 2,700.00
Cows, 472		. 12,921.00
Other neat stock, 236 .		. 5,616.00
Sheep, 222		. 826.00
Cash on hand		. 6,100.00
Stock in banks		. 15,828.00
Stock in trade		. 7,786.00
Mills and machinery		. 2,100.00
Buildings not designated .		. 840.00
Total valuation .		. \$284,989.00
AMOUNT	OF TAXES.	
Voted by the town		
Voted by school district .	300.	
Amount for free public library	56.	
Over-lay	72	
		- \$4,744.11
Rate per cent, \$1.66.		
CASH RECEIVED AN	D TURNED O	VER TO
TREAS	SURER.	
RECEIVED OF ST	TATE TREASURER.	

Railroad tax			. \$	543.71
Savings-bank tax			. 1.	086.60
Literary fund				. 70.11

#### RECEIVED OF COUNTY.

Support of poor \$169.00  Received of—
Mrs. Girouard, rent in full 8.00
A. H. Haines, for old bridge plank 3.00
D. Etherege, for old bridge plank
L. W. Hutchinson, for bridge plank . 4.71
\$1,885.63
EXPENDITURES.
PAID BY ORDER ON THE TOWN TREASURER.
State tax
County tax 1,139.28
Treasurer of school board 1,343.71
Library Trustees
RELIGIOUS SOCIETIES.
Paid Congregational society \$23.76
Methodist society 16.77
Baptist society
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TOWN OFFICERS.
Paid Albert S. Dame, district clerk,
1898–99 \$ 3.00
S. B. Munsey, collecting taxes, 1898 3.61
J. L. T. Shaw, selectman 50.00
G. W. Lake, selectman 50.00
F. D. French, constable and dog
killer, 1898 6.50
G. W. Lake, member of school
board 30.00
F. H. Fellows, constable, 1897–98 10.00
C. A. Langmaid, selectman 65.00
S. B. Munsey, collecting taxes,
1899 68.84
C. J. Shaw, health officer 2.00

Paid J. L. T. Shaw, member of school		
board	\$25.00	
W. S. Langmaid, town treasurer	25.00	
F. B. Shaw, town clerk	15.00	
F. B. Shaw, auditor	1.50	
S. B. Munsey, school treasurer .	5.50	
S. B. Munsey, constable and dog		
killer	6.00	
H. S. Kelley, member of school		
board	25.00	
		\$391.95
DOAD AGDVING		
ROAD AGENTS.		
Paid O. I. Green	\$ 76.08	
J. K. Towle	453.62	
N. G. Edmunds	378.72	
L. W. Hutchinson	363.46	
	<del></del>	\$1,271.88
REPAIRING IRON BRIDG	2F	
Paid E. B. Ring, for paint stock	\$17.37	
Call Brothers, for paint stock	.20	
Call Brothers, for painting	26.50	
C. A. Langmaid, for 3,330 feet		
lumber	41.34	
Gilman Chesley, for 1,234 feet		
plank	13.57	
C. H. Carpenter, 1,174 feet plank.	14.00	
C. A. Langmaid, ½ day looking up		
plank	1.25	
G. E. Ordway, labor and nails .	4.90	
C. A. Langmaid, labor with team		
and man · · · .	5.00	
N. G. Edmunds, labor	1.75	
J. G. Cate, labor	1.75	
A. L. Sanborn, labor	.50	
G. W. Lake, labor	1.00	Take 1
		\$129.13

### SCHOOL BOOKS.

Paid Werner School Book Co., bill of		
1896, '98, '99	\$42.24	
American Book Co., bill of 1898.	67.75	
American Book Co., bill of 1899.	12.96	
William Ware & Co., bill of 1898	26.10	
Boston School Supply Co., bill of		
. 1899	6.50	
		\$155.55
ABATEMENTS.		
Paid Stephen P. Perkins, loss of two		
cows	\$0.93	
Benning Sanborn, loss of two cows	.96	
Vernon S. Colwell	1.45	40.04
	The state of	\$3.34
s. B. MUNSEY, COLLECTOR,	1898.	
Paid John T. Carpenter	\$1.45	
Albert C. Cass	1.45	•
John Cadrett	1.45	
John F. Langley	1.45	
Frank A. Locke	1.45	
Francis Larkin	1.45	
Henry W. Munsey	1.45	
Joseph R. Munsey	1.45	
Alvin F. Marston	1.45	
John H. Oxford	1.45	
Charles H. Gove	1.45	445.05
	1.	\$15.95
s. B. MUNSEY, COLLECTOR,	1899.	
Paid Vernon S. Colwell	\$1.66	
Wallace Drake	1.66	
Bussell David	1.66	
John Kendall	1.66	
William H. Davis	1.66	
John H. Langley	1.66	
Joseph Moses	1.66	
J. F. Minard	2.08	
		\$13.70

### PUBLIC WATERING PLACES.

TOBLIC WAIRING TEACH		
Paid A. L. West, May 1, 1897, to May		
1, 1899	\$6.00	
G. M. Warren	3.00	
James Hook, 1898, 1899	6.00	
F. B. Shaw, 1898, 1899	4.00	
Julius Leavitt	2.00	
		\$21.00
DAMAGE TO SHEEP BY DO	GS.	
Paid Obed Kempton	\$ 4.00	
Edson C. Berry	23.00	
Stephen P. Perkins	8.00	
G. M. Munsey	6.00	
		\$41.00
COUNTY PAUPER ACCOUNT	r	
Paid H. T. Leavitt, supplies furnished	400.00	
Mitchel Herbert	\$60.00	
H. T. Leavitt, supplies furnished	10.00	
Mitchel Herbert	18.00	
R. W. Dame, rent of house to	24.00	
Mitchel Herbert to Feb. 1, 1900	24.00	
A. S. Dame, two cords wood for	0.00	
Mitchel Herbert	8.00	
	28.50	
Martha Marston	20.00	
attendance Mitchel Herbert .	8.50	
J. L. T. Shaw, lodging of tran-	0.00	
sients	7.00	
W. A. Megrath, M. D., attendance		
to Twombly family	15.00	
		\$169.00
TOWN PAUPER ACCOUNT	. 17.36	
Paid Mary A. Bennett, aid to Orren C.		
Bennett	\$84.00	
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Paid C. H. Hilton, superintendent	
county farm, board and expenses	
of G. W. Hall	\$93.50
A. L. West, digging grave for	
G. W. Hall	2.00
	<b>\$179.50</b>
INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.	
Paid Edward T. McShane, printing	
reports	\$34.00
George E. Ordway, repairs on ballot	
box	1.25
A. L. West, repairs on road	
machine	4.50
A. L. West, recording births, mar-	
riages, and deaths	4.20
Congregational Aid Society, din-	
ners for election officers	.90
Thompson & Hoague, locks for	
town hall	2.50
C. A. Langmaid, putting on locks	.75
C. A. Langmaid, delivering chairs	3.50
W. S. Langmaid, repairs on town	
hall	5.50
Franklin Brown, labor on chairs .	1.50
Ira C. Evans, printing posters .	1.00
H. G. Sargent, legal services, G.	0.00
W. Hall case	2.00
N. G. Edmunds, eleven trips with	22.00
hearse	22.00
G. W. Lake, one cord wood	3.25
Edson C. Eastman, books and stationery, 1898 and 1899	13.52
tionery, 1898 and 1899	10.02
riages, and deaths	4.20
S. B. Munsey, tax bills	1.50
S. W. Langmaid, board of town	The Walkings
officers	9.00
	<b>\$115.07</b>

#### NOTES.

Paid A. L. West, note and interest		\$541.78	
Mary F. Langmaid, note	and		
interest		518.75	
Mary F. Langmaid, note	and		
interest		275.60	
			\$1,336.13

#### RECAPITULATION.

Paid treasurer,	state,	county,	school dis-
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trict, and library trustees		\$3,338.69	
religious societies .		51.84	
town officers		391.95	
road agents		1,271.88	
repairing iron bridge .		129.13	
school books		155.55	
abatements		32.99	
public watering places.		21.00	
damage to sheep by dogs		41.00	
county pauper account		169.00	
town pauper account .		179.50	
incidental expenses .		115.07	
notes and interest .		1,336.13	
			\$7,233.7

\$7,233.7

C. A. LANGMAID,

J. L. T. SHAW,

G. W. LAKE,

Selectmen of Chichester.

We hereby certify that we have examined the financial accounts of the selectmen for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1900, and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

GEORGE M. WARREN, LEWIS W. TOWLE,

Auditors.

CHICHESTER, February 24, 1900.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

Dr.	
Cash on hand, February 15, 1899 . \$ 292.49	
Received of—	
F. B. Shaw, town clerk, for dog	
licenses	
S. B. Munsey, collector in 1898 250.46	
S. B. Munsey, collector in 1899 4,566.22	
Mary F. Langmaid, money hired 500.00	
Selectmen, railroad tax 543.71	
Selectmen, savings-bank tax 1,086.60	
Selectmen, literary fund 70.11	
Selectmen, county pauper account . 169.00	
Selectmen, old bridge plank 3.50	
Selectmen, rent of Hall place . 8.00	
Selectmen, new bridge plank 4.71	
S. B. Munsey, collector, interest on taxes 23.42	
	\$7,587.82
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Paid town orders drawn by selectmen	7,233.73
Cash in hands of treasurer, February 15, 1900	\$354.09
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TOWN FUND.	
TOWN FUND.  Parsonage fund loaned town	\$864.66
	\$864.66
Parsonage fund loaned town	\$864.66

#### DUE THE TOWN.

Cash in hands of treasurer		\$354.09	
Due from S. B. Munsey, collector	in		
1898		2.88	
Due from S. B. Munsey, collector	in		
1899		177.89	
			\$534.86
Indebtedness of town			\$864.66
Due town			534.86
Indebtedness of town, February 1	15,	1900 .	\$329.80

#### W. S. LANGMAID,

Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the financial accounts of the town treasurer for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1900, and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

GEORGE M. WARREN, LEWIS W. TOWLE,

Auditors.

CHICHESTER, February 24, 1900.

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENTS.

## Town of Chichester, Dr.

To Oscar I	. Green, for breaking roads 189	9.	
	To one man, 68 hours' work		
	two horses, $26\frac{1}{2}$ hours'		
	work	5.30	
Mar. 1-13.	one man, 25 hours' work	3.75	
	two horses, $7\frac{1}{2}$ hours' work		
	damage to sled		
	_		\$25.75
	Fred Watson.		
Feb. 13. To	one man, and four horses,		
A STATE OF THE STATE OF	$1\frac{4}{5}$ hours	\$1.35	
14.	one man, and four horses, 10		
	hours	7.50	
15.	one man, and four horses, 9		
	hours	6.75	
			\$15.60
	S. C. Perkins.		
Feb. 14. To	one man, and three yoke of		
	oxen, $2\frac{1}{4}$ hours	\$1.35	
15.	one man, and three yoke of		
	oxen, 8 hours	4.80	
Mar. 2.	one man, and three yoke of		
	oxen, $2\frac{1}{4}$ hours	1.35	
			\$7.50
	James B. Clifford.		
Feb. To	one man and team, 9 hours		\$1.35
	Ernest Lane.		
Feb. 15. To	one day's work	\$1.50	
	one day's work	1.50	
			\$3.00

## E. C. Berry.

		E. C. Berry.	
Feb.	11.	To one man, 1 hour \$0.15	
		two men and team	
Mar.	2.	one man	
		The state of the s	\$0.75
		Andrew Mason.	
Eab	15		\$0.15
reo.	10.	To one hour	Ф0.10
		James Smith.	
Feb.	15.	To one man, 5 hours	\$0.75
		Fred Abbott.	
Feb.	15.	To one man, $2\frac{3}{4}$ hours . $\$0.42$	
		one man, 9 hours 1.35	
	16.	one man, 9 hours 1.35	00.10
			\$3.12
		Charles Meserve.	
Feb.		To one man, $20\frac{3}{4}$ hours	\$3.12
		Fern Marston.	
		To one day \$1.50	
Mar.	2.	$1\frac{2}{3}$ hours25	Ø1 75
			\$1.75
		Ira B. Perry.	
Feb.	14.	To one man, 5 hours \$0.75	
		one man, 10 hours 1.50	1
	25.	one man, 5 hours	
Mar.	2.	one man, $\frac{2}{3}$ hours	
			\$3.12
		Fred H. Fellows.	
Feb.	14.	To one man, $7\frac{1}{2}$ hours \$1.12	
_ 50.	15.	one man, 14 hours	
	16.	one man, 16 hours 2.40	
Mar.		one man, 4 hours	
			\$6.22

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## G. W. Lake.

Feb. 15. To one man, 6 hours \$0.90	
oxen, 6 hours	
Mar. 8. oxen, 2 hours	
one man, 2 hours	
	\$2.40
Leroy Marston.	
Feb. 16. To one day	\$1.50
	\$76.08
N. G. Edmunds, winter bills to February 15, 1900.	
Paid G. M. Munsey, and horses	\$2.54
H. B. Langley, with hand and horses	1.75
Geo. Twombly, 3 hours	.45
R. U. Carpenter, breaking turnpike	1.50
J. F. Leavitt, 4 hours with horses	1.50
B. Sanborn, 9 hours, shoveling	1.35
D. W. Towle, 4 4 days	6.58
A. L. Sanborn, $\frac{6}{10}$ day	.90
G. W. Towle, 5 days	7.40
D. R. Towle, $4\frac{2}{3}$ days.	7.00
E. J. Lake, and horses	8.24
C. H. Ayer, 3 hours, shoveling snow	.45
F. L. Winslow, hand and horses	9.17
Fred Omeara, $5\frac{2}{10}$ days	7.80
Fred B. Shaw, breaking roads	3.42
C. M. Knowles, $\frac{1}{2}$ day	.75
H. M. Sanborn, with horses	2.25
Samuel Marden, breaking	3.00
N. G. Edmunds, breaking and turning water	7.05
J. L. Saturley, shoveling	1.50
W. S. Langmaid, breaking and turning water	3.75
O. F. Davis, $\frac{1}{2}$ day	.75
M. Mitchel, 2 hours	.30
C. S. Towle, $\frac{7}{10}$ day .	1.05
C. R. Sanborn, ½ day	.75
2	.10

Paid E. H. Blood, shoveling snow			\$8.14
A. L. Edmunds, ½ day .			.75
Batchelder Bros			3.75
F. B. Edmunds			1.15
James Stanyan, ½ day .			.75
J. E. Rand, $\frac{1}{2}$ day			.75
Gove Cate, $\frac{4}{10}$ day			.60
J. L. T. Shaw, $\frac{6}{10}$ day .			.90
John Shaw, $\frac{6}{10}$ day			.90
Franklin Brown, $\frac{2}{3}$ day .			1.00
A. A. Groves, $\frac{4}{10}$ day, and horse			1.00
G. M. Munsey, breaking roads			3.10
		\$1	103.99

N. G. Edmunds, road commissioner, summer bills to February 15, 1900.

#### SUMMER HIGHWAY BILLS.

Paid	H. M. Sanborn, and team, 5 days and part	of	
	day		\$17.67
	C. A. Langmaid, and team, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days .		5.25
	C. A. Langmaid, with hand, $\frac{1}{2}$ day .		1.50
	A. S. Dame, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days		2.25
	C. H. Ayer, $\frac{6}{10}$ day		.90
	W. P. Call, labor and grade	· 15599	2.00
	J. F. Leavitt, 4 days with horses		14.00
	J. F. Leavitt, grade and labor		2.78
	W. F. Call, 1 day on road		1.50
	Augustus Sheldon, 1 day on road .		1.50
	George L. Beals, $2\frac{3}{10}$ days		3.45
	R. U. Carpenter, 1 day with horses .		3.50
	C. M. Beals, $2\frac{3}{10}$ days		3.45
	N. G. Edmunds, $8\frac{2}{10}$ days		12.30
	H. B. Langley, repairing highway .		1.45
	C. H. Towle, repairing highway		1.00
	H. W. Moore, 1½ days		2.25
	C. S. Towle, with team, 1 day		3.50

Paid (	Geo. Twombly, $2\frac{6}{10}$ days		\$3.90
1	E. S. Edmunds, 1 day, $9\frac{1}{2}$ hours		1.95
J	J. E. Rand, $1\frac{2}{3}$ days		2.50
J	James Stanyan, 2 days		3.00
(	G. W. Towle, $\frac{1}{2}$ day		.75
I	D. R. Towle, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days		2.25
I	H. L. Sanborn, with horses, 1 day .		3.50
I	F. L. Winslow, 2 days with horses .		7.00
5	S. B. Munsey, 1 <sub>4</sub> days		2.10
1	E. J. Lake, 2 days with horses		7.00
I	E. J. Lake, and two hands and team, $\frac{1}{2}$ da	y.	3.25
I	Batchelder Bros., 3 days with horses .		15.00
(	G. M. Munsey, $1\frac{1}{10}$ days		1.65
1	D. W. Towle $4\frac{8}{10}$ days		7.23
	3. Sanborn, $1\frac{2}{10}$ days		1.80
1	Fred Omeara, 3 7 days		5.60
	F. B. Edmunds, $16\frac{1}{2}$ days on road .		24.75
1	Fred B. Shaw, $\frac{8}{10}$ day on road		1.20
J	J. L. Saturley and horses		2.87
1	Howard Saturley, 1 day		1.50
1	E. M. Reed, hand, horses, and grade .		2.00
1	W. S. Langmaid, 804 feet bridge plank		9.65
1	W. S. Langmaid, $5\frac{3}{4}$ days running machin	ne .	11.50
I	N. G. Edmunds and team, 14 days .	\ .	49.00
1	N. G. Edmunds, powder, fuse, and labor		2.33
	J. Hadcock, road machine repairs .		8.50
(	Good Roads Co., repairs		1.85
1	W. S. Langmaid, with team		3.50
1	W. S. Langmaid, $4\frac{9}{10}$ days		7.35
			4054.50
			\$274.73
J. K	Towle, in account with the town of Cl	nichest	er, for the
year 1			
	April 26, 1899.		
Paid A	Asa F. Hutchinson, for breaking, self	and	
	team, 2 days, $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours	1 2 W	\$ 7.50
	George M. Hoyt, for breaking, 3 days, 2 h		4.80
	Joseph Moses, for breaking, 3 days, $7\frac{1}{2}$ ho	ours	5.60

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Paid Charles A. Towle, for breaking, 1 day, $3\frac{1}{3}$	\$ 2.00
David Moses, for breaking, 7 days, 8 hours .	11.70
C. H. Towle, for breaking, 1 day, $3\frac{1}{3}$ hours.	2.00
George F. Davis, for breaking, 8 hours .	1.20
E. W. Towle, for breaking, 3 days	3.00
Joseph Nickerson, for breaking, 2 days	3.00
David Cadrette, for breaking, 4 days, 4 hours	6.60
John West, for breaking, 2 days, 2 hours .	3.30
James P. Hook, for breaking, 1 day, 3 hours	1.95
Hiram Stanyan, for breaking, self and team .	5.85
W. A. Burton, for breaking, 1 day $8\frac{2}{3}$ hours	2.80
Sidney Smith, for breaking, 2 days, 4 hours	3.60
E. F. Colby, for breaking, 1 day, 8 hours .	1.80
F. D. French, for breaking, self and team .	5.00
J. F. Towle, for breaking, self and team .	7.20
L. W. Towle, for breaking, 1 day, 2 hours	1.80
A. G. Fowler, for breaking, 1 day, 4 hours.	2.10
W. D. Welcome, for breaking, 1 day	1.50
J. K. Towle, for breaking, self and team, 5	2.00
days	17.50
Fred C. Moses, for breaking, 1 day, 7 hours.	2.55
F. M. Edgerly, for breaking, self and team .	1.65
E. L. Burnham, for breaking, self and team	5.25
James A. Edgerly, for breaking, 1 day, 4	
hours	2.10
Robert W. Dame, for breaking	6.75
Albert S Dame, for breaking, 2 days, 3 hours	3.45
H. S. Edgerly, for breaking, 6 hours	.90
G. A. L. Towle, for breaking, self and team.	2.00
	\$126.45
J. K. Towle, in account with the town of Chicheste	r for the
year ending February 15, 1900.	101 0110
July 8, 1899.	
Paid Frank D. French, labor, self 4 days, horses 2 days	\$10.00
C. H. Towle, labor, 10 days	15.00
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Paid Oliver Drake, labor, 1 day	\$ 1.50
George F. Davis, labor, 4 days	6.00
E. W. Towle, labor, 6 days	6.00
C. M. Beals, labor, 10 days, 3\frac{1}{3} hours	15.50
Gayton L. Kendall, labor, 7 days	10.50
August 26, 1899.	
E. W. Towle, labor, $5\frac{1}{4}$ days	5.25
W. D. Welcome, labor, 1 day	1.50
W. A. Burton, labor, 2 days	3.00
J. Frank Towle, labor, self 9 days, horses 41	
days	22.50
Joseph Nickerson, labor, 3 days, 7 hours .	5.55
C. A. Langmaid, labor self and team, 3 days	10.50
July 12. Paid J. K. Towle, labor, 13 days .	19.50
Sept. 1. George A. L. Towle, labor self	
and team,	25.00
C. M. Beals, labor, 3 days, 7	
hours	5.55
George L. Beals, labor, 4 days .	6.00
J. K. Towle, labor self and team,	
7 days	24.50
C. H. Towle, labor, $8\frac{1}{2}$ days	12.75
Robert U. Carpenter, self and	
team, 5 days	17.50
Aug. 30. L. W. Hutchinson, for working	
road machine, 5 days	10.00
Oct. 4. Charles Gove, 2 hours	.30
F. B. Drake, for gravel	5.60
Oct. 7. James Hook, 3 days, $3\frac{1}{3}$ hours .	5.00
Adin G. Fowler, 1 day	1.50
Nov. 25. G. A. L. Towle, self, horses, cart	
3 days	12.00
John L. West, 1½ days	2.25
Nov. 30. G. S. Edgerly, 1 day, $3\frac{1}{3}$ hours .	2.00
J. K. Towle, self, horses, cart,	
$8\frac{1}{2}$ days	34.00
Dec. 11. F. D. French, for 720 feet lumber	10.80

Dec. 11. Paid F. D. French, self and team, 4 days
Jan. 12. George Hoyt, ½ day
Feb. 9. Joshua Lane, 5 days, 2½ hours . 5.37  \$327.17  REPORT OF L. W. HUTCHINSON, ROAD AGENT.  RECEIPTS.  Received by order of selectmen on town treasurer as follows:  June 6, 1899 \$100.00  24,
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C. B. Meserve, 7 hours' labor . 1.00 George H. Roby, one day's labor . 1.50
George H. Roby, one day's labor . 1.50 J. S. Marston, 23½ hours' labor . 3.52
H. C. Perry, 24 hours' labor . 3.60
J. B. Perry, 32 hours' labor . 4.75
J. T. Lake, 42 hours' labor and
team 14.50
L. W. Hutchinson, $7\frac{3}{4}$ days' labor
and team,
8. W. E. Hilliard, 57 hours' labor . 8.55
R. R. Hilliard, 54 hours' labor . 8.10
10. J. B. Clifford, 37 hours' labor . 5.56
Fred W. Watson, repairs on road
machine 3.00

June 10.	Paid E. C. Green, ½ day's labor .	\$ 0.75
24.	J. E. Rand, 1 day's labor	1.50
	J. Marston, 42 hours' labor	6.30
	L. W. Hutchinson, 3 days' labor	
	with team,	9.00
Aug. 3.	G. H. Roby, 1 day's labor with	0.00
	team	3.50
4.	R. R. Hilliard, 17 hours' labor	2.60
8.	W. E. Hilliard, 49 hours' labor .	7.30
	Frank Hilliard, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor .	3.75
Sept. 18.	J. L. T. Shaw, labor, 2 days,	0.110
	team and 1 man	9.35
	John Shaw, labor, team and 1 man	5.50
	C. J. Shaw, labor, 2 days with	0.00
	team	5.25
26.	J. T. Lake, labor with team, $5\frac{1}{2}$	0.20
	days	19.25
28.	L. W. Hutchinson, labor with team,	10.20
	8 days	23.00
	John Mason, labor ½ day	.75
Oct. 12.	J. F. Marston, 3 hours' labor	.45
17.	L. W. Hutchinson, 57 hours' labor	
	with team	17.00
Nov. 4.	A. L. Edmunds, 3 days' labor .	4.50
	J. E. Rand, 19 hours' labor .	2.85
11.	W. E. Hilliard, 69 hours' labor .	10.25
21.	L. W. Hutchinson, 71 hours'	
	labor with team	21.00
29.	E. C. Berry, labor, team and 1	
	man	5.25
Dec. 1.	George W. Towle, 1 day's labor	1.50
	Dexter R. Towle, 1 day's labor .	1.50
4.	J. L. T. Shaw, 9 hours' labor	
	with team and 1 man	4.35
15.	A. P. Mason, 4 hours' labor .	.60
1900.		
Jan. 9.	A. L. Edmunds, 17 hours' labor .	2.50
	J. Marston, 17 hours' labor.	2.55

Jan. 9. Paid George W. Lake, 3 days' labor	
with team and 1 man	\$12.60
George P. Haines Est., powder	
and fuse	.60
Mayo Lake, 14 hours' labor .	2.10
E. C. Green, 34 hours' labor .	5.00
Feb. 13. E. C. Green, 7 hours' labor .	1.00
14. C. H. Carpenter, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor	
with team	16.50
George W. Lake, 21 hours' labor	3.15
Town of Chichester, bridge plank	4.71
W. C. Bachelder, repairs on plow	3.25
J. B. Clifford, 11 hours' labor with	
team and 1 man	4.80
J. Marston, $3\frac{1}{2}$ hours' labor.	.52
A. L. West, for sharpening pick .	.10
P. E. Marston, labor and material	
at Kelley's Corner bridge	2.00
F. H. Fellows, labor and material	
at Kelley's Corner bridge.	4.30
L. W. Hutchinson, labor with team	
16 hours	4.80
Good Roads Machine Co., repairs	10.05
on road machine	13.85
George P. Haines Est., spikes .	.40
J. T. Lake, labor with team, 2	50
nours	.50
	\$363.46
MARION D. LAKE TRUST.	
Income to be devoted to the care of cemetery lot of	f Pauhan
Lake.	n Keuben
	4100 00
Capital	\$100.00
Invested by deposit in New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00
Balance on hand	.73
Interest due from January 1, 1897.	
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GEORGE W. LAKE,

Agent.

## TOWN LIBRARY.

#### TRUSTEES' REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1899.

RECEIPTS.		
Received of town, annual appropriation.		\$56.70
EXPENDITURES.		
Paid DeWolfe, Fisk & Co., for books .	\$40.53	
freight on books	.38	
A. G. Day, printing labels for		
books	2.25	
record book	.50	
repairing and painting library room	9.39	
	-	53.05
Balance		\$3.65

At the town meeting of March, 1899, the town voted to accept the state's offer of one hundred dollars to start a town library.

The trustees chosen to look after the same are pleased to report, that, although their work was unavoidably delayed by the illness and death of the secretary of the state board of trustees, they have now attended to their duties. The library is now in running order, and is liberally patronized.

On account of the inconvenience occasioned by the delay, the state board allowed your committee to make their own selection, which they did in the most careful manner, choosing scientific works, history, biography, fiction, poetry, and other miscellaneous works.

In making this selection, we have endeavored not only to please, but to elevate the taste of all classes of readers.

Mrs. Walter S. Langmaid offered to give her services as librarian for this year, and deserves much credit for the manner in which she has done her work.

Miss A. A. Brigham has shown great interest in the new library, not only in rendering valuable aid in selecting the books, but by making liberal contributions to it herself. She has also interested her many friends, so that thirty-seven volumes have been contributed.

The library contains about two hundred and twenty-five volumes, a good beginning point, which we hope, through the town appropriation and the generosity of friends, will become a large library, a credit to the town, and stimulating all to higher education, thereby increasing the value of their influence and raising the standard of citizenship.

CHARLES H. CARPENTER, CHARLES GARVIN, WALTER S. LANGMAID, ALBERT S. DAME, FRED B. SHAW, OTIS T. MAXFIELD,

Trustees.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the Inhabitants of the School District of the town of Chichester:

We submit the following report of schools for the year ending February 15, 1900.

The wheels of time have made another revolution, and we are again brought to the time when we are called upon to make our annual report of the conditions of your schools for the past year. The same general thoughts respecting the subject of education naturally recur from year to year. We must consider how we may best advance the interest of our schools, and in what way the culture they afford shall be best adapted to the demands of practical life. We are called upon to enforce a system of education for those who will soon mould society and supply the places of the receding generation.

#### DISTRICT No. 1.

The first term was taught by Mrs. Jennie M. Perkins, a teacher of much experience, who was liked by scholars and parents. Mrs. Perkins has taught several terms in town, and her reputation as a teacher is well established.

Mr. Byron Whittemore taught the second and third terms, and steady progress was made by the school in both discipline and scholarship.

#### BEAR HILL.

The spring term of ten weeks was taught by Miss Florence A. Stevens. Miss Stevens is a thorough teacher, the best of order prevailed, and the pupils made good progress under her instruction.

The fall and winter terms were taught by Miss Laura Buehler, who is an earnest teacher, good order prevailed, and general satisfaction was given.

#### HORSE CORNER.

Miss Gyrta Bartlett who had previously taught several terms in this district was secured as teacher for the spring term. Miss Bartlett had the love and respect of all her pupils and gave satisfaction in all respects.

Miss Agnes Greeley had charge of the fall and winter terms. This was Miss Greeley's first experience in teaching, and we could not expect great results, but she worked hard and proved herself a suitable person for the position.

#### CENTRE.

The entire school year of thirty weeks was taught by Miss Elizabeth McKerley, who is a teacher of considerable experience. Not only was there a steady intellectual improvement from the first to last, but with the twenty-eight to thirty pupils, ranging in ages from five to sixteen, there was a marked improvement in deportment, the children did credit to themselves and their teacher.

#### DISTRICT NO. 8.

In this school it was thought advisable to retain Miss Blanche H. Emerson, who had taught the second and third terms of the previous year. Under her instruction those scholars who attended regularly during the three terms made a marked improvement in the various branches of study.

#### NEW DOVER.

Miss Ida Jones taught the spring term, and proved herself a good scholar although a little lax in discipline.

The fall and winter terms, Miss Delia Demers, teacher, were very much broken up by sickness and the irregular attendance of some of the pupils, consequently the progress was not as marked as might have been expected with so thorough and painstaking a teacher.

G. W. LAKE, H. S. KELLEY, J. L. T. SHAW, Board of Education.

### ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

DISTRICT No. 1.

FIRST TERM.

Earl Clough,

Addie B. Locke.

THIRD TERM.

Charles T. Lane, Fern H. Marston,

Lula A. Fellows.

DISTRICT No. 2.

FIRST TERM.

Wilmer F. Winslow, Charles W. Lake, Gertrude Shaw, Mary S. Shaw, Kathryn Shaw,

Sophia F. Towle, Bertha A. Towle, Georgie R. M. Towle, Bessie A. Towle.

SECOND TERM.

Kathryn Shaw, Gertrude Shaw, Bessie A. Towle, Wilmer Winslow, Charles W. Lake.

THIRD TERM.

Georgie R. M. Towle,

Bessie A. Towle.

DISTRICT No. 5.
FIRST TERM.

Alfred Hibbard, Cordelia Hibbard,

Elmer J. Towle.

SECOND TERM.

Edgar C. Staniels.

DISTRICT No. 6.

FIRST TERM.

Sadie A. Langmaid, Grace L. Saturley, Clara M. Longley, Celia C. Longley, Ruth F. Sanborn, Clintie F. Call, Ettabell A. Brown, Nannie D. Sanborn, Abbie W. Sanborn, Oscar Drew, Alvin B. Edmunds, Clyde R. Ford, Doran Sanborn.

#### SECOND TERM.

Celia C. Longley,
Clara M. Longley,
Abbie W. Sanborn,
Nannie D. Sanborn,

Alvin B. Edmunds, Oscar Drew, Maurice E. Bailey.

#### THIRD TERM.

Ettabell A. Brown, Celia C. Longley, Clara M. Longley, Alvin B. Edmunds, Oscar Drew.

#### DISTRICT No. 8.

#### FIRST TERM.

Gertrude Merrill, Jennie Ordway, Helen Langmaid, Mabel Towle, Grace Towle,
John Langmaid,
Adolph Blood,
Lawrence West.

#### SECOND TERM.

Helen Langmaid, Jennie Ordway,

John Langmaid, Lawrence West.

#### THIRD TERM.

Grace Towle,

Lawrence West.

#### NEW DOVER DISTRICT.

#### FIRST TERM.

Josie D. Griffin,

Martha J. Griffin.

#### THIRD TERM.

Arthur Kendall.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

S. B. Munsey, treasurer of school board of Chichester, N. H., in account with said board:

#### RECEIPTS. 1899. May 1. To cash received of A. L. West, former treasurer . . . 3.12 To received of town treasurer 1,343.71 1900. Feb. 14. To received of Epsom school board, tuition of scholars 38.25 Total receipts \$1,385.08 1,382.09 15. Total expenditures Balance on hand February 15 \$2.99 EXPENDITURES. 1899. June. Paid Jennie M. Perkins, teaching ten weeks at Kelley's Corner \$60.00 Florence Stevens, teaching ten 60.00 weeks at Bear hill . Ida M. Jones, teaching ten weeks at New Dover. 55.00 Blanche Emerson, teaching ten July 13. weeks at Pine Ground 75.00 Gyrta Bartlett, teaching ten weeks at Horse Corner . 65.00 Elizabeth McKerley, teaching ten weeks at Center 85.00

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1.25

Nov. 20.	Paid Byron Whittemore, teaching eleven	
0.4	weeks at Kelley's Corner	\$66.00
24.	Delia F. Demers, teaching nine weeks at New Dover	54.00
	Agnes Greeley, teaching ten weeks	01.00
	at Horse Corner	60.00
	Chester Colby, building fires ten	
	weeks at Horse Corner	2.50
	C. A. Langmaid, 1 cord soft wood	
	at New Dover	3.00
	Mrs. Joseph Marston, cleaning	
1000	Pine Ground schoolhouse	2.00
1900.		
Jan. 3.	J. L. T. Shaw, for dippers and	.45
	dustpans	.40
	teachers' examination day .	1.25
5.	J. F. Towle, 1 cord wood and fit-	1.20
0.	ting at Horse Corner	3.65
6.	W. A. Megrath, member of Lou-	0.00
	don school-board, tuition of	
	scholars	57.50
Feb. 1.	Agnes Greeley, teaching ten weeks	
	at Horse Corner	60.00
5.	Fern Marston, building fires at	
	Kelley's Corner	2.25
	Byron Whittemore, teaching nine	
	weeks at Kelley's Corner	54.00
14.	Edson C. Eastman, school supplies	
	furnished 1898–'99	22.19
	James Rand, fitting 1 cord wood .	.60
	Blanche Emerson, teaching ten and	-0.0
	one half veeks at Pine Ground.	73.50
1.5	A. L. Sanborn, for school supplies	1.80
15.	J. G. Cate, labor at Pine Ground	9.00
	schoolhouse	2.00
	E. N. McKerley, teaching ten weeks at Center	85.00
	weeks at Center	00.00

Feb. 15.	Paid Clarence Towle, building fires three	
	weeks at Horse Corner	\$ 0.75
	Clarence Towle, sawing wood and	
	setting glass at Horse Corner .	.60
	Albert Dame, wood for New Dover	
	and fitting same	6.00
	Arthur Kendall, building fires at	
	New Dover	2.75
	Chester Colby, building fires seven	
	weeks at Horse Corner	1.75
	Delia Demers, teaching eleven	
	weeks at New Dover	66.00
	Laura Buehler, teaching eleven	
	weeks at Bear hill	66.00
	Albert S. Dame, wood for Horse	
	Corner and fitting same	6.00
	G. W. Lake, 1 cord wood at Kel-	
	ley's Corner	2.50
	G. W. Lake, cash paid express on	
	books	1.15
	G. W. Lake, 1 cord wood at Bear	
	hill	2.50
	Oscar Drew, care schoolhouse at	0.50
	Center	2.50
	Minnie A. Towle, cleaning school-	1 50
	house at Bear hill	1.50
	Sophia F. Towle, building fires at Bear hill	4.00
	G. W. Towle, fitting wood at Bear	4.00
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	hill	.10
	schoolhouse	2.00
	G. W. Lake, $1\frac{1}{2}$ cords wood at	2.00
	Pine Ground	3.75
	S. B. Munsey, wood at New Dover	3.00
	2. D. Mansoy, wood at Item Dover	0.00
		\$1,381.59

## S. B. MUNSEY,

Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of S. B. Munsey, treasurer of the Chichester school district, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JEREMY L. SANBORN,

Auditor.

CHICHESTER, February 24, 1900.

## STATISTICAL TABLE.

No. of district.	No. of terms.	Names of teachers.	No. of weeks of school.	Wages per month.	No. of scholars.	No. in reading.	No. in spelling.	No. in arithmetic.	No. in grammar.	No. in geography.	No. in algebra.	No. in physiology.	No. in history.	No. in penmanship.	No. in composition.
1	$ \begin{cases}                                   $	Jennie M. Perkins Byron Whittemore Byron Whittemore	10 11 9	\$24.00 24.00 24.00	15	17 15 16	15	15	5	10 9 10		8		13 11 12	
2	{First Second Third.	Florence A. Stevens Laura M. Buehler Laura M. Buehler	10 9 11	24.00 24.00 24.00	10 9 9	10 9 9	9	9	7 9 9	9		7 9 6	 4 4	10 9 9	 9 9
5	$ \begin{cases}                                   $	Gyrta Bartlett Agnes L. Greeley Agnes L. Greeley	10 10 10	26.00 24.00 24.00	15	16 12 8	15	12	9 7 5	7 6 4		12 10 6	8 7 5	16 12 8	6 5 3
6	$ \begin{cases}                                   $	Elizabeth N. McKerley. Elizabeth N. McKerley. Elizabeth N. McKerley.	10 10 10	34.00 34.00 34.00	29	29	29	29	13 13 13	19	2 2 2	22 16 	 8 9	29 29 28	
8	{First Second Third.	Blanche H. Emerson Blanche H. Emerson Blanche H. Emerson	$10 \\ 9^{1/2} \\ 10^{1/2}$	$30.00 \\ 28.00 \\ 28.00$	17	16 17 15	17	16	8 7 6	9				16 17 15	
New Dov'r	First Second Third .	Ida M. Jones: Delia F. Demers. Delia F. Demers.	10 9 11	22.00 24.00 24.00	12	11 12 13	12	5 7 7	7 3 3	5	::	5 5	3 2 2	9 12 10	

Births Registered in the Town of Chichester, for the Year ending December 31, 1899.

Date of birth.	Place of birth.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex.	Living or still-born.	No. of child, 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.	Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.	Age of father.
Jan.	2	Gladys E. Towle	F.	L.	1	w.	Charles A. Towle	Florence B. Batchelder	w.	Chichester	Farmer	Chichester	Chichester	24 22
" 1	5	Winnie L. Dame	• 6	66	1	66	Albert S. Dame	Alma K. Drake	66		"		California	30 25
Apr. 1	9	Mary A. Lake	46	**	1	**	Edward J. Lake	Lilla May Robinson	. "	"		" ,	Pembroke	32 23
July 1	6 .:	Chas. H. Staniels, Jr.	M.	66	2	66	Charles H. Staniels	Jennie Davis	66	"	R.R. employee.		Loudon	. 34 29
" 3	este		**	66	1	66	William F. Paige	Bertha A. Cushing	66	Concord	Painter	Concord	Concord	25 18
Aug. 2	iche		44	**	1	66	Albert M. Aldrich	Mira E. Green	**	Manchester Pittsfield	Laborer	Manchester	Pittsfield	26 20
" 2	SP	V. E. Welcome	66		3	66	W. D. Welcome	Harriett E. Russ				Concord		
Sept.	l in		F.		2	66	Warren M. Smith	Annie M. Haynes	4.6	Gilmanton	"	Gilmanton	Loudon	. 40 22
Oct. 1	F F		M.	"	4	66	Jeremy L. Sanborn	Emma S. Cofran		Chichester	"	Chichester	Pembroke	
" 2	7		66	4.6	5	66	George A. Bailey	Mary S. Ayers	66	"	"		Chichester	
Dec.	8		F.	66	1	66	Will A. Burton	M. Susie Stanyan				Littleton	"	
" 1	0	Geo. E. Ordway, Jr.	м.	66	6	66	George E. Ordway	Rose M. Kelley	4.6		Contractor	Loudon	Northwood	45 20

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

FREDERICK B. SHAW, Town Clerk.

## Marriages Registered in the Town of Chichester, for the Year ending December 31, 1899.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age, yrs. Color of each.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Name, residerand official storage of person by we married.	ation
	Chichester	George E. Ordway Rosa M. Kelley Frederick B. Shaw Josie P. French	Northwood. Chichester	20 " 28 "	Farmer	Northwood Chichester	Freelove Towle	Chichester Northwood. Chichester	Farmer Farmer	M. E. minis  Joel A. Steele, M. E. minis	ter.

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

FREDERICK B. SHAW, Town Clerk.

## Deaths Registered in the Town of Chichester, for the Year Ending December 31, 1899.

death.	Place of	Name and surname of the deceased.	Age.	Place of birth.			married,	Occupation.	Place	of birth.	Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
Date of death.	death.		Years. Months. Days.	race of birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, married or widowed.	Occupation.	Father.	Mother.	ivalle of father.	
Jan. 7 Feb. 1 Mar. 15 Apr. 1 30 May 13 June 18 July 30 Oct. 27 Nov. 4 Dec. 3	Chichester  Boscawen Chichester  " " " Lowell, Ms. Chichester	Mary A. Liscomb	81 7 76 10 27 57 57 3 67 3 4 82 6 14 77 6 75 9 87 27 10	Scotland Vensington Chichester East Concord. Dover Epsom Plymouth Chichester Chichester	F. M. F. M. F. M. F.	W	W. M. W. S. W. M. S.	Housekeeper Housekeeper Farmer Housekeeper Housekeeper Painter Merchant Housekeeper Housekeeper Railroademp At home	Kensington Chichester Farmington Plymouth Salisbury	Kensington Chichester Dover Campton Pembroke	William Liscomb Nathaniel Sherburne. Henry Hook. Joseph Batchelder. John W. Quimby Jonathan Knowles. William Morse Chandler Hutchinson. James P. Hook	Janet — Charlotte Webster. Parno Locke. Nancy Batchelder. Mary Meader. Locke. Ruth Howmans. Jerusha L. Fowler. Sarah Jane Gates.
1898. Feb. 28	Marblehead		46 8 26	BROUGHT Chichester	Т( М.	w.	Сні	CHESTER	FOR INTE	ERMENT.	Albert Sanborn	1

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

FREDERICK B. SHAW, Town Clerk.