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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Falmouth

FOR THE

Fiscal Year ending Feb. 16

1907

WEST FALMOUTH, ME:
NOYES PRINTING CO., PRINTERS
1907.

TOWN OFFICERS, 1906.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor.

FRANK B. BLANCHARD, ALGERNON BOWIE
ROLAND S. YORK.

Town Clerk.

ARTHUR S. NOYES.

Treasurer.

ARTHUR S. NOYES.

School Committee.

ERNEST W. WINSLOW. STEPHEN G. HUSTON
FRANK B. BLANCHARD.

Superintendent of Schools.

CLARENCE W. PIERCE.

Board of Health.

DANIEL W LUNT, ALFRED H. HASKELL
ALBERT F. MINOTT.

Collector of Taxes.

JOHN F WILLIAMS.

Road Commissioners.

SEWELL P. WINSLOW. WILLIAM E. WINSLOW
JOHN H. LUNT.

Auditor.

GEORGE D. YORK.

Constable.

JOHN F. WILLIAMS.

Warrant for Town Meeting.

To JOHN F WILLIAMS, a Constable in the Town of Falmouth,

GREETING :

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Falmouth, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at the town house in said town, on the fourth day of March, 1907, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles, to wit:—

First. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Second. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Third. To hear and act upon the reports of the Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor, Assessors, Treasurer and Superintendent of Schools.

Fourth. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Fifth. To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance and support of schools and the poor and the repairs of roads and bridges and to defray all other necessary town charges for the ensuing year.

Sixth. To see what action the town will take in regard to the pay of town officers.

Seventh. To see if the town will vote to charge interest, and how much per cent, on all taxes not paid within a stated time from the time of commitment.

Eighth. To see if the town will vote to abate the tax of A. P. Andersen for the year 1906.

Ninth. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, on a written order from the Selectmen, to hire on the credit of the town, such sums of money, as in their opinion, may be necessary to meet the liabilities and current expenses of the town, or act anything relative thereto.

Tenth. To see what sum of money the town will raise for improvement of the State Road.

Eleventh. To see if the town will vote to change the travel part of the easterly end of the Underwitted Road, at the point now within the limits of Maine Central Railroad, northerly about 25 feet, and raise money for the same.

Twelfth. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money, and how much, for the destruction of the brown tail moth.

Thirteenth. To see what action the town will take in closing up for the winter the road leading from the Gray road to Cumberland line known as the Lincoln Abbott road.

Fourteenth. To see what action the town will take in cutting down what is called Abbott's Hill on Old Gray road, and raise money for the same.

Fifteenth. To see what action the town will take in making substantial repairs on the wharf at Town Landing, and raise money for the same.

Sixteenth. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Superintending School Committee to unite with other towns in employing a Superintendent of Schools, provided satisfactory arrangements can be made for such a union.

Seventeenth. Upon application of Alexander Skillin and others, to see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to locate the public drinking fountain on the Foreside road, at the junction of said road with the road leading to Falmouth Corner.

Eighteenth. To see if the town will vote and raise the sum of five hundred dollars, (\$500.) for part payment of town note.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters in said town, and hearing and deciding upon the application of persons claiming to have their names entered upon said lists, at the town office, at eight o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1907.

FRANK B. BLANCHARD,	} <i>Selectmen</i>	
ALGERNON BOWIE,		<i>of</i>
ROLAND S. YORK,		} <i>Falmouth.</i>

REPORT OF

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor.

To the Inhabitants of Falmouth:

We, the undersigned, Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor, herewith submit our report for the municipal year ending Feb. 16, 1907.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN FOR YEAR 1906

AT FAIR CASH VALUE.

Real estate, resident,	\$603,075 00	
Real estate, non-resident,	401,435 00	
Total real estate,		\$1,004,510 00
Personal estate, resident,	\$223,870 00	
Personal estate, non-resident,	24,525 00	
Total personal estate,		248,195 00
Total value estates,		\$1,252,705 00

Rate of taxation, \$11. on \$1,000.

Number of polls 398.

Poll tax, \$2.00.

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1906.

For State tax,	\$2,950 76
County tax,	1,004 97
Schools,	2,500 00
High School Tuition,	900 00
Highways,	3,000 00
Out Poor and Insane,	500 00
Town Officers,	900 00
Bridges and Culverts,	400 00
Snow,	100 00
Interest,	120 00
Town Note,	900 00
Text Books,	130 00
School Supplies,	25 00
Repairs of School-houses,	300 00
State Road,	200 00
Hillside Avenue Culvert,	100 00
Burial Grounds,	200 00
Grading Hills,	300 00
Overlay,	45 30
Supplementary,	18 80
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Total amount committed to collector,	\$14,594 83

Account of Expenditures.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Balance last report,		\$ 45 30
Appropriation,		900 00
Due from State for Supt. of Schools,		150 00
F. B. Blanchard, Selectman, etc.,	125 00	
Algernon Bowie, " "	112 00	
Roland S. York, " "	105 15	
Arthur S. Noyes, Town Clerk,	27 00	
C. W. Pierce, Supt. Schools, 1905-6,	425 00	
Arthur S. Noyes, Treasurer,	75 00	
Arthur S. Noyes, Collector, in part,	50 00	
Ernest W Winslow, S. S. Committee,	11 00	
Ernest W Winslow, Election Clerk,	2 00	
Geo. M. Whitney, " "	2 00	
John F. Williams, Constable 1905-6,	52 44	
D. W. Lunt, Board of Health,	6 50	
A. F. Minott, " "	4 00	
A. H. Haskell, " "	3 50	
George D. York, Auditor,	2 00	
F. B. Blanchard, Moderator,	2 00	
C. W. Pierce, expense of S. S. Com.,	1 55	
Balance in favor appropriation,	89 16	
	\$1,095 30	\$1,095 30

HIGHWAYS.

Appropriation,		\$3,000 00
Expended,	\$3,045 69	
From overlay and contingencies		45 69
	<u>\$3,045 69</u>	<u>\$3,045 69</u>

JOHN H. LUNT, Commissioner.

Appropriation,		\$1,000 00
John H. Lunt,	\$126 75	
Dow & Hodsdon,	1 40	
J. B. Lord,	38 07	
D. W. Hodsdon,	88	
Ola Andersen,	4 82	
W C. Waite,	59 52	
Andrew Iversen,	71 75	
Martin Iversen,	162 00	
Iver Iversen,	169 38	
Ferdinand Ebbesen,	43 32	
Silas O. Skillin,	22 75	
Fred Hincks,	62 00	
John P. Jensen,	66 32	
Ferdinand Ebbesen, gravel,	13 80	
Grand Trunk Railway, freight,	25	
John Jensen,	16 62	
Alberta Pettingill, gravel,	28 80	
Ola Petersen, gravel,	5 40	
J. R. Wescott, smithwork,	50	
Wm. Hornden,	1 75	
C. E. Uelmer, blasting,	15 00	
Goods Roads Machine Co.,	3 70	
John A. Ricker,	39 38	
Martin Iversen, plow,	2 00	
J. M. Brown, gravel,	42 00	
B. L. Jones,	4 00	
Balance against appropriation,		2 16
	<u>\$1,002 16</u>	<u>\$1,002 16</u>

WILLIAM E. WINSLOW, Commissioner.

Appropriation,		\$1,000 00
William E. Winslow,	\$205	85
Edward E. Winslow,		80
F. M. Winslow,		21 05
Lewis C. Smith,		77 65
Deering, Winslow & Co.,		15 25
King & Dexter,		2 15
W. H. Winslow, plank, etc.,		1 50
Kendall & Whitney, plow point,		50
Hans Petersen,	124	90
W. L. Mountfort,		13 35
H. D. Winn,		20 00
B. U. Swett,		9 85
Lemuel Rolfe, gravel,		18 35
A. H. Haskell, labor and gravel,		34 95
Leon M. Winslow,		49 75
Harry E. Merrill,		47 45
Levi W. Huston,		60 00
Elmer J. Leighton,		41 15
Perley Leighton,		1 50
Henry Brink,		7 50
Frank Thurlow,		34 70
N. S. Clifford,		12 00
F. O. Whitehouse,		40 25
L. A. Goudy,		4 00
Amos Marston,		6 00
Geo. H. Huston,		4 00
F. B. Blanchard, gravel,		7 50
Eugene R. Leighton,		6 60
F. M. Swett,		23 75
F. P. Marston,		22 00
F. P. Marston, gravel,		9 30
E. H. Ingalls, labor, gravel and clay,		15 80
Edgar B. Leighton,		33 35
William J. Thurlow,		21 25

L. W Hadlock,	1 28	
King & Dexter, shovel,	85	
Percy R. Winslow,	25	
Warren G. Lunt	6 75	
Good Roads Machine Co.,	3 70	
W H. Pearson,	38	
F W Merrill, clay,	1 20	
William Hornden, gravel,	1 50	
Hollis F. Leighton,	2 00	
W Scott Pride, smithwork,	7 23	
Balance against appropriation,		19 14
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	\$1,019 14	\$1,019 14

SEWELL P. WINSLOW, Commissioner.

Appropriation,		\$1,000 00
S. P Winslow,	\$196 25	
King & Dexter, tools, etc.,	15 01	
J. Gundersen,	78 25	
E. A. Marston,	114 41	
U. R. Pride,	6 00	
W Shaw,	19 96	
R. W E. Winslow,	34 58	
H. S. Pride,	40 00	
Peter P. Aaskov,	12 00	
Lemuel Rolfe, gravel,	12 00	
W P. Knight,	4 50	
Howard Olmstead,	15 00	
H. Hicks,	14 25	
L. W Hicks,	1 00	
A. H. Haskell, gravel,	12 70	
A. Haskell,	13 50	
L. A. Goudy,	63 55	
C. E. Minott,	8 25	
R. S. Barbrick,	16 50	

C. Spearin,	7 50	
Percy F. West,	28 00	
F. M. Blake,	19 55	
J. Hammond,	4 00	
A. E. Tibbetts,	35 90	
O. G. Blake,	11 55	
E. Leighton,	1 26	
J. M. Leighton,	4 00	
W. W. Libby, gravel,	41 20	
Clarence Harmon,	43 80	
Milton Huston,	11 55	
R. C. Dyer,	5 83	
Geo. V Olmstead,	7 08	
Roy Winslow,	3 00	
F. S. Huston, gravel,	7 20	
T. J. Pearson,	4 50	
George Latham,	1 50	
Lewis C. Smith,	3 75	
F. O. Whitehouse,	3 75	
Mrs. Hale Leighton, gravel,	3 20	
Good Roads Machine Co.,	3 70	
E. Huston, gravel,	3 00	
P. N. Packard,	6 00	
Geo. P. Dearborn,	46 50	
C. E. Wilson,	16 00	
David Spearin,	9 00	
Edgar B. Leighton, scraper,	3 00	
W. H. Pearson, tools,	2 40	
George Meloon,	1 50	
L. W. Hadlock,	5 31	
W. Scott Pride, smithwork,	2 15	
Balance against appropriation,		24 39
	<u>\$1,024 39</u>	<u>\$1,024 39</u>

SNOW.

Balance last report,		\$ 3 44
Appropriation,		100 00
W E. Winslow,	\$ 5 25	
W F. Dearborn,	3 10	
Lewis E. Dearborn,	2 20	
A. H. Haskell,	8 95	
E. L. Huston,	3 75	
L. L. Huston,	1 00	
F. H. Winslow,	2 00	
David Spearin,	2 40	
Frank Newell,	2 00	
W. H. Pearson,	3 00	
Clinton Dearborn,	2 00	
Elmer J. Leighton,	65	
E. E. Winslow,	2 50	
F. M. Winslow,	50	
A. C. Warburg,	1 70	
J. H. Warburg,	2 55	
F. P. Marston,	3 65	
C. H. Aaskov,	1 70	
E. P. Aaskov,	2 55	
Neils Hansen,	2 55	
A. P. Thim,	1 70	
N. P. Thim,	2 55	
Wilson Nevins,	2 40	
D. G. Colley,	2 33	
Robert Colley,	2 33	
C. F. Colley,	5 20	
N. C. Johnsen,	2 00	
Harry Johnsen,	3 00	
L. F. Pride,	14 90	
J. Gundersen,	25 50	
S. P. Winslow,	7 50	
Howard Read,	40	
Augustus Hansen,	3 00	

Fred Marston,	1 00
J. M. Leighton,	2 90
E. J. Leighton,	2 80
Ralph Winslow,	1 40
W. W. Libby,	2 50
B. W. Shaw,	7 60
John Stewart,	7 50
John Hansen,	3 40
Neils Miller,	1 70
Hans Petersen,	6 90
E. L. Morrison,	85
John Johassen,	2 30
Neils Garsoe,	2 80
F. O. Dupee,	1 50
Reuben Merrill,	1 90
H. H. & H. G. Brink,	2 05
C. Lawsen,	2 60
J. H. Lunt,	11 60
Andrew Iversen,	12 00
F. Ebbesen,	5 00
Silas O. Skillin,	4 80
W. E. Dow,	3 40
Philip Hodsdon,	80
Arthur Ulricksen,	2 80
H. J. Poland,	2 40
Herbert Farr,	1 80
Eugene S. Ramsdell,	3 60
Arthur Stubbs,	2 40
O. D. Bucknam,	40
J. B. Lord,	2 80
B. L. Jones,	6 00
Fred Hinck,	7 20
Arthur Hinck,	3 60
Lawrence Hinck,	4 20
M. Barry,	3 00
D. W. Hodsdon,	2 40

Charles Clark,	3 00
Martin Iversen,	4 80
Neils Jensen,	1 00
Alfred Jensen,	1 00
C. K. Richards,	2 00
Iver Iversen,	4 00
John Jensen,	1 00
R. S. Bowie,	1 00
P. A. Bowic,	1 00
Iver Iversen,	1 00
John Lund,	1 00
George Goudy,	60
D. W. Lunt,	2 00
R. M. Leighton,	2 30
A. F. Minott,	7 60
H. D. Winn,	7 20
G. S. Latham,	3 80
E. H. Marston,	2 40
L. W. Hadlock,	2 20
H. J. Poland,	60
P. P. Aaskov,	3 20
W. I. Thurlow,	6 00
R. C. Dyer,	2 20
R. A. McLean,	3 60
E. W. Winslow,	12 40
John McDonald,	1 80
R. H. B. Bailey & Son,	6 40
Fred S. Huston,	7 00
C. E. Wilson,	8 40
Stephen O'Brion,	2 40
G. F. Young,	3 80
A. H. Wilson,	1 20
E. A. Marston,	4 30
H. F. Leighton,	1 40
C. S. Blake,	6 00
F. A. Sylvester,	3 30

Earl Wilson,	3 00	
Geo. V Olmstead,	1 60	
From contingencies,		282 77
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	\$386 21	\$386 21

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS.

Appropriation,		\$400 00
King & Dexter,	\$ 5 45	
W. H. Pearson,	1 23	
Wm. E. Winslow,	37 50	
Deering, Winslow & Co.,	67 91	
Hans Petersen,	39 95	
Leon M. Winslow,	3 90	
John H. Lunt, labor and material,	34 70	
Dow & Hodsdon,	6 14	
S. H. Anderson,	1 00	
F. P. Marston,	4 00	
Lewis C. Smith,	17 65	
Harry Merrill,	7 00	
F. O. Whitehouse,	2 60	
W. H. Field,	3 00	
F. M. Winslow,	10 85	
John A. Ricker,	87	
F. Ebbesen,	87	
W. C. Waite,	13 12	
Iver Iversen,	14 00	
B. L. Jones, plank,	5 25	
Jerome Rumery & Co.,	13 04	
Warren G. Lunt,	6 50	
Edgar B. Leighton,	6 70	
W. H. Field, stone,	6 75	
Martin Iversen,	23 00	
A. Madisen,	5 25	
Ola Andersen,	5 69	
S. P. Winslow,	30 50	

E. A. Marston,	41	13	
J. Gundersen,	13	50	
C. E. Minott,	1	50	
Lemuel Rolfe, stone,		50	
L. A. Goudy, trucking,	2	00	
John P. Jensen,	3	50	
J. R. Wescott, smithwork,	1	30	
W. E. Howell, stone,	2	00	
J. F. Williams,		50	
David Spearin,	3	00	
W Scott Pride, smithwork,	1	16	
From contingencies,			44 51
	<u>\$444</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>\$444 51</u>

HILLSIDE AVENUE CULVERT.

WIDENING ROADWAY.

Appropriation,		\$100	00
S. P. Winslow,	\$19	37	
E. A. Marston,	29	83	
L. A. Goudy,	19	60	
J. Gundersen,	11	00	
David Spearin,	6	50	
George L. Hall, care of lights,	1	00	
Geo. A. Carter, " "	1	00	
Fred Marston, clay,	10	00	
W. H. Winslow,		70	
R. B. Low,	7	36	
Balance from contingencies,			6 36
	<u>\$106</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>\$106 36</u>

REBUILDING CULVERT.

From contingencies,		\$75	00
S. P. Winslow, as per contract,	\$75	00	
	<u>\$75</u>	<u>00</u>	<u>\$75 00</u>

STATE ROAD.

Appropriation,		\$200 00
Due from State,		200 00
J. H. Lunt,	\$53 33	
W. C. Waite,	37 63	
F. Ebbesen,	28 00	
John Andersen,	8 75	
Iver Iversen,	92 00	
J. A. Ricker,	34 13	
Ola Andersen,	27 13	
B. L. Jones,	32 38	
J. F. Williams,	16 50	
John P. Jensen,	14 88	
Portland Stone Ware Co., tile,	16 44	
T. S. Sears, making drills,	1 75	
E. Corey & Co., steel,	5 21	
Emery, Waterhouse Co.,	2 35	
T. B. Davis, dynamite,	9 73	
J. R. Wescott, smithwork,	2 70	
Dow & Hodsdon,	1 49	
S. Starling,	1 50	
C. K. Richards, oak,	4 00	
Martin Iversen, drag,	4 00	
Iver Iversen, scoop,	5 00	
Balance in favor appropriation,	1 10	
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	\$400 00	\$400 00

CONTINGENCIES.

Balance last report,		\$504 59
State, dog licenses refunded,		132 65
State, railroad and telegraph tax,		132 69
Telephone tolls,		1 78
Silas Skillin, auctioneer's license,		2 00
Boston Bargain Store, cuspidors,	\$1 50	
Maine Central R. R., freight,	25	

B. W. Shaw, subduing fire 1905,	1 12
Noyes Printing Co., town reports,	49 02
W H. Pearson, office supplies,	81
Geo. D. Loring, " "	19 73
N. & H. B. Cleaves & S. C. Perry, legal advice,	62 14
A. Bowie, index,	70
Gustave Rhode, brown tail moth,	65
Raymond M. Blake, " " "	29
C. H. Leighton, " " "	1 48
Mabel Goodenow, " " "	3 55
Howard Ramsdell, " " "	2 51
Ralph Doughty, " " "	1 30
J. Harvey Stubbs, " " "	1 64
Arthur Jordan, " " "	2 74
Arthur V Lunt, " " "	45
Charles Sommers, " " "	1 80
W G. Goodenow, " " "	1 00
Frank Rowe, " " "	1 10
Eugene S. Ramsdell, removing dead horse from beach,	2 00
H. M. Moulton, M. D., certificate of births and deaths,	3 75
Noyes Printing Co., stationary,	1 50
Nathaniel Leighton, hen damage,	6 00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., tolls,	1 93
Fred Hinck, fuel town house,	6 75
A. S. Noyes, tax sale and postage stamps,	66 04
Ray C. Eaton, recording deed,	50
Carried to acct. Highway,	39
" " Snow,	282 77
" " Bridges and culverts,	44 51
" " Hillside Ave.,	6 36
" " Hillside Ave., culvert,	75 00
" " Interest,	52 13
" " Out Poor,	28 05
Balance in favor appropriation,	42 35

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ALMS HOUSE REPAIRS.

Balance from last report,		\$67 96
E. L. Huston, saw bill,	2 88	
Balance in favor appropriation,	65 08	
	<u>65 08</u>	<u>\$67 96</u>
		\$67 96

CEMETERIES.

Appropriation,		\$200 00
W. E. Winslow, labor,	\$ 6 50	
Lewis C. Smith, "	5 02	
Edgar B. Leighton, "	5 80	
Leon M. Winslow, "	3 60	
A. C. Hinck, "	6 00	
Herbert St. Clair, "	8 00	
C. F. Colley, carting and labor,	13 25	
W. H. Pearson, paint and nails,	5 10	
McDonald Manf'g Co., planing,	50	
W. W. Riggs & Co., lumber,	7 30	
F. M. Brown, paint,	3 10	
S. W. Hamilton, nails,	20	
Balance in favor appropriation,	135 63	
	<u>135 63</u>	<u>\$200 00</u>
		\$200 00

INTEREST.

Appropriation,		\$120 00
Interest on deposits,		57 65
Columbus Knight,	\$229 78	
Balance from contingencies,		52 13
	<u>\$229 78</u>	<u>\$229 78</u>
		\$229 78

TOWN NOTE.

Appropriation,		\$ 900 00
From real estate sales, per vote of town,		1,100 00
Columbus Knight,	\$2,000 00	
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	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00

GRADING HILLS.

Appropriation,		\$300 00
Unexpended,	\$300 00	
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	\$300 00	\$300 00

SCHOOLS.

Balance last report,		\$ 10 66
Appropriation,		2,500 00
State Mill and Bank tax,		1,289 16
Rent of houses,		3 00
Dora A. Libby, teaching, 1905,	\$ 36 00	
Elmer Ingalls, janitor 1905,	3 50	
L. F. Adams, " "	2 25	
Philip K. Merrill, " "	2 25	
Stevie Pratt, " "	2 25	
Ralph Doughty, " "	2 25	
James Tocher, " "	1 25	
B. W. Shaw, hauling and storing fuel, 1905,	1 40	
Anna C. Colley, teaching, 1906,	363 00	
Ethel N. Colley, " "	231 00	
Mildred B. Rolfe, " "	93 50	
D. W. Lunt, " "	363 00	
Alice E. Leighton, " "	99 00	

Addie G. Barber,	teaching 1906,	247 50
Dora A. Libby,	“ “	99 00
Edith F. Huston,	“ “	71 50
Grace L. Graham,	“ “	247 50
Lottie M. Morrison,	“ “	275 00
Minnie E. Bohnson,	“ “	88 00
Anna T. Pratt,	“ “	99 00
Lizzie M. Copp,	“ “	57 00
Bessie G. Blanchard,	“ “	105 00
Carrie H. Winslow,	“ “	99 00
Sadie A. Sylvester,	“ “	189 00
Frances S. Blanchard,	“ “	81 00
Georgia M. Sawyer,	“ “	108 00
Josephine Pullen,	“ “	67 50
Lilias M. Brooks,	“ “	11 20
Emma Ingersoll,	conveying scholars,	185 00
C. S. Varney,	“ “	14 00
Cumberland Lumber Co.,	fuel,	27 50
Levi W. Hadlock,	“	14 00
Erncst W Winslow,	“	52 30
S. W. Hamilton,	“	77 00
E. L. Huston,	“	10 63
F. M. Blake,	hauling fuel,	6 00
N. P. Olsen,	sawing fuel,	2 00
F. B. Blanchard,	fuel, sawing-storing,	13 50
Winslow Bros.,	fitting and storing fuel,	5 50
H. A. Olmstead,	storing fuel,	75
Loring Jones,	janitor, storing fuel,	5 00
Arthur V. Lunt,	janitor,	2 75
Grace L. Graham,	“	5 25
Ralph Doughty,	“	5 50
Willie Field,	“	2 75
Christian Haskett,	“	2 75
Minnie E. Bohnson,	“	2 75
Rossie Pratt,	“	5 75
Charles B. Leighton,	“	3 00
Philip K. Merrill,	“	6 00

James Tocher,	janitor,	5 50	
Thaddeus Young,	“	3 00	
George Mountfort,	“	2 50	
Willis Rendall,	“	2 75	
Vernon Wilson, janitor, fitting and storing fuel,		8 75	
J. Gundersen, sawing and storing fuel,		2 00	
Balance due schools,		282 79	
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		\$3,802 82	\$3,802 82

TEXT BOOKS.

Balance last report,		\$ 12 37	
Appropriation,		130 00	
Ginn & Company,	\$54 15		
C. W. Pierce, express,	1 25		
E. W. Winslow, books, paper and express,	13 38		
Loring, Short & Harmon,	10 80		
Silver, Burdette & Co.,	10 80		
H. W. Shaylor,	6 25		
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	7 02		
Balance in favor appropriation,	38 72		
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	\$142 37	\$142 37	

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Appropriation,		\$25 00	
Dow & Hodsdon,	\$ 45		
Loring, Short & Harmon,	1 50		
C. W. Pierce,	1 46		
W. H. Pearson,	2 45		
Leavenworth & Co.,	10 00		

S. W. Hamilton,	2 60	
Newell White,	1 50	
Balance in favor appropriation,	5 04	
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	\$25 00	\$25 00

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS.

Appropriation,		\$300 00
L. L. Ramsdell, 1905,	\$13 48	
Oren Hooper's Sons, "	13 78	
Flaherety Bros., "	48 00	
W. H. Pearson,	3 04	
L. A. Doughty,	19 72	
Geo. W. Barbour,	1 00	
Fannie L. Leighton, cleaning,	6 20	
Eva Havener, "	4 00	
D. W. Lunt, "	5 00	
C. W. Pierce, blackboard,	21 42	
W. H. Barker, No. 5 house,	98 15	
Kendall & Whitney, step ladders,	5 60	
Ernest W. Winslow,	14 95	
Leavenworth & Co., desks,	22 50	
Grand Trunk Railroad, freight,	2 41	
F. B. Blanchard,	2 25	
W. Scott Pride, smithwork,	75	
Balance in favor appropriation,	17 75	
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	\$300 00	\$300 00

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

Balance last report,		\$ 97 28
Due from State,		280 00
Appropriation,		900 00
Freda M. Hamilton,	Portland,	\$30 00
Weston M. Hicks,	“	7 50
Huldah M. Kimball,	“	30 00
Leslie A. Libby,	“	7 50
Isabelle P. Mann,	“	30 00
Mabel E. Norton,	“	30 00
Marion L. Richards,	“	7 50
Helen V. Robinson,	“	7 50
Edward L. Robinson,	“	30 00
Helen C. G. Sargent,	“	7 50
Blanche E. Wells,	“	7 50
Paul S. Harmon,	Deering,	30 00
May G. Knight,	“	30 00
Geo. H. Meloon.	“	30 00
Albert H. Wilson,	“	30 00
Susie Chenery.	“	22 50
Evelyn Lawsen,	“	22 50
Lorene Merrill,	“	22 50
Edna Libby,	“	22 50
Dolly Webber,	“	22 50
Earle Bailey,	Westbrook,	14 44
Frances S. Blanchard,	Westbrook Sem.	10 00
Ella M. Mountfort,	“ “	30 00
Lena H. Mountfort,	“ “	30 00
L. Edith Hall,	“ “	30 00
Ina M. Huston,	“ “	30 00
Floy G. Pearson,	“ “	30 00
Florence M. Tocher,	“ “	10 00
Edwin E. Howell,	“ “	10 00
Ralph S. Bowie,	“ “	30 00
Warren G. Lunt,	“ “	30 00
Fenwick M. Winslow,	“ “	10 00

Clarence E. Harmon,	Westbrook Sem.	10	00
Willie A. Field,	“ “	20	00
S. Morris Blanchard,	Greeley Institute,	24	00
Everett Libby,	“ “	24	00
Everett Wilson,	“ “	24	00
Hertha Lund,	“ “	16	00
Inez O’Brion,	“ “	16	00
Lois G. Winslow,	N. Y. Academy,	9	50
Hugh B. Poland,	“ “	28	50
Edith M. Goudy,	“ “	17	00
Gladys M. Lunt,	“ “	17	00
Bertha L. Winslow,	“ “	17	00
Robert Colley,	“ “	17	00
Arthur V. Lunt,	“ “	17	00
Howard P. Ramsdell,	“ “	17	00
Rose Starling,	Yarmouth,	18	00
Balance in favor of appropriation,		293	34
		<u>\$1,277</u>	<u>28</u>
		\$1,277	28

TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.

STATEMENT.

Received from R. Rasmussen, last report, \$40 60

TOWN FARM IN ACCT. WITH TOWN.

Balance from last report,	\$543	01
M. C. R. R., fire damage,	3	00
Cash from R. Rasmussen, rental,	84	40
Due from R. Rasmussen, “	21	60
R. Rasmussen, care of tramps, 1905-6, \$	8	00
Balance in favor of farm,	644	01
	<u>\$652</u>	<u>01</u>
	\$652	01

Stock on the farm, 1 horse, 3 cows, also 125 hens.

OUT POOR.

Appropriation,		\$500 00
Rec., from state, on account of pauper,		295 50
Lizzie E. Blanchard, for board of Alvin and Emma Chase,	\$242 25	
S. S. Rich & Son, Ambulance and funeral expenses C. Wilhelma,	50 00	
Maine Insane Hospital, E. B. Hill,	141 33	
E. F. Robinson, M. D., medical attendance C. Wilhelma,	13 50	
Maine Gen Hospital, care C. Wilhelma,	228 00	
Pine Grove Cemetery, burial lot C. Wilhelma,	9 00	
Idella M. Marston, dressmaking for Emma Chase,	2 00	
A. A. Lane, shoes and rubbers Alvin and Emma Chase,	4 13	
W. H. Pearson, shoes, etc., for Alvin and Emma Chase,	2 38	
Rines Bros., clothing Emma Chase,	2 25	
L. A. Gould, " " "	1 98	
Ira F. Clark,	2 29	
W. M. Bean, clothing Alvin Chase,	4 32	
F. B. Blanchard, clothing for Chase children,	3 25	
A. H. Wilson, sawing and storing fuel for Ellen Huston,	7 87	
S. W. Hamilton, fuel, Ellen Huston,	5 50	
Fred Hinck, fuel, " "	15 00	
City of Portland, for Jennie Sommers,	18 00	
City of Portland, for Elbridge Tolman,	53 00	
C. R. Woodman, for " "	12 00	
F. B. Blanchard, service and expense to Augusta, case E. B. Hill,	2 50	
Rev. B. Fickett, attending funeral C. Wilhelma,	3 00	
Balance from contingencies,		28 05
	<u>\$823 55</u>	<u>\$823 55</u>

TAXES ABATED.

On list of Wm. E. Winslow, 1903,	\$17 75
“ James E. Merrill, 1904,	46 69
“ Arthur S. Noyes, 1905,	67 75
“ John F. Williams, 1906,	29 75

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF TOWN.

ASSETS.

Due from J. E. Merrill, Coll. 1904, \$	10 05	
A. S. Noyes, Coll. 1905,	99 07	
J. F. Williams, Coll. '06,	6,360 34	
Tax deeds,	74 53	
State, dog licenses, estimated,	135 00	
State, for State road,	200 00	
State, for High School Tuition,	280 00	
State, for Supt. of Schools,	150 00	
Cash in Treasury,	1,107 29	
	<hr/>	\$8,416 28

LIABILITIES.

F. B. Blanchard, Selectman, etc., \$	136 40	
Algernon Bowie, “ “	126 50	
Roland S. York, “ “	112 00	
A. S. Noyes, Treasurer,	75 00	
A. S. Noyes, Town Clerk and postage	26 35	
A. S. Noyes, Collector,	125 00	
J. F. Williams, “	175 00	
C. W. Pierce, Supt. of Schools,	125 00	
Due to Schools,	282 79	
Bills out-standing, estimated,	125 00	
Out-standing Note,	2,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,309 04
Assets over liabilities,		<hr/> \$5,107 24

OVERLAY ACCOUNT.

Overlay 1906,		\$45 30
Carried to Highway account,	\$45 30	
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	\$45 30	\$45 30

SUMS RECOMMENDED TO BE RAISED. .

Highways,		\$3,000 00
Out Poor and Insane,		600 00
Town Officers,		900 00
Bridges and Culverts,		400 00
Snow,		1,000 00
Interest,		80 00
Contingencies,		200 00
Schools, by	S. S. Committee,	2,500 00
High School Tuition,	“ “	800 00
Text Books,	“ “	175 00
School Supplies,	“ “	25 00
Repairs of School-houses,	“ “	250 00

FRANK B. BLANCHARD, } *Selectmen, Assessors*
 ALGERNON BOWIE, } *and Overseers of Poor*
 ROLAND S. YORK, } *of Falmouth.*

FALMOUTH, MAINE, FEB. 19, 1907.

I hereby certify that I have examined the above accounts of the Selectmen and Overseers of Poor for the year 1906, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEO. D. YORK, AUDITOR.

COLLECTORS' ACCOUNT.

WILLIAM E. WINSLOW, 1903.

	DR.		
Balance last report,			\$33 67
	CR.		
Cash,		\$15 92	
Abatements,		17 75	
		<u>33 67</u>	<u>\$33 67</u>

JAMES E. MERRILL, 1904.

	DR.		
Balance last report,			\$65 79
	CR.		
Cash,		\$ 9 05	
Abatements,		46 69	
		<u>55 74</u>	<u>\$55 74</u>
			<u>\$10 05</u>

ARTHUR S. NOYES, 1905.

	DR.		
Balance last report,			\$5,765 82
Supplemented,			4 00
			<u>5,769 82</u>
	CR.		
Cash,		\$5,603 00	
Abatements,		67 75	
		<u>5,670 75</u>	<u>\$5,670 75</u>
			<u>\$99 07</u>

JOHN F. WILLIAMS, 1906.

	DR.		
Total commitment,			\$14,598 83
	CR.		
Cash,		\$8,208 70	
Abatements,		29 79	
		<u>8,238 49</u>	<u>\$8,238 49</u>
			<u>\$6,360 34</u>

TREASURER'S REPORT.

ARTHUR S. NOYES, Treas., in acct. with the TOWN OF
FALMOUTH.

RECEIPTS.

Balance as per last report,	\$ 3,025 29
From W. E. Winslow, Collector 1903,	15 92
J. E. Merrill, " 1904,	9 05
A. S. Noyes, " 1905,	5,603 00
John F. Williams, " 1906,	8,208 70
State Treas., school and mill tax,	1,289 16
State Treas., railroad and tel. tax,	132 69
State Treas., dog tax refunded,	132 65
State Treas., State pauper,	295 50
State Treas., State pensions refunded,	6 00
Rent of town farm,	125 00
Town Clerk, dog licenses,	175 00
Interest on deposits,	57 65
Auctioneer's license,	2 00
Rent school-house,	3 00
Maine Central Railroad,	3 00
Telephone tolls,	1 78
	\$19,085 39

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Town orders,	\$13,745 37	
State tax in full,	2,950 76	
County tax in full,	1,004 97	
State Treasurer, dog tax,	175 00	
State pensions,	102 00	
Cash to balance,	1,107 29	
	<hr/>	\$19,085 39

ARTHUR S. NOYES, TREAS.

FALMOUTH, MAINE, FEB. 19, 1907

I hereby certify that I have examined the above account of Arthur S. Noyes, Treasurer for the year 1906, and find it properly vouched, and find in his hands eleven hundred seven dollars and twenty-nine cents (\$1,107.29).

GEO. D. YORK, AUDITOR.

SCHOOL REPORT.

To the School Committee and Citizens of Falmouth:

In accordance with your custom the following report is respectfully submitted.

Whole number of persons in town April 1, 1906, between the ages of five and twenty-one was 466.

During the past year twelve teachers have been employed at an average salary of \$8.33 per week.

That there is a great scarcity of well trained teachers is well known throughout the entire State.

During the past year we have had but few interruptions in the work of our schools.

In the fall term at No. 12 diphtheria broke out in the neighborhood and we were obliged to close that school for several weeks but a part of the time is being made up during the present winter term and the remainder will be made up during the coming spring term.

The school at No. 1 was closed one week early on account of sickness in the teacher's family. An extra week will be added to the spring term.

By your generous appropriation it has been possible to give you a school year of thirty-three weeks. This lengthening of the school year has greatly increased the efficiency of our schools.

At the close of the spring term, graduating exercises were held at No.1, No.3, and No. 7.

A meeting of all the schools was held at the town hall June 15, 1906. At this meeting some of the work of the various schools was exhibited. These meetings have helped to keep the teachers interested in educational thought and progress.

During the fall term the teachers were given an opportunity to attend the meeting of the Maine Teachers Association at Auburn.

TEXT BOOKS.

The only change in text books has been the introduction of the New Educational Reader. The results from the introduction of these Readers in the first two grades have been very gratifying. The only reason why we did not purchase new readers for all grades was lack of funds. During the coming year it will be necessary to purchase new reading books for the higher grades.

SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Extensive repairs were made on the building at No. 5. The building at the present time is in excellent condition. The building at No. 12 has been fumigated twice during the past year and some minor repairs made upon the stoves, etc. It seems absolutely necessary that some marked improvements be made in the out-houses of the following buildings, Nos. 1, 2, and 3. These out-houses are in a deplorable condition. In buildings Nos. 1 and 9. we have been annoyed by persons breaking and entering. Considerable damage was done at No. 1, in the breaking of pictures and the loss of a clock.

New seats adapted to small children have been installed in No. 1.

TUITION PUPILS.

Each pupil who passed the examination given by your Superintendent also passed the examination given for entrance to the various high schools to which they applied.

I find that nearly all the pupils from Falmouth are doing good work. Nearly all the pupils who graduated from No. 7 school, at the opening of the fall term returned to that school and the results have shown that where pupils are so disposed our common schools can furnish an excellent opportunity for review work.

IN GENERAL.

A course of study especially adapted to the Falmouth schools will be put into the hands of the teachers at the opening of the spring term. This course of study covers the same ground as that prescribed by the State department but is so arranged that it will act as a definite guide for teachers and Superintendent.

During the past year the amount of work done in reading in the first two grades has almost doubled itself. The pupils of these grades have shown marked efficiency in intelligent reading. The work in arithmetic has increased in amount about one-third over that of last year. The increase has been about the same in language, history and geography.

The growing educational sentiment throughout the State of Maine has shown us some characteristic features of the school movement in Maine to-day.

1 A demand for more intelligent instruction in the elementary courses of study.

2 A greater respect paid to the child's individuality.

3 The consolidation of feeble and scattered rural schools.

4 Growth of the conviction that the schools all need skilled supervision as much as business enterprises that have it.

5 Great progress in school-house construction, sanitation and equipment.

6 An improvement in teachers salaries.

7 An increasing demand for scholarship, professional training and heart in the teacher.

8 A growing interest in school matters on the part of the citizens.

The total number of visitors at our schools during the past year has increased 25 per cent. In one of our schools the number of visitors for the entire year has reached 122.

On June 14, 1906 one of your former teachers Mr. Moulton made an address at School No. 3. Mr. Moulton served you

for many years as teacher in your schools. It was indeed an event not soon to be forgotten by those present. In his remarks he stated clearly and forcefully the progress that the schools of Falmouth has made since the early times. That there have been in recent years many changes in our methods of teaching is well known to all. That not all dangers have been eliminated from our school system is admitted by those who have made a study of the past conditions as well as the present.

We must not forget the fact that the home as well as the school has a very important part in the development of the child. We must bear in mind that education does not give us a life of ease. A child who has not learned to obey cheerfully has missed the greatest blessing made possible by the home and school. The home as well as the school can render a great service in helping to develop in the child a love for and a habit of work. Unless the child delights in conquering difficulties through his own efforts and mastering the tasks assigned him, his home and school have brought him but little good and may have done him much harm.

The business man is looking for the boy who is tidy in his apparel and clean in his habits and who is not afraid of work and overalls. He wants a lad who can spell and write acceptably and who is familiar with fundamental processes in arithmetic and accurate in the use of figures.

The hearty co-operation of the home with the scholar will help our rural communities to continue to play the important part in the world's affairs in the future as it has in the past.

In closing I wish to thank the teachers, pupils and citizens for their hearty co-operation and interest in school affairs. To the school committee my thanks are especially due for their wise counsel and advice.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. PIERCE, SUPT. OF SCHOOLS.

TABULAR REPORT.

Showing attendance, length of terms, and salaries of teachers.

No. of School.	TEACHERS.	No. of Weeks.	Whole Number.	Average Number.	Wages per Week.
SPRING TERM.					
1	ANNA T. PRATT,	11	17	14	\$ 9 00
2	ALICE E. LEIGHTON,	11	19	16	9 00
3	ANNA C. COLLEY,	11	56	47	11 00
4	ADDIE G. BARBER,	11	13	12	7 50
5	DORA A. LIBBY,	11	29	24	9 00
6	LOTTIE M. MORRISON,	11	29	26	8 50
7	D. W. LUNT,	11	27	25	11 00
8	EDITH F. HUSTON,	11	9	8	6 50
9	GRACE L. GRAHAM,	11	19	18	7 50
10	MILDRED B. ROLFE,	11	23	18	8 50
12	MINNIE E. BOHNSON,	11	11	11	8 00
FALL TERM.					
1	SADIE E. SYLVESTER,	12	16	13	9 00
2	CARRIE H. WINSLOW,	11	21	18	9 00
3	ANNA C. COLLEY,	12	49	40	11 00
4	ADDIE G. BARBER,	12	11	9	7 50
5	GEORGIA M. SAWYER,	12	32	27	9 00
6	LOTTIE M. MORRISON,	12	27	25	8 50
7	D. W. LUNT,	12	29	26	11 00
8	FRANCES S. BLANCHARD,	12	8	7	6 50
9	GRACE L. GRAHAM,	12	22	19	7 50
10	ETHEL N. COLLEY,	12	17	16	8 00
12	LIZZIE M. COPP,				8 00
WINTER TERM.					
1	SADIE E. SYLVESTER,	9	16	14	9 00
2	CARRIE H. WINSLOW,	11	15	13	9 00
3	ANNA C. COLLEY,	10	40	34	11 00
4	ADDIE G. BARBER,	10	10	10	7 50
5	GEORGIA M. SAWYER,	12	31	28	9 00
6	LOTTIE M. MORRISON,	10	27	25	8 50
7	D. W. LUNT,	10	23	20	11 00
8	JOSEPHINE PULLEN,	10	8	7	6 50
9	GRACE L. GRAHAM,	10	19	15	7 50
10	ETHEL N. COLLEY,	10	19	15	8 00
12	LILLIAS BROOKS,				8 00
12	BESSIE W. CLOUGH,	*			8 00

*In session.

Ethel N. Colley assistant in No. 3, Spring term; Bessie G. Blanchard
for Fall and Winter terms, wages, \$5.00 per week.

PUPILS NOT ABSENT ONE HALF DAY.

SPRING TERM.

Ida Fries,	Marie Gundersen,
Carl Jensen,	Lillian Gundersen,
Laurits Jensen,	Fred Young,
Helen Larson,	Thaddeus Young,
Howard Leighton,	Angelette Tibbetts,
Rose J. Starling,	Alta Hill,
Helen Waite,	Boniface Campbell,
Forest Babbidge,	Henry Merrill,
John Babbidge,	Donald Colley,
Ola Field,	George Mountfort,
Frank Tocher,	Linwood O'Brion,
James Tocher,	Ethel Kelley,
Grace Mason,	Wellington Pratt,
Marion Harmon,	Butler Pratt,
Harold Beck,	Clara Winslow,
Christine Haskett,	Percy Winslow,
Philip Merrill,	Edna Whitehouse,
Alice Lund,	George Noyes,
Ethel Petersen,	Mary Connor.
Howard Petersen,	

FALL TERM.

Gladys Adams,	Sadie Dyhrberg,
Clifford Blake.	Alma Fabricus,
Dorothy Merrill,	Ida Fries,
Paul Sanders,	Clara Hansen,
Marie Gundersen,	Willis Hansen,
Fred Young,	Helen Larson,
George Young,	Howard Leighton,
Thaddeus Young,	George Mountfort,
Alvin Chase,	Linwood O'Brion,
Emma Chase,	Wellington Pratt,
Ethel Petersen,	Butler Pratt,
Howard Petersen,	Clara Winslow,
Ralph Doughty,	Percy Winslow,
Laura Hincks,	Phyllis McDonald,
Ervin Kimball,	Percival Nevins,
Marie Poland,	Edward Sutherland,
Helen Waite,	Arthur Lowell.

WINTER TERM.

Edward Sutherland,	George Young,
Philip Colley,	Fred Young.
Willie Hansen,	Angelette Tibbetts,
Percival Nevins,	Harold Leighton,
Martin Iversen,	Clara Winslow,
Lilly Iversen,	Percy Winslow.
Phyllis McDonald,	

DEATHS IN 1906.

Deaths in Falmouth from Jan. 1, to Dec. 31, 1906, as returned to the Town Clerk :

- Jan. 5. Esther E. Emery, 75 yrs., 5 mos., 14 days.
 Feb. 12. Joshua L. Whitehouse, 67 yrs., 10 days.
 Mar. 7. Victor Hansen, 18 yrs., 3 mos.
 21. Emily J. Latham, 89 yrs.
 Apr. 4. Clara E. Libby, 54 yrs., 3 mos., 14 days.
 May 9. Mary Susan Merrill, 95 yrs., 2 mos., 5 days.
 26. Hale Leighton, 78 yrs., 8 mos., 25 days.
 June 14. Broda A. Hincks, 62 yrs., 2 mos., 27 days.
 Aug. 2. Forest Knight, 10 mos.
 29. Angela R. Whittier, 94 yrs., 1 mo., 4 days.
 Sept. 9. Victoria E. Hill, 64 yrs., 20 days.
 30. Rowena H. Leighton, 82 yrs., 11 mos.
 Oct. 29. William H. Barker, 63 yrs., 10 mos., 18 days.
 Nov. 21. Nellie J. Babbidge, 39 yrs.
 Dec. 2. Ernest L. Morrison, 24 yrs., 10 mos., 2 days.
 22. Mary E. McIntire, 78 yrs., 8 mos., 7 days.
 31. Enoch Blake, 76 yrs., 1 mo., 12 days.