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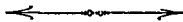


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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

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The Annual Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Town of Jay for the year ending Feb. 17, 1891, is herewith presented.

Total Valuation for the year 1890,	\$504,213.00.
Number of Polls,	403.
MONEY ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 1890.	
For State Tax,	\$1091.59.
“ County Tax,	967.20.
Total State and County Tax,	2058.79
For Support of Schools,	\$1200.00
“ “ “ Free High Schools,	200.00
“ “ “ Poor,	800.00
For Town Expenses,	1000.00
For Unpaid Highway Tax,	5.72
For Free Text Books,	325.00
For New School House,	1000.00.
For Repairs on School Houses,	150.00
For Overlayings,	289.40
For Supplementary Tax,	17.01
	\$4987.13
Total Amount to Collector,	\$7045.92
Amount Voted for Roads and Bridges,	\$3000.00
Overlayings,	24.90
Total Amount for Roads and Bridges, which we	
have apportioned among the several Districts,	\$3024.90
Rate of Money Tax, .0111½. Rate of Poll Tax, .05¼.	

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ALMSHOUSE ESTABLISHMENT.

INVENTORY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AT THE TOWN FARM AS  
APPRISED FEB. 16, 1891.

Four Oxen,	\$225 00
Four Cows,	120 00
Three Two-year-olds,	45 00
Twenty-two Hens,	12 00
Two Swine,	10 00
Twenty-eight Tons Hay,	230 00
Ten Bushels Corn,	7 50
Twenty-six Cords Wood,	65 00
Twenty-five Bushels Oats,	15 00
Six Bbls Apples,	18 00
Fifteen Gals. Vinegar and Bbl,	4 75
Seventy-five Bushels Potatoes,	50 00
Vegetables,	2 00
Sixty-five Lbs Salt Beef,	4 55
Seventy-five Lbs Salt Pork,	6 75
One Bushel Salt,	.40
Twenty Lbs Butter,	4 00
One Bushel Beans,	2 75
One Hundred and Fifty Cedar Posts,	15 00
1 M. Feet Lumber,	8 00
1 1-2 M. Shingles,	3 00
1-2 Bbl Flour,	3 25
5 Dozen Eggs,	1 10
1 Lb Coffee,	.30
1 1-2 Lbs Tea,	.75
Lard,	5 00
3 Lbs Saleratus,	.15
1-2 Bushel Meal,	.34
1 Gal. Molasses,	.45
Soap,	.50
3 Gal. Mince Meat,	2 40



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1 Bag Butter Salt,	.23
4 Flour Barrels.	1 00
Farming Tools,	100 00
3 Butter Jars,	2 25
4 Cider Barrels and Keg,	3 00
4 Milk Cans and Cheese Tub,	4 50
8 Bushels Ashes,	1 20
Beds, Bedding, Furniture, etc.,	140 00
Lot of Stoves,	50 00
Meat Tubs,	2 00
Clothes Wringer,	2 50
Total,	<u>\$1169.62</u>

EXPENSES OF ALMSHOUSE.

Valuation of Town Farm Feb. 19, 1890,	\$2000.00
Hay, Stock, etc., on hand	895 77
Interest on Farm and Personal Property,	115 83
Paid Agent on Town Farm,	250 00
Blacksmithing,	7 73
Clothing,	35 87
Medicine and Medical Attendance,	21 55
Meal for Cattle and Hogs,	68 37
Threshing Grain,	3 49
Gram, Grass Seed, and Phosphate,	14 11
Two Pigs,	3 00
One Pair Three year old Steers,	80 00
3 Yearlings,	30 00
Pasturing Stock,	5 00
New Pump, Sink, and Repairs on Buildings,	25 95
Farming Tools,	4 91
Paid for Provisions and Groceries,	194 09
Paid for Furniture,	38 64
Paid for Filing Saws,	.95
Paid for Beef Cow,	27 00
Paid for Service of Bull,	2 00
Total,	<u>\$3824.26.</u>

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RECEIPTS OF ALMSHOUSE.

Valuation of Town Farm, Feb. 16, 1891,	\$2000 00
Hay, Stock, etc., on hand, " " "	1169 62
Cash Received for Stock,	165 00
" " " Apples,	10 12
" " " Butter, Eggs, and Poultry,	26 74
" " " Beef and Hide,	14 75
" " " One Hog,	16 61
" " " Cedar Posts,	6 50
" " " Old Iron and 5 Flour Barrels,	2 92
" " " Oats,	30 00
" " " Straw,	2 75
Cash in Agent's Hands,	27 05
Total,	<u>\$3472.06</u>

INMATES OF ALMSHOUSE.

Sarah J. Childs,	Age, 48	No. of Weeks, 52
George Paine,	" 75	" " 52
Bert Bryant,	" 28	" " 52
Charlie Gross,	" 3	" " 52
Charles W. Martin,	" 35	" " 8
Total Number of Weeks,		216
Total Expenditures,		\$3824.26
Total Receipts,		\$3472.06
Expenses above Receipts,		\$352.20
Cost of each Pauper per Week,		\$1 64

EXPENSES OF POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

Paid Dr. H. Reynolds for Medical Attendance on John McDonold,	\$22 00
" H. A. Young Aid to John McDonold,	70 00
" Town of Wilton Aid to Charlie Gross,	1 00
" D. B. Macomber Aid to Betsey Macomber,	45 00
" E. E. Williamson for digging grave for Gross child,	2 00
" S. C. Foster Aid to Wm West,	39 00

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" Town of Scarborough Aid to Mrs. Simeon Foye from Dec. 11, '88 to Jan. 1, 1891,	\$85 86
" Fred Blaisdell for taking care of Hiram Mower,	13 50
Total,	<u>278 36</u>
Bal. against Almshouse brought forward,	352 20
Total Pauper expenses,	<u>630 36</u>

## BILLS PAID FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 17, 1891

Repairs on Roads and Bridges,	\$362 21
Town Officer's Bill of 1889,	237 34
C. M. Thompson's Expenses as Selectman while out of Town,	10 20
Board of Health for 1889,	18 28
S. B. Farnum as Collector in 1885,	38 00
H. H. Allen as Collector in '87, '88, '89,	50 00
E. L. Morse, Agent on Town Farm in 1889,	22 25
R. W. Kyes for Service of Bull in 1889,	5 00
Herbert Walton, Land Damage,	10 00
A. P. Adams, Bal. Due on Acc't of 1889,	2 05
H. H. Allen, for Posting Warrants for Town Meet- ings,	9 00
A. P. Adams, for Services as Treasurer in 1890,	36 00
V. White, for Car Fare and Expenses to Scar- borough,	8 40
For Road Machines.	235 00
Freight on Road Machine,	7 80
Trustees of Ministerial and School Fund,	10 00
For Observance of Memorial Day, 1889,	10 00
Standards of Weights and Measures,	76 25
Abatement of Taxes of '87 '88, '89 '90,	84 66
H. H. Denison on Division of School Property,	14 16
Charles Gray " " " " "	2 17
Total Town Expenses,	<u>\$1248.77</u>
New School House at Jay Bridge,	\$1695.15

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BILLS PAID FOR SCHOOL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING FEB. 17, 1891.

Repairs of School Houses,	\$278 27
For Wood, Cleaning School Houses etc,	163 06
Teacher's Wages,	1818 65
Free High Schools,	332 20
For Rent of Richardson's Hall for Free High School,	36 00
Free Text Books,	284 82
Total for Schools	\$2913 00

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
MARCH 2, 1891.

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS, AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

V. White,	\$90 00
G. W. Stone,	68 00
H. A. Strout.	65 50

SCHOOL BOARD.

H. W. Ranger,	\$30 00
E. C. Dow,	30 00
J. H. Farrington,	25 00

TOWN TREASURER.

A. P. Adams,	\$36 00
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TOWN CLERK.

J. H. Merritt, for Services as Clerk,	\$7 36
H. H. Allen, Collector of Taxes,	100 00
Trustees of Ministerial School Fund,	12 00

LIABILITIES.

Due for Notes Outstanding,	\$5751 27
“ for Interest on Above Notes,	291 63
“ Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers,	223 50
“ Supt. School Committee,	85 00
“ Town Clerk,	7 36
“ H. H. Allen Collector,	100 00
“ Trustees of Ministerial and School Fund,	12 00

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Due Schools by Estimation,	400 00
“ for Free Text Books,	117 50
“ Bal. on Tuition at East Livermore,	216 10
“ R. H. Thompson for School House Lot,	100 00
“ David Macomber Aid to Betsy Macomber,	15 00
“ Agent on Town Farm,	62 50
“ Unsettled Accounts by Estimation.	45 00
Total Liabilities,	7426 86

## RESOURCES.

Town Farm Valued Feb. 16, 1891,	\$2000 00
Personal Property on Farm Feb. 16, 1891,	1169 62
Due from State Treasurer's Mill Tax and Tax on Savings Banks,	797 79
Due from State Treasurer for Free High School,	204 00
Due, O. G. Kyes, Interest on Town School Fund,	72 16
Due, State Treasurer, Bounty on Crows,	16 80
Non Resident Taxes,	31 38
Cash in Treasury,	177 09
Due from H. H. Allen, Collector of Taxes,	5014 36
“ “ Hiram Moore Estate,	13 50
“ “ Agent on Farm,	27 05
Road Machines,	300 00
Total Resources,	<u>\$9823.75</u>
Total Liabilities,	<u>7426.86</u>
Bal. in Favor of Town,	\$2396.89

## ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 1891.

For Support of Schools,	\$1250.00
For Support of Poor,	\$1000.00
Town Expenses,	\$1500.00

All of which is Respectfully Submitted,

V. WHITE,	} <i>Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.</i>
G. W. STONE,	
H. A. STROUT,	

JAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1891.