

ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
SELECTMEN, TREASURER,  
*Library Committee*  
AND  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
OF THE  
TOWN OF HAMPTON,  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
MARCH 1, 1889.

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# Selectmen's Report

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1889.

INVOICE APRIL 1, 1888.

Resident invoice,	\$605,378
Non-resident invoice,	76,440
Total,	<u>\$681,818</u>

## TAXES.

State tax,	\$1,520 00
County tax,	1,353 48
Town tax,	1,200 00
School tax,	1,064 00
High School tax,	300 00
Library tax,	100 00
Cemetery tax,	200 00
Memorial tax,	75 00
Town House tax,	800 00
School-house tax,	125 00
Percentage,	314 46
Total,	<u>\$7,051 94</u>
Resident highway tax,	\$1,513 58
Non-resident highway tax,	191 27
	<u>\$1,704 85</u>
Dog tax,	80 00
Total taxes,	<u>\$8,836 79</u>
Less resident highway tax,	1,513 58
Amount committed to Collector,	<u>\$7,323 21</u>
Collector has paid Treasurer,	\$7,233 00
Due from Collector,	90 21
	<u>\$7,323 21</u>

## RATE OF TAXATION.

For State, County, Town, School and Library,	\$1.03 on \$100.00
For highway tax,	25c on 100.00

## RECEIVED ASIDE FROM TAXES.

From State, Insurance tax,	\$37 50	
Railroad tax,	270 17	
Savings Bank tax,	492 00	
Literary Fund,	113 40	
		\$913 07
From County,	\$32 00	
		\$32 00
On notes,	\$2,700 00	
Income town hall,	73 75	
Amos K. Blake, cemetery lot,	15 00	
N. T. Blake, cemetery lot,	15 00	
Wm. G. Cole, cemetery lot,	15 00	
Simon Dow, cemetery lot,	7 00	
Wm. G. Cole, bal. due on taxes, 1887,	180 44	
		\$3,006 19
Total receipts,		\$3,951 26

HAMPTON, Feb. 27, 1889.

We have this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen in relation to Towle Fund, and find them correct and are hereby approved.

O. H. WHITTIER,	} <i>Auditors.</i>
JACOB T. BROWN,	
HORACE M. LANE,	

## TOWN NOTES.

Date.	Payable to.	Amount.	Interest paid to.	Payabl.	Rate.
Feb. 27, 1884,	Cong. Society,	\$2,000.00	Feb. 27, 1889,		.05
Aug. 15, 1888,	Rockingham Lodge,	500.00		Aug. 15, 1893,	.05
Aug. 15, 1888,	" "	500.00		Aug. 15, 1892,	.05
Sept. 15, 1888,	" "	500.00		Sept. 15, 1891,	.05
Sept. 15, 1888,	" "	500.00		Sept. 15, 1890,	.05
Nov. 30, 1888,	Stacy W. Brown,	700.00		Nov. 30, 1889,	.06
May 2, 1887,	Towle Fund,	2,000.00	Mar. 1, 1889,		.06
Amount of notes and fund,				\$6,700 00	
Interest on notes,				60 50	
Total,					\$6,760 50
Cash in treasury,				\$776 72	
Due from Collector,				90 21	
Due from gov't as pension to Mrs. E. C. Stevens,				36 00	
					\$902 93
Balance against the town,					\$5,857 57
Resident highway tax, 1887,				\$1,057 68	
Highway tax paid in labor,				1,057 68	

WILLIAM E. LANE, } *Selectmen*  
 GEORGE A. JOHNSON, } *of*  
 JOSEPH B. BROWN, } *Hampton.*

HAMPTON, Feb. 27, 1889.

We this day have examined the foregoing accounts and find them well vouched and correctly cast.

O. H. WHITTIER, }  
 JACOB T. BROWN, } *Auditors.*  
 HORACE M. LANE, }

# Treasurer's Report.

## DISBURSEMENTS, A. D. 1888.

Paid State tax,	\$1,520 00
County tax,	1,353 48
Jeremiah W. Brown, amount voted him,	200 00
Jeremiah G. Mace, appropriation for Memorial day,	75 00
Wm. G. Cole, for discount paid on taxes for the year 1888,	207 68
Congregational Society, interest on note to Feb. 27, 1889,	100 00
Dr. William T. Merrill, appropriation for High School,	300 00
Dr. William T. Merrill, school money,	1,700 00
Granite State Fire Insurance Co., permission to repair Town House,	8 00
S. Albert Shaw, amount voted for Library,	100 00
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	\$5,564 16

## SALARIES.

Paid WILLIAM E. LANE,	
For services as Selectman,	\$65 00
Extra labor on inventory blanks,	5 00
Time spent on road at Beach,	5 00
Time spent on Town House,	5 00
Three trips to Exeter on town business,	4 00
Postage and express,	80
Writing notifications and attending a special town meeting,	3 00
Paid GEORGE A. JOHNSON,	
For services as Selectman,	45 00
Services as Police,	6 00
Services as Overseer of Poor,	5 00

Paid Services on roads and bridges,	\$4 00
Services on gravel pit,	2 00
Services on invoice and blanks,	5 00
Six days at Town Hall,	12 00
Six trips to Exeter with horse,	9 00
One day at Beach with Gen. Marston,	2 00
Recording deed of gravel pit,	75
Expense and services in case of man drowned at Beach,	4 00

Paid JOSEPH B. BROWN,	
For services as Selectman,	45 00
Services as Overseer of Poor,	5 00
Labor on inventory blanks,	5 00
Expense to Boston for settees,	4 50
Expense to Beverly for settees,	2 75
Expense for teaming settees,	1 50
Extra labor on roads and Town Hall,	4 00

Paid Horace Hobbs, services as Supervisor in 1887 and 1888,	20 00
Walter L. Drake, services as Supervisor in 1887 and 1888,	20 00
Jacob T. Brown, services as Supervisor in 1887 and 1888,	15 00
Curtis DeLancey, services as Police,	20 00
Charles Philbrick, services as Police,	10 00
Charles Ross, services as Police,	10 00
Abbott L. Young, services as special police,	2 00
Wm. G. Cole, services as Collector,	70 00
J. A. Lane, services as Treasurer,	25 00
Wm. H. Blake, services as Moderator,	10 00
John Brown, for ringing bell and labor in cemeteries,	29 00
E. P. Young, C. G. Toppan and S. A. Towle, services as auditors,	6 00

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\$487 30

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid John Templeton, for printing town reports,	\$16 00
Abbott Norris, insurance on Town House,	20 00
Jas. H. Batchelder, for invoice, collector's, surveyor's order and receipt books,	14 49
John Templeton, advertising proposals for repairs on Town House,	2 50
Samuel W. Dearborn, labor on Town House,	2,800 00
George G. Adams, plans of alterations on Town House,	57 00
Wheeler Reflector Co., lamps for Town Hall,	64 50
Samuel W. Dearborn, contract labor on Town House,	572 00
Boston and Maine Railroad, freight on settees for Town Hall,	15 08
Granite State Insurance Co., insurance on Town and school houses,	30 00
F. E. Stewart, settees and chairs for Town Hall,	168 40
C. G. Toppan, half cord of wood for Town House,	2 75
American Express Co., express on lamps for Town House,	1 95
Dr. Wm. T. Merrill, for returns of births and deaths,	8 00
Dr. M. F. Smith, for returns of births and deaths,	2 00
John W. Dearborn, for cement, mortar, brick and labor,	11 05
S. W. Dearborn, lumber and extra work on Town House,	109 49
John W. Mason, hardware, kerosene oil, etc., for Town Hall,	26 96
Samuel W. Dearborn, making box for man drowned at Beach,	2 00
John Brown, for burial of man drowned at Beach,	3 00



Paid John Dow, care of man drowned at Beach,	\$4 00
O. A. Fleming, coffin, robe, etc., for man drowned at Beach,	23 00
E. P. Young & Son, iron work for Town House,	8 70
Wm. G. Cole, for non-resident highway receipts,	149 35
J. A. Lane, mirrors for Town House,	2 16
Daniel Littlefield, for Akron pipe	3 54
Henry P. Wingate, sheep killed by dogs,	4 00
Cotton Brown, hens killed by dogs,	5 50
Elisha M. Lamprey, cutting bushes in Nook lane,	5 25
Dr. Wm. T. Merrill, for schoolhouse tax,	35 00

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\$4,167 67

#### ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Samuel W. Dearborn, for gravelling road at Beach,	\$140 00
Curtis DeLancey, for gravelling road at Beach and logs,	120 00
Joseph Perkins, for land for gravel,	125 00
Benjamin H. Hobbs, for gravel for highway,	5 85
William G. Cole, " "	15 33
Joseph Mace,	1 10
Heirs of Jeremiah Elkins, " "	7 80
Alba C. Taylor, " "	6 00
Jacob T. Brown, " "	6 90
Geo. N. Batchelder, " "	15 30
Simon P. Towle, " "	10 00
William H. Blake, " "	2 60
Arthur W. Dudley, for surveying at Beach for Gen. Marston,	10 00
Jacob M. Willey, for drain pipe,	18 90
Jacob M. Willey, for tile,	118 50
Jacob T. Brown, for filling hole under turnpike bridge,	170 00

Paid David J. Lamprey, labor on road at Beach,	\$5 00
Henry W. Emery, labor on bridge,	75
Lewis P. Nudd, labor on highway,	3 00
E. D. Elkins, making snow paths and re- pairing highway,	4 85
John A. Moulton, for making snow paths,	16 50
Abbott L. Young, " "	31 55
Oliver Garland, " "	15 90
Albert Godfrey, " "	9 08
Aiken S. Coffin, " "	7 35
Edward S. Elkins, " "	1 50
Ralph S. James, " "	11 25

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\$880 01

## SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid Dr. M. F. Smith, for medical attendance on Mrs. Sarah Smith,	\$8 75
Mrs. Davis, care of Mrs. Sarah Smith up to Feb. 25, 1889,	8 00
E. D. Elkins, for conveying pauper to Brentwood,	2 00
J. B. Brown, for conveying Mrs. E. C. Stevens to Brentwood,	2 00
G. A. Johnson, for expense and travel in caring for Mrs. E. C. Stevens,	8 00
W. E. Lane, trip to East Kingston in be- half of Mrs. E. C. Stevens,	2 00
O. H. Whittier, for horse and carriage to convey Mrs. E. C. Stevens to Brent- wood,	2 00
Charles C. Tucker, Supt. of County Farm, for board and burial expenses of Mrs. E. C. Stevens,	20 00
Simon P. Towle, care of tramps,	50
Selectmen, interest on Towle fund to March 1st, 1889,	120 00

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\$173 25

## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Paid Joseph S. Cook, on cottage not owned,	\$10 45
Heirs of Daniel Hobbs, on land in No. Hampton,	3 98
B. W. Hill, on house at Beach,	88
Oliver Nudd, on land,	2 82
Joseph R. Sanborn, on school money,	1 52
George A. Blake, on money,	4 40
Daniel Lord, on money,	7 28
Simon L. Jenness, abatement of poll tax,	1 03
Edgar Batchelder,	88
George B. Blake,	88
John J. Mace,	88
John Maynard,	88
Wesley A. Towle,	88
John Price,	88
Walter S. Drake, abatement on cow,	26
Oliver Godfrey, " "	19
John Wingate, abatement on dog,	1 00
Mrs. Wilson, " "	1 00
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	\$40 09

## RECEIPTS, A. D. 1888.

Balance in treasury March 1st, 1888,	\$904 94
Received of William G. Cole, Collector,	7,233 00
William G. Cole, outstanding taxes,	180 44
the state, insurance tax,	37 50
" railroad tax,	270 17
" savings bank tax,	492 00
" literary fund,	113 40
Rockingham Lodge, on two notes,	2,000 00
Stacy W. Brown, on town note,	700 00
income from Town Hall,	73 75
County Com., on account of man drowned at Beach,	32 00
William G. Cole, for lot in cemetery,	15 00
Amos K. Blake, " "	15 00
Nelson H. Blake, " "	15 00
Simon Dow, " "	7 00
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	\$12,089 20

## SUMMARY.

Amount of receipts, \$12,089 20

## EXPENDITURES.

State tax,	\$1,520 00
County tax,	1,353 48
Support of schools,	1,700 00
Appropriation for High School,	300 00
Interest on Congregational society's note,	100 00
Appropriation for Memorial Day,	75 00
Services of town officers,	487 30
Miscellaneous,	4,167 67
Roads and bridges,	880 01
Support of poor,	173 25
Abatements,	40 09
Jeremiah W. Brown, amount voted him by town,	200 00
William G. Cole, discount on taxes for the year	
1888,	207 68
Amount voted for library,	100 00
Granite State Ins. Co., permission to repair	
Town House,	8 00
	\$11,312 48
Balance in treasury,	\$776 72

JOSHUA A. LANE, *Treasurer.*

HAMPTON, Feb. 27, 1889.

We have this day examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer, and find them well vouched and correctly cast.

O. H. WHITTIER, }  
 JACOB T. BROWN, } *Auditors.*  
 HORACE M. LANE, }

# Report of the Library Committee.

Received from the town,	\$100 00	
Balance for last year,	44 62	
Received from fines,	80	
Sale of Catalogues,	3 20	
200 library cards,	2 00	
		\$150 62
Paid for new books,	\$43 22	
Covering 285 books,	2 85	
200 catalogues,	56 00	
Labor on same,	5 00	
Removing and replacing books and cases,	2 50	
Four curtains,	1 00	
Salary of Librarian,	20 00	
500 Library cards,	3 24	
Additional book shelves,	5 00	
Check book and stationery,	60	
Hinges and paint,	80	
Covering paper and express,	54	
Fuel, oil, wicks, etc.,	1 75	
75 slips with names of books added the past year,	1 60	
		\$144 10
Balance on hand,		\$6 52

Number of volumes in the library, 1,329. Number of books taken out for the eight months the library was open, 1,488. The number for the same time last year, 1,166. Number of volumes added, 43. Replaced, 1. Presented by Commissioner of Education at Washington, 1.

WM. T. MERRILL,  
 CHAS. M. BATCHELDER, } *Library Committee.*  
 S. ALBERT SHAW,

# Hampton Academy and High School.

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Mr. J. SANBORN, Principal.

Miss MARCIA PERKINS, . . . . . Assistant.

Miss MORLENA M. DEARBORN, Instructor in Elocution and Drawing.

CALENDAR, 1889.

Spring term begins . . . Monday, March 25.

Fall term begins . . . Monday, September 16.

Winter term begins . . . Monday, December 16.

Public examinations, June 10 and 11.

Class-day exercises, Wednesday, June 12.

## STATEMENT OF ATTENDANCE.

FOR THREE TERMS.

Number enrolled, Senior Class, . . . . .	15
“ “ Senior Middle Class, . . . . .	13
“ “ Middle Class, . . . . .	11
“ “ Junior Class, . . . . .	16

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## School Report.

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It is not possible to over-estimate the importance of our public schools and the work required to be done in them. In them is laid the foundation of the great superstructure of knowledge. According to the soundness and solidity of the foundation are the soundness and firmness of the building. The general efficiency of our corps of teachers is demonstrated, they have ceased to be mere hearers of recitations and become teachers in fact as well as name; there is more inculcation of principles, more natural methods of training.

It is of the highest importance that knowledge shall be gained in such a way that the capacity of attainment shall be enlarged and

the faculty stimulated and quickened. Useful as a reasonable culture of the memory may be, remembering is not the highest power of the human mind. How to think is more important. The teacher is emphatically the school, that is, the spirit of it; above all ordinary estimate is the service of that teacher whose scholarship, judgment, ability to impart instruction and sound, practical common sense, render him a common benefactor to the school.

Parents and citizens owe our schools something more than means of existence. They should personally inspect them frequently to see that the teachers are skilled in their vocation and whose work and influence are in harmony with the life and teachings of a good home. It is best generally for parents to be satisfied with the opinion of teachers and those in authority in regard to question of promotion. They should know more about the advisability of such than most parents, and may be presumed to be impartial judges. The difference of a year in the time of graduation is of no account if such time is given up at a sacrifice of good scholarship.

Those that go to the High School poorly prepared soon become discouraged and drop out. Let parents reflect that the loss of a promotion for a time is better than an advance for which the pupil is unprepared.

Our schools are sometimes held responsible for effects upon the health of causes wholly foreign to their work or their demands upon pupils. In nearly all instances there is nothing detrimental to health in the severest exaction of our course of study. It is true, however, that some pupils or their friends think that they find their studies too much for bodily endurance, but it is almost always found that the cause of ailment rests in something besides school work.

In conclusion, I do not deem it necessary to enter upon any eulogium of our schools or arouse the community to a sense of an appreciation of their benefits. I am satisfied that our schools are doing a good work, such as will be a lasting benefit to our town. I should be unfaithful and unjust, did I not speak of the hearty cooperation and assistance which I received from all teachers, and I believe that with the assistance of such teachers, who are devoted to their work, we can elevate the standard of our schools, so that in the future our citizens shall regard them with feelings of pride. Am

grateful to other members of the board for their individual courtesies and the liberty given me to manage the affairs of the schools chiefly in accordance with the dictates of my own judgment.

#### ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Including the names of all pupils who have been present every half-day of the school year: Willie E. Leavitt, Isabel B. Leavitt, Dora L. Redman, Mabel H. Blake, Grace E. Godfrey, Isabel M. Godfrey, Beulah J. Godfrey, Lilian B. Belyea.

#### TEACHERS.

Grammar School, . . . . .	Miss Elizabeth B. Norris.
Centre Primary School,	Miss Alice L. Weare, Miss Grace B. Williams.
North Primary School, . . . . .	Miss Fanny F. Carswell.
East Primary School, . . . . .	Miss Sarah M. Hobbs.

#### SCHOLARS.

Whole number of different scholars registered, . . . . .	155
In Grammar School, . . . . .	34
In Centre Primary School, . . . . .	44
In North Primary School, . . . . .	34
In East Primary School, . . . . .	43
Length of each public school, 33 weeks.	
Average per cent. of daily attendance, .89.	

#### SCHOOL REVENUE.

Received of Town Treasurer,	\$2,035 00
Cash on hand March 1st, 1888,	11 53
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	\$2,046 53

#### AMOUNT EXPENDED.

For High School,	\$850 00
For Grammar School,	260 80
For Primaries,	594 00
Miscellaneous expenses,	298 99
Repairs,	42 24
Amount unexpended,	50
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	\$2,046 53

W. T. MERRILL,

*For the Board of Education.*



BIRTHS registered in the Town of HAMPTON, for the year ending December 31, 1888:

Date of birth.	Place of birth.	Name of child. (if any.)	Sex and Condition.					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*	Age of Mother*	
			Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child. 1st, 2d, &c.	Color.										
Jan. 25,	Hampton,		M.		L.	2	W.	Edwin Perkins,	Edith Batchelder,	W.	Hampton,	Laborer,	Acton, Me.	North Hampton.			
Jan. 27,	"				"	3	"	Frank Fogg,	"	"	"	"	North Hampton,	"			
Jan. 2,	"		M.		"	2	"	Frank Safford,	Anna Batchelder,	"	"	"	Salem, Ms.	"	20	22	
Feb. 5,	"		M.		"	1	"	Warren Towle,	Clara Emery,	"	Amesbury, Ms.,	Carriage maker,	Hampton.	Lowell, Ms.			
March 27,	"		M.		"	2	"	Wesley Mitchell,	Sallie Dow,	"	"	Machinist,	"	Rye.			
April 3,	"			F.	"	1	"	John B. Lewis,	Fannie B. Mace,	"	"	Shoemaker,	"	Canada.			
April 20,	"			F.	"	1	"	Frank Cyr,	"	"	"	"	Canada,	Hampton.			
May 1,	"			F.	"	2	"	George H. A. Fisk,	Ena Drake,	"	"	"	Cambridge, Ms.	Hampton.			
May 4,	"		M.		"	3	"	J. Warren Mason,	Estella Holmes,	"	"	Farmer,	Hampton,	Portsmouth.			
May 10,	"			F.	"	1	"	Horatio N. Blake,	Ellen Hobbs,	"	"	Painter,	"	Hampton.			
May 11,	"	Ruth L. Gilman,		F.	"	1	"	John S. Gilman,	Rose L. Batchelder,	"	"	Jeweller,	Raymond,	Hampton.			
July 13,	"		M.		"	1	"	Joshua E. James,	Jennie Crosby,	"	"	Farmer,	Hampton,	Brooks, Me.			
July 19,	"			F.	"	2	"	Alvado Jenness,	Martha Brown,	"	"	Laborer,	Rye.	Hampton.			
July 23,	"			F.	"	6	"	Jona O. Perkins,	Clara Emery,	"	"	Shoemaker,	Hampton,	Hampton.			
Aug. 6,	"			F.	"	1	"	William L. Redman,	Clara D. Page,	"	"	"	"	"		21	23
Aug. 27,	"			F.	"	2	"	Chas. W. Longley,	Arabel Williams,	"	"	"	England,	Nova Scotia,		32	24
Sept. 20,	"			F.	"	1	"	Abbott L. Young,	Emma Marden,	"	"	Blacksmith,	Hampton,	Rye,		33	28
Sept. 24,	"			F.	"	1	"	Lewis Lepoint,	Caroline Aylwin,	"	"	Shoemaker,	Canada.	"		38	30
Sept. 23,	"		M.		"	1	"	George O. Lewis,	Ada Wiggan,	"	"	Farmer,	Hampton,	Hampton Falls.			
Dec. 25,	"	Grace F. Freeman,		F.	"	1	"	Fred D. Freeman,	Grace L. Davis,	"	"	Shoemaker,	Shuttsbury, Ms.,	Hampton,		18	17

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.—JOHN M. AKERMAN, Town Clerk.

\*At last birthday.

MARRIAGES registered in the Town of HAMPTON, for the year ending December 31, 1888.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Condition; whether single or widowed. What marriage, whether 1st, 2d, &c.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
March 22,	"	Walter J. Palmer, Anna M. Lamprey,	"	29 25	" "	Painter, Teacher,	"	Mary Palmer, Chas. Y. Lamprey.	Hampton, "	Farmer, Housekeeper, Carpenter, Housekeeper, Farmer,	1st, "	Rev. J. A. Ross.
June 28,	North Hampton.	John A. Moulton, Helen M. Dow,	"	27 22	" "	Shoemaker, Domestic,	Hampton Falls, "	Daniel Y. Moulton, Martha A. Brown, John A. Dow, Helen Dow, James M. Lamprey, Keziah,	" Seabrook,	Farmer, Housekeeper, Farmer,	1st, "	Rev. Thos. V. Haines.
July 8,	Hampton,	Frank A. Lamprey, Sadie A. Creighton,	" Hampton Falls,	33 25	" "	Shoemaker, Domestic,	Hampton, Hampton Falls,	James Creighton, Mary J., Daniel Y. Moulton, Martha A. Brown, John Stevens, Hannah,	Hampton, Haverhill,	Farmer, Carpenter, Housekeeper, Carpenter,	1st, "	Rev. Chas. R. Bailey.
August 25,	"	Daniel Y. Moulton, Mary A. Stevens,	Hampton, Haverhill, Mass.	40 25	" "	Carpenter, Domestic,	Hampton, Haverhill,	Joseph P. Batchelder, Elizabeth Rundlett, Josiah J. Dearborn, Nancy Fogg,	Hampton, North Hampton, Hampton, North Hampton,	R. R. employ, Housekeeper, R. R. employ,	2d, 1st, "	Rev. J. A. Ross.
Sept. 23,	North Hampton,	George T. Batchelder, Grace L. Dearborn,	Hampton,	21 21	" "	Carpenter, Domestic,	Hampton,	Moses Leavitt, Rebecca Godfrey, John B. Merrill, Salzena, Fred Hirsch,	Hampton, North Hampton, Hampton, North Hampton,	Farmer, Housekeeper, Farmer, Housekeeper, Minister, Housekeeper,	1st, "	Rev. Thos. V. Haines.
October 6,	Hampton,	Robert O. Patten, Clara E. Philbrick,	Merrimac, Hampton,	45 28	" "	Merchant, Teacher,	Amesbury, Hampton,	Albert Young, Maria, George D. Perkins, Sarah A. Tilton, Chas. A. Hanson, Fannie,	Hampton, Hampton,	Farmer, Housekeeper, Farmer, Housekeeper,	1st, "	Rev. J. A. Ross.
October 16,	"	John B. Lewis, Fannie B. Mace,	" Rye,	25 22	" "	Machinist, Domestic,	" Rye,	Frances, David P. Marston, Nancy J. Felch, Augustus George, Julia, William L. Blake, Elizabeth Batchelder, Moses Blake,	Waterville, Me., Hampton, Rye, Hampton, Seabrook,	Farmer, Farmer, Housekeeper, Farmer, Housekeeper,	1st, "	Rev. L. W. Phillips.
October 8,	"	Oris W. Marston, Annie George,	Hampton, Newburyport,	22 20	" "	Mason, Domestic,	Hampton, Newburyport,	Alvin Emery, William G. Cole,	Hampton, North Hampton, Hampton,	Housekeeper, Farmer, Farmer,	1st, "	Rev. W. C. Bartlett.
Nov. 2,	"	William H. Blake, Hattie A. Palmer,	Hampton,	"	"	Farmer, Housekeeper,	Hampton,	George O. Lewis,	Hampton, North Hampton, Hampton,	Farmer, Housekeeper, Farmer,	2d, "	Rev. Willis A. Tucker.
Nov. 26,	Epsom,	Irving E. Leavitt, Agnes J. Merrill,	" Epsom,	26 18	" "	Farmer, Domestic,	" East Haverhill, Ms.,	Albert Young, Maria, George D. Perkins, Sarah A. Tilton, Chas. A. Hanson, Fannie,	Hampton, Atkinson, Methuen,	Farmer, Housekeeper, Minister, Housekeeper,	1st, "	Rev. John B. Merrill.
Nov. 29,	Hampton Falls,	George H. Hirsch, Alice Young,	Hampton,	22 29	" "	Farmer, Domestic,	St. Johns, N. B., Franklin, N. H.,	Albert Young, Maria, George D. Perkins, Sarah A. Tilton, Chas. A. Hanson, Fannie,	Bridgewater, Me., Franklin, N. H.,	Farmer,	1st, "	A. H. Martin.
Dec. 22,	"	Andrew E. Perkins, Ida E. Hanson,	" Hollis Center, N. H.	29 17	" "	Farmer, Domestic,	Acton, Me., Hollis, N. H.,	Albert Young, Maria, George D. Perkins, Sarah A. Tilton, Chas. A. Hanson, Fannie,	Acton, Me., Hollis Center,	Farmer, Domestic, Farmer, Housekeeper,	1st, "	Joseph H. Graves.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.—JOHN M. ACKERMAN, Town Clerk.

DEATHS registered in the Town of HAMPTON, for the year ending December 31, 1888.

Date of Death.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.				Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Disease or Cause of Death.	Occupation of Father.*	Name and P. O. Address of Physician (or other person) reporting death.
			Yrs	Mos	Ds.		Male.	Female.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.		Father.	Mother.					
Jan. 24,	Hampton,	Francis P. Blake,	82			Hampton,	M.,	F.,	W.,	W.,	Farmer,	Hampton,	Hampton,	Jona Perkins,	Johnson,	Found Dead.		W. T. Merrill.
Feb. 25,	"	Hannah Towle,	63			"	"	"	"	M.,	Housewife,	Hampton,	Rye,	J. B. Smith,	Tilton,			
May 5,	"	Adaline Marston,	46	2	14	Raymond,	"	"	"	"	"	Raymond,	"	Batchelder,	"			
May 10,	"	Sarah H. Whittier,	85			North Hampton	"	"	"	W.,	Domestic,	No. Hampton,	"	Towle,	"			
May 10,	"	Aseneth Perkins,	85			Hampton,	"	"	"	M.,	"	Hampton,	"	Moses A. Dow,	"			
May 19,	"	Nancy Marston,	85			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	H. N. Blake,	Ellen Hobbs.			
May 21,	"	Abby Towle,	33			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Samuel Palmer,	Mary A. Williams,			
May 25,	"	Child of				"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Robert Philbrook,	Mary Drake.			
June 12,	"	Mary A. Coffin,	63			Hamp'on Falls,	"	F.,	"	W.,	Domestic,	"	Hampton,	Moses Dow,	Margaret Downs,			
July 12,	"	Thomas J. Philbrook,	61			Hampton,	M.,	"	"	M.,	"	Greenland,	Hampton,	Daniel Hobbs,	Sarah,			
July 12,	"	Moses A. Dow,	75	5		Seabrook,	"	"	"	"	Farmer,	Seabrook,	Isle Shoals,	Alvin Emery,	Susan Page,			
July 18,	"	Ann B. Lewis,	75			Hampton,	"	F.,	"	"	Housewife,	Hampton,	"	William G. Cole,	"			
July 22,	"	Evelina Snider,	44			New Brunswick	"	"	"	"	Domestic,	Hampton,	"	Joseph Mace,	Abigail Fogg,			
Aug. 13,	"	Clara Perkins,	"			Hampt n,	"	"	"	"	"	Hampton,	"	H. N. Blake,	Ellen Hobbs,			
Aug. 22,	"	Hattie Cole,	17			"	"	"	"	S.,	"	Hampton,	"	"	"			
Sept. 24,	"	Ethel Scott,	82			"	M.,	"	"	W.,	"	Hampton,	"	"	"			
Oct. 12,	"	Dolly Mace,	78	10		"	"	F.,	"	S.,	Domestic,	Hampton,	No. Hampton,	"	"			
Oct. 26,	"	Reuben L. Seavey,	87	2		"	M.,	"	"	W.,	Farmer,	Hampton,	Hampton,	"	"			
Nov. 24,	"	Hellen F. Blake,	87	6		"	"	"	"	"	"	Hampton,	Hampton,	"	"			
Dec. 31,	"	Thomas L. Marston,	91	9	20	North Hampton	M.,	"	"	W.,	"	"	"	"	"			

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\*If deceased was under 15 years of age.