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TOWN OFFICERS

MT. DESERT,

MAINE,

For the Year Ending February 10th,

1903.

BAR HARBOR, MAINE :
W. H. SHERMAN, BOOK AND JOB PRINTER.
1903.

Report of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor,

Valuation of the Town of Mount Desert, April 1, 1902.

Amount of real estate, resident owners,	\$601,275 00
personal estate, resident owners,	65,563 00
real estate, non-resident owners,	713,452 00
personal estate, non-resident owners,	20,645 00
Total,	\$1,400,935 00
Total amount of valuation April 1st, 1901,	1,023,709 00
Increase in valuation,	\$377,226 00

There are 451 polls at \$3.00 each.
Rate of taxation, \$16.00 per \$1000.

Resources for Year 1902.

Amount of cash in treasury, Feb. 12th, 1902,	\$2,394 38
Amount of uncollected tax in treasury, Feb. 12th, 1902,	4,291 02
	\$6,685 40

Amount Assessed for 1902.

Amount assessed for State tax,	\$2,568 98
" for County tax,	881 94
" for support of common schools,	2,600 00
" for support of poor and insane,	2,800 00

Amount assessed for constructing sewer from Kimball		
	House to Main sewer,	1,500 00
"	for extending main sewer,	1,500 00
"	for text books,	500 00
"	for repairing school building and school expenses,	300 00
"	for memorial expenses,	15 00
"	for town charges,	1,700 00
"	for repairing roads and bridges,	3,000 00
"	for repairing Quarry road,	500 00
"	for repairing sidewalks,	300 00
"	for new furnace and repairs on Somesville school house,	230 00
"	for constructing sewer from Herbert Smallidge's to the sea,	600 00
"	for interest on town notes and discount to tax payers,	2,000 00
"	for Somes Sound mountain road,	1,000 00
"	for hydrants,	125 00
"	for rebuilding Harbor Brook bridge,	350 00
"	for rebuilding bridge on Jordan's Pond road,	75 00
"	to repair the old road at Seal Harbor,	100 00
"	overlayings,	1,126 44
	Total,	\$23,772 36

Amount received from State, mill tax and school fund,	\$1,383 10
" from State, dog license,	81 74
" from Cranberry Isle, acct. pauper,	106 70
" from town of Hermon, acct. pauper,	24 55
" on account entrance to sewers,	650 00
" from Graves Bros., old furnace,	10 00
" from L. B. Deasy, Att'y, acct. of court expenses in H. A. Dyer case,	128 70

Amount received from Geo. L. Stebbins, acct. road work,	32 00
“ for auctioneer's license,	5 00
“ from Howard Havey, hay from the Benj. Richardson place,	15 00
“ for stumpage wood from the Benj. Richardson place,	8 63
“ town of Tremont, acct. of diphtheria at Halls Quarry,	56 75
“ from W. H. Gray, acct. hay from the Hanson place,	5 00
“ from Joseph R. Norwood, Supt., acct. of books sold,	2 44
“ from Joseph R. Norwood, Supt., acct. stove sold,	2 50
“ on supplement tax.	40 93
of tax received on tax deeds.	138 98
money hired for constructing Seal Harbor sewer authorized last year,	1,900 00

Total amount of resources for year 1902, \$35,049 78

Town Charges.

Paid Lyman H. Somes, services as Town Clerk,	\$ 25 00
Lyman H. Somes, services as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor,	299 00
Geo. A. Savage, services as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor,	123 75
Fred H. Macomber, services as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor,	150 00
Lyman H. Somes, expenses,	100 16

Paid Lyman H. Somes, horse hire.	13 50
George A. Savage, expenses,	35 81
George A. Savage, horse hire,	24 00
Fred H. Macomber, expenses,	31 81
Fred H. Macomber, horse hire,	73 00
Joseph R. Norwood, services as Superintendent of Schools and expenses,	224 06
Edward A. Hodgdon, services as police.	50 00
J. C. Hill, services on Board of Health,	57 85
J. C. Hill, expenses,	12 60
John W. Somes, services as Treas- urer.	50 00
John W. Somes, support of water tub,	3 00
John W. Somes, office rent,	12 00
J. C. Hill for services as Moder- ator,	4 50
Richardson Bros., breaking snow, 1901.	2 96
Wm. B. Campbell, recording tax deeds,	11 90
Edward R. Reed, breaking snow 1899 to 1902.	5 78
Mrs. L. L. Brown, return of birth certificate,	25
Dr. R. L. Grindle, Antitoxine for Diphtheria,	34 75
New England Tel. Co., Supt. of Schools, telephoning.	4 82
Andrew Ekstrom, fighting fire 1899,	3 50
Andrew Ekstrom, abatement of tax 1899-1900,	6 00

Paid Lyman H. Somes, recording death, birth and marriage certificates,	11 55
George Wood, breaking snow,	3 50
Marlboro Pharmacy, disinfecting supplies,	9 00
David D. Richardson, fitting wood for office,	2 00
Edgar I. Lord, surveying road,	12 00
Wm. H. Sherman, printing town reports,	39 20
A. C. Fernald, services as constable,	4 50
Clarence Pinkham, opening fishway at Long Pond,	1 20
Albert L. Burns, fighting fire,	1 92
Lyman H. Somes, services as wit- ness, fees and expenses in the H. A. Dyer case,	7 80
Dr. R. L. Grindle, antitoxine,	37 43
Greely Walls, abatement of tax 1900 and 1901,	8 26
Mrs. Greely Walls, abatement of tax 1900 and 1901,	14 82
Caro M. Somes, clerk hire,	12 00
Fred H. Somes, clerk hire,	12 00
Harvey Norwood, fighting fire,	4 00
A. A. Murphy, breaking snow 1900 and 1901.	3 50
Dr. J. D. Phillips, return of birth certificates,	2 25
James W. Ober, support of water tub,	3 00
Marlboro Pharmacy, disinfecting supplies,	8 00
W. H. Sherman, printing,	2 75
Benj. H. Leland, breaking snow,	1 23

Paid Allen Freeman, board of Superintendent of Schools and horse,	3 00
Frank E. Davis, opening fish way at Long Pond,	3 00
A. E. Clement, opening fish way at Long Pond,	4 00
A. T. Davls, opening fish way at Long Pond,	3 50
James Davis, fighting fire.	4 38
J. C. Hill, board for Supeintendent of Schools and horse,	4 50
Herbert A. Clement, fighting fire,	5 00
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., telephoning for Superintendent of Schols,	1 00
Seth W, Babbage, services as Constable,	13 00
Geo. L. Stebbins, abatement of tax for 1901,	29 70
Dr. R. L. Grindle, for vaccinating 28 persons,	14 00
Flora Tripp, abatement of tax,	1 79
Dr. R. L. Grindle for vaccine lymph.	4 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, books and stationery,	57 43
A. J. Carter, fighting fire,	80
L. B. Deasy, legal advice,	8 00
A. O. Jacobson, fighting fire,	2 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, stationary for treasurer,	60
L. Elrie Homes, services as Selectman and expenses 1901-1902,	28 35
W. H. Sherman, printing automobile ordinance,	1 75
B. T. Richardson, fighting fire,	4 00