

THE YEAR ENDING JULY 3, 1916

Whole number of schools	22
Average number of pupils taught	1,351.50
Number of male teachers	13
Number of female teachers	91.51
Average salary of male per month	\$1.51
Average salary of female per month	\$1.51
Whole number of pupils enrolled	1,908
Average daily attendance	34
Number of mills levied for school purposes	10
Number of mills levied for sinking fund	3
Amount levied for sinking fund	\$15,174.50
Amount levied for sinking fund	\$13,024.80
Total amount levied	\$28,199.30

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, TREASURER GENERAL FUND

RECEIPTS

C. L. Calahan, Trans. Audit 1914-15	\$ 294.32
G. Wilkins, Tax collector	15,241.03
Tuition	1,351.50
Sale of supplies	1.35
Interest on deposits	48.21
State appropriation	1,151.12
High School appropriation	344.00
Transfer from sinking fund	2,999.80
Incidentals collected by W. M. Bosserman	32.89
Total receipts	\$28,199.30

DISBURSEMENTS

Teachers salaries	\$12,949.50
Janitor salaries	1,621.95
Teachers attending institute	300.00
Trees and labor	99.22
Auditors salaries	20.00
Making school registration	29.00
Making duplicates	48.00
Tax collector salary	1,151.12
State tax on bonds	442.90
Old orders and interest	2,315.31
Directors expense to institute	15.08
Light	52.23
Water	48.78
Fuel	429.92
Printing and supplies	138.84
Refund Taxes	5.42

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF PATTON BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR

Books	1,115.28
Printing	36.71
Compensation Insurance	15.83
Supplies	74.67
Telephone	18.92
Teachers expense to Crossan	16.87
Library	9.00
Repairs, labor and supplies	212.57
Freight, dray and telegrams	48.52
Mary E. Lantz, expenses	14.54
W. M. Bosserman, incidentals	15.10
Secretary salary	125.00
Treasurer salary	25.00
Cash on hand	\$22,564.09
Total	\$28,199.30

SINKING FUND RECEIPTS

C. L. Calahan, Trans. Audit 1914-15	\$ 345.71
G. Wilkins, collector	2,943.49
Interest on deposits	22.49
Total receipts	\$3,311.69

DISBURSEMENTS

Coupons paid	\$1,242.50
Transfer to general fund	2,069.00
Total	\$3,311.50

GARFIELD WILKINS, TAX COLLECTOR 1915-16

DEBITS

Amount of Duplicate	\$18,200.40
2 per cent on taxes collected after October 1st	44.54
Taxes collected not on Duplicate	199.02
Total	\$18,443.96

CREDITS

Collected at par	\$11,489.88
Collected 5 per cent added	2,461.04
1 per cent	172.75
Exonerations	222.63
Errors on Duplicate	26.49
Returns	19.49
Postage used	20.09
Total	\$15,311.39

SINKING FUND

Collected at par	\$ 1,211.97
Collected 5 per cent added	492.08
1 per cent	34.12
Exonerations	44.52
Errors on Duplicate	5.28
Returns	2.78
Postage used	2.01
Total	\$1,813.85

RESOURCES

Cash on hand	\$18,418.04
General fund	158.48
Sinking fund	195.79
Prepaid Insurance (Three Years)	419.04
Approximate value of building, etc.	\$2,808.00
Total	\$22,039.35

LIABILITIES

Bonds outstanding	\$27,800.00
Old orders outstanding	28.99
Unsettled bills (Approximately)	\$30.00
Total	\$27,858.99

Resources in excess of Liabilities \$22,039.35 - \$27,858.99 = \$5,819.36

We, the undersigned Auditors of Patton Borough School District, have carefully examined, checked and audited the books and accounts of said School District, and find them correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted
 F. L. BROWN
 RAY E. BROWN
 PAUL T. BEARER
 Auditors

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PREVENTING HOG CHOLERA

Recently Secretary of Agriculture, Charles E. Patton, published statistics showing that the use of hog cholera serum and the rigid enforcement of sanitary precautions in connection with the Pennsylvania State Livestock Sanitary Board's efforts to control and eradicate hog cholera saved in the last year one hundred twenty-seven thousand (\$27,900.00) dollars in pork to the people of Pennsylvania.

Dr. C. J. Marshall, Secretary of the State Livestock Sanitary Board and State Veterinarian, in speaking of the hog cholera situation urges owners to raise their own pigs or purchase animals from farms where they know hogs have not died or been destroyed within three months.

"From January first to the middle of March—the beginning of the spring sale season, Pennsylvania was comparatively free from hog cholera," says Dr. Marshall, "but with the opening of the sale season the spread of hog cholera was startling. It seems that in some sections it is the practice of dealers to buy up hogs at one sale to be sold at another and the same batch of hogs frequent change hands three or four times before finding a home on a farm. By this time the animals are almost invariably infected with hog cholera and after the farmer has had them a few days they begin to sicken and die."

Continuing Dr. Marshall explained the manner in which the Board endeavor to prevent the spread of infection.

"When the outbreak of hog cholera is discovered the premises are placed under quarantine and the owner advised to have all animals that have been exposed to infection but are not showing signs of disease, vaccinated by the local veterinarian at his own expense. The Department will supply the necessary hog cholera serum free of cost and a this material is worth about fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars a quart it can be readily seen that the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture is bearing the large portion of expense incident to the vaccination of hogs. The next important step is to discover the source of infection. Every effort is made to determine this point and all hogs and pigs that can be learned of as having been exposed to infection are quarantined and vaccinated if the owner cares to have the work carried out. In addition to the serving of a quarantine order and the advice given relative to the vaccination of the animals it is explained to each owner that he is not to depend on the serum treatment to eradicate the disease but he must properly dispose of the carcasses of all hogs and pigs that die and thoroughly clean and disinfect his premises. A circular giving proper instructions for this work, the nature of hog cholera, the serum treatment, etc., is given each owner.

"It will readily be seen that it is practically impossible to trace the source of infection when animals have been handled through two or more sales but in order to break up the practice of handling hogs that are affected with hog cholera or have been exposed to infection with that disease, the Department has at this time under advisement the institution of proceedings against several dealers, who were responsible for the spread of hog cholera infection in Pennsylvania this spring.

"At the present time there is very little hog cholera being reported by hog owners or local veterinarians but unless the people of the State will avoid the hog sales that are usually held in the late summer and fall we will have an increase in the amount of hog cholera later in the year."

THE MICROSCOPE

Little Talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M. D., LL. D., D. Sc. Commissioner of Health

No single invention has made possible greater saving of human life than the microscope. Its origin dates back to antiquity. There is every reason to believe that the ancients had some knowledge of the use of the single lens. The compound microscope was probably invented shortly after the middle ages. The Italians and the Dutch both claim the discovery.

These ancient microscopes were very crude instruments compared with those of today. They were, however, sufficiently powerful to reveal myriads of living things in the clear atmosphere as well as in a clear tumbler of water, but they left us to imagine a great unseen living world beyond the power of the new instrument, and that is even so to-

day with our most improved microscopes.

In the hands of scientists the microscope has revealed from time to time a teeming life of bacteria everywhere present. Some of these minute organisms are the friends and some the deadly foes of man. Vegetable, and indirectly animal life, depends upon their work.

Typhoid fever, tuberculosis, typhus fever, tetanus, and other diseases, are the result of certain of these bacteria which can only be seen by the aid of the microscope. There is evidence, but as yet no positive proof that they are responsible for many other diseases, the aetiology of which is yet unknown.

An army of scientific workers is busy occupied in the study of bacteriology for the purpose of discovering the organisms that produce the different diseases, and then to push on with the idea of discovering that which would produce immunity or cure. This work is vital to the welfare of humanity—indeed it is that which forms the foundation of preparedness.

There is a constant warfare between these little single celled organisms and men. The bacteria have the advantage of reproducing themselves in untold numbers and of adapting themselves to different environments, and when the conditions surrounding them suit their existence they produce great epidemics of disease that man is unable to resist. The fight is an interesting one as men have already discovered how to combat successfully many diseases which for centuries baffled the skill of science.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

In The Orphans' Court of Cambria County, Penna.

In the Matter of the First and Final Account of James Mellon, Administrator of the Estate of Mary Coyle, Deceased, late of the Borough of Carrolltown, Cambria County, Pa.

Having been appointed Auditor by said Court to report a distribution of the funds in the hands of said Accountant, notice is hereby given that I will sit for the purpose of said appointment at my office in the Opera House Building, Ebensburg, Cambria County, Pa., on Wednesday, the 9th day of August 1916, at ten o'clock A. M. at which time, and place all parties interested may appear and present their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

A. A. NELSON, Auditor

16-DAY SEASHORE VACATION EXCURSIONS

THURSDAYS August 17 and 31

\$9 or \$11 to ATLANTIC CITY, CAPE MAY,
 Wildwood, Holly Beach, Anglemore, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Stone Harbor, N. J., Rehoboth, Del., and Ocean City, Md.

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Capital	\$60,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00

ORGANIZED AUGUST, 1906

Deposits Dec. 31st, 1906	\$ 76,773.52
Dec. 31st, 1907	201,963.18
Nov. 27th, 1908	226,286.03
Sept. 1st, 1909	279,279.00
Sept. 1st, 1910	321,625.73
Dec. 5th, 1911	421,612.64
Nov. 26th, 1912	509,559.52
Aug. 9th, 1913	576,741.96
Sept. 12th, 1914	617,447.39

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