

R E P O R T S

OF THE

SUPERINTENDENTS OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS,

THE

TOWN TREASURER AND SELECTMEN

OF THE

TOWN OF NEWMARKET, N. H.,

FOR THE YEAR 1864-5.

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REPORTS OF SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS.

CONDITION OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN NEWMARKET.

[FROM APRIL TO OCTOBER 30th, 1861.]

DISTRICT No. 1.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

This School has continued for the year under the instruction of Miss Towle, and has sustained the reputation already acquired by its teacher, for skill in instructing those in the primary department of knowledge.

Would that every child in the land were blessed with a hand equally kind to smooth its first steps in the rugged paths of study.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

The year commenced favorably for the pupils of this school, in that Miss French, the teacher of the previous year, continued with them. Good discipline, accurate and thorough instruction are here enjoyed.

Special pains is required to enable those just commencing the rudiments of science to advance with certainty and cheerfulness. Some aid has, we think, been rendered to those commencing the sciences by the introduction of Greenleaf's "New Primary Arithmetic." Still further profit and delight would be afforded to the young learner by the introduction of Colton and Fitch's "Primer of Geography," thus completing the series now in use. This could easily be done at the commencement of another year.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

We found, on entering this school, that the teacher and pupils seemed to have a mutual knowledge of each other; and that, in

school hours, study was expected to occupy the attention of all. Mr. Joy, in his instruction, is evidently less anxious for the *sound* than the *substance*.

Pupils whose minds are satisfied with a *formula of words* do not find themselves in much repute.

“Things have their meaning,” seems to be his motto. The progress of the school has been apparent to every observer. If, with the other excellencies, the teacher of this school would employ a little more of the “*suaviter in modo*,” it would *soften discipline* without rendering it less *effective*.

During the second term an assistant was deemed by the *Prudential Committee* needful. Miss Kelsey was secured, and to the best of our knowledge, rendered faithful service.

HIGH SCHOOL.

The first term brought that *too frequent* luxury, a *new teacher*. The usual effect of a change of teachers in a school of this class is, that some of the pupils find it needful to devote quite a share of the attention which their books demand to the solution of the question—“What does the new teacher amount to?” After some little time expended in this manner the pupils of the school went quietly to work, and made, during the first term, commendable progress. The second term found still closer attention to study.

This school should sustain such a character that no scholar residing in this community should find it essential to go elsewhere for an academic education. We think the welfare of the school would be promoted by the adoption of a prescribed course of study, thus putting it on a footing with most of the high schools in the State.

DISTRICT No. 2.

PINE HILL.

During the Summer Term this school enjoyed the services of an experienced teacher. If that other requisite to Education, *the prompt attendance of the children at school*, had been secured, we might have witnessed results more satisfactory. As it was, the progress of the scholars reflected credit upon the efforts of the teacher.

If possible, the terms of school should occur at that season of the year when the children can be spared to attend. *Constancy*,

every *teacher* knows, and every *parent should know*, is the only thing that will ensure the advancement of the pupil.

DISTRICT No. 3.

FOUR CORNERS.

This district was very fortunate in securing the tuition of Miss Haley. A previous knowledge of the school, combined with highly cultivated powers of mind, rendered her efforts in instruction peculiarly successful. The most perfect order was apparent in the school-room, and the exercises of the classes evinced that thorough discipline, to secure which is the chief end of education.

DISTRICT No. 4.

GRANT.

[No school during my term of service.]

DISTRICT No. 5.

PLAINS.

This school was favored with the services of one of its former and well approved teachers. She evidently secured the support of the parents and the attachment of the pupils. Much skill was manifested in awakening the dormant and exciting a healthful emulation in the minds of all. While the school room was thus a place of earnest work, it seemed to us that it was robbed of some of that *quiet* which makes the school-room a place for study as well as for recitation.

We can freely say, however, that the progress of the school was fully equal, if not superior, to that of any other in town.

GENERAL REMARKS.

The schools, for the year now closed, have afforded, so far as our knowledge extends, more than usual gratification to both parents and pupils. Most of the scholars have continued during the year under the instruction of the same teachers. It would be an improvement to the schools in the village, if the number of scholars could be *equalized*, thus giving to each teacher an equal share of the labor. With the maximum number of pupils now in attendance this equalization would be secured by establishing

another school between the Primary and Intermediate, which might be called the *Secondary*. Room for this purpose might easily be found by dividing the room now occupied by the Primary School, into two rooms. Considering the age and number of the pupils the conveniences would be equal to those enjoyed in either of the upper schools. The Assistant employed in the Grammar School could teach a *separate* school equally well. The close, uncomfortable recitation room, disliked by teacher and pupils, would be avoided; and the Grammar School scholars would enjoy their proper amount of *room and oxygen*.

The *Text Books* in use in the schools are generally good; some of them, however, we think, might profitably give place to others better adapted to the wants of children.

The *securing of good teachers* and the *retaining them*, is the chief guaranty of prosperity in our schools. Restrict our schools in *length*, if we must, but let them be *drilled by a competent hand*. The *right teacher* brings to the school not only *knowledge* but *inspiration*. *Without* this the exercises of the recitation seats are but a mummery,—*with it* the class exercises become a place of contest, where the youthful mind wrests from Science her secrets, and stereotypes them upon her thinking tablets.

S. D. BOWKER,

Superintendent of Public Schools,

From April to October 20th, 1864.

CONDITION OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN NEWMARKET

[FROM OCTOBER, 1864, TO MARCH, 1865.]

DISTRICT No. 1

The Primary School was continued by the teacher that taught the two preceding terms, and I would say all and even more than my predecessor expressed. It was in my opinion a perfect success.

The Intermediate was also continued by the same teacher, with her usual success till taken sick, three weeks before the time to close. Miss Sarah Nealey then took the school and carried it through satisfactorily.

The Grammar School.—At the close of the second term Mr. Joy dissolved his connection with this school for a more lucrative business, and consequently a new teacher was employed for the third term. He entered on his task supposing he was to teach a common school,—one to be taught and governed as other common schools, but ere long he discovered his mistake. There was a conspiracy soon formed and a general mutiny followed, which he undertook to suppress, but found the rebels, which their *allies*, too powerful to be subjugated, and of his own accord resigned his charge at the end of four weeks.

A second teacher was then employed, who for a while seemed to succeed better; but the same spirit of insubordination again manifested itself, although not to the same extent.

Both teachers were industrious and desirous to be useful, and would no doubt have succeeded in a *common* school.

If several young ladies who are and have been members of this school for the last fifteen years should graduate and seek elsewhere some more honorable and profitable employment, to say the least, the school would not suffer.

The winter term of the High School was continued under Mr. Haley's instruction. This term was the best of the year, and the school did credit to teacher and scholars.

DISTRICT No. 2.

PINE HILL.

The winter term was taught by D. I. Mooney with good success. Teacher and scholars seemed mutually to understand their duty to each other. The school was creditable to both.

DISTRICT No. 3.

FOUR CORNERS.

Both terms by the same teacher, and I can not better express my opinion of this school than by referring you to the remarks of my predecessor, every sentence of which I approve, and would apply them to the management of the winter term.

DISTRICT No. 4.

GRANT.

The winter and only term for the year was taught by George B. Lane, a member of the Chandler School, Hanover.

This school was very small and the scholars somewhat backward. The progress was respectable.

REMARKS.

The schools, with one exception, compare favorably with previous years.

The warming apparatus for the stone school-house in District No. 1, is very imperfect, imparting very little heat and consuming a large amount of fuel:—the cost of which for this winter term being not less than eighty dollars, and then at no time was the house suitably warmed. The cost has been double what it would have been to warm it well with stoves. The Prudential Committee found it necessary to put a small stove into the lower room, without which the teacher would have been obliged to suspend her school some of the coldest days.

WILLIAM FOLSOM,

Superintendent of Public Schools,

From October, 1864, to March, 1865.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

SAMUEL A. HALEY, *Town Treasurer, in account with the Town of Newmarket.*

1864.		Dr.
March 10.	To received of B. F. Haley, Treasurer for 1863,	\$49 86
12.	Borrowed of James M. Caswell,	100 00
17.	U. S. first instalment for 19 volunteers,	1,176 00
April 5.	Borrowed of A. T. Gilman,	275 00
9.	“ “ Washington Hawes,	500 00
9.	Rate List committed to George W. French, Collector,	9,964 70
26.	Borrowed of John P. Haley,	700 00
26.	“ “ James P. Tilton,	1,070 00
June 1.	“ “ Hellen L. Tasker,	180 00
6.	“ “ Mary C. Willey,	200 00
8.	Literary Fund,	102 76
20.	Borrowed of Elizabeth T. Thompson,	300 00
23.	“ “ M. Frances Demeritt,	75 00
25.	“ “ Henry Gilman,	800 00
27.	“ “ Albert H. Bunker,	300 00
July 6.	“ “ Charles B. Garland,	160 00
14.	License for Menagerie,	30 00
21.	Borrowed of William Jones,	50 00
25.	“ “ James P. Tilton,	200 00
25.	“ “ Charles E. Tasker,	100 00
27.	“ “ William Jones,	514 00
August 5.	“ “ Joseph F. Wiggin,	1,000 00
5.	“ “ George W. French,	1,000 00
15.	“ “ David Bassett,	325 00
15.	“ “ William F. Morrill,	350 00
15.	“ “ David Murray,	500 00
15.	“ “ Tho. W. Leach,	500 00

Aug.	15.	Borrowed of	Royal T. Snell,	\$400 00
	15.	" "	Thomas Tuttle,	150 00
	15.	" "	Elizabeth Watson,	90 00
	15.	" "	Thomas H. Card,	100 00
	15.	" "	Lydia Watson,	50 00
	15.	" "	Samuel French,	400 00
	15.	Second U. S.	instalment for volunteers,	280 00
	26.	Borrowed of	Hannah Watson,	250 00
	26.	" "	Newmarket Bank,	6,000 00
	26.	" "	Joseph Pinkham,	1,918 64
	26.	" "	Charles W. Eaton,	300 00
	29.	Received of	William F. Morrill,	350 00
	29.	" "	David Bassett,	350 00
	31.	Borrowed of	Samuel French,	75 00
Sept.	8.	" "	Benj. Brooks,	150 00
	9.	" "	John F. Ham,	400 00
	30.	" "	Eben B. Wiggin,	450 00
	30.	" "	George W. Wiggin,	300 00
October	1.	" "	Charles S. Vittum,	500 00
	11.	" "	A. J. Stevens,	315 00
	11.	" "	D. A. Stevens,	383 00
	15.	Received State Bounties for volunteers,		5,000 00
	20.	Borrowed of	Luther Parry,	125 00
	20.	" "	James D. Nealley,	150 00
Nov.	2.	" "	Charles S. Vittum,	1,000 00
	4.	" "	Luther Parry,	50 00
	5.	" "	Joseph H. Smith,	50 00
	5.	" "	Joseph R. Chesley,	150 00
Dec.	1.	" "	H. S. McDaniel,	322 50
	2.	" "	James M. Caswell,	437 25
	5.	" "	Charlotte Chesley,	100 00
	9.	" "	Oharlotte Hewins,	200 00
	16.	" "	Charles Allen,	350 00
	26.	" "	Edmund Pendergast,	100 00
	26.	Received amount paid for State aid in 1863,		3,768 53
	26.	Borrowed of	Newmarket Bank,	5,000 00
1865.				
Jan.	3.	Borrowed of	Daniel Hodgkins,	400 00
	4.	" "	John J. Robinson,	300 00
	5.	" "	Samuel Haley,	300 00

Jan.	7.	Borrowed of	Daniel Hodgkins,	\$100 00
	12.	" "	N. B. Treadwell,	300 00
	13.	" "	William Kelcey,	700 00
	14.	" "	Newmarket Savings Bank,	500 00
	16.	" "	Jane F. Harvey,	100 00
	26.	" "	William Reynolds,	50 00
Feb.	15.	Received	Railroad Tax,	119 31
	21.	Borrowed of	Elizabeth Kelcey,	100 00
	21.	Received State Bounties for volunteers,		2,000 00
	27.	" "	of E. R. Doe, balance in his hands for 1863,	9 33
March	3.	Received of	Aaron E. McIlwain, police fines,	26 00
	3.	" "	for use of Town Hall,	16 50
	3.	Amount due the Treasurer,		119 50
				\$57,065 63

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By paid State Tax,	\$3,345 00
" County Tax,	1,259 14
" Sundry orders of Selectmen,	48,932 53
" State aid to families of volunteers,	3,477 21
Amount in hands of George W. French, Collector,	51 75
	-----\$57,065 68

MARCH 7, 1865.

Settled the foregoing account, as above stated.

SAMUEL A. HALEY, *Treasurer.*

EBEN B. WIGGIN,
CHARLES D. GARLAND, } *Selectmen.*

MARCH 7, 1865.

We the subscribers, Auditors for the Town of Newmarket, have examined the foregoing account, and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE W. KITTREDGE,

JOHN M. TOWLE,

Auditors.

There has been furnished the army and navy during the political year, sixty-two men, nearly all of them for three years, at an average cost to the town of about two hundred and eighty dollars (\$280) for each man, and our quota in full on the highest quota of the State.

The indebtedness of the town (interest calculated to March 1st) is Forty-seven Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty and $\frac{83}{100}$ Dollars (\$47,830.83.)

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

*Town of Newmarket in account with the Selectmen and Treasurer
of said Town*

1864		
March	10	By paid Hannah Watson, interest on note, \$21 00
	10	William Richardson, on note, 25 00
	10	Charles E. Lane, insurance, 4 20
	13	Beth W. Tash, bill for 1863, 2 50
	21	John J. Robinson, note and interest, 52 68
	21	Town of New Durham, doctor's bill for Min Twombly, 12 00
	21	William F. Durell, breaking roads in 1862, 15 75
	23	George W. Taylor, bounty, 100 00
	23	George L. Floyd, bounty, 100 00
	23	Edwin H. Goodwin, bounty, 100 00
	24	Ben B. Thompson, 200 00
	24	Newmarket Bank, interest on note, 60 00
April	1	Hose Company No. 1, 27 00
	1	Tiger Engine Company, No. 1, 65 25
	1	Granite Engine Company, No. 2, 81 00
	1	Freeman J. Locke, sundries for Tiger Engine Company, 4 29
		services as Steward, 6 00
		10 29
	1	Moses D. Richardson, on note, 25 00
	1	Elizabeth Kelsey, interest, 35 00
	1	Nath. Willey, bounty, 100 00
	1	Alexander L. Abbott, bounty, 100 00
	1	Calvin H. Weymouth, bounty, 270 00
	13	J. J. Foster, printing School Report, 36 00
	13	Tho. W. Wiley, services as police officer, &c., for 1863, 14 25
	13	Newmarket Bank, interest, 20 00

April	11	Jonathan H. Wendtore, removing boards and lumber from street,	\$1 00
	21	Woodbridge W. Tuttle, bounty,	200 00
	22	Bradstreet French, for amount paid country persons for labor on bridge,	75 59
	22	Benjamin Williams, balance for repairing school house,	31 37
May	12	Perry Long, bounty,	200 00
	12	Charles F. Davis, services as police officer, &c., for 1863,	22 00
	19	William H. Huckins, bounty,	200 00
	21	Joseph F. Wiggin, repairing bridge, &c.,	9 70
	27	Insurance,	10 60
	27	Francis Cogswell, bounty,	200 00
June	6	Samuel S. Manning, for furnishing substitute,	500 00
	6	Charles H. Willey, bounty,	200 00
	6	Richard H. Varney, bounty,	200 00
	20	A. B. Clay's Estate Bill,	5 50
	25	Newmarket Bank, interest,	20 00
	25	John M. Towle, note and interest,	880 26
July	13	John Bradford, bill for 1863,	3 00
	18	John Cleaves, bounty,	200 00
	25	J. A. Shorey, for 2 volunteers,	600 00
	25	Timothy Cary, bounty,	300 00
August	4	Sundry persons for watching fire on Gt. Hill, as per bills,	19 50
	5	Jacob Wentworth, bounty,	200 00
	5	William Jones, note,	50 00
	20	John P. Haley, note and interest,	208 42
	20	21 Volunteers and Substitutes, State and Town bounties, as per assignments on file,	11,600 00
	20	Miles Durgin, for J. A. Sherry for procuring men,	25 00
	26	Charles W. Eaton, bounty,	400 00
	26	David Bassett, on account of V. R. C.,	10 00
	26	William F. Morrill, note and interest,	350 70
	26	David Bassett, note and interest,	325 00
	26	Royal T. Snell, note and interest,	400 80
	26	Moses C. Clark, note and interest,	313 90

Sept.	8	Charles R. Hatch, expenses to Nashua to enlist,	\$3 00
	8	George S. Nealley, do. do.,	3 00
	8	James D. Nealley, do. do.,	3 00
	8	Charles B. Jenness, bounty,	200 00
	8	Charles T. Young, bounty,	200 00
	8	Melville P. Junkins, bounty,	200 00
	8	Royal T. Snell, bounty,	100 00
	8	Benj. D. Watson, for repairing settees, chairs, &c.,	32 66
	16	Howard P. Marston, services as Town Clerk, &c.,	16 60
	16	J. Low Elkins, services as Supt. S. Committee, &c., for 1863,	50 00
	16	Edmund B. Pendergrast, labor self and others on bridge,	8 00
	17	Mary Davis, interest,	25 00
	30	Benj. F. Watson, interest,	114 00
	30	Hannah Watson, interest,	21 00
	30	Benj. D. Watson, making and painting guide boards,	7 16
	30	Edmund F. Lane, note and interest,	72 50
Oct.	1	Hose Company No. 1,	27 00
	1	Tiger Engine Company, No. 1,	67 50
	1	Granite Engine Company, No. 2,	67 50
	1	Newmarket Bank, interest,	60 00
	3	Edwin A. Hills, printing,	20 00
	3	Joseph A. Towle, services as Town Clerk for 1863,	11 44
	11	Joseph F. Wiggin, note and interest,	1,010 83
	15	Newmarket Bank, on note,	5,000 00
	18	Samuel D. Bowker, services as Superintendent S. Committee for past year,	25 00
	18	James D. Nealley, bounty,	300 00
	18	Paul Chapman's Estate, as per bill,	19 74
	20	School District, No. 1,	173 88
		" " 2,	123 08
		" " 3,	100 00
		" " 4,	91 00
		" " 5,	108 80
			1,596 76

Oct.	21.	Charles W. Eaton, on note,	\$50 00
	28.	Alanson Haines, interest,	10 30
	28.	C. A. Haley, supplies furnished Sally Watson,	11 26
Nov.	3.	Ai T. Gilman, note and interest,	363 72
	3.	William Jones, on note,	20 00
	4.	Joseph H. Smith, note and interest,	133 11
	30.	Joseph F. Lawrence, note and interest,	636 60
	30.	John J. Robinson, note and interest,	1,343 01
	30.	Joseph R. Chesley, note and interest,	148 85
Dec.	1.	Hester S. McDaniel, note and interest,	322 50
	2.	James M. Caswell, note and interest,	437 25
	2.	Geo. E. Tuttle, services as Police Officer for 1863,	10 00
	2.	Jonathan N. Keniston, board of B. F. Keniston, pauper, 41 weeks,	30 75
	2.	George A. Leach, labor on old Cemetery fence,	5 25
	5.	Charlotte Chesley, note and interest,	126 36
	5.	John Mathes, bridge plank,	55 00
	7.	Andrew J. Chapman, services as special police, &c.,	5 00
	7.	Patrick O'Brien, on note,	13 25
	12.	Joseph H. Smith, note and interest,	50 25
	16.	Susan E. W. Creighton, interest,	16 12
	16.	Mrs. E. T. Thompson, note and interest,	305 39
	21.	Augusta M. Bunker, on note,	50 00
	23.	Nathan Durgin, interest,	30 00
	23.	Charles S. Vittum, note and interest,	505 50
	23.	James D. Nealley, note and interest,	151 50
	31.	A. J. Keniston, note and interest,	118 25
	31.	John Kelsey, wood for Mrs. John Pinkham,	8 44
	31.	Charles S. Vittum, note and interest,	1,010 00
1865.			
Jan.	2.	S. P. Dow, boards for Town Hall,	4 50
	2.	Susan E. W. Creighton, interest,	99 62
	2.	Joseph E. Lang, school money from District No. 4,	4 90
	10.	Augusta M. Bunker, balance note and interest,	55 80
	10.	James A. Kelsey, interest,	28 50

Jan.	10.	David Murray, note and interest,	\$511 42
	16.	Helen L. Tasker, note and interest,	135 17
	16.	Sixteen volunteers and substitutes, State and Town bounties as per assignment,	7,300 00
	16.	Elizabeth A. Keniston, note and interest,	84 65
Feb.	6.	Mary C. Willey, note and interest,	205 63
	7.	Benj. F. Watson, interest,	27 00
	7.	Patrick O'Brien, on note,	10 00
	7.	Jona. N. Keniston, nine weeks board of B. F. Keniston, pauper,	6 75
	7.	Wm. W. Littlefield, bounty,	200 00
	16.	Wm. F. Durell, drawing stone for bridge,	16 50
	18.	Wm. B. Small, services in the case, Dame vs. Town, &c.	39 00
	21.	Marjery Crowell, note and interest,	187 25
	21.	Elizabeth Harvey and Elizabeth Kelsey, interest,	12 00
	21.	Newmarket Bank, note and interest,	1,020 33
	21.	Daniel S. Nealley, repairing old cemetery fence,	1 00
	21.	Joseph R. Doe, abatements on taxes for 1863,	17 94
	21.	Joseph R. Doe, abatement on J. Longley's tax,	4 50
	21.	Daniel Tuttle, perambulating town lines,	3 00
	21.	Bradstreet French, labor on bridges,	52 60
	21.	Joseph Pinkham, note and interest,	1,979 40
March	1.	James P. Tilton, note and interest,	207 14
	1.	Joy & Dearborn, supplies furnished Sally Watson,	8 29
	1.	James S. Pinder, stone and labor on bridge,	19 50
	2.	S. P. Dow, bridge plank,	13 37
	2.	Aaron L. Mellows, complaints and warrants and services in police cases, \$48 00 One day taking depositions,	5 00
			53 00
	2.	John J. Robinson, surveying,	5 00
	2.	T. & C. D. Garland, bill on account of bridge,	10 03
	2.	T. & C. D. Garland, wood furnished Mrs. John Pinkham,	6 00

March 3.	Joseph Langley, abatement on taxes for 1857, '58, '59, '60, '61, '62,	\$17 00	
3.	Miles Durgin, services as Deputy Sheriff,	11 86	
4.	Wm. Norton, wood furnished Sally Watson,	15 00	
4.	J. S. and E. Bennett, for funnel, lanterns, &c.	72 73	
4.	William Folsom, services as Superintendent School Committee,	\$15 00	
	Paid for lighting and warming Town Hall for School Com.,	3 00	
		18 00	
6.	George L. Dearborn, school books,	4 29	
6.	Geo. W. French, collector, abatement of taxes,	\$45 03	
	Collecting taxes,	149 46	
		194 49	
6.	Geo. W. French, stones for bridge,	15 00	
6.	Charles E. Durell, services as steward of Granite Engine Co.	5 00	
6.	Town of Nottingham, board of Eliza Watson, two weeks,	3 00	
7.	Hale Evans, services as police officer for 1863,	\$10 00	
	Trucking,	9 88	
		19 88	
	Chas. D. Garland, his bill as follows, viz :		
7.	Half day perambulating town lines, Nov. 1, 1864,	\$1 50	
	Paid poor persons,	3 00	
	Services as health officer,	3 00	
	All other services as Selectman,	32 00	
		39 50	
	Eben B. Wiggin, his bill as follows, viz :		
June 7.	Four days building old cemetery fence, \$1 75,	\$7 00	
11.	Moving Charlotte Chamberlin to Town Farm,	2 00	
Aug. 13.	One day and expenses to Portsmouth on military business,	4 00	
16.	One day and expenses to Nottingham and Barrington,	3 50	
27.	Horse and carriage to Junction,	50	

Sept. 3.	One day and expenses to Manchester on military business,	\$5 50	
21.	One day and expenses to Portsmouth, on military business,	4 00	
29.	One day perambulating line between Newmarket and South Newmarket,	3 00	
	Horse and carriage to Town Farm with L. Keniston,	50	
Nov. 10.	One day perambulating line between Newmarket and Durham,	3 00	
	Half day perambulating between Newmarket and Epping,	1 50	
	Services as health officer,	3 00	
	All other services as Selectman,	32 00	
		\$69 50	
March 7.	J. Low Elkins, pine timber,	5 28	
7.	Committee of enrolled men for expenses incurred for enlisting men,	1,050 00	
7.	Newmarket Bank, interest on note,	112 46	
	1864.		
	Samuel A. Haley's bill :—		
March 17.	1 day and expenses to Concord, on military business,	\$6 50	
23.	1 day to Concord, recruiting,	6 50	
29.	“ “ “	6 50	
April 19.	Paid for blank book,	37	
26.	Enrolling military,	3 00	
28.	Making Inventory for 1863 and 1864, to return to State,	5 00	
23.	Preparing State Aid account for settlement,	3 00	
July.	3 days and expenses to Portsmouth, recruiting, \$4.50,	13 50	
	2 days and expenses to Concord, recruiting,	12 00	
	Paid for horse for vol. to ride,	1 00	
August.	13 days, and expenses, in August, at Portsmouth, recruiting,	58 50	

August	Paid fare to Navy Yard and return, 3 men,	\$1 50
	2 days and expenses, at Concord, re- cruiting,	13 00
Sept.	1. 1 day and expenses to Manchester, on military business,	5 00
	2. 1 do. do. to Concord do. do.,	6 50
	Expenses to camp,	80
	2. 1 day and ex. to Portsmouth, do. do.,	4 50
Oct.	14. 1 day and expenses to Concord, to settle bounties,	6 50
	14. Taking two affidavits,	1 00
	14. 1 day and expenses to Portsmouth to settle pauper account,	4 50
November.	Making Warrant and Check List for Presidential Election,	5 00
	2 days perambulating town ines,	6 00
	6 days in December at Portsmouth, recruiting,	27 00
Dec.	28. 1 day and expenses at Concord to collect State Aid account,	6 50
Jan.	3 days and expenses at Portsmouth in January, recruiting,	13 50
	20. 1 day and expenses at Exeter, to settle Pauper account,	3 50
Feb.	15. 1 day and expenses at Concord to settle assignments,	6 50
	15. Stationery, blank books,	3 00
	15. Stamps and blanks,	29 81
	15. Paid for certificate of navy enlist- ments,	5 00
	15. Fare of enrolled men to Portsmouth, to have their names taken from the roll,	4 00
	15. Paid for nails, &c., for old Ceme- tery fence,	2 64
	15. Paid for cleaning out chimney of Town House,	1 00
	15. Plank for Town House,	2 10
	15. Paid poor person,	1 00

Feb.	15. Paid for lock for Town House,	\$0 37
	15. 250 pickets for old Cemetery fence,	4 00
	15. Paying \$3,477 State Aid to families, 1 per cent.,	34 77
	15. Procuring and paying \$24,170 for recruits, 1-4 per cent.,	60 42
	15. Services as Health Officer,	3 00
	15. Services as Town Treasurer,	10 00
	15. All other services as Selectman.	32 00
		420 25
	Total,	\$13,937 55
	To Cash received of Town Treasurer,	\$13,937 55

MARCH 7, 1865

Settled the foregoing account as above stated.

SAMUEL A. HALEY,
EBEN B. WIGGIN,
CHARLES D. GARLAND,
Selectmen of Newmarket

MARCH 7, 1865

We the subscribers, Auditors for the Town of Newmarket, have
examined the foregoing account and find it correctly and
properly vouched.

GEORGE W. KITFREDGE,
JOHN M. TOWLE,
Auditors

ERRATA.

The last paragraph in Treasurer's Report (page 12) should read as follows :

Town Indebtedness.

Amount of notes against the town including interest to March 1st, 1865,	\$47,830 83
Amount to be reimbursed by the State for State Aid paid families,	2,848 64
Whole amount of indebtedness,	<hr/> \$44,982 19
There is also a balance due from the General Government for bounties paid recruits in 1863, (promised to be reimbursed by instalments,) of	4,282 00
which, if collected, will reduce the town debt to	<hr/> \$40,700 19

SAMUEL A. HALEY, *Town Treasurer.*