

Receipts—	
1891.	
September.....	10 00
October.....	10,500 00
November.....	38 873 23
December.....	22,166 15
1892.	
January.....	27,805 30
February.....	5,811 23
March sale of 100 bonds.....	100,000 00
April sale of 100 bonds.....	100,000 00
April sale of bonds.....	150,000 00
April interest on 150 bonds sold to E. H. Rollins & Sons.....	1,041 81
May sale of 100 bonds.....	100,000 00
May, from L. G. Hardy account, tax refund.....	225 52
June, from nght school.....	112 00
June, from Green note.....	150 00
Total.....	\$ 557,586 48

DISBURSEMENTS.

1891.	
Account overdraft McCornick & Co. at close of June, 1891.....	11,524 43
June 30th to August 27th.....	243 00
August 27th to October 31st.....	11,294 04
November 1st to November 30th.....	21,990 87
December 1st to December 31st.....	28,204 59
1892.	
January 1st to January 31st.....	19,361 44
February 1st to February 25th, inclusive.....	13,593 16
February 25th to April 1st.....	35,024 11
April 1st to April 31st.....	37,102 84
May 1st to May 31st.....	44,971 82
June 1st to June 30th.....	57,136 57
Commission on bonds.....	15,000 00
Total.....	\$327,418 97
July 1st, balance in hands of Treasurer.....	\$230,269 51
Summary.....	\$557,686 48
To amount of receipts.....	300,892 54
Clerk's warrants paid.....	11,524 43
Amount overdraft McCornick & Co. Commission paid on bonds.....	15,000 00
Total.....	\$327,418 97
Balance on hand.....	\$230,269 51
Total.....	\$557,686 48

Filed.

The committee on school work submitted the following report on school books to be adopted by the schools for the next five years, as follows:

Honorable Board of Education: Gentlemen.—Your committee on school work have to report:

That in connection with the city superintendent of schools they have examined the books presented by the different publishing houses, for adoption by this board, with much care and labor, and we recommend that the board adopt for use in the Salt Lake City schools for the five years commencing July 1, 1892, the books marked Exhibit "A," which is appended to this sheet.

The committee, by a vote of three to two, recommend that the board purchase and own all books used in the schools and loan them to the pupils for use.

The recommendation of books named in exhibit "A" is based on the idea of the board's purchasing books as above recommended, and if it is decided not to do so, this committee ask for one day's more time in order to consider their action with reference to certain books for supplemental work.

Attached to this report and made a part of it is an estimate by the superintendent of schools of the cost to the district for the first year, of furnishing books free to the scholars.

We further recommend that the president and clerk of the board be authorized to contract with the publishers, giving satisfactory bonds, in one-fourth of the estimate cost of all the books to be furnished by them respectively, for the faithful performance of their contract.

COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL WORK.

SALT LAKE CITY, July 13, 1892.

EXHIBIT "A."

Readers—First Readers, New Franklin, Harper, Stickney, Badlam; Second Readers, New Franklin, Harper, Stickney, Nature No. 1; Third Readers, New Franklin, Stickney, Nature No. 2; Fourth Readers, New Franklin, Harper, Nature

Reader No. 3; Fifth Readers, New Franklin, Nature Reader No. 4, selections from English and American classics. (Ginn & Co.)

Writing—Graphic system of penmanship, grammar school course, nine books. For movement exercises. Appleton's standard system exercise books, A and C. Michael's system of rapid penmanship.

Spelling—The Modern Speller. Language and Grammar—Hyde's Practical Lessons in English, book 1; Hyde's Practical Lesson's in English, book 2; Whitney & Lockwood's English Grammar.

Arithmetic—Wentworth's Primary Arithmetic, for teachers' use in primary grades; Common Sense Arithmetic No. 1, for third and fourth grades; Sheldon's Complete Arithmetic, Piper's Supplementary Seat Work in Arithmetic for teachers' use, Stoddard's Intellectual Arithmetic.

Geography—Harper's Introductory, Barnes' Complete with new Utah edition. U. S. History—Eggleston's First Book, Anderson's Grammar School History, Sheldon's American History for supplemental work, McCoun's historical charts for eighth grade and high school.

Physiology—Lincoln's Hygienic Physiology. Music—Normal music course, books and charts.

Drawing—Augsburg's drawing system. High School Books—Algebra, Milnes' High School; geometry, Wentworth's; trigonometry, Wentworth's; English history, Montgomery; general history, Myers; zoology, Colton; botany, Gray & Coulter; human physiology, Martin's briefer course; physics, Gage's introduction to physical science; chemistry, Williams; physical geography, eclectic, geology, Le Conte; beginning Latin, Collar & Daniel; Caesar, Harkness; Cicero, Harkness; Latin grammar, Harkness; Anneid, Greenough's Latin prose composition, Collar's; beginning French, L'Etude du Francais, Montanier; French grammar, Edgren; French reader, Super; German cumulative method, Dreyssing; German grammar, Joyne-Meissner; German reader, Joyne; German prose, Boisen; Greek lessons, White; Greek grammar, Goodwin; Anabasis, Goodwin; composition and rhetoric, Lockwood; English literature, Hawthorne & Leman; civil government, Macy; book-keeping, Gay.

COST OF FREE BOOKS.

First Reader, 1800 at 21c.....	\$ 378 00
Second Reader, 1200 at 25c.....	300 00
Third Reader, 100 at 35c.....	350 00
Fourth Reader, 1000 at 46c.....	460 00
Fifth Reader, 1000 at 60c.....	600 00
Primary and Supplemental Arithmetic for teachers.....	18 50
Mental Arithmetic, 1600 at 32c.....	512 00
Primary Arithmetic, 2000 at 25c.....	500 00
Practical arithmetic, 1 00 at 60c.....	960 00
Elementary Geography, 1800 at 36c.....	648 00
Advanced Geography, 1000 at 51c.....	1,000 00
Introductory Language, 2000 at 29c.....	580 00
Language Lessons and Grammar, 1200 at 60c.....	720 00
Higher Grammar, 200 at 55c.....	110 00
Copy Books' 10,000 at 6c.....	600 00
Smaller History, U. S., 500 at 45c.....	225 00
Larger History, U. S., 300 at 92c.....	276 00
Physiology, 200 at 67c.....	134 00
Spelling, 3000 at 20c.....	600 00
Supplementary History, U. S., 25 at 80c.....	20 00
Total.....	\$10,305 50

The Kansas City high school expenditures for books is \$6.50 per pupil, as an average annual cost for the course 200 pupils at \$6.50 is \$1300.

Assuming that fifty per cent. of the pupils have old books which they would be willing to exchange and that the average saving on these books would be twenty-five per cent. saving through exchanges would equal the cost of high school books.

Total cost of books for the first year

in all departments of the public schools would be \$10,305.50.

Other supplies—	
Slates, 4500 at 15 cents.....	\$ 565 00
Slate pencils, 20,000 at \$1.50.....	30 00
Lead pencils, 70 gross at \$3.....	210 00
Pens, 200 gross at 45 cents.....	90 00
Penholders, 30 gross at 50 cents.....	15 00
Examination paper, 75,600 sheets.....	150 00
Music paper.....	20 00
Drawing paper, 200,000 sheets.....	200 00
Ruled practice paper, 200,000 sheets.....	180 00
Ink, 100 gals. at \$1.....	100 00
Kindergarten material.....	300 00
Total.....	\$1850 00
Total for books.....	\$10 350 50
Total for other supplies.....	1,850 00

Grand total.....\$12,155 00

Cost per pupil on a basis of 7500 enrolled, \$1 73

After considerable discussion the report was laid over for one week.

APPROPRIATIONS.

The following bills were then ordered paid:

George M. Scott & Co., supplies.....	\$ 1 50
Thomas Layne, moving furniture.....	8 60
Herald Publishing Co., advertising.....	119 40
Joslin & Park, repairing clocks.....	1 50
W. D. Finney, services rendered.....	31 50
Dinwoody Furniture Co., chair.....	1 05
William Finney, services rendered.....	115 00
George S. Spahr, preparing plans, etc.....	543 30
G. F. Costerman, preparing plans, etc.....	843 30
Times Publishing Co., advertising.....	10 40
C. L. Baxter, services rendered.....	56 40
C. H. Parsons, school work supplies.....	17 14
Tribune Job Printing Co., printing, etc.....	61 25
Parker & Dupue, on contract for Lincoln.....	2,068 00
Croxford Bros. & Bryant, on contract for Hamilton.....	4,718 65
W. H. Jay, on contract for Bryant.....	3,348 00
Total.....	\$12,519 79

THE JACKSON SCHOOL.

The committee on sites and buildings submitted the following report:

Honorable Board of Education:

Your committee on sites and buildings report that the lowest bid for the erection of the Jackson school building is \$54,493, and the highest bid is \$66,164, and the average of elevation bids is \$60,700. We recommend that the plans and specifications be modified so as to reduce the cost to say \$50,000, and ask for authority to advertise for a period of five days.

Adopted.

WATER MAINS EXTENSION.

It was decided to petition the City Council for the extension of water mains on Seventh West street to the Franklin school.

EAST BENCH SCHOOL SITE.

M. Baldwin moved that the committee on sites and buildings negotiate for a site on the East Bench near Fourth or Fifth South on Twelfth East.

Messrs. Pike and Newman opposed the motion. It was, however, carried. Pike and Newman in the negative.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS.

The following census enumerators were appointed on recommendation of the trustees designated:

Alf, for the First precinct, presented the names of Mr. Taylor for the First and Second wards, W. B. Moreton, Tenth and Third, C. O. Farnsworth, Eighth ward, and D. G. Worstell, Ninth ward.

Raybould presented the following names as census-takers for the Second precinct: Fourth and Seventh wards, A. S. Martin; Fifth ward, Mrs. Clara Agremonte; Sixth ward, George Rivers; Fourteenth ward, Thomas Horsley; Fifteenth ward, Albert W. Lister.

Pike and Newman presented the following persons as census-enumerators of the Third precinct: William