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NINTH ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES  
OF THE  
CITY OF LEWISTON,  
FOR THE  
FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 29,  
1872,

TOGETHER WITH OTHER ANNUAL REPORTS AND PAPERS RE-  
LATING TO THE AFFAIRS OF THE CITY.



LEWISTON:  
PRINTED BY GEO. A. CALLAHAN.  
1872

## CITY OF LEWISTON.

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IN COMMON COUNCIL, }  
March 16, 1872. }

ORDERED, *the Board of Mayor and Aldermen concurring*, That the Committee on Printing be instructed to procure the printing of twelve hundred copies of the reports of the Receipts and Expenditures of the City of Lewiston, for the municipal year ending February 29, 1872, with such other matters and reports as may be deemed advisable.

IN COMMON COUNCIL. }  
March 16, 1872. }

Read, passed, and sent up.

H. D. HALL, *Clerk*.

IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, }  
March 16, 1872. }

Twice read under suspension of the rules and passed in concurrence.

E. P. TOBIE, *City Clerk*.

A true copy.

Attest, E. P. TOBIE, *City Clerk*.

# MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

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*Gentlemen of the City Council:*

In assuming the great and important duties of Chief Executive of this City, and with you having taken the oath of fidelity to the Constitution of the United States, and of this State, I find my course clearly to be one of untiring vigilance, in causing a strict enforcement of the ordinances of the City. Its charter makes it your duty and mine to see that the laws are obeyed. I congratulate you, gentlemen, that in the performance of this duty, we are called to enforce no laws of the State, or City, but those that have been enacted for wise purposes and for the best interests of society and the public good. To see that the laws are faithfully executed will be my constant care and sacred duty, and to this end, gentlemen of the City Council, I invite your earnest co-operation, together with that of every person in the community.

By the favorable consideration of our fellow citizens we have been selected to be the municipal guardians of one of the first manufacturing cities in our state, and for a time they have intrusted to our watchful care their interests and rights and the duties of faithfully administering the government, and we shall be held to a strict accountability for the manner in which we discharge all the duties of our several offices.

Let us then commence our labors with a high appreciation of the responsibilities that devolve on us in assuming

not only the material but the moral and educational welfare of this community, for on its moral standing will depend in a great measure its future prosperity; and no community can keep pace in the progressive march of Christian civilization unless its educational advantages are of the highest order.

It will therefore become our first duty, always to give intelligent and impartial deliberation to all questions that may come before us relating to the present prosperity and future growth and improvement of our young City. For with our magnificent water power and other natural advantages continually inviting capital to come and find a safe and profitable investment in our midst, with our present and projected railroad communications with all parts of the country, it requires no prophetic vision to look forward to the time when we shall have a population of thirty thousand (30,000) inhabitants and a corresponding increase of the valuation; for "coming events cast their shadows before;" and I am warranted in saying that even this coming summer large additions will be made to our manufacturing interests. But, gentlemen of the City Council, much will depend upon the honest, wise and far-seeing policy adopted by you and those who shall succeed you in the administration of its municipal affairs; by promoting the business interests of its inhabitants; by wise improvements to meet the growing wants of our city, and by having a vigilant eye on its finances, and at all times refusing to loan its credit to those enterprises which are better promoted by private individuals. Yet we should encourage and foster every enterprise in our midst that will increase our trade and give employment to an intelligent, moral and skilful population. And though we are constantly admonished to be judicious in the expenditure of public money, we must not be so parsimonious and short sighted as to neglect any and every measure of positive public benefit for the simple reason that it requires the expenditure of money, or the credit of the city.

## LIABILITIES AND RESOURCES.

## LIABILITIES.

Loans (Bonds) due in Financial Year 1872,	\$50,000.00	
Loans (Notes) due in Financial Year 1872,	23,915.72	
Loans (Notes) due in Financial Year 1874,	1,300.00	
Loans (Notes) due in Financial Year 1875,	1,410.00	
Loans (Bonds) due in Financial Year 1885,	110,000.00	
Loans (Bonds) due in Financial Year 1901,	128,000.00	
Balance of State Tax,	14,090.73	
Outstanding Bills (estimated),	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$329,716.45

## RESOURCES.

Uncollected Taxes, 1870 and 1871,	\$24,561.90	
Sewer Taxes, uncollected,	31,997.94	
Amount of Funds in hands of Committee on reduction of City Debt.	45,265.72	
Note of P. McGillicuddy,	545.00	
Note of Ivory W. Emerson,	500.00	
Amount of State School Fund,	314.78	
Cash in Treasury,	453.93	
	<hr/>	\$103,639.27
Amount of City Debt, February 29, 1872,		\$226,077.18
Amount of City Debt, February 28, 1871,		93,247.42
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Increase of City Debt during the year,		\$132,829.76

This increase of City Debt during the past year is accounted for by the expenditure of building the new City Building and new Bridge.

## CITY BUILDINGS.

I learn from the Building Committee, who were authorized by the City Council to build and fully to complete the same at a cost not to exceed \$185,000, that the building is nearly ready for plastering, and they are very confident that the work will be finished and ready for use as early as October, 1872; and I am confident that it will not only meet the present but the greatest prospective wants of a first class city. The Buildings are supplied with two first-class tubular boilers and steam pump, with a capacity sufficient to thoroughly warm the whole build-

ing and supply power for elevators and for furnishing the building with water.

The Superintendent of the work, William H. Stevens, gives it as his opinion that the whole cost of the building will not exceed the above amount.

Amount expended on Building up to March 1, 1872, \$116,716.76.

### SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL HOUSES.

I have examined the financial report of the Superintendent of Schools, and find that notwithstanding all we have done in the past, and by many considered ample, that the rapid growth of our city now demands more school accommodation. Our High School is crowded beyond its capacity, our scholars and teachers there are working under great disadvantages; our School House at Barker's Mills is scarcely fit for use, and more and better rooms are needed on Main Street.

There are pressing demands for more school accommodations on Lincoln Street, and the two buildings near the Androscoggin Depot, where nearly 150 children attend, are entirely unfit and dangerous for children, and should enlist your immediate attention.

Our city has been truly wise in the past in making liberal provisions for its Schools. We are already reaping the fruits of this generous policy, not only in the superior educational advantages our children are now enjoying, but in the enviable reputation our young city has secured throughout the State.

We should not forget that every pecuniary outlay made to increase the accommodation and efficiency of our schools pays us an hundred fold in enhancing the prosperity of our city. No sacrifice on our part is too great to be made for educational purposes, and let it be our pride to place our schools upon the best possible basis.

## STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND SEWERS.

I have carefully examined the excellent report of your efficient Street Commissioner, and I hope at an early day you will give it the attention that it deserves; and I would recommend for the ensuing year that no less be appropriated to this department than for the past year.

After the many appeals that have been made to the City Government from year to year, urging them to put Lisbon Street in a creditable condition, it seems unnecessary for me to attempt to advance any stronger arguments than have already been presented to induce you to give this your most serious and early consideration. I would earnestly recommend that a special appropriation be made to macadamize Lisbon Street.

I believe the time has come when we must settle upon some permanent system in regard to our sidewalks. Their present condition is unsafe, perishable and expensive, and calls for your immediate action.

Believing in the policy of making an appropriation each year for our sewers, I would recommend that a portion be expended this year in extending our Main Sewer. I would also recommend that steps be immediately taken to secure the collection of the unpaid assessments on sewers already built.

In the absence of any report from the Bridge Committee, I can only congratulate you upon the completion of that important structure, which meets the universal commendation of both cities.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

During the past year, ever to be remembered as the year of great conflagrations, we have every reason to congratulate ourselves that our city has been almost exempt from fires. Our Chief Engineer reporting total losses only nine hundred dollars (\$900.) I attribute this to the watchfulness of our police, and the promptness and efficiency of our Fire Department.



By the report of the Chief Engineer it will be seen that the Fire Department is suffering for the want of a suitable building for the machines and apparatus, and your early attention is called to this deficiency, and other recommendations.

### OVERSEERS OF POOR.

In examining the report of the Overseers of the Poor, I find that there has been expended in this department, as follows: For support of Paupers off the Farm, \$5,702.87; for support of paupers on City Farm, and cost of managing same, \$2,950.39; deducting from this amount cash received from other towns, and other receipts, \$1,907.83; leaving actual expense for support of poor, \$6,745.43.

I have no doubt that the wants of the poor have been judiciously and kindly attended to. In consequence of the growing importance of this department, I would recommend that the Overseers of the Poor be required to make a monthly report of all expenditures upon City Farm, and for support of poor.

### MUNICIPAL COURT.

The jurisdiction of the Municipal Court in civil matters has been increased during the past year from \$20 to \$100 and extended throughout the County, and other changes made in it, thereby increasing the cost of its maintenance, yet the increased fees accruing to the city from it during the year have been more than sufficient to pay the salary of the Judge, and all the expenses of its support. The new Court has steadily grown in favor and proved to be a very desirable tribunal where parties having disputes may have the same settled promptly, without the great expense and vexatious delay frequently attending the administration of justice in higher courts.

The whole number of persons brought before the Court during the past year was 446. Number of persons during the previous year was 309. Cases of drunkenness and

disturbing the peace the past year, 212. Number during the previous year, 110 — an increase of nearly two to one. More than two-thirds of the criminal cases before the Court can be traced directly to the use of intoxicating liquors. These facts plainly suggest where the remedy should be applied.

### POLICE.

In the absence of a detailed report for the past year, I am unable to give the doings of this department.

In view of the public interest in relation to the enforcement of the Laws for the suppression of the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors, and a high sense of the obligation I have taken to faithfully discharge the duties incumbent on me according to the constitution and laws of this State, I feel that nothing connected with my office demands so much careful attention as that of organizing and maintaining an efficient police force, for on it depends the security of our lives and property. I shall only appoint for this department such men as in my judgment are fitted to perform its duties. The appointing of a City Marshal is a task of no small importance, for on the faithful, impartial and judicious discharge of his duties as head of the police force, will depend the preservation of the public peace and the reputation of our city, and I shall require him to enforce the Ordinances of the City, and fearlessly execute the Laws of the State.

### LEWISTON AND AUBURN RAILROAD.

The subject of a contemplated railroad to connect this city with the Grand Trunk Road, will be brought before you by the Directors as soon as definite plans can be perfected, and I trust it will receive your careful consideration.

## CONCLUSION.

Gentlemen of the City Council: I am restrained when I see so many who have devoted so many years to the service of the city, from making any special appeal to you to exercise economy. I trust that you will ever be on your guard that the public money is not squandered away in wild or ill digested plans. I would impress upon you the necessity of exercising the same care in the management of the affairs of the city that you do in your own business. Let our motto be economy and responsibility, not relying upon our own wisdom, but on the wisdom of God.

DAVID COWAN.

## CITY OF LEWISTON.

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March 16, 1872.

*To the Honorable City Council:*

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor to submit herewith my report of the Receipts and Expenditures of the City of Lewiston, for the financial year ending February 29, 1872.

Respectfully submitted.

WM. J. BURNHAM,  
AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS.

IN COMMON COUNCIL, }  
March 16, 1872. }

Read, accepted, and sent up.

H. D. HALL, *Clerk.*

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN, }  
March 16, 1872. }

Read, accepted in concurrence.

E. P. TOBIE, *City Clerk.*

# AUDITOR'S REPORT.

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## STATEMENT

OF THE

## RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE CITY OF LEWISTON,

DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1871-72.

*Commencing with the 1st day of March, 1871, and ending  
on the 29th day of February, 1872.*

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## ABATEMENTS.

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Balance undrawn, March 1, 1871,	\$196 99	
Appropriated and assessed, in 1871,	2,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,696 99
Balance overdrawn February 29, 1872,		1,514 70
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		<u>\$4,211 69</u>
Taxes abated for the year 1868-69,	81 62	
Taxes abated for the year 1870,	386 10	
Taxes abated for the year 1871,	3,743 97	
	<hr/>	\$4,211 69
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## BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

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Balance undrawn, March 1, 1871,	96 08	
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	100 00	
	_____	\$196 08

### EXPENDITURES.

To E. P. Tobie, for sundry stationery and books,	49 66	
John Neal, for making and binding books,	43 50	
	_____	\$93 16
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,		102 92
		196 08

## CITY PARK.

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Balance undrawn, March 1, 1871,	\$257 28	
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	700 00	
	<u>700 00</u>	\$957 28

### RECEIPTS.

Received for grass sold,		43 75
		<u>43 75</u>
		<u>1,001 03</u>

### EXPENDITURES.

To Nevens and Murch, for teaming gravel,	11 50	
Cyrus Greely for trees, setting same out, and repairing Park seats,	36 15	
R. Gilbert, for labor on Park,	123 22	
Henry Richardson, for labor on Park,	5 00	
James S. Morgan, for labor on Park,	42 75	
Columbus Faught, labor on Park,	220 00	
Scott Jordan, for climbing liberty pole,	8 00	
Wm. F. Garcelon, for selling grass on Park,	5 00	
Owen & Little, for supplies	3 80	
Lewiston Gas Light Co. for gas for music stand,	1 28	
Thompson & Putnam, for hoe, scythe, and seeds,	7 55	
I. R. Hall, for painting seats, and labor,	4 60	
Androscoggin Mill, labor on Park fence,	5 04	
	<u>5 04</u>	473 89
Balance undrawn, February 29, 1872,		527 14
		<u>\$1,001 03</u>

## CITY BUILDINGS.

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Balance undrawn, March 1, 1871, \$150,000 00

### EXPENDITURES.

To Norton & Edwards, for account of contract,	\$72,227 37
Joseph P. Johnson, for cleaning and taking care of committee room,	2 00
Wm. H. Stevens, for expenses to Boston,	14 92
Wm. H. Stevens, for services as Superintendent,	832 65
N. Dingley, jr., & Co., for advertising for proposals,	8 75
O. & G. Bartlett, for labor and supplies,	283 27
Hanson Hunnewell, for account of contract,	1,600 00
A. Wakefield, for pay roll of carpenters,	13,996 00
J. D. Robinson, for yellow pine,	2,277 67
Maine Central R. R. Co., for freight,	362 18
James B. Tracy, for right to extend wall,	620 66
A. E. Stevens, & Co., for fire brick and mortar,	65 50
N. Turner, for granite,	10 00
Jordan, Frost, & Co., for planing boards, &c.,	732 67
Wood & Golder, for pine boards and coal,	988 59
Dixon & Co., for labor,	7 87
<b>Amounts carried forward,</b>	<u><u>94,130 10</u></u>



Amount brought forward,	\$94,130 10	
To Bean & Stetson, for ventilator, pipe and supplies,	692 02	
H. Day & Co., for rope,	10 89	
R. Dexter, for window sash,	100 00	
James Clark, for labor,	47 50	
P. Maney & Sons, for teaming,	277 06	
Lewiston Machine Co., supplies,	151 88	
I. R. Hall, for furnishing and set- ting glass,	120 73	
Owen & Little, for sundry hard- ware,	929 18	
S. R. Bearce & Co., for lumber,	10,088 17	
Geo. Hanson, for lumber,	413 43	
Geo. Hanson, for rent of land on Bates street,	56 25	
J. J. Walworth, & Co., for boilers, steam and gas pipes, &c.,	7,368 41	
Eastern Express Co., for express on bdls. and castings,	2 75	
Portland Co., for smoke flue, all fitted up,	92 32	
Insurance Companies, for insurance on the City Buildings,	750 00	
S. H. Murray, for one stove,	15 00	
Charles K. Hooker, for one tank,	100 00	
Androscoggin R. R. Co., for freight on boilers, bolts, &c.,	63 06	
Dewitt House, for board of Messrs. Allen and Hooker,	71 43	
O. B. Morse, & Co., for turning,	99 08	
Geo. Webb, rod, hangers, iron, &c.,	64 66	
S. H. Larrabee, for pine boards,	1,017 43	
Amount of labor and material fur- nished by the Street Commission- er from highways, &c.,	155 41	
	<hr/>	116,716 76
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,		33,283 24
		<hr/>
		<u>\$150,000 00</u>

## CITY LIQUOR AGENCY.

### RECEIPTS.

Received of Ai Brooks, Liquor Agent,	\$606 83	
Received of A. D. Thorne, Liquor Agent,	3,322 63	
	3,322 63	\$3,929 46

### EXPENDITURES.

To Lewiston Gas Light Co., for gas,	10 63	
Eaton Shaw, for liquors,	1,635 57	
I. D. Richards & Son, for liquors,	1,504 57	
Wood and Golder, for coal,	6 25	
Daniel Lawrence & Sons, for Med- ford rum,	184 75	
J. B. Ham & Co., for rent of store,	140 00	
John Cook, for rent of store,	66 67	
	3,548 44	381 02
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,		\$3,929 46

## COUNTY TAXES.

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Appropriated and assessed in 1871, \$15,029 63

### EXPENDITURES.

To Alcander F. Merrill, Treasurer,	
County tax for 1871,	15,029 60
Balance undrawn, February 29, 1872,	03
	<u><u>\$15,029 63</u></u>

## CONTINGENT FUND.

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Appropriated and assessed in 1871, \$10,000 00

### RECEIPTS.

Received of Owen & Little, for license to sell gunpowder,	\$3 00	
“ for licenses of dogs,	61 00	
“ for licenses of circus,	50 00	
“ for licenses of theatre,	64 00	
“ of Henry Free for license of billiards,	10 00	
“ O. G. Douglass, for licenses,	6 00	
“ of license for billiard saloon,	10 00	
“ for auction sales,	16 19	
“ for casks sold,	21 62	
“ of Ham Brooks, collected for licenses and fees,	657 65	
“ of Moses Hodgkins, in re- payment for amount pd. Ivory W. Emerson's note for \$500.00 cash, \$193.00	<u>693 00</u>	
		<u>1,592 46</u>
		11,592 46
Transferred to Appropriation of Sup- port of Poor,	2,000 00	
Transferred to Appropriation of Rents,	500 00	
Transferred to Appropriation of Schools,	<u>1,000 00</u>	
		<u>3,500 00</u>
		<u><u>\$8,092 46</u></u>

## EXPENDITURES.

To Lewiston Gas Light Co., for gas at City Rooms,	\$96 47
Morris Minnihan, for washing school room after election,	3 75
Catherine Ryan, for washing school room after election,	4 00
Gilman Shaw, for rent of hall,	30 00
Carr & Co., for horse hire,	2 00
Western Union Telegraph Co., for telegram,	58
S. D. Thomas, for mason work,	14 25
Amos Nevens, for taking census of scholars,	100 00
Eastern Express Co., for express on State bonds, sent for collection,	7 00
Bradford, Conant, & Co., for office chair,	15 00
Moses Hodgkins, for demands against his estate,	691 00
Frye & Cotton, Atty's, for settle- ment of suit of Vesta Burbank, against the city of Lewiston,	116 68
Johnson's Cornet Band, for ser- vices Fourth of July, and on Park for the season,	400 00
Geo. A. Drew, for police badges,	20 00
Benj. Collins, for horse hire,	10 50
the Superintendent of State Re- form School, for care of James Wood.	52 00
Rufus Carr, for services as assistant Assessor,	53 75
Cyrus Greely, for expenses to Bos- ton, fireworks, labor and supplies,	30 44
Geo. A. Drew & Co., for firemen's trumpets,	85 00
Amounts carried forward,	<hr/> 1,732 42

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Amount brought forward,	1,732 42
To B. T. Wells & Co., for exhibition of fireworks,	500 00
Androscoggin R. R. Co., for freight on fireworks,	46 40
McClure & Smith, for supplies,	11 92
DeWitt House, for dinners, Fourth of July,	150 00
Western Union Telegraph Co., for telegrams, account of Fourth of July celebration,	22 66
Hall L. Davis, for printing bonds,	144 00
Thomas Hartley, posting meeting,	2 50
J. P. Fessenden, for witness, suit, J. P. Norton <i>vs.</i> the city of Lew- iston,	3 12
S. G. French, for supplies Fourth of July,	14 98
Owen & Little, for supplies Fourth of July,	23 92
Shaw & Boynton, for use of hall Fourth of July,	4 00
Norton & Edwards, for labor on corner stone of City Buildings,	11 15
E. Cornish, for damage to sleigh,	25 00
P. Mauey & Sons, for sprinkling streets,	50 00
R. Carr & Co., for horse hire,	9 00
L. C. Conant, for damage while blasting,	6 00
Daniel Webber, for trucking Fourth of July,	7 00
Bean & Stetson, for sundry supplies,	18 58
Joseph L. Ross, for desks for High School house,	165 00
Thomas Tash, for salary Superin- tendent of Schools,	1,150 00
V. E. Litchfield, for moving fire- works, &c.,	13 50
Amount carried forward,	<u>4,111 15</u>

Amount brought forward,	\$4,111 15
To James Connelley, for injuries and time lost,	45 00
Mrs. H. J. Wilson, for damage to land, changing Hog Back Hill,	15 00
E. P. Tobie, for sundry supplies,	15 50
Wm. L. Littlefield, for repairing High School furniture,	11 37
D. Farrar, for services as Assistant Assessor,	150 00
D. L. Tobie & Co., for repairing city pump,	6 50
Geo. A. Drew & Co., for expenses to Portland, on account of Steamer No. 4,	5 00
J. Y. Scruton, for bags and oil coat,	8 40
Wm. J. Burnham, for examining and closing Auditor's books for theyear ending Feb. 28, 1871,	25 00
S. C. Morse & Co., for ice in tanks for season,	53 50
Daniel Wood, for gas burner, shade and supplies for Superintendent of Schools' office,	16 95
O. & G. Bartlett, for dippers and chain,	2 31
H. W. Briant, for ruling book and copying records,	12 50
Thomas Tash, for supplies at office,	10 00
Samuel Stetson, for desk for Super- intendent of Schools' office.	15 00
Mrs. Lynch, for washing ward rooms,	4 25
D. G. Hall, for clock repairing and care of city clock,	31 50
Henry S. Clark, for damages, per- sonal and property, by defect in road,	180 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>4,718 93</u>

Amounts brought forward,	\$4,718 93	
To M. T. Ludden, for cash paid Thos. McDonough and Mrs. Sherman for damages,	18 00	
Alice D. Webber, for damage to land by grading,	40 00	
	<hr/>	4,776 93
Amount of labor and material furnished by the Street Commissioner from highways, &c.,		20 75
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		4,797 68
Balance undrawn Feb. 29, 1872,		3,294 78
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		<u>\$8,092 46</u>

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## DISCOUNT ON TAXES.

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Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	<u>\$8,000 00</u>
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### EXPENDITURES.

Amount allowed by John F. Putnam, Collector, being discount on taxes the present year,	6,762 29
Balance undrawn, Feb. 29, 1872,	1,237 71
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	<u>\$8,000 00</u>



## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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Appropriated and assessed in 1871, \$5,000 00

### RECEIPTS.

Received for old hose sold,	151 20
	\$5,151 20

### EXPENDITURES.

To Lewiston Gas Light Co., for gas at engine house,	29 76
Eastern Express Co., for express on box,	1 00
C. F. Nevens, for horses on hose,	23 00
S. I. Abbott, for expenses of self and Chief Engineer to Portland,	6 00
Steamer No. 3, for services,	74 16
Wood & Golder, for wood and coal,	102 32
Geo. A. Callahan, for printing,	27 45
Albert F. Allen, for hats, pipe and straps,	59 50
Cyrus Greely, for supplies and labor,	34 05
David Rowe, for horse on Hook and Ladder,	5 00
O. G. Douglass, for supplies,	7 90
S. Chandler, for repairs on engine house,	65 45
Owen & Little, for supplies,	27 49
J. P. Longley, for supplies,	305 37
Androscoggin Hose Co., for services,	345 50
Amount carried forward,	1,113 95

Amount brought forward,	\$1,113 95
To G. W. Latham, for Engineer, Steamer No. 4,	83 33
R. D. Sutherland,, for Engineer and labor on Steamer No. 4,	185 93
I. C. Downes, for Engineer on Steamer No. 3,	250 00
Hackett & Weeman, for shafts to hose carriage,	8 00
Hose Co. No. 4, for services,	162 57
P. Maney & Sons, for drawing Steamer No. 3,	3 50
Maine Central R. R. Co., for freight on Steamer to and from Portland,	18 00
Lewiston Engine Co., No. 1, for services,	225 00
Knowlton, Russell, & Co., for oil,	80
Lewiston Machine Co., for shafts, castings, &c.,	48 12
Potter, Thompson, & Co., for paint- ing hose carriage, whifletree, &c.,	53 00
Greely & Hodgkins, for labor and supplies,	2 80
A. L. & E. F. Goss, for supplies to No. 1,	23 19
McClure & Smith, for labor, sup- plies, &c.,	57 53
Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., for supplies for repairs to Steamer No. 3,	22 13
Bean & Stetson, for oiler, oil cans, &c.,	10 53
Nevens & Murch, for horse on hose,	6 00
Geo. Webb, for rods, coal rake and iron,	15 40
Richardson & Andrews, for wood,	1 88
Portland Co., for repairs on Steamer,	926 96
Amount carried forward,	<u>3,218 62</u>

Amount brought forward,	\$3,218 62	
To Blake & Co., for supplies,	3 60	
Hook and Ladder No. 1, for services,	275 00	
Day, Nealey, & Co., for oil,	90	
Daniel Wood, for supplies,	6 48	
Lewiston Falls Manufacturing Co., for rent of land for engine house,	25 00	
B. Litchfield, for supplies to Steamer,	3 92	
Charles P. Wellman, for expenses to Portland,	4 05	
Seth Chandler, for Fireman to Steamer No. 4,	75 00	
Androscoggin Mill, for labor and supplies,	14 53	
Steamer No. 4, for services,	133 78	
James Sproul, for Assistant En- gineer to Steamer 4,	31 25	
	<hr/>	3,792 13
To amount of labor and material furnished by Street Commissioner from Highways, &c.,		450 28
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Balance undrawn, Feb. 29, 1872,		4,242 41
		908 79
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		\$5,151 20
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# GRADING AND FENCING BATES ST. SCHOOL HOUSE.

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Balance undrawn, March 1, 1871, \$2,658 37

## EXPENDITURES.

To J. G. Coburn, for cash paid Joseph	
L. Ross for school furniture,	478 30
Balance undrawn, February 29, 1872,	2,180 07
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	\$2,658 37
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# HIGHWAYS, & C.

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Appropriated and assessed in 1871, \$15,000 00

## RECEIPTS.

Received for stone sold,	9 30	
"    " material and labor,	183 51	
	<u>          </u>	192 81
		<u>15,192 81</u>
Balance overdrawn February 29, 1872,		1,010 04
		<u><u>\$16,202 85</u></u>

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid for labor as per monthly pay roll :		
In March,	478 25	
April,	824 40	
May,	1,698 91	
June,	1,284 11	
July,	1,620 86	
August,	743 42	
September,	1,259 91	
October,	1,225 10	
November,	1,326 80	
December,	909 32	
January,	379 66	
February,	1,078 06	
	<u>          </u>	12,828 80
To Asa W. Fisher, for hay,	23 21	
P. C. Tarbox, for corn and oats,	85 45	
Ham & Dwelley, for lumber, corn and oats,	529 41	
W. H. Potter, for hay,	10 03	
Bradley & Morton, for corn, meal, and oats,	509 30	
	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
Amounts carried forward,	1,157 40	12,828 80

Amounts brought forward,	\$1,157 40	\$12,828 80
To A. G. Hall, for hay,	12 29	
Samuel Manning, for hay,	27 46	
W. C. Whitman, for hay	35 53	
G. H. Field & Co., cement pipes,	96 00	
Wm. Lydston, sundry repairs and supplies	64 07	
S. R. Bearce & Co., for lumber,	438 65	
Geo. S. Morse, for shoeing oxen, and repairs on chains,	92 21	
Benj. Carville, for hay,	36 60	
L. Lombard, for hay,	82 38	
L. L. Barrell & Co., for hay,	35 90	
Hackett & Weeman, for repairs on wagons,	44 52	
C. F. Leavitt, for sharpening and resetting picks, and repairs,	77 12	
J. Miller, for hay,	42 90	
J. Ridley, for bedding,	3 92	
A. Lane, for hay,	9 58	
T. Healy, for hay,	19 75	
W.W.Wood, shoeing and mending,	181 43	
Owen & Little for pipe, blocks &c.,	49 59	
Goss Bros. for curb stones,	419 20	
E. Whitmore, for repairing plows and shoeing oxen,	9 50	
H. Day & Co., for hardware,	126 15	
Natt. E. Davis, for hay,	75 72	
Continental Mill, hard pine lumber,	6 72	
J. P. Longley, for brush, cards, blankets, &c.,	14 55	
Thompson & Putnam, for supplies,	2 98	
Chas. H. Barrell, for curb stone,	433 71	
E. Goodrich, filing saws,	4 20	
J. Teel, for hay,	13 46	
Lewiston Steam Mill Co., for plank,	53 36	
Gaines Bond, for hay,	78 67	
White & Emerson, for horse brushes,	3 00	
West, Wing & Co., for curb stone,	4 50	
Amounts carried forward,	3,753 02	12,828 80

Amounts brought forward,	\$3,753 02	\$12,828 80
To Wood & Golder, for posts and hay,	16 21	
H. H. Richardson, for labor		
and supplies,	60 98	
Alexander Ridley, for hay,	79 95	
Benson M. Dixon, use of derrick		
and labor,	55 87	
Day Nealey & Co., supplies and hay,	40 65	
Isiah Pompilly, for hay,	37 15	
S. D. Thomas, for brick and labor,	8 42	
Kimball & Braley, for repairing		
harnesses,	27 65	
Thomas Stevens, for hay,	14 05	
Warren Jordan, for hay,	94 40	
Chas. W. Ham, for hay,	26 30	
Nathaniel Card, for hay,	9 25	
James Clark, use of tools and labor,	11 50	
John Gould, for bedding,	3 34	
A. Doten, for shoeing and repairs,	89 87	
C. H. Dearing, repairs to picks,		
and chains,	4 15	
Lewiston Machine Co., for castings		
for sled shoes,	6 50	
Goddard & Paul, for cloth,	3 76	
James Carville, for hay and bedding,	72 27	
E. Barker, for hay,	10 68	
	<hr/>	4,425 97
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		17,254 77
Deduct amount of bills, charged by		
Street Commissioner to the follow-		
ing Appropriations :		
For Fire Department,	450 28	
Sewers,	242 75	
New Bridge,	154 87	
Contingent,	20 75	
City Property,	27 86	
City Buildings,	155 41	
	<hr/>	1,051 92
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Total expenditures of highways &c..		<u><u>\$16,202 85</u></u>

## INTEREST.

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Balance undrawn March 1st. 1871,	\$4,811 23
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	12,000 00

### RECEIPTS.

Received of D. Farrar, Collector,	49 63	
"    " J. F. Putnam, Collector,		
on 1870 Tax,	407 75	
"                    1871 Tax,	72 01	
	479 76	
Received on Bonds sold, accrued in-		
terest of coupons,	501 50	
	1,030 89	
		\$17,842 12

### EXPENDITURES.

To I. R. Russell, for interest on loan,	48 36
Benj. Carville, for interest on loan,	40 50
Joshua Jordan, for interest on loan,	18 00
First National Bank, for interest for	
loan,	198 13
Amos Davis, for interest on loan,	54 50
Daniel S. Maxwell, for interest	
on loan,	24 00
Geo. W. Temple, for interest on loan,	10 72
Albert M. Penly, for interest on loan,	97 50
James Carville for interest on loan,	27 10
Mary Wright, for interest on loan,	81 00
S. E. May & Co. for commission sell-	
ing City Bonds,	208 50
John Penly, for interest on loan,	97 50
	905 81
Amount carried forward,	



Amount brought forward,	\$905 81	
To Lewis Ware, for interest on loan,	182 50	
Joshua Jordan, for interest on loan,	24 00	
A. Garcelon, Chairman Committee on Reduction of City Debt, for in- terest on loan,	213 76	
Franklin Company for interest on loan,	301 00	
Cyrus Greely, for interest on loan,	12 00	
To Sundry Persons, for interest on Bonds,	12,771 98	
D. Farrar, Treasurer, for discount on Bonds sold,	845 00	
	—————	\$15,256 05
Balance undrawn February, 29, 1872,		2,586 07
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		<u>\$17,842 12</u>

## LOANS.

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Balance undrawn March 1st, 1871, 174,785 20

### RECEIPTS.

Received for Bonds sold,	128,000 00
Received on City Notes,	57,121 18
	\$359,906 38

### EXPENDITURES.

Paid for loans maturing during the year :	
To Everett Foster,	240 00
Amos Davis,	125 00
Sally Lord,	160 00
James Carville,	2,440 00
First National Bank,	4,000 00
Lewis Ware,	1,000 00
Committee on Reduction of City Debt,	32,065 46
Mary Wright,	1,350 00
Franklin Company,	3,500 00
	44,880 46
Balance undrawn February 29th, 1872,	315,025 92
	\$359,906 38

## MUNICIPAL COURT.

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Balance undrawn March 1st, 1871, 101.19

### RECEIPTS.

Received of John Smith, Judge, for fees,	12 80	
"    "    Enos T. Luce, Judge, for fees,	1,849 87	
	<u>          </u>	\$1,862 67
		<u>          </u>
		<u>\$1,963 86</u>

### EXPENDITURES.

To John Smith, for services as Judge,	25 00	
N. Dingley Jr. & Co., for printing,	66 25	
Donnell & Osgood, for funnel and elbows,	7 46	
Geo. A. Callahan, for printing,	36 75	
E. G. Woodside, for rent of court room,	191 67	
Pulsifer & Wiggin, for supplies furnished,	2 15	
H. H. Richardson, for paints and labor,	4 99	
Bradford & Conant, for case,	50 00	
	<u>          </u>	384 27
Balance undrawn February 29th, 1872,		1,579 59
		<u>          </u>
		<u>\$1,963 86</u>

## NEW SCHOOL HOUSE, LINCOLN STREET.

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Appropriated in 1871,	<u>\$13,000 00</u>
Balance undrawn February 29th, 1872,	<u>\$13,000 00</u>

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## NEW SCHOOL HOUSE, LISBON ROAD.

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Appropriated in 1871,	<u>\$2,000 00</u>
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### EXPENDITURES.

To Joseph Sampson, for digging cellar to school house,	25 00	
Smith & Miller, for contract building school house.	1,350 00	
C. F. Douglass, for plan and specification, and superintending,	60 00	
Bean & Stetson, stove, zinc, &c.,	43 85	
A. F. Sanborn, for drawing furniture,	2 00	
Joseph W. Ross, for ink wells,	7 30	
	1,488 15	
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,		<u>511 85</u>
		<u>\$2,000 00</u>

NEW SCHOOL HOUSE, MAIN ST.  

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Appropriated in 1871, \$3,000 00Balance undrawn February 29, 1872, \$3,000 00  

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NEW SCHOOL HOUSE, THORNE  
DISTRICT.  

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Balance undrawn March 1st, 1871, \$36 29Balance undrawn February 29, 1872, \$36 29

## NEW BRIDGE OVER ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER.

Appropriated in 1871,	25,000 00
Appropriated for Floating Bridge,	700 00

### RECEIPTS.

Received for old lumber,	20 00
	<u>\$25,720 00</u>

### EXPENDITURES.

To Journal Newspaper Co., for advertising notice for proposals,	25 50
Portland Publishing Co., for advertising for proposals,	5 25
Cyrus Greely, for Expenses to Boston and Nashua, making pattern, and labor,	216 70
John Read, for plans and engineering,	541 10
Maine Central R. R. Co., for freight on lumber,	629 21
Androscoggin R. R. Co., for freight on lumber	104 29
J. D. Robinson, for lumber,	9,313 71
Frye & Cotton, Attorneys for Maine Central R. R. Co., for freight of iron,	160 09
Michigan Bolt and Nut Co., for plates and bolts,	1,827 33
Wm. L. Littlefield, for account as contractor,	6,600 40
Thos. W. Hyde, washers and iron,	1,830 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>21,253 58</u>

Amount brought forward,	21,253 58	
To J. A. Whitman, for making patterns,	29 00	
Norton & Edwards, for cement and lime,	71 50	
I. G. Curtis, for gravel,	33 00	
Franklin Co., supplies and laborers,	684 54	
Geo. Webb, for dog chains, spikes, &c.,	135 35	
Lewiston Machine Co., for castings, patterns, &c.,	118 66	
P. Maney & Sons, for bills of team- ing,	86 00	
Owen & Little, for hardware and paints,	134 22	
S. R. Bearce & Co., for lumber,	2,133 32	
Geo. S. Morse for sharpening drills &c.,	10 17	
D. H. Leavitt, for gravel,	21 00	
Wm. L. Littlefield, for labor on floating bridge,	43 50	
Hill Manufacturing Co., for chain,	7 12	
Smith & Meader, for strips,	40 50	
H. Day & Co., for chain, lead, and oil,	33 10	
Wm. W. Harris, for labor,	15 50	
A. M. Jones, for expenses to and at Boston,	10 00	
James Clark, for cutting chains from boom,	3 00	
Lewiston Steam Mill Co., gravel,	24 00	
Bradford, Conant & Co., for lumber,	96 00	
Greeley & Hodgkins, for labor and supplies,	117 93	
	<hr/>	25,100 99
Amount of labor and material fur- nished by Street Commissioner, from Highways, &c.,		154 87
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		25,255 86
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,		464 14
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		\$25,720 00
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NEW ENGINE HOUSE.

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Balance undrawn March 1, 1871, \$9,000 00

Balance undrawn February 29, 1872, \$9,000 00



## NEW ROADS & LAND DAMAGES.

Balance undrawn March 1, 1871,	1,118 66
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	7,500 00
	\$8,618 66
	\$8,618 66

### EXPENDITURES.

Paid for Labor as per monthly Pay Rolls :

May,	205 00	
June,	2,334 37	
July,	982 01	
August,	1,565 00	
	5,086 38	
P. Maney & Sons, for clay,	72 87	
G. H. Field & Co., for pipe,	133 86	
C. F. Leavitt, for sharpening and repairing picks and drills,	49 52	
Olive Field, for damage to land,	1,000 00	
Charles R. Mitchell, for damage to land,	10 00	
B. W. Mitchell, for damage to land,	50 00	
R. D. Chadbourne, for building road,	240 00	
D. Farrar, for building road from James Carville's to Sabattus road,	1,475 00	
	3,031 25	

Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,

8,117 63  
501 03

\$8,618 66

## POLICE.

Balance undrawn March 1, 1871,	112 58
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	6 000 00

## RECEIPTS.

Received of O. G. Douglass, for fees,	170 00	
“ “ Ham Brooks, for fees,	308 27	
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		6,590 85
Balance overdrawn February 29, 1872,		559 45
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		<u>\$7,150 30</u>

## EXPENDITURES.

To W. Phillips, for services as police,	61 00
A. C. Mitchell, “ “ “	61 00
H. B. Rose, “ “ “	60 00
C. W. Morrill, “ “ “	61 00
C. Faught, “ “ “	61 00
Benj. Collins, “ “ “	62 00
E. R. Noble, “ “ “	12 00
John F. Emerson, “ “ “	12 00
W. H. Howard, “ “ “	24 00
O. G. Douglass, “ “ “	9 00
B. P. Lowell, “ “ “	3 00
Eli Chamberlin, “ “ “	6 00
Lloyd Q. Arnold, “ “ “	702 00
Tim. McGillicuddy, “ “ “	720 00
J. C. Farr, “ “ “	705 00
Wm. H. Moore, “ “ “	703 00
Fred Thornton, “ “ “	735 00
J. L. Kenniston, “ “ “	731 00
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Amounts carried forward,	4,728 00

Amount brought forward,	\$4,728 00	
Paid E. D. Wiggin, services as police,	555 00	
J. F. Murphy,           "   "   "	13 00	
Ed. Ryan,               "   "   "	10 00	
A. Erskine,             "   "   "	24 00	
C. B. Heath,            "   "   "	310 75	
A. C. Estes,            "   "   "	124 00	
Wm. Collins,            "   "   "	23 00	
S. Bagley,              "   "   "	38 00	
Wm. Walsh,             "   "   "	7 00	
G. W. Wright,          "   "   "	8 00	
R. Gilbert,             "   "   "	3 00	
C. Caswell,            "   "   "	24 50	
E. F. Perry,            "   "   "	89 00	
John Hayhurst,         "   "   "	2 00	
John Riley,            "   "   "	3 00	
Albra Goodwin,         "   "   "	3 00	
J. F. Pierce,           "   "   "	2 00	
J. T. Small,            "   "   "	2 00	
Nathan Pride,          "   "   "	2 00	
H. Bowley,             "   "   "	62 00	
Frank Pierce,          "   "   "	1 00	
A. C. Brooks,          "   "   "	165 75	
A. Pullen,             "   "   "	225 00	
Otis Heath,            "   "   "	32 00	
	<hr/>	6,457 00
To Thompson & Putnam, for rent of Marshal's office,	8 00	
Geo. H. Flint, for rent of Marshal's office,	112 25	
Lewiston Gas Light Company, for gas at lockup and office,	181 29	
O. G. Douglass, for services,	16 64	
Wood & Golder, for wood,	28 38	
R. C. Reynolds, for cash paid out,	5 90	
T. R. Herbst, for care of Court room and cash paid for railroad fare,	60 00	
L. Q. Arnold, for care of lockup,	20 00	
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Amounts carried forward,	432 46	<hr/> 6,457 00

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Amounts brought forward,	432 46	6,457 00
To Owen & Little, for supplies,	28 15	
Geo. A. Callahan, for printing,	13 00	
J. P. Longley, for billies,	14 00	
Western Union Telegraph Co., for telegram,	1 20	
W. H. Phillips, for whitewashing lockup,	5 00	
Bradford, Conant & Co., for chairs, tables and duster,	40 38	
Wm. F. Garcelon, for table,	2 00	
Pulsifer & Wiggin, for supplies furnished,	7 30	
E. D. Wiggin, for cash paid out for cases in court,	10 00	
Gilbert & Hinkley, for horse hire,	5 00	
Tim. McGillicuddy, for care of lockup,	15 00	
S. C. Morse & Co., for wood,	24 00	
A. Daley, for meals furnished prisoners,	27 75	
Ham Brooks, for cash paid out,	44 06	
John Nash, for rent of Central Hall,	24 00	
	<hr/>	693 30
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		<u>\$7,150 30</u>

## PLANS FOR CITY BUILDINGS.

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Balance undrawn, March 1, 1871,	<u>\$2,500 00</u>
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### EXPENDITURES.

To Geo. F. Meacham, for plans and specifications of City Buildings,	2,000 00
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,	<u>500 00</u>
	<u>\$2,500 00</u>

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## PRINTING.

Balance undrawn March 1, 1871,	265 17
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	750 00
	<u>\$1,015 17</u>

### EXPENDITURES.

To N. Dingley Jr. & Co., for printing,	756 14
Geo A. Callahan, for printing,	83 00
Eastern Argus, for advertising for proposals,	<u>6 00</u>
Balance undrawn, Feb. 29, 1872,	845 14
	<u>170 03</u>
	<u>\$1,015 17</u>

## PUBLIC PROPERTY.

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Balance undrawn March 1, 1871,	277 80
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	2,300 00

### RECEIPTS.

Received for old school house,	10 00	
"    "    oxen sold,	321 74	
	<hr style="width: 100%;"/>	331 74
		<hr style="width: 100%;"/>
		<u><u>\$2,909 54</u></u>

### EXPENDITURES.

To J. G. Barker, for labor on burying grounds,	9 75
Geo. Bubier, for pair oxen,	265 00
Braley & Kimball, for pair double harnesses,	80 00
Jairus Haskell, for two plows,	60 00
J. P. Longley, for pair harnesses,	80 00
Elisha Hanson, for deed of land for burying ground,	45 00
John B. Garcelon, for deed of land for burying ground,	53 75
H. H. Richardson, for labor and supplies,	591 01
H. Brooks, for blankets for lockup,	15 50
Lewiston Steam Mill Company, for lumber,	83 86
John B. Garcelon, for building fences around burying ground,	124 91
Nevens & Murch, for teaming,	13 99
P. Maney & Sons, for filling tanks for season of 1871,	40 00
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Amount carried forward,	1,462 77

Amount brought forward,	\$1,462 77	
To H. Day & Co., for hardware,	8 55	
Greeley & Hodgkins, for supplies and repairs,	8 81	
Wood & Golder, for posts for ceme- teries,	28 75	
S. R. Bearce & Co., for lumber,	45 31	
T. B. Norris, for supplies and re- pairs,	323 65	
S. D. Thomas for labor and ma- terial,	35 73	
Geo. Webb, for ironing cart bodies,	33 00	
C. F. Nevens, for horse hire,	4 00	
Hackett & Weeman, for cart body,	14 00	
	<hr/>	1,964 57
Amount of labor and material fur- nished by Street Commissioner, from Highways, &c.,		27 86
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		1,992 43
Balance undrawn, February 29, 1872,		917 11
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		\$2,909 54
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## RENTS.

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Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	1,500 00
Transferred from Contingent Fund,	500 00
	\$2,000 00
	\$2,000 00

### EXPENDITURES.

To Franklin Co., for rent of land,	396 00	
Lewiston Institution for Saving, for rent of City Rooms,	933 34	
Gilman Shaw, for rent of Lisbon Hall,	5 00	
Boynton and Clayton, for rent of Lisbon Hall,	5 00	
Lewiston Falls Manufacturing Co., for rent of land,	25 00	
Ambrose Buck, for rent of land,	26 66	
Norton & Edwards, for rent of land,	40 00	
Maine Central R. R., for rent of land,	50 00	
	1,481 00	
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,	519 00	
	\$2,000 00	



## RESERVOIRS.

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Appropriated in 1871,	1,000 00
Balance overdrawn February 29, 1872,	482 28
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	\$1,482 28
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### EXPENDITURES.

To Greely & Hodgkins, for labor and material,	55 52
Norton & Edwards, for brick and cement,	607 00
Labor of Highways, &c., building of reservoirs,	746 22
L. L. Barrell, & Co., for cement,	16 50
G. H. Fields, & Co., for cement and pipe,	57 04
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	\$1,482 28
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## SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS.

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Balance undrawn, March 1, 1871,	1,216 43
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	1,500 00
	\$2,716 43

### EXPENDITURES.

To S. E. Smith, for labor and supplies,	266 00	
Hill Manufacturing Co., for labor and supplies,	25 98	
Cyrus Greely for labor and supplies,	74 20	
Greely & Hodgkins, for labor and supplies,	241 99	
Geo. Loring, for labor and supplies,	22 54	
Norton & Edwards, for labor and material,	30 88	
Oliver Randall, for repairing windows,	1 65	
H. H. Richardson, for labor and supplies,	197 03	
I. R. Hall, for painting school houses,	175 91	
V. E. Litchfield, for teaming settees from Bates street to High School house,	8 00	
American Tablet Manufacturing Co., for slating blackboards,	725 50	
Geo. Hanson, for labor repairing door and chairs,	5 81	
R. C. Taylor, for glass and setting same,	8 30	
Superintendent of Schools' office, for supplies,	34 89	
	1,818 68	
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,	897 75	
	\$2,716 43	

## SALARIES.

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Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	8,000 00
Balance overdrawn February 29, 1872,	92 25
	\$8,092 25
	\$8,092 25

### EXPENDITURES.

To A. Garcelon, Mayor,	300 00
E. P. Tobie, City Clerk,	400 00
D. Farrar, City Treasurer,	150 00
John F. Putnam, Collector,	1,310 00
William J. Burnham, Auditor,	100 00
M. T. Ludden, City Solicitor,	250 00
R. R. Ricker, City Physician,	200 00
H. D. Hall, Clerk of Council,	40 00
C. S. Newell,	
O. G. Douglass, } Overseers of Poor,	375 00
J. A. Rodick, }	
Wm. Lydston, Street Commissioner,	1,000 00
R. C. Reynolds, City Marshal,	125 00
Ham Brooks, City Marshal,	875 00
T. R. Herbest, Assistant Marshal,	700 00
L. C. Peck, Chief Engineer,	150 00
Chas. P. Wellman, Assistant Engineer,	50 00
Cyrus Greely, " "	50 00
I. G. Curtis, " "	50 00
O. G. Douglass, " "	50 00
A. Wakefield, }	
A. M. Jones, } Board of Assessors,	450 00
J. B. Ham, }	
Enos T. Luce, Judge of Municipal Court,	1,434 68
David Farrar, collecting sewer tax,	32 27
	1,434 68
	8,092 25



Amount brought forward,	9,728 43
To Ellen M. Balkam, for teaching,	170 50
H. C. Weymouth, " "	337 50
L. V. Little, " "	117 00
Maria Bisbee, " "	110 50
Martha Rogers, " "	346 50
Ella M. Butts, " "	295 50
Fannie W. Huse, " "	91 50
Z. J. Williams, " "	121 50
Ella M. Trott, " "	214 00
Lizzie G. Melcher, " "	260 00
Eva L. Burnham, " "	178 50
R. Jennie Day, " "	119 00
Mary J. Pettengill, " "	295 50
M. E. Bixby, " "	107 50
B. M. Day, " "	94 50
Delia James, " "	295 50
Flora James, " "	295 50
Sarah H. Boothby, " "	295 50
A. B. Stevens, " "	101 00
Eva L. Burnham, " "	153 00
H. E. Emery, " "	305 50
R. J. Day, " "	206 00
Nellie F. Reed, " "	325 00
Nellie E. Ham, " "	318 25
Susie C. Frank, " "	318 00
Julia E. Bryant, " "	625 05
Hattie M. Bagley, " "	292 70
O. A. Blaisdell, " "	60 00
A. E. Skinner, " "	104 25
Sarah J. Barker, " "	267 00
O. A. Amies, " "	265 79
Eldora J. Clark, " "	86 25
C. L. Barrell, " "	226 54
Carrie E. Holland, " "	168 50
Mrs. L. W. Ballard, " "	8 50
Carrie A. Skinner, " "	206 00
Jennie M. Skelton, " "	188 00
Elva M. Reed, " "	214 00
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 17,613 76

Amount brought forward,	17,613 76
To A. W. Skelton, for teaching,	201 00
Mary Dunlap,       "   "	136 00
D. A. Jackson,     "   "	271 50
Eva Butts,         "   "	78 00
J. H. Libby,       "   "	224 00
Eva F. Quimby,    "   "	253 00
Carrie Durgin,    "   "	104 00
Carrie A. Skinner, "   "	104 00
Georgia A. Carville, " " "	237 50
M. E. Libby,       "   "	290 00
Eva J. Ham,        "   "	149 50
Nettie Cartland, "   "	245 00
A. M. Libby,       "   "	271 00
Emma E. Bixby,    "   "	314 50
Fannie H. Dicky,  "   "	301 00
Ida A. Dunn,       "   "	162 50
E. W. Bixby,       "   "	200 00
N. Skinner,        "   "	168 00
Sarah E. Gilman,  "   "	30 00
Hannah E. Haley, "   "	148 00
Flora A. Blethen, "   "	91 00
L. E. Bixby,       "   "	70 00
Seth Sumner, for teaching music,	839 50
G. W. Wright, for care of school house,	547 83
Aaron Hopkins, for care of school house,	422 98
Costello Wright, for care of school house,	5 00
S. Edgar Noyes, for care of school house,	43 00
Ann Hasty, for washing school house,	54 00
Bradford Conant & Co., for supplies,	15 40
S. G. French, for books and stationery,	47 96
Charles Scribner & Co., for charts and blocks,	58 33
Bean & Stetson, for supplies,	198 86
Amount carried forward,	<u>23,896 12</u>

Amount brought forward,	23,896 12
To James Weymouth, for wood,	81 88
H. C. Field, for wood,	45 25
Nichols & Hall, for ink, paper, &c.,	116 54
Hill Manufacturing Company, for supplies,	92 81
Wood & Golder, for wood,	2,754 94
Owen & Little, for supplies,	8 56
Thomas Tash, for supplies,	84 15
G. W. Garcelon, for supplies,	7 60
A. D. Crowley, for wood,	16 00
Elisha Stetson, for wood,	61 00
Daniel Wood, for supplies,	11 28
T. M. Varney, for books, &c.,	49 09
Leonard N. Haley, for care of school,	53 00
N. Dingley Jr. & Co., for printing,	452 54
Ed. B. Robinson, for tuning pianos,	13 00
Geo. Cripse, for sawing wood,	19 19
James & Conant, for supplies,	8 53
S. A. Cummings, for supplies,	2 05
Wm. Skelton, for wood,	4 50
Western Union Telegraph Co., for telegrams,	4 11
Joseph Jackson, for wood,	20 00
A. J. Hinkley, for wood,	37 30
Dana M. Record, for wood,	25 50
Jeremiah Crowley, for sawing wood,	4 37
John L. Shorey, for subscription to Nursery,	50 00
S. H. Turner, for wood,	20 00
J. L. Hammett, for supplies,	47 00
High School, for care and supplies,	80 79
Elisha Hanson, for wood,	6 00
J. P. Longley, for dusters and brush,	8 35
J. S. Garcelon, for wood,	14 80
Mrs. William Haley, for cleaning school house,	2 00
Joseph W. Ross, for ink wells,	10 85
Amount carried forward,	<u>28,109 10</u>

Amount brought forward,	28,109 10
To Mary Broderick, for cleaning school house,	2 50
Town of Durham, for schooling of Hanson Mountford and Africa Peterson,	7 37
M. T. Ludden, for cash paid cleaning house,	6 50
Thos. Hamilton, for sawing wood,	90 00
H. C. Teel, for sawing wood,	21 00
Mary Scannel, for cleaning school house,	3 87
Amos D. Tarr, for wood and fitting,	32 00
Danly Record, for wood,	10 00
American Tablet Manufacturing Co., for black boards, erasers, pencils and tablet cards,	55 50
Eastern Express Co., for express on bundles,	75
S. H. Marrow, for wood,	18 00
Lewiston Machine Co., for labor and supplies for schools,	39 65
Thompson & Putnam, for supplies,	5 78
Jerry Crowley, for sawing wood,	24 77
H. Day & Co., for hardware,	2 70
Leonard Dingley, for wood,	21 00
Lewiston Steam Mill Co., for wood,	6 00
Kate Murphy, for cleaning school house,	3 65
Douglass & Estes, for books,	18 90
J. S. Garcelon, for wood,	41 00
J. T. Carville, for wood,	20 50
J. W. Perkins, & Co., for rope mats,	33 60
L. W. Ballard, for use of instrument,	18 00
John Neal, for making School Register,	8 75
Packard & Conant, for wood,	20 46
Hackett & Weeman, for repairing barrow,	3 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>28,624 35</u>



Amount brought forward,	28,624 35	
To Blake & Co., for duster,	1 90	
E. R. Carville, for wood and grad- ing around school house,	25 50	
Douglass & Cook, for books,	8 35	
Bill, Nichols & Co., for books,	9 00	
Owen & Little, for hardware,	5 29	
Geo. & Drew & Co., for cleaning clocks,	1 50	
Geo. W. Gareelon, for supplies to High School,	3 42	
W. M. Longley, for wood,	3 75	
S. R. Bearce & Co., for wood,	19 25	
Ham & Dwelley, for wood,	1 75	
E. W. Bixby, for washing school house,	4 25	
Woolworth & Ainsworth, for slates,	53 05	
N. E. Davis, for cleaning vault,	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$28,776 36

## SEWERS.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance of Sewer Assessment of 1870	
committed D. Farrar, Treasurer,	35,389 66
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	10,000 00
Appropriated for Lisbon St. Sewers,	4,000 00
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	<u>\$49,389 66</u>

## EXPENDITURES.

To balance of last year,		20,364 95
To labor paid as per monthly Pay Roll :		
July,	1,511 07	
August,	2,325 36	
September,	1,147 85	
October,	636 82	
	<hr/>	5,621 10
S. R. Bearce for lumber,	148 93	
H. Day & Co., for hardware,	36 70	
G. H. Field, for cement pipe,	439 14	
Norton & Edwards, for cement and labor,	1,587 67	
Edward Clark, for brick,	1,507 39	
C. F. Leavitt, for wedges, repairing picks, &c.,	61 21	
Lewiston Machine Co., for grates and covers,	298 35	
Owen & Little, for supplies,	54 54	
Goss Bros., catch basins and stone,	322 00	
Wm. Barrett, for injuries received and time lost on Lisbon street sewer,	60 00	
Daniel Wood, for lanterns and globes,	3 50	
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Amounts carried forward,	4,519 43	<u>25,986 05</u>

Amounts brought forward,	4,519 43	25,986 05
To Jordan, Frost, & Co., for lumber and labor,	2 20	4,521 63
Amount of labor and material fur- nished by Street Commissioner, from Highways, &c.		242 75
		<u>30,750 43</u>
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,		18,639 23
		<u>\$49,389 66</u>

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## STATE TAX.

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Balance undrawn March 1, 1871,	4,404 35
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	44,090 73
	<u>\$48,495 08</u>

### EXPENDITURES.

To Wm. Caldwell, Treasurer, Bal. tax of 1871,	4,404 35
To Wm. Caldwell, Treasurer, ac- count tax of 1871,	30,000 00
	<u>34,404 35</u>
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872.	14 090 73
	<u>\$48 495 08</u>

## STREET LAMPS.

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Balance undrawn March 1, 1871,	497 04
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	1,500 00
	\$1,997 04
	\$1,997 04

### EXPENDITURES.

To gas consumed as per following list :

March	67 01	
May	188 20	
June	53 98	
July	57 79	
August	66 16	
September	87 31	
October	67 54	
November	70 45	
December	73 85	
January	72 72	
February	56 88	
Lewiston Gas Light Co., for re- pairs,	9 46	
	871 35	
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,		1,125 69
		\$1,997 04

## SURVEYING STREETS.

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Balance undrawn March 1, 1871,	419 13
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	200 00
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	<u>\$619 13</u>

## EXPENDITURES.

To John Reade, for sundry surveys,	407 00
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,	212 13
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	<u>\$619 13</u>

## SUPPORT OF POOR.

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Balance undrawn March 1, 1871,	1,588 61
Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	6,000 00
Transferred from Contingent Fund,	2,000 00

### RECEIPTS.

Received of town of Readfield,	14 35	
“ “ Wm. A. Smith,	3 25	
“ “ Town of Pembroke,	2 50	
“ “ Town of Wellington,	187 21	
“ “ C. Q. McGaffey,	54 49	
“ “ City of Bath,	199 57	
“ “ Town of Brunswick,	26 80	
“ “ “ “ Sidney,	10 00	
“ “ John Laughton,	13 33	
“ “ Town of Tremont,	118 25	
“ “ “ “ Fairfield,	86 20	
“ for heifer sold,	30 00	
“ for hay sold,	10 00	
“ of E. Donahue,	6 00	
“ “ Catherine Shaw,	20 00	
“ “ City of Portland,	86 14	
“ “ James Cullingham,	5 00	
“ for butter sold,	19 19	
“ for error bill number 506,	1 55	
“ of Town of Waterville,	41 27	
“ “ “ “ Readfield,	3 84	
“ “ “ “ Newcastle,	8 50	
“ “ “ “ Abbott,	44 00	
“ “ City of Bangor,	177 81	
“ “ Town of Bowdoin,	13 00	
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		1,182 52
		<hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>
		<u>\$10,771 13</u>

## EXPENDITURES.

To Daniel Wood, for crockery to farm,	3 55
T. M. Varney, for paper hangings,	2 08
J. G. Richardson, for supplies,	68 83
Town of Brunswick, for aid to Samuel Courson,	24 00
S. B. Walker, for supplies,	55 00
City of Bath, aid to poor,	78 10
Thompson & Putnam, for supplies to farm,	165 77
Abel Thompson, for supplies,	2 74
J. B. Tracy, for supplies,	208 79
F. B. Sprague & Co.,	157 95
Frye & Garcelon, for wood,	173 25
Bradley & Morton, for flour, meal, &c.,	959 25
Hosea Garcelon, for board of Thankful Rand,	53 00
Silance Dunn, for board of E. Dunn,	12 00
Town of Fayette, for care of Samuel and Rachel Penly,	66 79
Michael O'Connell, for board of Kate Casey,	13 33
G. W. Morrison, for supplies,	24 23
E. Keene, Jr., for supplies,	12 00
Mrs. E. A. Clark, for one hood,	1 00
John Furbush, for board of Bridget O'Brien,	2 50
C. F. Nevens, for hearse,	26 00
Town of Lisbon, for supplies to Robert Taylor,	6 00
J. C. White & Co., for supplies,	102 69
Wm. Collins, for digging graves and sexton,	18 50
G. W. Ham, for board of sundry persons,	142 47
Amount carried forward,	<u>2,379 82</u>

Amount brought forward,	2,379 82
To S. G. French, for school books,	2 45
E. M. Steadman, for supplies,	137 64
Maine Central R. R. Co., for fare of E. Blackburn,	4 50
R. Carr & Co., for hearse,	41 00
Donnell & Osgood, for supplies,	4 25
Town of Farmington, for care of Angiella Graffam,	34 50
G. W. Garcelon, for medicines,	133 75
Knowlton, Russell & Co., for sup- plies,	102 00
Mary Tullis, for board of Wm. Bon- ney,	48 00
Thomas Piper, for labor on farm,	12 50
John H. Clayton, for board of sun- dry persons,	111 83
A. L. & E. F. Goss, for supplies,	5 61
Bean & Stetson, for supplies,	52 32
Goddard & Paul, for supplies,	19 67
Annie Howard, for supplies,	10 00
C. Q. McGaffey, for labor on farm,	60 00
C. C. Cobb, for supplies,	117 60
J. A. Rodick & Co., for supplies,	420 45
Mary Cowitt, for labor with sick,	6 00
Mrs. Lombard, for board of Nellie Johnson,	2 00
Town of East Poland, for supplies,	15 45
M. Eagan, for supplies,	54 41
Daniel Sullivan, for board of Ann Edwards,	6 75
Maine Insane Hospital, for board of Julia Horrigan and Augusta Litchfield,	283 67
Day, Nealey & Co., for supplies,	590 83
John Bolton, for wood,	128 00
Blake & Co., for coffins,	36 50
Benj. Witham, for care of N. Rob- inson,	8 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>4,829 50</u>



Amount brought forward,	4,829 50
To Mrs. E. Hayward, for board of Emma Bodwell,	14 35
J. K. Blanchard, for supplies,	16 00
John Garner & Co., for supplies,	317 80
Wm. K. Hilton, for supplies,	69 22
P. C. Tarbox, for salt and lime,	7 52
Mrs. Luther Edwards, for board of Ella Andrews,	17 50
S. H. Davis, for milk,	5 61
Wm. Pulverman, for clothing,	116 23
Richardson & Andrews, for sup- plies and wood,	812 32
Charles. Y. Clark, for horse hire and shoats,	31 75
Mrs. J. T. Lemont, for bonnet and hats,	5 62
Hilton & Patterson, for supplies,	5 07
B. Litchfield & Co., for supplies,	362 52
Thompson & Skelton, for supplies,	24 91
H. A. Teague, for laying out body,	3 00
Town of Wales, for care of Henry A. Smith,	25 63
Wakefield Bros., for medicines,	298 23
Ellen Hawes, for board of Daily and McMarrow,	98 04
L. Simmons, for board of Ruth Springer,	10 00
A. L. Ray, for board of Greenlief Ray,	40 00
Bradford, Conant & Co., for coffins,	70 50
Charles Howard, for board of sun- dry persons,	70 88
Mary Dunn, for board of Mary Clancy,	22 50
John G. Cook, for medicines,	1 75
A. F. Sanborn, for digging grave and burying body of Jones,	5 00
C. Q. McGaffey, labor and supplies,	61 66
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 7,343 11

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Amount brought forward,	7,343 11
To S. Hunt, for supplies,	1 50
Robert White, for board of Maggie White,	12 00
C. F. Leavitt, for new steeling picks,	1 82
Natt E. Davis, for wood,	46 07
Wood & Golder, for wood and posts,	81 40
I. N. Mitchell, for labor and supplies,	433 48
Josiah Heart, for potatoes and corn,	22 00
Geo. Bubier, for labor on farm,	130 00
E. Keene, Jr., for supplies,	55 50
Tobias Meader, for labor and supplies,	11 25
Pendexter & Hayes, for supplies,	48 15
Town of Litchfield, for supplies to W. W. Smith,	18 63
W. E. Pressey, for shoes,	1 25
C. S. Newell, for supplies and cash paid out,	616 44
Samuel Stewart, for watching with sick,	9 50
Mrs. Minihan, for board of Mary Regan,	15 00
R. D. Irish, for rent of room,	2 80
Town of Orneville, for care of Wm. Carr and family,	101 18
H. Day & Co., for hardware for farm,	82 74
S. R. Bearce & Co., for boards to farm,	18 50
M. Stevenson & Co., for pair of bridles,	10 00
Jacob S. Parker, for vines for farm,	5 00
C. H. Dearing, for shoeing and repairs,	57 32
Amount carried forward,	<u>9,124 64</u>

Amount brought forward,	9,124 64
To Morris Goff, for conveying bodies to graves,	4 00
C. Herrigan, for board of Mrs. John Kenney,	9 00
T. R. Herbest, for taking Matthew Roberts to Soldier's Home,	7 00
L. Q. Arnold, for carrying poor to Augusta,	8 50
J. T. & N. L. Linnell, for horse hire,	2 00
S. T. Thompson, for board of Miss Rines,	5 80
Con Herrigan, for rent of house to Mrs. Kenney,	5 00
A. M. Wilson, for supplies to farm,	5 20
J. P. Longley, for repairs and sup- plies,	1 75
M. & J. Lowry, for hats,	4 50
Hiram Bowe, for supplies,	6 50
Elias Gove, for sawing wood,	4 50
O. D. Garcelon, for supplies,	3 53
Robinson & Beede, for medicines,	1 80
Tim O'Callaghan, for supplies,	74 75
Willis, Parsons, & Co., for rolls,	18 75
Mrs. R. H. Bailey, for hats,	3 50
Eben Stinchfield, for board of Merty Bennett,	10 00
Cerena Purington, for labor on farm,	42 50
Clarissa Skinner, for board of Eliza- beth Jackson,	6 00
W. H. Robinson, for pair of large wheels,	20 00
Mrs. G. W. Ham, for board and care of Mrs. Chansey,	20 00
Mrs. Ray, for board of Greenlief Ray,	5 00
Wm. Haley, for pigs for farm,	32 01
Amount carried forward,	<u>9,426 23</u>

Amount brought forward,	9,426 23
To R. R. Ricker, for carrying Penley to farm,	2 00
Ham Brooks, for carrying poor to and from farm and Augusta,	18 50
S. A. Cummings, for supplies,	28 01
Pulsifer & Wiggin, for supplies,	54 25
Kimball & Braley, for repairs and harness,	54 70
Alice Nichols, for labor at farm,	30 00
A. Cummings, for board of Mrs. A. Bubier,	12 00
John B. Garcelon, for labor of self and horse,	37 50
Mrs. Peter Retty, for comforters,	2 00
Douglass & Estes, for books for poor scholars,	1 61
Garcelon & Hill, for surgical atten- dance on Mrs. Robinson,	36 00
N. P. Hunter, for board of Annie Witham,	9 95
Sadai Farrington, for nursing Annie Witham,	12 00
A. J. Hinkley, for beef for farm,	7 77
David Stevens, for board of Mrs. Bodwell,	3 84
A. Doten, for shoeing and repair- ing,	11 90
Samuel Boothby, for supplies to Mrs. Jones,	1 00
John Y. Scruton, for clothing,	3 00
J. W. Perkins & Co., for dry goods,	4 27
Mrs. D. W. Gardiner, for hats,	4 00
Blake & Co., for coffins,	27 00
Town of Webster, for supplies to Henry Smith,	4 00
E. E. Benson & Co., for supplies,	36 96
C. H. Whitney, for dressing to farm,	12 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>9,840 49</u>

Amount brought forward,	9,840 49	
To B. Litchfield, for supplies,	43 63	
David Simpson, for repairing boots and shoes,	6 35	
O. A. Horr, for medical attendance on R. Russell,	75 00	
A. Peirce, for care of M. Pease and daughter,	7 00	
L. C. Dunham, for supplies,	6 00	
S. E. Smith, for labor on farm,	26 62	
Angelina Lombard, for dresses and making,	10 70	
	<hr/>	10,015 79
Balance undrawn February 29, 1872,		755 34
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		<u>\$10,771 13</u>

## SINKING FUND.

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Appropriated and assessed in 1871,	10,000 00
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### RECEIPTS.

Amount of State Bonds placed in the hands of the Treasurer,	30,900 00
Received note of P. McGillicuddy,	545 00
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	<u>\$41,445 00</u>

### EXPENDITURES.

To amount placed in hands of Com- mittee Reduction of City Debt,	40,900 00
Balance undrawn February 29, 1871,	545 00
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	<u>\$41,445 00</u>

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## TAXES.

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Received of John F. Putnam, Col- lector, balance of taxes commit- ted in 1870,	15,487 98
Received of John F. Putnam, Collec- tor, taxes committed in 1871,	195,456 21
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	<u>\$210,944 19</u>

## RECAPITULATION.

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	Payments.	Receipts.
Abatements,	4,211 69	
Books and Stationery,	93 16	
City Park,	473 89	43 75
City Buildings,	116,716 76	
City Liquor Agency,	3,548 44	3,929 46
Contingent Fund,	4,797 68	1,592 46
County Tax,	15,029 60	
Discount on Taxes,	6,762 29	
Fire Department,	4,242 41	151 20
Grading and Fencing Bates Street School House,	478 30	
Highways, &c.,	16,202 85	192 81
Interest,	15,256 05	1,030 89
Loans,	44,880 46	185,121 18
Municipal Court,	384 27	1,862 67
New Bridge over River,	25,255 86	20 00
New School House, Lisbon Road,	1,488 15	
Public Property,	1,992 43	331 74
Plans for City Buildings,	2,000 00	
New Roads and Land Damages,	8,117 63	
Police,	7,150 30	478 27
Printing,	845 14	
Rents,	1,481 00	
Reservoirs,	1,482 28	
School House Repairs,	1,818 68	
Salaries,	8,092 25	
Schools,	28,776 36	622 87
Sewers,	10,385 48	35,389 66
State Tax,	34,404 35	
Street Lamps,	871 35	
Surveying Streets,	407 00	
Support of Poor,	10,015 79	1,182 52
Sinking Fund,	40,900 00	31,445 00
Taxes,		210,944 19
Amounts carried forward,	\$418,561 90	\$474,338 67

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Amounts brought forward,	418,561 90	474,338 67
Amount in Treasury, February 28, 1871 :		
Uncollected Taxes—		
1868,	31 00	
1869,	588 09	
Sewer Tax, 1867,		
Lisbon and Lincoln Streets,	951 94	
Cash,	1,025 75	
	<u>          </u>	2,596 78

Amount in Treasury Feb. 29, 1872 :

Uncollected Taxes of 1870 and '71,	24,561 90	
Uncollected Sewer Taxes of 1867 and 1870,	31,997 94	
Note of Ivory W. Emerson,	500 00	
Amt. of State School Fund,	314 78	
Cash,	453 93	
Note of P. McGillicuddy,	545 00	
	<u>          </u>	58,373 55
		<u>          </u> \$55,776 77
		<u>          </u> \$474,338 67
		<u>          </u> \$474,338 67



## LIABILITIES AND RESOURCES OF THE CITY.

### LIABILITIES.

Loans (Bonds) due in the Financial Year 1872,	50,000 00	
Loans (Notes) due in the Financial Year 1872,	23,915 72	
Loans (Notes) due in the Financial Year 1874,	1,300 00	
Loans (Notes) due in the Financial Year 1875,	1,410 00	
Loans (Bonds) due in the Financial Year 1885,	110,000 00	
Loans (Bonds) due in the Financial Year 1901,	128,000 00	
Balance of State Tax,	14,090 73	
Outstanding Bills, estimated	1,000 00	
	\$329,716 45	

### RESOURCES.

Uncollected Taxes of 1870 and 1871,	24,561 90	
Uncollected Sewer Taxes of 1867 and 1870,	31,997 94	
Amount of Funds in hands of Com- mittee on reduction of City Debt,	45,265 72	
P. McGillicuddy note,	545 00	
Ivory W. Emerson note,	500 00	
Amount of State School Fund,	314 78	
Cash in Treasury,	453 93	
	103,639 27	
Amount of City Debt Feb. 29, 1872,		\$226,077 18
Amount of City Debt Feb. 28, 1871,	93,247 42	
Increase during the past year,	132,829 72	

## STATEMENT

OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES ON THE SEVERAL  
ACCOUNTS DURING THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 29th,  
1872.

	Appropriations.	Expenditures.
Abatements,	2,696 99	4,211 69
Books and Stationery,	196 08	93 16
City Park,	1,001 03	473 89
City Building,	150,000 00	116,716 76
City Liquor Agency,	3,929 46	3,548 44
Contingent Fund,	8,092 46	4,797 68
County Tax,	15,029 63	15,029 60
Discount on Taxes,	8,000 00	6,762 29
Fire Department,	5,151 20	4,242 41
Grading and Fencing Bates Street		
School House Lot,	2,658 37	478 30
Highways, &c.,	15,192 81	16,202 85
Interest,	17,842 12	15,256 05
Loans,	359,906 38	44,880 46
Municipal Court,	1,963 86	384 27
New Bridge over the River,	25,720 00	25,555 86
New School House, Lincoln St.,	13,000 00	
"    "    "    Lisbon Road,	2,000 00	1,488 15
"    "    "    Main Street,	3,000 00	
School House, Thorne District,	36 59	
New Engine House,	9,000 00	
New Roads and Land Damages,	8,618 66	8,117 63
Police,	6,590 85	7,150 30
Plans for City Buildings,	2,500 00	2,000 00
Printing,	1,015 17	845 14
Public Property,	2,909 54	1,992 43
Rents,	2,000 00	1,481 00
Reservoirs,	1,000 00	1,482 28
School House Repairs,	2,716 43	1,818 68
Salaries,	8,000 00	8,092 25
Schools,	27,622 87	28,776 36
Sewers,	49,389 66	30,750 43
State Tax,	48,495 08	34,404 35
Street Lamps,	1,997 04	871 35
Surveying Streets,	619 13	407 00
Support of Poor,	10,771 13	10,015 79
Sinking Fund,	41,445 00	40,900 00
Taxes,		210,944 19
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	\$860,107 24	\$649,871 04

## SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY

### BELONGING TO THE CITY.

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One Barn, Bates Street,	\$700 00
Farm, and buildings on same,	5,000 00
Stock on farm,	851 00
Farming tools,	300 00
Hay, grain, and provisions on farm,	550 00
Household furniture, &c.,	300 00
Hospital buildings,	4,300 00
Tool house,	200 00
Four engine houses,	6,250 00
One hook and ladder house,	1,500 00
Two fire engines,	3,000 00
Two steam fire engines,	8,600 00
Hook and ladder Carriage,	200 00
Hose carriage,	500 00
Hose,	5,000 00
Gravel pits,	1,000 00
Ham farm, 37 acres,	3,500 00
Cemetery ground,	700 00
Furniture, city rooms,	800 00
Standard weights and measures,	150 00
City park,	7,000 00
Tools on highways,	275 00
Clock on Baptist church,	300 00
Grammar school house and lot,	64,139 00
High school house and lot,	13,000 00
Intermediate school house and lot, on Main street,	2,500 00
New school house and lot, Bates street,	32,644 93
School house and lot, Oak street,	4,000 00
School house and lot, Oak street,	2,500 00
Two school houses and lots, Lincoln St.,	9,000 00
School house and lot, Lincoln street,	1,250 00
Amount carried forward,	\$180 009 93

Amount brought forward,	180,009 93
Primary school house and lot, College St.,	2,500 00
Primary school house and lot, Knox street,	2,500 00
Primary school house and lot, Lincoln St.,	3,250 00
Primary school house and lot, Lincoln St.,	1,000 00
Primary school house and lot, Mill St.,	300 00
Primary school house and, lot, Bridge St.,	300 00
School house and lot, Bridge street,	800 00
School house and lot, Barker's Mills,	300 00
School house and lot, Rose Hill,	2,500 00
School house and lot, River Road,	600 00
School house and lot, Ferry district,	1,000 00
School house and lot, Clough district,	1,200 00
School house and lot, Scribner district,	1,200 00
School house and lot, No-Name-Pond,	1,000 00
School house and lot, Thorn district,	300 00
School house and lot, Pine Woods district,	700 00
School house and lot, Jackson district,	1,000 00
School house and lot, College road,	300 00
School house and lot, Sabattis district,	300 00
School house and lot, Sabattisville,	1,300 00
School house and lot, Main St.,	4 200 00
School house, Lisbon Road,	1,488 15
City Buildings,	116,716 76
Bridge over Androscoggin River,	25,255 86
Two pair of horses,	1,000 00
Two yoke of oxen,	600 00
Carts, harnesses, etc.,	600 00
Twenty lamp posts and fixtures,	576 00
Five street lanterns and fixtures, bridge,	75 00
Two snow plows	175 00
Two stone rollers,	125 00
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	\$353,171 70

(E. &amp; O. E.)

WM. J. BURNHAM,  
*Auditor of Accounts.*

DR. CITY OF LEWISTON, in account

1872—

March 1.—To cash paid upon orders of the Mayor, and charged to the following accounts, viz. :

Abatements,	\$4,211 69
Books and Stationery,	93 16
Bates Street School House,	478 30
Bridge,	25,255 86
City Park,	473 89
City Buildings,	118,716 76
City Property,	1,992 43
Contingent Fund,	4,621 31
Discount on Taxes,	6,762 29
Fire Department,	5,724 69
High School House Furniture,	176 37
Highways, Bridges and Sidewalks,	16,202 85
"    New Streets,	8,117 63
Interest,	15,256 05
Lighting Streets,	871 35
Liquor Agency,	3,408 44
Loans, Temporary,	38,505 46
Loans, Permanent,	6,375 00
Municipal Court,	242 60
New School Houses,	1,488 15
Police,	7,048 05
Printing,	845 14
Rents,	1,864 92
Repairing School Houses,	1,818 68
Salaries,	8,092 25
Schools,	28,776 36
Sewers,	10,385 48
Support of Poor,	10,015 79
Sinking Fund,	10,000 00
Survey of Streets,	407 00
Taxes, County,	15,029 60
Taxes, State,	34,404 35
Cash in Treasury,	453 93

\$388,115 83

## with DAVID FARRAR, TREASURER. CR.

1872—

March 1.—By cash received upon the following accounts, viz :	
Balance in Treasury,	1,025 75
Bonds sold thirty years,	128,000 00
Bridge,	20 00
Contingent Fund,	230 81
City Park,	43 75
City Property,	331 74
Fire Department,	151 20
Highways, &c.,	192 81
Interest on Bonds sold,	501 50
Interest, D. Farrar, Collector,	49 63
Interest, J. F. Putnam, Collector,	479 76
Licenses,	861 65
Liquor Agency,	3,929 46
Loans, Temporary,	55,871,18
Loans, Permanent,	1,250 00
Municipal Court,	1,862 67
Police,	478 27
Schools,	308 09
Sewers,	4,343 66
Support of Poor,	1,182 52
Taxes, D. Farrar, Collector,	619 09
Taxes, J. F. Putnam, Collector,	175,489 93
Abatements of J. F. Putnam, Collector,	4,130 07
Discount on Taxes, J. F. Putnam, Collector,	6,762 29
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	\$388,115 83

# REPORT

## OF THE

# OVERSEERS OF POOR.

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*To the City Council:*

GENTLEMEN—The Overseers of the Poor submit the following Report for the year ending March 1, 1872.

Amount paid for the poor on the City Farm,	2,950 39	
Amount paid for the poor off the City Farm,	5,702 87	
	<u>          </u>	\$8,653 26
Cash received and cash now due from other cities and towns,	1,143 93	
Cash received from sales from the Farm,	763 90	
	<u>          </u>	1,907 83
Net expense of Poor,		<u>\$6,745 43</u>

The following statement will give a more detailed account of the expense of Poor on City Farm:

Day & Nealey, for groceries,	\$146 89
B. Litchfield, “	308 65
Pendexter & Hayes, “	39 15
E. M. Steadman, “	4 10
S. A. Cummings, “	43 26
Bradley & Morton, for corn and meal,	441 46
P. C. Tarbox, for supplies,	7 52
S. Hunt, for supplies,	1 50
J. A. Rodick, for dry goods,	198 09
Thomas Piper, for labor,	6 25
J. Q. McGaffey, for labor,	61 66
Amount carried forward,	<u>1,258 53</u>

Amounts brought forward,	1,258 53
Stevenson & Co., for one pair of bridles,	10 00
Jacob Parker, for grape vines,	5 00
C. H. Leavitt, for blacksmithing,	1 82
W. K. Hilton,	72
Wood & Golder, for cedar posts,	81 40
Jacob Heart, for potatoes and corn,	22 00
Tobias Meader, for labor,	14 45
I. N. Mitchell, for supplies,	74 30
I. N. Mitchell, for labor,	312 50
Goddard & Paul, for dry goods,	6 55
George Bubier, for labor,	130 00
C. H. Deering, for blacksmithing,	57 32
H. Day & Co., for hardware,	82 74
S. R. Bearce, for boards,	10 50
Bean & Stetson, for supplies,	45 07
A. Doten, for blacksmithing,	11 90
A. Hinkley, for beef,	7 77
C. Y. Clark, for four shoats,	22 00
Wm. Pulverman, for clothing,	104 48
Supplies from sundry persons,	38 50
Thompson & Putnam, for supplies,	53 77
Thompson & Putnam, for one mow- ing machine,	110 00
Wilson, for plants,	5 20
J. P. Longley, for repairing har- nesses,	1 75
Hichborn, for fixing clock,	1 00
C. S. Newell, for two cows and one calf,	82 50
C. S. Newell, for boots and shoes,	83 75
C. S. Newell, for supplies,	30 52
Willis & Parsons, for rolls,	18 75
Miss Lowry, for two hats,	4 50
Mrs. Purington, for labor,	57 50
Alice Nichols, for labor,	30 00
John Garcelon, for labor,	37 50
Wm. Robinson, one pair of wheels,	20 00
Samuel Jackson, for labor,	20 50
<b>Amount carried forward,</b>	<b>2,854 79</b>



Amount brought forward,	2,854 79
W. R. Wright, for medicines,	2 00
Mrs. W. Hailey, for two hogs,	32 01
Pulsifer & Wiggin,	6 89
Kimball & Braley, for one set of double harnesses,	54 70
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	\$2,950 39

AID TO PERSONS HAVING THEIR LEGAL  
SETTLEMENT IN LEWISTON.

Hannah Locke,	50 00
Mary Murphy,	22 21
Dan Shehan,	70 30
Michael Murry,	223 66
John Doyle,	3 50
Mary Kane,	46 41
Mrs. Thomas Morgan,	60 95
Mary Kenniger,	71 39
Mary Yarward,	7 50
Joseph Webber,	92 32
John Smith,	15 49
Michael Fitzgerald,	77 02
Lizzie Brannigin,	57 91
Loren Smith,	6 00
Elijah P. Harmon,	72 53
Elizabeth Hagan,	42 40
Mary Hanly,	40 24
Mrs. Daniel Constantine,	122 50
Cornelius Callahan,	74 52
Kate Casey,	20 36
William Bonney,	50 20
Ellen Murphy,	8 13
Amesbury Bubier,	14 25
Joanna Slattery,	36 53
Ann Kane,	2 50
William Lewis,	23 00
Isaiah Jordan,	14 75
Michael Cook,	2 50
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Amount carried forward,	1,329 07

Amount brought forward,	1,329 79
Eliza Lewis,	9 38
John Morgan,	19 00
Mary Dailey,	78 04
Patrick Flyn,	74 52
Mary Clancy,	78 75
Mary B. Bennett,	12 00
Maurace Minnihan,	58 25
Mrs. Daniel Haggity,	39 40
Bridget Flyn,	33 53
Samuel Penly,	81 15
James Conley,	8 50
Catherine Sullivan,	15 00
Margaret Doud,	9 50
John Driscoll,	13 00
Daniel Hagerty,	48 54
Matthew Roberts,	18 50
William Hailey,	154 82
J. M. Pierre,	111 04
N. Edwards,	26 72
Maggie White,	12 00
Morris Sullivan,	13 75
Mrs. John Kenney,	193 06
Nat Robinson,	35 92
Pat Haley,	3 75
Harmon Dill,	2 00
Thos. Howard,	3 30
George A. Jones,	13 00
Mary Jipson,	6 00
Wm. Barrett,	13 05
John Moran,	18 87
Julia Harrigan, Hospital,	131 66
Sarah A. Taylor, "	12 99
A. M. Litchfield, "	198 00
William Carr, Orneville,	101 18
Cornelius Sullivan, Bath,	50 80
William A. Smith, Litchfield,	18 33
Henry A. Smith, Webster,	29 63
Samuel Courson, in Brunswick,	20 00
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 3,096 00

Amount brought forward,	3,096 00
Greenleaf Ray, in Livermore,	45 00
City Physician, Medicine,	233 18
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	\$3,374 18

AID TO PERSONS HAVING THEIR LEGAL SETTLEMENT IN  
OTHER CITIES AND TOWNS WITHIN THE STATE.

Catherine Shaw, of Bangor,	83 10
Mary Downey " "	54 41
Austin Marshall, " "	45 50
George Cripps, of Brunswick,	14 75
Dennis Coughlin, of Portland,	98 56
Dennis Coffee " "	101 38
Michael Hayse " "	16 75
Cephas Thompson, of Jay,	9 75
Thankful Rand, of Abbott,	44 00
Mary Conley, of Pembroke,	3 75
William Grady, of Bath,	36 25
Archibald Campbell, of Bath,	17 13
Edward Fitzgibbon, of Fremont,	4 50
William P. Read, of Pownal,	26 65
Emma A. Bodwell, of Readfield	3 84
Susan J. Sutherland, of Lisbon,	62 85
Mary A. Jones, of Newcastle,	8 50
John McNemorrow, of Biddeford,	21 50
Annie Witham, of Waterville,	41 27
Mrs. Springer, of Sidney,	10 00
Henry Jones, of Augusta,	20 00
Benjamin Russel, of St. Albans,	19 00
Raphael Russel, " "	100 27
Fred Shepard, of Bowdoin,	13 00
Nellie Johnson, of Dearing,	10 72
Ella Anderson, of Casco,	17 50
— McDonald, —	10 00
City Hospital supplies,	13 31
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	\$908 24

AID TO PERSONS HAVING NO LEGAL SETTLEMENT WITHIN  
THE STATE.

Michael Harnett,	35 56
Ann Faircloth,	83 77
Marcellus LaDuke,	56 22
William Dolloff,	5 07
John Wing,	3 50
Mary Bree,	69 04
Hannah McKay,	12 68
William Charity,	4 57
Mitchell Lawrence,	32 50
Mary A. Brophy,	3 50
Kate A. Stott,	6 00
Bridget Hasty,	18 50
Maguire Dubay,	31 50
Ann Edwards,	2 50
James Duncan,	41 50
Daniel Sullivan,	43 69
Kate Daily,	15 97
Christa Sparrow,	12 18
Mary Anderson,	25 66
Lavina Cole,	53 83
Miss Haines,	5 80
John Laughton,	12 00
Barny Carnes,	20 50
James Jackson,	42 25
Mary Ragan,	37 68
Annie Ramsey,	40 25
E. Johnson,	1 52
Edward Fortune,	18 43
Mrs. Shorey,	6 68
Mary Moore,	83 29
Joseph Ceine,	14 41
Joseph Francis,	2 00
Mary Neddo,	20 00
Israel Roberts,	20 50
Timothy Murphy,	38 00
Fabine DeLouis,	10 00
James Buck,	3 20
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 934 25

Amount brought forward,		934 25
Jack Faunaun,		44 41
Mrs. Higgins,		3 75
Mrs. Gahagan,		22 75
Mrs. Shepard,		20 00
Bridget Foley,		21 25
Kate Stott,		17 26
John McCarty,		21 35
Charles McAuley,		29 98
Emily Lapine,		21 25
Mr. Powers,		23 80
Hannah Maloney,		41 15
Alma Laffmille,		10 00
David Wright,		7 25
Richard Wright,		6 50
Mrs. Wright,		90
William Ryan,		9 00
Elizabeth Jackson,		10 40
James Duquaey,		16 00
Mrs. Pepin,		10 25
George King,		25 38
Elizabeth Johnson,		5 00
Peter Ganne,		4 00
Peter Bashaw,		10 00
A. L. Cook,		7 00
Addie McMannus,		14 30
Lavina Small,		3 75
Thomas Martin,		12 70
Renal Onlitt,		10 00
James Brown,		8 00
Hannah O. Seavey,		3 50
Ann Fitzpatrick,		8 50
Fred LaDuke,		8 32
Unknown Persons,		28 50
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		\$1,420 45
Total paid out,	\$8,653 26	
Less Cash Received,	1,907 83	
Net Expense of poor off Farm,	4,558 94	
Net Expense of poor on Farm,	2,186 49	
Total,	6,745 43	

SCHEDULE OF STOCK AND TOOLS ON CITY FARM,  
MARCH 1st, 1872.

2	Horses,	400 00
4	Cows,	220 00
1	Three year old heifer,	40 00
1	Yearling heifer,	15 00
6	Hogs,	50 00
50	Hens,	25 00
1	Mowing machine,	110 00
1	Horse rake,	20 00
2	Drag rakes,	1 50
4	Hand rakes,	1 00
5	Pitchforks,	2 50
2	Scythes and snaths,	3 00
3	Corn cutters,	1 25
4	Hoes,	2 00
1	Fork hoe,	50
1	Garden rake.	52
3	Barn shovels	1 50
3	Manure Forks,	2 00
1	Pick,	1 00
1	Iron bar,	2 00
4	Plows,	30 00
1	Horse hoe,	10 00
1	Ox cultivator,	12 00
1	Horse cultivator,	5 00
1	Harrow, and one extra set of teeth,	8 50
1	Garden trowel,	70
1	Ox cart and two yokes,	15 00
1	Grind stone,	2 00
1	Hay rack and wheels,	25 00
1	Dump cart,	10 00
1	Wheelbarrow,	3 50
1	Dump sled,	15 00
1	Wood sled,	10 00
1	Logging sled,	10 00
8	Chains,	14 00
1	Drag,	1 50
2	Yokes and four whiffletrees, horses,	8 00

Amount carried forward,

1,078 95

Amount brought forward,		1,078 95
2 Bushel baskets,		1 75
2 One half bushel baskets,		80
Set measures,		1 00
1 Oil stone,		40
1 Adze,		3 00
2 Nail hammers,		2 00
1 Hatchet and one augur,		95
1 Hand saw,		1 25
3 Axes,		2 00
1 Draw shave,		75
1 Tape line,		1 00
1 Post augur,		4 00
2 Monkey wrenches,		2 50
1 Wood saw,		1 25
1 Cross cut saw,		4 00
1 Chisel,		50
1 Set of iron wedges and beetle,		2 00
1 Bit brace,		1 17
10 Bits,		2 98
5 Gimblet bits,		60
4 Chisels,		1 00
4 " handles,		27
1 Steel square,		1 75
1 Smoothing plane,		1 25
1 Jack plane,		1 65
1 Short pointer		2 00
1 Saw,		80
1 Hay Cutter, and Shovel,		9 00
1 Clevis and pin,		1 00
1 Whitewash brush,		95
12 Meat hooks,		1 00
12 Tons of hay,	\$35	420 00
1 Ton of hay,		30 00
$\frac{1}{2}$ Tons of straw,		10 00
3 Tons of corn fodder,		60 00
56 Bushels of shelled corn,		56 00
14 Bushels of beans,		45 50
2 " early peas,		8 00
Amount carried forward,		<u>1,763 03</u>

Amounts brought forward,	1,763 03
1 1-2 bushels black eyed peas,	3 74
4 1-2 Bushels rye,	6 75
11 Bushels of oats,	6 50
1 Express Wagon,	50 00
1 Pung,	20 00
1 Buffalo robe and one lap robe,	16 00
2 Horse blankets,	5 00
2 Circingles and two halters,,	3 00
1 Single harness,	18 00
1 Set double harness,	54 00

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Stock, Hay, Tools &c., on Farm, March 1st, 1871,	1415 30
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More March 1st, 1872,	\$530 72
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SCHEDULE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE IN ALMS HOUSE,  
MARCH 1, 1872.

36 Chairs,	12 00
4 Rocking chairs,	6 00
2 Small " "	1 50
3 Tables,	2 00
16 Bedsteads,	20 00
6 Smoothing irons,	3 00
30 Milk pans, 23 of their new,	15 00
20 Bowls,	2 00
23 Tin dippers,	3 00
38 Spoons,	2 00
2 Lamps,	2 00
1 Lantern,	1 25
12 Candle stands,	1 00
2 Two sets of candle moulds,	1 00
79 Plates,	9 50
2 Coffee pots,	2 00
2 Tea pots,	1 00
16 Chambers,	5 00
1 Clock,	10 00
9 Heating stoves,	36 00
1 Cook stove,	10 00

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Amount carried forward, 145 25



Amount brought forward,	145 25
8 Baker sheets,	3 00
36 Knives and forks,	5 00
3 Large tin pails,	1 20
3 Small tin pails,	40
15 Wooden pails,	4 00
1 Wooden bowl,	75
12 Cups and saucers,	1 00
1 Bread tub,	1 00
4 Wash “	1 60
4 Wash boards,	1 60
1 Lounge,	2 00
4 Pitchers,	1 50
2 Sugar bowls,	20
3 Mop handles,	1 00
2 Milk cans,	2 00
2 Bread knives,	60
1 Butter stamp,	50
4 Castors,	80
1 Set of fly screens,	90
1 Butter dish,	50
2 Clothes reels,	10 00
1 Small dinner bell,	75
3 Wash dishes,	2 00
2 Platters,	2 00
1 Tunnel,	25
2 Skimmers,	50
1 Cullender,	50
2 Bed pans,	3 00
1 Churn,	2 00
1 Enameled kettle,	90
1 Fire shovel and tongs,	1 75
4 Stone jars,	4 50
4 Bean pots,	1 00
3 Brooms,	1 00
2 Dust pans,	50
2 Brushes,	1 00
3 Sugar buckets,	1 50
1 Molasses keg and faucet,	1 00
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 208 95

Amount brought forward,	208 95
1 Lard keg,	1 25
4 Cheese firkins,	1 00
1 Spittoon,	50
1 Clothes horse,	2 00
1 Oil barrel and faucet,	2 00
1 Match safe,	70
2 Jugs,	1 50
6 Bread pans,	60
15 Gallons of vinegar,	6 00
8 " Kerosene,	2 60
100 " Soft soap,	10 00
11 " Molasses,	4 95
14 Lbs. soap,	1 50
36 " Sugar,	4 12
100 " Dried apples,	12 00
7 " Saleratus,	42
5 " Coffee,	1 50
3 " Tea,	3 50
100 " Lard,	11 00
40 " Butter,	12 00
30 " Cheese,	4 80
$\frac{3}{4}$ Bbl. flour,	5 00
3 Boxes candles,	9 75
1 Box herring,	50
2 " Salt,	66
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ Bushels rye meal,	2 35
4 " Indian meal,	3 72
300 " Potatoes,	150 00
820 Lbs. beets,	8 00
5 $\frac{1}{2}$ Bbls. pork,	143 00
1 Bbl. beef,	16 00
$\frac{1}{4}$ Gross matches,	50
1 Door mat,	1 00
2 Nappies,	1 00
1 Suit boy's clothes,	4 00
37 Pair of pillow cases,	6 00
38 " " New stockings,	28 50
24 Flannel shirts,	36 00
Amount carried forward,	708 87

Amount brought forward,	708 87
4 New cotton shirts,	2 30
31 Sheets,	20 00
19 Straw beds,	20 00
39 Pillows,	40 00
20 Blankets,	40 00
23 Quilts,	34 00
26 Comfortors,	65 00
9 Feather beds,	30 00
9 Roller towels,	2 00
6 Hand towels,	50
2 Table cloths,	2 50
10 Yards cotton flannel,	2 00
4 " Pant cloth,	3 00
26 " Red flannel,	11 70
2 Razors and fixings,	2 00
3 Lbs. tobacco,	2 10
36 Cords hard wood, fitted,	216 00
42 " Dressing,	210 00
1 Cask of lime,	1 50
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	\$1,413 47

## LIST OF PAUPERS ON CITY FARM, MARCH 1, 1872.

Names (Males).	Age.	Names (Females),	Age.
Nelson Thompson,	75	Naomi Merrill,	81
Edward Grover,	57	Jenet Cameron,	43
Dean Grover,	47	Elizabeth Hewey,	73
Jonas Grover,	44	Mehitable Bubier,	37
S. D. Conner,	56	Dorcas Purington,	43
Lorenzo Bubier,	45	Jane Carney,	27
Alden Moody,		Lilla Carney,	1
James King,	71		
John Driscol,	71	Total,	16

Number of paupers on Farm, March 1, 1871,	23
Admitted during the year,	20
Discharged " " "	27

The Alms House and farm, for the past year, has been under the superintendence of I. N. Mitchell and wife, who, as we think, have ever been faithful in the discharge of their duty, both as to the wants and comforts of those under their charge, also the amount of labor performed, and the economy practised,

in not allowing any strip or waste observable, has shown them to be competent for the place, and willing to perform their duties faithfully.

We found the farm minus fences, and a great many other things necessary for carrying on a well regulated farm. We have supplied the deficiencies in part, by purchasing a first class mowing machine, a good set of double harnesses, and a good substantial cart, together with quite a set of carpenter tools, which were very much needed on the farm. All the farming implements have been put in good order and thoroughly painted, to protect them from decay. We have also purchased about eighty dollars worth of cedar posts, a part of which are set, ready for nailing on the boards, in the spring.

So valuable a Farm as that, properly supplied and managed, in a few years would be self-supporting. The old orchard—if it be right to call it an orchard—has been growing beautifully less every year, and what few trees remain are decaying, more or less. We have, in our best judgment, selected a location which Mr. Mitchell has thoroughly ploughed and dressed, ready for an orchard; and we would recommend that an orchard of not less than fifty trees be set out, if no more, in the spring. Had there been twenty-five dollars worth of trees set out ten years ago, and the same properly taken care of, the Farm, to-day, would be worth, at a low estimate, five hundred dollars more than it now is. We would also recommend that there be a better supply of dressing furnished for the Farm, in future, as there is now about twenty acres under the plow, and it will require a large amount of dressing to carry it on to a profit. Being governed by these facts, we have taken the liberty to purchase what dressing we could obtain to advantage, and we would further recommend that so much of the old growth of pine and oak that are now showing signs of decay, be cut and disposed of to the best advantage, for the good of the Farm.

The City Physician, Dr. R. R. Ricker, aided by Dr. Horr, has promptly attended all calls of the sick poor, and they are entitled to great credit for the skilful manner in which they treated and successfully cured Mr. Russell of the small pox.

The City Hospital is now occupied by Mr. G. W. Ham and family, who have attended to the wants of those placed in their

charge, of which the following named persons have died: James Jackson, Barney Curnes, and Mary Clancy.

It will be seen by our Report, that the amount expended during the past year falls but little short of that of the preceding year.

We have endeavored, in all cases, to relieve the needy and deserving, and at the same time reject those able to supply their own wants. We have been imposed upon in some cases, no doubt, and if, in any case, we have been remiss to the calls of the unfortunate, we hope it will be charged to the head, not to the heart.

There is, in our city, a large number of laborers that have no trade, and are obliged to depend upon day labor for support; and the scarcity of labor, with a hard, cold winter, together with the easy access and free use of intoxicating liquors, it will not be surprising if the amount expended exceeds the expectations of those that have not taken all these things into account.

There are, in our city, at least five hundred male and female minor children, that are growing up with very little education, and a great many without any at all; with no knowledge of labor, except that furnished by our mills, the result of which will be to increase the number of paupers to an alarming extent, just so fast as they go out into the world on their own account; and it is very important that some step be taken to educate all, or a greater part of them, to household and mechanical labor. We would therefore recommend that a workhouse, or some place of industry, be established for the purpose. All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. S. NEWELL,  
J. A. RODICK,  
O. G. DOUGLASS.

# REPORT

OF THE

## CITY PHYSICIAN.

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LEWISTON, March 1, 1872.

*To the Honorable City Council:*

GENTLEMEN—As City Physician for the municipal year ending March 1st, 1872, I respectfully submit the following brief report: During the year past there has been but little sickness among the inmates of the Alms House. The sanitary regulations of the Institution have been very satisfactory.

The Overseer and Matron, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, are deserving much praise for their excellent care of the sick, and for their judicious management of affairs pertaining to the health and comfort of those under their charge.

No deaths have occurred at the Alms House during the year. There has been three at the Hospital—James Jackson died June 28th, of chronic Alcoholism; Barnard Kearns died July 1st, of Pneumonitis; Mrs. Clancy died in September, of old age. Mrs. Ham, Matron of the Hospital, has been very kind and faithful to those under her care.

The year just closed has been one of unusually good health to our city. Fewer epidemics have prevailed than during the same period for many years. The summer of 1871 was remarkable for the general good health of the community. During the winter Influenza has prevailed to some extent as an epidemic. At the time of this writing, Small Pox has come into our midst for the first time for six years. Only two cases, however, have occurred, and these not of a malignant character. It is hoped that its spread may be prevented and our city be freed from its presence. Probably at no time in the last half century have the nations of the earth been visited by such an epidemic of this disease as the one now prevailing so extensively.

The large mortality in this Small Pox epidemic might lead some to distrust the protective power of vaccination, and therefore argue that they might as well take the risk without as well as with vaccination.

According to the most reliable statistics, it is clearly shown that many who have been vaccinated are not protected, for the reason that their vaccinations were not genuine, but spurious.

In my opinion, the fearful mortality of Small Pox for the last year has been largely owing to the before mentioned cause. 'Tis not sufficient merely to have a sore arm from vaccination, but must have a peculiar characteristic pustule in order to have it afford the necessary protection. Hence I would advise all who are in any degree unprotected, to attend to vaccination and re-vaccination.

In my relations with the Overseers of the Poor, I deem it but justice to say that, in my opinion, they have, in all cases, been mindful of the interests of the city, and faithful in supplying the wants of the destitute.

Respectfully submitted,

R. R. RICKER,  
*City Physician.*

# REPORT

## OF THE

# STREET COMMISSIONER

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LEWISTON, March 1st, 1872.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:*

I herewith submit a statement of expenditures under my charge, for the municipal year ending March 1st, 1872.

The appropriation for ordinary repairs of highways, bridges and side- walks, was	\$15,000 00
Appropriation for new streets was	7,500 00
"        "        sewers,    "	10,000 00
"        "        reservoirs  "	1,000 00
Amount of appropriations,	\$33,500 00

### HOW AND WHERE EXPENDED.

During the months of March and April, the usual routine of hauling gravel, cleaning and protecting sidewalks, caused the expense incurred, which was quite an amount, as it requires constant care with quite an expense, to keep the gravel sidewalks and crossings in a passable condition; and it is too well known that most of our sidewalks are of this material.

The first general improvement commenced in May, which was gravelling Main street (to which I referred in my last report) from Jepson Brook to E. Cornish's north line, making the desired improvement, as I think it will prove this spring. Costs, including the purchase of gravel, \$600.00

The balance of May was devoted to grading Ash and Bartlett streets, which were put on grade from Horton to Pierce, and from Pine to near Sabattis street; and Pierce street nearly graded with the material taken from these streets, the trees



being also lowered, and reset at the required distance from the line. Whole cost, \$1,267.62.

The month of June was principally devoted to new streets, to which I shall refer hereafter.

High and Bridge streets, also Main at the intersection with High street, were graded in July, but owing to the size of the trees, the sidewalks on High street were not graded, as it would have been impossible to have saved the trees; but should be completed early in the spring or late in the autumn, at which time they can be protected. Whole cost, including macadamizing Main street, \$780.00.

Sabattis street has been put on grade from Main to College street, the trees lowered and the street thoroughly gravelled, an improvement having long been needed.

There has been the usual amount of repairs in the rural districts during the summer months, and the roads are in good repair, and will require but little outlay, except in a few cases where bridges were carried away, and were only temporarily repaired, it being late in the fall; but will need attention as soon as circumstances will admit.

Twelve hundred and fifty feet of edge stone have been purchased and set, the abutments incurring the balance of expense of either brick or concrete. Only 298 feet of brick walk was laid, as follows: About 93 feet front of J. P. Longley's and J. C. White's stores, Main street; 105 feet corner of Lisbon and Ash streets; 50 feet front of Lyceum Hall, Lisbon street, and 50 feet front of Mrs. Budlong's, Bates street, leaving 952 feet unfinished, a poor encouragement for future progress.

Several hundred feet of old plank walks have been taken up and gravel substituted, which has been the motto for the past four years, until plank walks have become almost unknown, or soon will be, as several will have to be taken up this season. Quite an improvement has been made on Lincoln street, by way of gravelling the street and building culverts, substituting cement pipe for plank. And I will here say, that where there is sufficient depth of earth to protect it from the pressure of wheels, I consider it, for a small culvert, superior to anything in use.

The result of the severe storm in the fall increased the expenditures for repairs throughout the city, especially the rural

portion, as more or less damage occurred, most of which has been repaired, except in a few instances, where the height of water prevented.

An order was passed for cutting down Record Hill, a profile made, and the grading was taken by Mayor Garcelon, at twenty-five cents per cubic yard, with the understanding that the road should be left in good condition when the grading was completed.

Work was not commenced until the ground commenced freezing. Being so late, I had no apprehension that it would be done, and did not know of its progress (having had no notice) until the day they closed work, being stopped by winter setting in; so, of course, the road is left in a very rough state, and must, necessarily, be next to impassable this spring, and the job should be finished as early as possible.

The last permanent improvement was made in December, being a bank wall and fill at the end of the new bridge, and should have had a special appropriation, but was completed from the appropriation for general repairs—a result not anticipated, as a reserve of the balance had been made for the winter work; but having to complete this work at that season of the year, costing \$1,427.33, the result, at the close of the municipal year, is an excess of expenditures above the appropriation of \$1,144.27.

### NEW STREETS.

The first new street built was Seminary street (being built in June) extending from Sabattis street to near the east line of College grounds, being sixty feet wide, and containing a large amount of heavy work. The fills being so deep and wide, a great amount of earth had to be hauled a long distance, thereby greatly increasing the cost, which amounted to \$2,656.62.

The extension of Skinner street was built in July, commencing at Seminary street, and extending across Sabattis street, to East Avenue. Cost, \$1,038.21.

The extension of College street has been completed, commencing at Sabattis street, and extending to Blake street 900 feet. A deep cut of ledge was encountered, which greatly increased the cost. Whole cost, (after deducting the amount re-

ceived for stone) including the grading of Blake to Ash streets, \$1,481.52.

A new road has been built, commencing on Sabattis road near J. J. Golder's, and extending past Natt E. Davis' and James Carville's, to Webster road. This road was built by contract, proposals having been received, and the work awarded to David Farrar at \$1,475.00. Also a road has been built from Sabattis road (near Joel Mitchell's) to Chadbourn road, being let in the same manner, and awarded to R. B. Chadbourn at \$240.00, both parties having completed their work in a satisfactory manner.

### SEWERS.

Work on sewers was commenced in July, commencing on Main sewer near D. G. Webber's, removing the stone culvert, and extending across Sabattis street, the distance of eighty feet, the sewer being two courses thick; capacity (inside) 30x45 inches, with manhole and catchbasin, and secured at the lower end by a stone and cement wall, the whole costing \$575.00.

A sewer, commencing at Main sewer and extending on Sabattis to College street, a distance of four hundred feet, of the capacity of 15x22 1-2 inches, was also built, encountering a ledge, which was quite extensive, and also proved expensive, as it was a hard ledge to work. Whole cost, including one manhole and ten catchbasins, \$1,873.93.

Four catchbasins and one manhole have been put in at the junction of Blake and College streets, at a cost of \$287.77. Also six catchbasins on Lisbon street, at a cost of \$300.00.

A sewer has been built in Lisbon street, commencing at the junction of Birch and Lisbon streets, and extending to Pine street, distance 1200 feet; capacity 15x22 1-2 inches.

This sewer was attended with the same barrier as on Sabattis street, and having to go below the usual depth, between Chestnut and Pine streets, in order to drain the City Buildings, this, with the amount of ledge work, raised the cost to \$4,135.16.

Also a sewer commencing at Main sewer, on Lincoln street, and extending to Main street, thence up Main to junction of Main and Mill streets, a distance of 550 feet; capacity 15x22

1-2 inches. This sewer also proved expensive, as the excavation had to be permanently and tightly curbed, the material being a fine loose gravel, and also having the gas pipe to contend with, made this sewer quite as expensive as any other. Whole cost, \$1,953.62.

Sewers have cost more per lineal foot the past season, than those the year preceding, for the reason that brick cost, on an average, one dollar and fifty cents more per thousand, and the sewers are of larger dimensions, and also having a greater amount of ledge to contend with in proportion to the same number of feet.

During the severe rain in the fall, main sewer, across Franklin street, burst up, at the point where the brick and stone sewer connected, breaking off the end of the brick sewer, and washing stone of large dimensions many feet down the sewer, and also washing out a large portion of the street. There was no other alternative but to put in the sewer across the street, and work was commenced as soon as the water subsided. It being so late in the season, and having so much water to contend with, it was done at much greater expense than it would have been, had it been earlier in the season. The end of the old sewer was found to be a single course of brick, which I consider insufficient for that size sewer, which extends only across Park street, that being put in some six years ago. A portion of the end had to be taken down, as it had cracked badly, but the connection is well made, and the sewer is the same size of the old—viz: 30x45 inches, the wall being two courses thick, and about one hundred feet in length, extending to where the end could be permanently secured by piling, and is accessible at any time during the year. Cost, \$1,200.00.

#### RESERVOIRS.

An open reservoir has been built on College Grounds, corner of College and Skinner streets.

My instructions were, that the city was to furnish \$400 (being the sum appropriated) and the College corporation to complete the balance.

When I had expended three hundred and seventy-five dollars, I notified one of the Trustees (Mr. A. M. Jones) of the fact, and he requested me to finish it, and charge the excess to

he corporation. I did so, but have failed to collect the balance to place to the credit of reservoirs, Mr. Jones objecting to pay on account of President Cheney being away. The cost of construction was \$577.65, there being a balance of \$177.65 due from College corporation, as per bill rendered, which should be placed to the credit of reservoirs.

Also a reservoir has been built on Main street, between Cemetery street and Mountain Avenue, near the residence of J. C. Lord, being twenty feet diameter, and thirteen feet deep, having a capacity of about 19,000 gallons, and built in the most substantial manner, being a double dome top, with pier in the centre, the centres having been preserved for future use. Whole cost, including centres, \$794.33.

#### A FEW THINGS THAT SHOULD BE DONE.

Having alluded to some things that have been done the past year, I will refer to a few that ought to be done, some of which should be done the coming season. The first of all is Lisbon street, to which I have alluded in every report; still it remains the same, and, if possible, *worse* than four years ago, notwithstanding the vast expense incurred every year to keep it in a passable condition, saying nothing of spring and fall, at which time it is perfectly incurable, and is only to be endured and abhorred. I am of the same opinion as last year, that the only method of improvement—to be adopted with success—is to macadamize it; and making a rough estimate, I think it can be put in perfect order from Main to Chestnut street, for eight thousand dollars.

There is no actual necessity for a stone crusher for this street, for the principal part of the stone should be as broad surface as possible, regarding the thickness, and pack them layer upon layer, and covered with a fine material which can be reserved for the purpose and broken with a hammer.

I do not wish to be understood that a crusher is not needed by the city, for I have always advocated that it was; but I do say that work can be progressing on this street advantageously without one, and that one be secured as soon as possible.

These permanent improvements should begin at once, and something be done every year. The City Buildings will be in-

complete until the streets which surround it are either macadamized or paved.

Imagine a procession passing down Park street during a rainy day, or evening, and entering City Hall; or, if you please, imagine our next campaign, and you will readily see the necessity of permanent streets. I would therefore recommend that eight thousand dollars be appropriated for Lisbon street, and that work be commenced as soon as possible.

In my preceding remarks, I spoke of the amount of edge stone that had been set the past season.

Twelve hundred and fifty feet seems to be quite a stride in the way of permanent walks, and would be, if the bricks had been laid, but even if completed, (at the rate new streets have increased in the past,) they amount to nothing, as they have only been built where abutters requested, and in this way it seems to do no real benefit to the public. They are so few and far between, that they only serve the good purpose for cleaning the feet on arriving from a gravel walk.

I think measures should be adopted this spring, and put in operation, for the progress of permanent walks; if not, what are we coming to? Our plank walks are nearly obliterated, and what remain are getting to be dangerous, many of which will have to be replaced with gravel or like material, although public opinion cries "hold, we have had enough of that," and no wonder.

The wonder is, that they have remained as quiet as they have, although I have endeavored to do my duty under the circumstances, and for them have had the warmest sympathy. But the time has come when sympathy does not avail, especially while the snow is melting, and the walks constantly freezing and thawing; and with the conviction that something will be done, the coming season, I respectfully leave the matter to those in authority.

The plank walk on the east side of Lisbon street, from Journal Block to the Post Office, will probably have to be replaced by a new plank walk this season, as the present walk is very much worn and out of repair, and is getting already to be unsafe. The walk in front of Jones' Block, Lower Main street, will have to be overhauled, and the edge stone reset at the re-

quired distance from the Block, and walk relaid, for in its present state it is dangerous, at any season of the year.

There are a few bridges which it will be necessary to build, this season, two of which I will name: One on Lincoln street below Cobb & Co's. mill, and the other on Sabattis road, known as the Bubier bridge, both of which should be built as soon as the water is low enough.

There seems to be not much need of many new streets at present, and I will therefore make no recommendations, although there are some who are very much inconvenienced, but the City Government have the matter in hand, and justice, of course, will be meted out.

A vast amount of sewerage has been built the last three seasons, and still there are many more needed.

A sewer should be built in Park street, from Main to Pine streets; also in Franklin and Bates, from Pine to Ash streets, to relieve those corners that have been protected by a plank box, which has carried the water from the grates, but it is now so rotten, it is likely to cave in wholly this spring, as some few places have already broken through, and the whole is liable to have to be overhauled at any time, at quite an expense.

The upper portion of main sewer ought to be put in to Elm street, or, at any rate, enough to take the water which crosses Elm street, and thus prevent a liability of any damage, which is liable to occur at any time, and until it is done, Union street cannot be protected and kept un Hazardous.

By extending the sewer to the ravine below Mr. Boothby's, the end can be secured by piling, and remain for a long time as the object will thus be gained, and quite an expense be saved by stopping at that point, and as to the space between Sabattis and Franklin streets, that can remain as it is for some time, and should Blake street be built, a short piece the width of the street can be put in, and thus give relief at that point.

Also a sewer should be put in Pine street from Bartlett to Horton, to relieve the junction of Pine and Horton streets. As it now is, all the water from Ash on Horton, and on Pine from Bartlett to Howe street passes through the reservoir, not only filling that with mud, (which has to be cleaned out at a great expense) but runs out through Horton, down across Walnut, washing those streets badly, and as it will be necessary to

grade the sidewalk from Bartlett street past Rev. Mr. Burgess', the difficulty of taking care of the water will be greater than ever.

I have already said more than I intended to have said, and more I am aware than will be heeded. There are others, however, I have not named which the committee will be likely to observe ; but, by all means, Main sewer should be put in, and save the liability of damage, for when once done it is done forever. I see no immediate necessity of extensive work, either in the rural portion, or the city proper, such as cutting down, widening or straightening streets, and think more attention should be paid to our sidewalks, as every citizen, throughout our city, is equally interested. I would, therefore, recommend that an appropriation of \$15,000 be made for the repairs of highways, bridges and sidewalks, and as much as possible of this amount be devoted expressly for sidewalks and street crossings.

The city teams are the same as last year—viz : Two yoke of oxen, and two pair of horses, which have been kept hauling gravel during the winter for spring use, and have secured the usual amount. As a whole, they are in as good condition as last spring, but I would recommend that both yoke of oxen be exchanged, this spring, as they have been used long enough. I think horses are better adapted for city work, than oxen, except on very rough plowing ; and I would recommend, in the future, that horses be used wholly. Perhaps it may not be policy to change this season, as the carts and other fixtures are on hand, but a change is worthy of consideration.

In my last Report, I recommended the purchase of a pair of heavy horses, and I will again most emphatically repeat the same recommendation. The city owns a pair of single dump carts and harnesses ; and such a team is very much needed, especially for repairing purposes, and, in all cases, will be found to be a paying investment. I therefore trust there will be an order passed for the same without delay.



## RECAPITULATION.

Amount appropriated for repairs,		\$15,000 00
Monthly expenses, including pay roll and bills :		
March expenses,	\$594 42	
April     “	1,128 10	
May     “	2,039 18	
June    “	1,983 94	
July    “	1,800 13	
August  “	1,288 73	
Sept.   “	1,698 45	
October “	1,757 84	
Nov.    “	1,718 32	
Dec.    “	1,196 89	
Jan.    “	608 78	
Feb.    “	388 47	
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	\$16,203 25	

CR.

By cash rendered City Treasurer, for work, material, &c.,	58 98	
	<hr/>	16,144 27
Overdrawn,		<hr/>
		\$1,144 27

## NEW STREETS.

Amount appropriated for new streets,		\$7,500 00
Monthly expense, as per pay roll and bills :		
May,	205 00	
June,	2,334 37	
July,	1,115 87	
August,	1,614 52	
September,	1,715 00	
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	\$6,984 76	

CR.

By cash rendered City Treasurer for stone sold,	133 83	
	<hr/>	\$6,850 93
Balance unexpended, not including land damage,		<hr/>
		\$649 07

## SEWERS.

Amount appropriated for sewers,		\$10,000 00
Monthly expenses, as per pay roll and bills :		
July,	2,602 83	
August,	3,840 84	
September,	2,361 01	
October,	1,520 80	
	<hr/>	\$10,325 48
Overdrawn,		<hr/> \$325 48

## RESERVOIRS.

Amount appropriated for reservoirs,		\$1000 00
Monthly expense as per pay roll and bills :		
September,	1,028 38	
October,	437 40	
	<hr/>	1,465 78
	CR.	
By due from College corporation,	177 65	
	<hr/>	\$1,288 13
Excess above appropriation,		<hr/> \$288 13

The following was the amount of city property in my charge March 1, 1872: Two yoke of oxen; 2 pair of horses; 2 double dump horse carts; 2 single dump horse carts; 2 double dump horse sleds; 2 ox carts; 2 ox dump sleds; 1 traverse sled body; 2 snow plows; 2 snow breakers; 4 plows; 2 stone rollers; 2 stone chains; 5 draught chains; 4 tool chests; 2 dump saddles; 5 ox yokes; 4 scrapers; 4 set double harnesses; 4 horse blankets; 4 surcingles; 1 pair of horse hoods; four halters; 1 set long lead chains; 3 set short lead chains; 1 pair trace chains; 2 lead bars; 2 forks; 2 extra collars; 3 feed pails; 2 hay cutters; 1 monkey wrench; 2 pairs lead reins; 2 meal chests; 2 feed boxes; 3 forks; 3 lanterns; 3 ox yoke staples; 3 spare ox bows; 2 iron pumps; 1 tackle and fall; 75 feet inch rope; 17 mortar pails; 1 wheel barrow; 3 tag ropes; 11 drills; 5 spoons; 6 striking hammers; 2 spike hammers; 1 top maul; 3 water pails and dippers; 8 plug drills; 2 pointers; 12 wedges with shims; 22

long handle round point shovels; 4 square point long handle shovels; 24 short handle shovels; 2 nice chisels; 7 mattocks; 3 grub hoes; 2 mortar hoes; 1 steel pinch bar; 15 picks; 2 powder cans; 50 feet fuse; 1 clay bar; 1 branding iron; 4 pounders; 1 paving maul; 1 stove; 6 crowbars; 2 nail hammers; 1 steel square; 2 water barrels; 1 hand saw; 2 axes; 25 feet rubber hose; 2 stone hammers; 2 straight edges; 1 set reservoir centres; 1 wheel wrench; 2 combs and brushes; 2 stable brooms; 1 iron tooth rake; 1 tool stamp.

For the amount paid each individual, and also the expense in each district, information can be obtained at City Treasurer's office, from the Street Ledger, which contains the accounts for the last four years.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM LYDSTON,

*Street Commissioner.*

# REPORT

OF THE

# CHIEF ENGINEER.

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CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE,  
LEWISTON, FEB. 29th, 1872.

*To the Honorable City Government :*

In conformity with the requirements of the City Ordinances in relation to the Fire Department, I herewith present my annual Report, in which is contained a list of the officers and members of the Department, together with their ages and residences, an account of the losses by fire, and insurance on the same, a list of Reservoirs, the condition of Engine Houses and apparatus, and schedule of property belonging to the Department.

Our city has been more exempt from fire this year than any other since the City was incorporated. Notwithstanding the small amount of damage by fires, we would recommend that there be no lack on the part of the City Government in keeping the Department in condition for any emergency, knowing as we do the liability of a city like ours to an extensive fire.

The attention of the City Government has been frequently called to the great need of suitable buildings for our machines and apparatus. In our opinion a substantial brick building should be built in a central location, suitable for the two Steam Fire Engines, and the house on Main street be converted into a Hook and Ladder House, as the house now occupied for that purpose is not deep enough to admit of a ladder as long as we need to carry. I would further recommend that the Hook and Ladder carriage be sold and an improved Truck purchased. If this is not done it will be necessary to build over the old carriage, that we may be able to carry more ladders.

There has been two new Reservoirs built this season, one on Main street near Mountain Avenue, and one on the grounds owned by Bates College, and we would again call the attention

of the Government to the great need of a reservoir on or near the old fair grounds, as there is no water to be reached west of the M. C. Railroad, except from the river, and there is no place on the river suitable to set a machine.

The machines and entire apparatus are in excellent condition with the exception of improvements in hook and ladder carriage and the addition of some longer ladders.

During the past year Steamer No. 4 has been thoroughly repaired and is in good condition for service. Hose Carriage No. 4 has been painted and varnished.

#### CHIEF ENGINEER.

LEWIS C. PECK,                      Age 48    Residence, Main St.

#### ASSISTANTS.

CHARLES P. WELLMAN,    Age 44, Residence Hill Corp.  
 CYRUS GREELY,                      " 44    "    Bartlett St.  
 ISAAC G. CURTIS,                      " 38    "    Webster St.  
 OSCAR G. DOUGLASS,                      " 35    "    Chapel St.

#### LIBERTY STEAM ENGINE Co., No. 4.

Members.	Age.	Residence.
Robert D. Sutherland, Engineer,	35	Park street.
Frank A. Thurston, Assistant,	37	Franklin St.
Seth Chandler, Fireman,	32	Main street.
John C. French, Foreman,	28	Blake street.
Chas. C. Kelly, Assistant,	27	Lisbon street.
G. A. Wright, 2d Assistant,	23	Lisbon street.
D. J. Hayes, Clerk,	23	Lincoln st.
John Burns,	30	Lisbon street.
John Hagerty,	29	Lisbon street.
John Booker,	35	Lisbon street.
A. M. Hurd,	29	Canal street.
J. B. Longley,	19	Main street.

Name.	Age.	Residence.
Forest Chase,	19	Blake street.
G. M. Littlefield,	30	Lincoln st.
John Hibbert,	28	Lisbon street.
F. Aderton,	20	Franklin st.
Geo. Griffin,	19	Blake street.
M. Lamey,	21	Blake street.
D. Mahoney,	28	Lincoln st.
G. Clayton,	24	Canal street.
F. Coburn,	18	Lisbon st.
Charles Hopkins,	30	Canal street.

22 Members.

### INVENTORY OF PROPERTY.

**CONDITION OF HOUSE AND APPARATUS.**—The house is in good condition. The Engine was built by J. B. Johnson, of Portland, in 1866. Diameter of cylinder, 9 inches; length of stroke, 10 inches; weight, with water and coal 5800 pounds. This machine has been thoroughly repaired the past season, and is in good condition for service.

Apparatus, 2 lanterns, 1 fire basket, 1 stove and apparatus, 2 iron bars; 3 oil cans; 3 gallons oil; 6 suction hose spanners; 1 ax; 3 torches; 1 shovel; 12 wrenches; 24 feet of 2 inch rubber hose; 14 feet of one inch rubber hose; 3 tons soft coal; 2 tons hard coal; 1-4 cord soft wood; 1 vise; 1 settee; 2 chairs; 1 coal hod; 1 whip; 28 feet suction hose; 1 saddle.

**APPARATUS IN HOSE HOUSE, FRANKLIN ST.**—House in good condition with exception of tank for water, which leaks, and we think will need to be replaced by a new one. Hose carriage in good condition; 1 pair of extra shafts; 450 feet of combination hose somewhat worn; 1,350 feet of leather hose, good as new; 200 feet of old leather hose in good repair; 9 rubber suits; 6 oil cloth suits much worn; 6 fire hats; 1 monkey wrench; 10 spanners; 1 reducing coupling; 10 hose straps; 1 ice chisel; 2 axes; 3 pipes with nozzles; 1 sprinkling nozzle; 4 fire buckets; 1 whiffletree; 12 hose patches; 1 tin boiler; 24 tin dippers; 2 stoves; 1 ton coal; 1-4 cord wood; 3 lamps; 2 lamp hangers; 8 settees; 3 chairs; one table.

## ANDROSCOGGIN STEAM ENGINE CO. NO. 3.

Name.	Age.	Residence.
I. C. Downes, Engineer,	38	Con'tal Corp.
J. M. Gilpatrick, Assistant,	39	Hill Corp'n.
J. S. Randall, Fireman,	45	Bates street.
M. L. Pressey, Foreman Hose,	38	Bates streets.
J. D. Bubier, Assistant,	23	Bates street.
J. D. Weeks, Clerk,	24	Lisbon street.
J. A. Stevens,	35	Lisbon street.
H. Edwards,	22	Bates street.
G. D. Pettigrew,	26	Lisbon street.
G. F. Keyes,	29	Main street.
G. F. Dyer,	21	Bates street.
L. Raynes,	28	Bates street.
C. L. Wood,	21	Lisbon street.
J. W. Weeks,	24	Lisbon street.
H. Bubier,	19	Lisbon street.
Eben Swett,	29	Park street.
W. W. Swett,	16	Park street.
C. F. Nickerson,	19	Lisbon street.
A. Lincoln,	21	Park street.
S. Merrill,	28	Chapel street.
A. A. Mitchell,	26	Main street.

21 Members.

CONDITION OF HOUSE AND APPARATUS.—House very poor and small, not at all suitable for the machine. The engine is in good condition, was built by the Amoskeag Company in Manchester, N. H. Steam cylinders 7 3-8 inches diameter; stroke 8 inches; pump cylinders, 4 3-9 inches; weight, with water and coal, about 6000 pounds. House on Bates street.

INVENTORY OF APPARATUS—Hose carriage in good condition, 550 feet of combination hose in good condition, 1000 feet of leather hose in good condition, 200 feet of old leather hose in good repair, 200 feet of linen hose not serviceable, 2 fire buckets, 1 iron bar, 2 axes, 4 lanterns, 2 torches, 1 shovel, 1 monkey wrench, 5 pipes with nozzles, 2 reducing couplings, 12 hose straps, 12 spanners, 2 oil cans, 1 gallon oil, 1 ice chisel, 1 sprinkler, 4 settees and chairs, two stoves, 1 table, 2 tons cannel coal, 1 1-2 tons hard coal, 1-4 cord wood, 2 lamps, 1 whip, 22 feet suction hose.

## LEWISTON ENGINE COMPANY NO. 1.

Members.	Age.	Residence.
C. F. Cleaves, Foreman,	36	Lewiston.
H. C. Daley, 1st Assistant,	24	"
Edward Washburn, 2d Assistant,	24	"
W. B. Keene, Clerk,	34	"
Nathaniel Moody,	28	"
C. Colby,	32	"
W. S. Colby,	21	"
John Grey,	26	"
P. McDonald,	27	"
Hugh Mullany,	26	"
A. W. Potter,	30	"
W. E. Hanover,	23	"
W. H. Ricker,	23	"
W. C. Duston,	26	"
Robert Read,	24	"
C. O. Williams,	23	"
W. H. Morgan,	21	"
G. H. Roberts,	26	"
J. Graves,	23	"
F. C. Gould,	25	"
Charles Burbank,	29	"
Frank C. Owen,	23	"
John O'Shea,	26	"
Moses O'Shea,	25	"
Phillip Surie,	20	"
M. C. Farrell,	21	"
P. M. Goff,	21	"
Thomas E. Dunham,	23	"
John B. Marr,	22	"
John C. Paul,	22	"
John F. Coombs,	21	"
A. F. Nash,	20	"
John Baker,	18	"
F. H. Goodnow.	19	"
E. J. Bell,	21	"
G. F. Carlton,	22	"
F. M. Kidder,	26	"
F. H. Earl,	22	"



Name.	Age.	Residence.
C. F. Knights,	24	Lewiston.
Eugene Tibbetts,	21	"
John Connell,	19	"
John Hayes,	21	"
S. S. Rowe,	25	"
John Cloonan,	23	"
F. H. Dean,	24	"
John Dorrity,	27	"
Otis Latham,	24	"
L. E. Maxim,	27	"
G. W. Wilbur,	25	"
W. B. Furbush,	22	"

50 Members.

**CONDITION OF HOUSE AND APPARATUS:** House in good order. The engine was built by Hunneman & Co., in 1849; cylinders 5 1-2 inches diameter, 15 inch stroke.

**INVENTORY OF PROPERTY IN HOUSE:** The engine and hose carriage are in good condition; 42 feet of suction hose; 1000 feet leading hose in good condition, 300 feet of old hose in good repair; 2 axes, 2 fire hats, 6 rubber suits, 1 ice chisel, 2 pipes, 24 spanners, 12 spanner belts, 6 hose straps, 1 spray nozzle, 2 increasing couplings, 1 reducing coupling, 2 wrenches, 12 hose patches, 2 stoves, 1 tin boiler, 2 oil cans, 1 1-2 gallons of oil, 3 lamps, 2 lamp hangers, 2 gas pendants, 100 feet of old linen hose, 10 settees, 4 chairs, 1 table, 1 iron bar.

#### HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, NO. 1.

Members.	Age.	Residence.
John A. Dillingham, Foreman,	29	Main street.
S. Thompson, 1st Assistant,	39	College st.
Lewis Carville, 2d Assistant,	39	Main street.
Oliver Welch, Clerk,	39	Main street.
Jeremiah Russel,	31	High street.
J. M. Marr,	30	Pine street.
Frank Pierce,	29	High street.
Leach King,	24	Jones street.
A. Goodwin,	29	Jones street.
J. W. Palmer,	19	Bates street.

Name.	Age.	Residence.
H. P. Leavitt,	21	Summer st.
L. S. Ruggles,	23	Pine street.
Otis Cutler,	22	Lisbon st.
J. G. Barker,	29	Ash street.
Thomas Crush,	34	Main street.
L. P. Prentiss,	33	Main street.
A. G. Durrell,	35	Main street.
Charles Graves,	33	Franklin st.
H. H. Beacham,	30	Main street.
E. Webb,	38	Union st.
H. H. Rose,	30	Pine street.
Alfred Pierce,	23	Main street.
Frank Jordan,	23	High street.
Wm. Lydston, jr.,	20	Ash street.

25 members.

HOUSE AND APPARATUS: House in very poor condition, trucks in good condition, 1 ladder 25 feet long, 3 25 feet ladders, 3 48 foot extension ladders, 4 hooks, 3 buckets, 2 axes, 5 oil cloth coats, 2 stoves, 3 lamps, 2 settees, 2 chairs, 1 table. In this House is stored the old hand engine No. 3 which, with small expense, can be made to do good service.

#### ENGINEERS' DEPARTMENT.

There are 5 rubber coats, 5 lanterns and 5 badges.

#### LOCATION OF RESERVOIRS.

Number.	Location.
1.	Junction of Main and Sabattis streets.
2.	Ash street, near Post Office.
3.	Junction of Pine and Horton street.
4.	Junction of Pine and Bates street.
5.	Main street, near Intermediate school house.
6.	Main street, Haymarket Square.
7.	Knox street, near school house.
8.	Seminary street, near Elm street.
9.	Junction of Pierce and Walnut streets.
10.	Park street, near engine house, No. 1.
11.	Bates street, near M. C. R. R. Depot.

12. Between Main and High streets.
13. Junction of Bates and Birch streets.
14. Junction of Sabattis and College streets.
15. Main street, near Mountain Avenue.
16. On Bates College Grounds.

### PLATFORMS.

- No. 1. On Canal street, foot of Ash street.
- No. 2. On river, rear of George Webb's blacksmith shop.
- No. 3. Head of Chapel street, on river.

### FIRES AND ALARMS,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 29, 1872.

*May 13.* At 11 A. M. fire was discovered on the roof of the house owned by Joel Nevens, on Bates street. Damaged about \$50, covered by insurance. Caused by sparks on roof from burning of chimney.

*June 9.* At 4.15 A. M. fire was discovered in the rear of the building owned by George Goodwin, on Main street. Damage, \$75, not insured. Caused by a lot of broom corn taking fire in process of bleaching.

*June 15.* At 2 P. M. fire was discovered in a small building in the rear of Continental Mill, used for making batting. Damage about \$300, covered by insurance. Cause not known.

*June 29.* At 2 A. M. fire was discovered in No. 2, Central Block, owned by P. McGillcuddy. Damage about \$25, covered by insurance. Caused by heat from furnace for heating irons.

*Aug. 23.* At 4 P. M. there was an alarm of fire, caused by the burning of the roof of a small house near the Lewiston Machine Co.'s shop. Damage about \$50, covered by insurance.

*Nov. 1.* An alarm was raised by the burning of a chimney in the house of Mrs. O'Donnell, on Lincoln street.

*Nov. 28.* At 4.30 A. M. fire was discovered in the house owned by Samuel Lovell, on Main street. Loss, \$850, covered by insurance.

Number of alarms, 7; amount of property destroyed, \$850, mostly insured.

Number of members in the Department :

5 Engineers.

117 members.

We would suggest for your consideration, the propriety of fixing the pay of Captain the same throughout the Department, except those provided for by salary, as there is some feeling manifest in regard to the pay as it now is distributed.

In our opinion, the several companies should be required to number as follows :

For Hand Engines, 40 members.

For Steamers, 20 members.

For Hook and Ladder, 25 members.

The Steamer companies might be reduced to fifteen members by providing a horse for the Hose Carriage, which, in our opinion, would be advisable.

In closing this Report, the Chief Engineer takes pleasure in bearing testimony to the cordial and constant co-operation of the Committee on Fire Department and Engineers, and to the promptness and energy which the entire Department have manifested during the year.

Our thanks are also due to the Chief Engineer and members of the Auburn Fire Department for the promptness with which they have responded to our fire alarms. There has been perfect harmony between the Departments of Lewiston and Auburn, which, it is hoped, for the interest of both cities, will ever characterize the firemen of the sister cities.

Respectfully submitted,

L. C. PECK,

*Chief Engineer.*

# REPORT

OF THE

# CITY SOLICITOR.

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*To the Honorable City Council:*

I have the honor herewith to submit my report as City Solicitor, for the year ending March, 1872.

The suit, *Mitchell vs. Lewiston* pending in Supreme Judicial Court, March 1871, was settled by the town of Greene, being the town liable for pauper supplies sued for, without expense to this City.

I have attended all criminal cases before the Municipal Court during the year, which have arisen in the City, where I have been requested by any policeman, or resident of the City.

Cases referred to me by City Council where claims have been preferred for damages on the highway, I have endeavored to adjust in accordance with the best judgment I could form of the rights of the persons applying, and the actual liability of the City. No damage or costs have been paid during the year save one. Clark petitions for damages in being thrown from his carriage by reason of a defect in a bridge near the Clough Meeting House. Upon investigation I could have no doubt of the liability of the City, and that damages were sustained as represented. I recommended the payment of the sum of one hundred and eighty dollars as damages, and eleven dollars cost, which was adopted by the City Council, and the amount paid and claim fully settled.

There is now a single case pending in the Municipal Court against the City by Fallon and wife, for damages alleged to have been sustained by the wife, by reason of an insufficient plank on the Canal bridge, Lincoln street. As damages in the Court cannot exceed one hundred dollars, and so far as I can learn slight, if any, injury was sustained by reason of any

defect, if there was any, I cannot expect much expense or cost to the City in this suit.

One other case in Supreme Judicial Court, *Lewiston vs. Waldron*, comprises all the cases now pending in which the City is a party, or interested. This case was brought by order of the City Council, for the purpose of obtaining lumber cut for City Buildings, but attached and held by Sheriff Waldron as the property of Hanson & Hunnewell. As the City has paid for the lumber once and claims to own it, it is not anticipated that the City will be subjected to a second payment.

Respectfully submitted,

M. T. LUDDEN,

*City Solicitor.*

Lewiston, March 16th, 1872.

# REPORT

## OF SURVEY OF

# WOOD AND BARK.

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CITY OF LEWISTON, March 5, 1872.

*To the Honorable Mayor and Aldermen  
of the City of Lewiston:*

The undersigned, Surveyor of Wood and Bark, respectfully submits the following Report:

Total amount of wood surveyed during the year March 5, 1872, one thousand four hundred and nineteen cords, and one half foot, to wit:

	Cords.	Feet.
Hard Wood,	531	5
Soft Wood,	887	3 1-2
	1419	1-2

Fees charged, \$43.21.

Fees received, 33.35.

T. B. THOMPSON,  
*Surveyor.*

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LEWISTON, March 1, 1872.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council  
of Lewiston:*

In accordance with the requirements of City Ordinances, I have the honor to submit the following Report of Wood and Bark surveyed by me for the year ending February 28, 1872:

	Cords.	Feet.
Hard Wood,	13,911	2

About three-fourths of which is soft wood.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. PUTNAM,

*Measurer of Wood and Bark.*

# REPORT

OF

## SUPERINTENDENT OF BURIALS.

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LEWISTON, MARCH 15th, 1872.

*To the Honorable Mayor and Aldermen  
of the City of Lewiston:*

Fifty-seven burials have been made in the Catholic Cemetery during the year ending March 1st, 1872. Of this number thirty were males and twenty-seven females. Twenty were born in Ireland; thirteen in America; twenty-three were French Canadians, and one American. Twenty-three of those buried in this Cemetery during the last year, died under the age of five years, and from five to ten years of age, three; from ten to twenty years of age, eight; from twenty to thirty, four; from thirty to forty, three; from forty to fifty, seven; from fifty to sixty, three; from sixty to seventy, four; from seventy to eighty, none; from eighty to ninety, two.

Several burials have been made in the Barker's Mills Burial Ground during the last two years, but we get no reports from the Sexton of that Ground.

The whole number of deaths in the City of Lewiston, since March 1st, 1871, as far as ascertained, is one hundred twenty-seven; sixty-seven males and sixty females. Of this number fifty-one were American, thirty-eight Irish, twenty-three French, twelve English and three German.

### AGE AT DEATH.

Forty-four died under five years of age; between the age of five and ten, nine; from ten to twenty, thirteen; from twenty to thirty, fourteen; from thirty to forty, six; from forty to fifty, ten; from fifty to sixty, ten; from sixty to seventy, eleven; from seventy to eighty, four; and from eighty to ninety, six.



## WHERE BURIED.

In the Catholic Cemetery, fifty-seven.

In Riverside Cemetery, forty-eight.

In Garcelon Burying Ground, three.

In Clough Burying Ground, six.

In Receiving Vault, thirteen.

Respectfully submitted,

T. B. THOMPSON.

*Superintendent of Burials.*

# REPORT OF COMMITTEE

ON

# CITY PROPERTY.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Lewiston :*

Your Committee on City Property have the honor to make the following Report :

Amount Appropriated for Park,	\$700 00
Amount Expended for Park,	473 89
	226 11
Cr. by grass sold,	43 75
	269 86
 Amount Appropriated for City Property,	 \$2,300 00

### EXPENDITURES.

For one pair oxen,	265 00
For one pair harnesses,	160 00
For repairing and painting buildings on the Farm,	995 70
For land purchased for Burial Grounds and fencing same,	428 56
For general repairs,	143 17
	1992 43
	307 57
Cr. by oxen sold,	321 74
Cr. by old school house sold,	10 00
	\$639 31

The River Road Burial Ground has been enlarged and a good fence placed around it, so that it is now in good condition. We

also enlarged the Garcelon lot and fenced the same in like manner as the original.

We found the house on the Farm in a very bad condition for want of paint. We therefore had it painted with two coats, besides doing some needed repairs on both the house and barn.

Respectfully submitted,

W. S. ROGERS,  
JOHN F. PUTNAM,  
RICHARD SKELTON,  
CYRUS GREELY,  
RUFUS CARR,  
*Committee on City Property.*

# R E P O R T

OF

## CITY LIQUOR AGENCY.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and Aldermen  
of the City of Lewiston:*

MESSRS.—The following Report of the City Liquor Agency is respectfully submitted :

From May 16, 1871, to March 1, 1872 :		
Sales to citizens of Lewiston,	\$4,652 22	
Sales to persons not residing in Lewiston,	461 76	
Sales of empty casks,	74 75	
	<hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>	\$4,688 73
Paid to D. Farrar, Treasurer,	3,322 63	
Seth E. Pecker & Co.,	465 25	
D. Lawrence & Sons,	190 12	
I. D. Richards & Sons,	45 50	
Salary of Agent,	554 17	
Supplies,	41 33	
Freight and trucking,	60 93	
Bean & Stetson,	8 80	
	<hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>	\$4,688 73
Amount of liquors on hand, May 16, 1871,	875 77	
Purchased since May 16, 1871,	3,752 93	
	<hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>	\$4,628 70
Amount of sales from May 16, 1871, to March 1, 1872,	4,613 98	
Liquors on hand, March 1, 1872,	1,423 63	

A. D. THORN

# REPORT OF COMMITTEE

ON

## REDUCTION OF CITY DEBT.

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The Committee on the Reduction of the City Debt, submit the following statement of the amount and condition of that fund :

Amount received from funds prior to	
1871, (current year)	\$32,812 50
Interest collected during the year,	2,453 22
Appropriation of 1871-2,	10,000 00
	\$45,265 72
And the same is invested as follows :	
City of Lewiston Bonds,	\$44,900 00
Note of City Treasurer,	365 72
	\$45,265 72

A. GARCELON, } *Committee on*  
 A. M. JONES, } *Reduction of City Debt.*

# FINANCIAL REPORT

## OF THE

# SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

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*To the City Council of Lewiston:*

The Superintending School Committee of the City of Lewiston have the honor of submitting the financial report of the Board for the fiscal year ending Feb. 29, 1872, reserving a detailed report of the condition, progress and prospect of the public schools of the City, for the close of the school year in August next, when the annual report will be made.

The following sums have been placed at the disposal of the Committee, for school purposes :

Amount received from State Fund,	\$314 78
Regular appropriation,	26,000 00
Additional appropriation,	1,000 00
Balance from 1871,	295 59
Amount received for tuition,	12 50
	\$27,622 87

The expenditures for school purposes are given in detail in the Auditor's Report (to which reference may be had), and foot up as follows :

Amount paid teachers,	\$21,495 26
Amount paid for musical instruction,	839 50
Amount paid for care of school houses,	1,374 60
Amount paid for fuel and supplies,	5,067 00
	\$28,776 36
Excess of expenditures over appropriation,	\$1,153 49

This excess of expenditures over appropriations, is mainly due to the cost of musical instruction, for which no appropria-

tion was made, as expected. We have expended the foregoing sums in the most careful and economical manner consistent with the maintainance of the efficiency of our public schools. Indeed, we have found the means at our disposal insufficient to retain some of our best teachers, who have left us for other fields promising a better compensation; and inadequate to allow us to increase the pay of some who, in our judgment, have deserved a more generous remuneration for their services. The pay of good teachers is increasing from year to year in other communities, and if we would maintain the standard of excellence attained by our schools, we must have the means to secure the best possible instruction. The winter has made greater demands for fuel than usual, so that the expenses in this department have been larger than heretofore. As the number of scholars in the City is constantly increasing—4567 being reported in April last—the number of schools and the expense of supporting them have also increased. During the past year fifty-two schools, requiring fifty-four teachers, have been maintained; and several new schools will be required during the next fiscal year, involving an increased expense. Several school houses need extensive repairs, and nearly all will call for more or less expenditure, in order to keep them in good condition. We would recommend the following appropriations for school purposes, for the year ending Feb., 1873:

For teaching, supplies, and care of	
houses,	\$29,100 00
For musical instruction,	900 00
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	\$30,000 00

The sum recommended is as moderate as it will be possible to get along with, and, at the same time, do justice to our school interests. It is only about six dollars per scholar, while the average amount raised in Massachusetts for school purposes, is double that sum; and is much less than most cities of our population deem it wise to set apart for the education of their youth. No policy could be so unwise, none so destructive to the fundamental interests of society, as one that would withhold liberal appropriations for common schools; for on these we must rely for that training which is to fit the rising generation to perform their duties as citizens. Experience

long since demonstrated that it is much cheaper to provide schools for the young, than to erect prisons and support courts to restrain them, when they shall have grown up in ignorance and vice.

### SCHOOL HOUSES.

During the past year but one school house, and that one in the rural districts, has been erected, notwithstanding the call for others has been urgent. Our school population is increasing from three to five hundred a year, and notwithstanding much has been done in past years to provide school accommodations, yet our growth in population is far ahead of the increase of school room. The rural districts are all provided with suitable school houses, with the exception of the Barker's Mills District, whose dilapidated house is utterly unfit for school purposes. Measures ought to be taken at once to construct a new house in that district.

We had hoped that a new High School building would have been commenced ere this. The present High School building is entirely inadequate to the wants of this large and rapidly growing school. Indeed, the school is so cramped for room as already to suffer, while the scholars are driven to the street in order to obtain any play ground. When the new class shall enter, in September, the school will suffer worse than ever from its crowded condition; and unless new and larger accommodations shall be erected the coming year, the Committee will be compelled to refuse the admission of new scholars to the school. The first business to which the new City Government should give attention, is that of a new High School building.

We desire to again call attention to the pressing demand for additional school room on Lincoln street. There are hundreds of scholars in that locality, who cannot be brought within the influence of our public schools, simply for the reason that there is no school room for them. Even the Mill St. house and the house temporarily located near the Androscoggin railroad, are in dangerous localities, and utterly unfit for school purposes. Shall this state of things longer exist?

Two years since, the City enlarged their lot on Main street, with a view of erecting a large brick school house there. The house was needed then in order to obviate the necessity of re-



quiring parents living in that part of the city to send their children to Oak street. Now scholars residing near Oak street are demanding nearly all the room in those houses, and unless a new house shall be constructed this season on Main street, the prospect is that by another year there will be no room anywhere for new scholars in that part of the city. We would earnestly recommend that measures be taken to secure the construction of this house.

In a new and rapidly growing community like this, it is to be expected that large expenditures will be called for for school buildings. That is the price of growth, yet this demand should be fully met, as a measure of economy, as well as safety. We are building for posterity, and posterity will expect to pay a part of all such expenditures. In other expenditures we can put off and temporize, but if we defer providing for the wants of our public schools, we shall find that the children who ought to have been educated and saved, will have passed beyond our influence and wandered into forbidden paths.

Respectfully submitted.

NELSON DINGLEY, JR.,  
 A. M. JONES,  
 D. T. WRIGHT,  
 M. T. LUDDEN,  
 C. I. BARKER,  
 P. MCGILLICUDDY,  
 A. D. THORN,  
 S. YORK,  
 J. G. COBURN,  
 E. M. HAYNES,  
 P. N. DEXTER,  
 W. H. STEVENS,  
 J. P. GILL,

SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF LEWISTON.

Lewiston, March 1, 1872.

# RULES AND REGULATIONS

ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF  
LEWISTON IN RELATION TO

## GUNPOWDER.

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SECTION 1. No person shall keep or have in any shop, store, dwelling house or tenement, in the City of Lewiston, at any one time, a larger quantity of gunpowder than one pound, unless he is licensed by the Mayor and Aldermen to keep and sell gunpowder, or except as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2. It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to sell any gunpowder which may at the time be within said city, in any quantity, by wholesale or retail, without having first obtained from the Mayor and Aldermen a license to sell gunpowder, and every license shall be written or printed, and duly signed by the Mayor, on a paper, upon which shall be written or printed a copy of the rules and regulations established by the city relative to keeping, selling and transporting gunpowder within said city; and every such license shall be in force one year from the date thereof, unless revoked by the Mayor and Aldermen; but such license may, prior to its expiration, be renewed by an endorsement thereon by the Mayor, for the further term of one year, and so from year to year; *provided*, always, that it may at any time be rescinded or revoked by the Mayor and Aldermen, for good and sufficient reasons.

SEC. 3. Every person who shall receive a license to sell gunpowder, as aforesaid, shall pay for the same to the Treasurer of the city the sum of three dollars, and for each renewal of the same the sum of one dollar. And any person or persons so licensed shall place, or constantly keep in a conspicuous place, over, or at the side of the front door of the building in which said powder is kept for sale, a sign, on which shall be inscribed in plain, legible letters, the words following, viz: "Licensed to keep and sell gunpowder."

SEC. 4. No person licensed as aforesaid, shall have or keep in any store, shop, dwelling house or other tenement, or in any place whatever, within the said city, at any one time, any larger quantity of gunpowder than thirty pounds, except the same be kept in a City Powder Magazine, or in some place which may be specially designated and approved by the Mayor and Aldermen, for the storage of gunpowder.

SEC. 5. Every person so licensed, shall provide himself with a strongly made copper chest or box, with two handles, and a closely fitting cover, well secured with hinges and lock, all of copper, which shall always be kept locked, except when opened to put in or take out powder; and the keg or canister in which said powder may be, shall be kept in said chest or box, which shall at all times be placed within eight feet of the outer front door of the building in which it is kept, and in no other part of said building, unless by permission expressed in the license.

SEC. 6. No gunpowder shall be conveyed in or through the city in any carriage other than one approved by the Mayor and Aldermen for that purpose, excepting, however, that a quantity not exceeding four kegs, of twenty-five pounds each, may be transported through, or removed in the city, if placed in tight casks, enclosed in strong leather bags, on which shall be legibly marked the word "Gunpowder." And in no case shall powder remain on board any vehicle for a longer time than is necessary for its removal.

SEC. 7. The Mayor and Aldermen shall annually, in the month of March, or as soon thereafter as may be, appoint a keeper of the City Gunpowder Magazine, who shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties of his office, and shall give bond in such sum and with such sureties as may be prescribed by them for the faithful performance of his duties. He shall receive and safely keep in said magazine, all powder lawfully brought there for deposit, and deliver the same to the owner thereof, or his order, when requested, for such fees, to be paid to him by said owner, as may be established therefor, but in strict obedience to these regulations.

SEC. 8. These rules and regulations shall not apply to any person or persons on military duty in the public service of the United States, or of this State, nor to any person or persons not

inhabitants of this city, until personal notice shall have been given of such rules and regulations.

SEC. 9. Every person violating any of these rules and regulations, will be liable to a fine of not less than twenty nor more than one hundred dollars, as provided in Chapter 26 of the Revised Statutes.

IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, }  
Oct. 28th, A. D. 1865. }

Read and adopted.

E. P. TOBIE, *City Clerk.*

Approved Oct. 28th, A. D. 1865.

WM. P. FRYE, *Mayor.*

# SALARIES OF CITY OFFICERS.

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*Ordered:* That the salaries of the several City Officers for the year beginning the third Monday in March A. D. 1872, shall be as follows—to be paid quarterly unless otherwise ordered:

*First.* The salary of the Mayor shall be at the rate of three hundred dollars per annum.

*Second.* The salary of the City Clerk shall be at the rate of four hundred dollars per annum, which sum shall be in full for all services and all assistance he may require.

*Third.* The salary of the Clerk of the Common Council shall be at the rate of fifty dollars per annum.

*Fourth.* The salary of the City Treasurer shall be at the rate of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

*Fifth.* The Collector of Taxes shall receive three-fourths ( $\frac{3}{4}$ ) of one per cent. on the net amount of taxes collected.

*Sixth.* The salary of the Auditor of Accounts shall be at the rate of two hundred dollars per annum.

*Seventh.* The salary of the City Solicitor shall be at the rate of two hundred and fifty dollars per annum, which shall be in full for all services rendered by virtue of ordinances of the City, and also in full for all services rendered in the Municipal Court, at the request of the City Marshal, in prosecutions under the law for the suppression of the sale of intoxicating liquors.

*Eighth.* The salary of the City Physician shall be at the rate of two hundred dollars per annum, in full for all fees for services rendered to paupers.

*Ninth.* The salary of the Board of the Overseers of the Poor shall be at the rate of four hundred dollars per annum.

*Tenth.* The salary of the Board of Assessors shall be at rate of seven hundred dollars per annum; and whenever Assistant Assessors are elected, they shall be paid at the rate of

two dollars and fifty cents per day, their time to be approved by the chairman of the Board of Assessors.

*Eleventh.* The salary of the Street Commissioner shall be at the rate of ten hundred dollars per annum.

*Twelfth.* The salary of the City Marshal shall be at the rate of one thousand dollars per annum, which sum shall be in full for all services and expenses incurred in performance of duty; and all fees received by him from time to time, and as often as once in three months, shall be paid into the City Treasury.

*Thirteenth.* The salary of the Day and Night and all Special and Extra Police shall be at the rate of two dollars per day for actual service, the account of time to be approved by the City Marshal; and all fees received by any of the Police Officers for attendance as witnesses before the Municipal Court, or in any official capacity, shall be paid to the City Treasurer.

*Fourteenth.* The salary of the Chief Engineer shall be at the rate of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, and of each Assistant Engineer at the rate of fifty dollars per annum.

*Fifteenth.* The compensation of Engine Company No. 1 shall be at the rate of four hundred and fifty dollars per annum, and Androscoggin No. 3 and Hose Company shall receive six hundred and seventy-five dollars per annum, to be paid as follows: two hundred and fifty dollars to the Engineer, seventy-five dollars to the Assistant Engineer, seventy-five dollars to the Fireman; the balance, two hundred and seventy-five dollars, to be divided among the remaining members of the Company. For services other than at fires, there shall be paid two dollars per day to each man while actually employed, time to be approved by Board of Engineers, and also fifty dollars for a steward. The salary of the Hook and Ladder Company shall be at the rate of two hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

*Sixteenth.* The salary of the Assistant City Marshal shall be at the rate of seven hundred dollars per annum.

*Seventeenth.* Steamer Liberty No. 4 and Hose Company shall receive six hundred and seventy-five dollars per annum, to be paid as follows: two hundred and fifty dollars to the Engineer, seventy-five dollars to the Assistant Engineer, seventy-five dollars to the Fireman; the balance, two hundred seventy-five dollars, to be divided among the remaining mem-

bers of the Company. For services other than at fires there shall be paid two dollars per day to each man while actually employed, time to be approved by Board of Engineers; and also fifty dollars for a steward.

*Eighteenth.* The salary of Superintendent of Schools shall be at the rate of two thousand dollars per annum.

# STATISTICS OF LEWISTON.

## POPULATION.

1830—1,549	1850—4,584	1863— 8,761
1840—1,801	1856—5,783	1870—13,602
	1860—7,424	

## VOTE FOR GOVERNOR.

1863—Cony, 973.	Bradbury, 361.
1864—Cony, 875.	Howard, 242.
1865—Cony, 520.	Howard, 120.
1866—Chamberlain, 1,183.	Pillsbury, 263.
1867—Chamberlain, 791.	Pillsbury, 304.
1868—Chamberlain, 1,356.	Pillsbury, 621.
1869—Chamberlain, 681.	Smith, 272. Hichborn, 77.
1870—Perham, 623.	Roberts, 699.
1871—Perham, 1,293.	Kimball, 865.

## VOTE FOR MAYOR 1872.

For David Cowan, 1197; Joseph Pearson Gill, 670.

## VOTE FOR PRESIDENT.

1864—Lincoln, 934.	McClellan, 300.
1868—Grant, 1,307.	Seymour, 451.

## VALUATION.

	1871.
Real Estate,	\$9,015,320
Personal Property,	851,034
Amount of Real and Personal	9,866,354
Number of Polls, 2621, at	3.00 each
Amount of Taxes Assessed,	195,324.64
Rate per cent. 19 mills on a Dollar.	

## POPULATION OF THE CITIES OF MAINE IN 1870.

Augusta, 7,811	Biddeford, 10,282	Hallowell, 3,009
Bangor, 18,296	Calais, 5,945	Portland, 31,408
Bath, 7,378	Gardiner, 4,496	Lewiston, 13,602
Belfast, 5,293	Rockland, 7,074	

## POPULATION OF MAINE AND OF THE UNITED STATES.

According to the nine censuses from 1790 to 1870.

	Maine.	U. S.		Maine.	U. S.
1790,	97,540	3,296,897	1840,	501,763	17,060,454
1800,	151,719	5,304,541	1850,	583,169	23,191,074
1810,	288,705	7,239,814	1860,	628,600	31,429,891
1820,	298,335	9,628,191	1870,	626,915	38,555,983
1830,	399,436	12,866,020			



## TABLE OF TAXES.

YEAR.	VALUATION.	TAX ON \$1.	No. Polls.
1856	\$2,213,068	8 mills.	1,171
1857	2,451,991	9 "	1,146
1858	1,983,593	7½ "	1,119
1859	2,429,529	9 "	1,172
1860	2,509,104	9½ "	1,293
1861	2,974,414	10 "	1,669
1862	3,338,688	8½ "	1,525
1863	3,864,616	10 "	1,467
1864	4,024,202	20 "	1,636
1865	4,322,041	30 "	1,524
1866	4,957,699	30 "	1,958
1867	5,435,990	26 "	2,037
1868	5,615,568	25 "	2,244
1869	6,048,000	27 "	2,235
1870	6,271,719	30 "	2,426
1871	9,866,354	19 "	2,621

GOVERNMENT  
OF THE  
CITY OF LEWISTON,  
1872.

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MAYOR,  
DAVID COWAN.

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ALDERMEN,  
E. S. DAVIS, PRESIDENT.  
WARD No. 1.—JOHN F. PUTNAM.  
“ “ 2.—WILLIAM F. GARCELON.  
“ “ 3.—C. I. BARKER.  
“ “ 4.—E. S. DAVIS.  
“ “ 5.—CYRUS GREELY.  
“ “ 6.—WILLIAM S. ROGERS.  
“ “ 7.—H. B. BARTLETT.

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CITY CLERK,  
EDWARD P. TOBIE.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

GEO. A. CALLAHAN, PRESIDENT.

WARD 1.—A. M. JONES,  
JOSEPH H. DAY,  
ALONZO E. JACKSON.

WARD 2.—GEO. A. CALLAHAN,  
BENJ. LITCHFIELD,  
AI BROOKS.

WARD 3.—ABIAL DALEY,  
NATHANIEL E. SKELTON,  
P. P. GETCHELL.

WARD 4.—H. C. BRADFORD,  
O. M. MAXWELL,  
LINNEUS CHEETHAM.

WARD 5.—J. G. COBURN,  
N. R. LOUGEE,  
HORACE C. LITTLE.

WARD 6.—RICHARD SKELTON,  
BENJ. A. BAILEY,  
DAVID PHETEPLACE.

WARD 7.—JOHN GOSS,  
WM. F. MORRILL,  
JOHN S. P. HAM.

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CLERK OF COUNCIL.

D. HORACE HOLMAN.

## COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

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### JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

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#### FINANCE.

<i>The Mayor.</i>		<i>Councilmen.</i>
		Geo. A. Callahan.
<i>Alderman.</i>		J. G. Coburn,
E. S. Davis.		A. M. Jones.

#### ACCOUNTS.

<i>Alderman.</i>		<i>Councilmen.</i>
C. I. Barker.		Ai Brooks,
		Joseph H. Day.

#### PUBLIC PROPERTY.

<i>Aldermen.</i>		<i>Councilmen.</i>
Wm. S. Rogers,		Benj. Litchfield,
John F. Putnam.		Richard Skelton,
		J. S. P. Ham.

#### STREETS, HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES, &C.

<i>The Mayor.</i>		<i>Councilmen.</i>
<i>Alderman.</i>		J. S. P. Ham,
H. B. Bartlett.		Horace C. Little,
		H. C. Bradford.

#### DRAINS AND SEWERS.

<i>Aldermen.</i>		<i>Councilmen.</i>
Wm. F. Garcelon,		A. E. Jackson,
Wm. S. Rogers.		Benj. Litchfield,
		Abial Daley.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

<i>Aldermen.</i>		<i>Councilmen.</i>
Cyrus Greely,		Benj. A. Bailey.
H. B. Bartlett.		N. R. Lougee.
		P. P. Getchell.

## JOINT COMMITTEES.

## SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL HOUSES.

<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
C. I. Barker, Cyrus Greely.	J. G. Coburn, David Pheteplace, Wm. F. Morrill.

## ENGROSSED BILLS AND ORDINANCES.

<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
John F. Putnam, Wm. F. Garcelon.	O. M. Maxwell, N. E. Skelton, Alonzo E. Jackson.

## PRINTING.

<i>Alderman.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Wm. F. Garcelon.	Richard Skelton, O. M. Maxwell.

## JOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
John F. Putnam, Wm. F. Garcelon.	A. M. Jones, J. G. Coburn, B. A. Bailey.

## SPECIAL COMMITTEES OF COMMON COUNCIL.

## RULES AND ORDERS.

A. M. Jones, J. G. Coburn, B. A. Bailey.

## STANDING COMMITTEES

OF THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

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*Police.*—Mayor, E. S. Davis, John F. Putnam.

*Elections.*—H. B. Bartlett, Wm. F. Garcelon, Cyrus Greely.

*Licenses.*—C. I. Barker, William S. Rogers, William F. Garcelon.

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## STANDING COMMITTEES

OF THE COMMON COUNCIL.

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*Contingent Expenses.*—John Goss, Alonzo E. Jackson, David Pheteplace.

*Elections and Returns.*—Linneus Cheetham, P. P. Getchell, John Goss.

# CITY OFFICERS.

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JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT,

ALBION K. P. KNOWLTON.

(Chosen by the Citizens March, 1872, to serve four years.)

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## CITY OFFICERS

CHOSEN BY THE CITY COUNCIL IN MARCH 1872.

*City Treasurer.*—John S. Adams.

*Collector of Taxes.*—John F. Putnam,

*City Solicitor.*—Mandeville T. Ludden.

*City Physician.*—Eli Edgecomb.

*Auditor of Accounts.*—Geo. A. Chandler.

*Assessors of Taxes.*—Archibald Wakefield, John Y. Scruton, David Farrar.

*Overseers of Poor.*—J. S. P. Ham, David Farrar, John Garner.

*Street Commissioner.*—William Lydston.

*Constables.*—John F. Putnam, Noah Litchfield, Joseph Blethen, James T. Small, Joseph Miller, Hiram Snow, David Farrar, J. D. Coombs, Geo. Garside, N. L. Fogg, J. J. Davis, P. M. Thurlow, O. M. Maxwell, J. F. Pierce, John B. Straw, B. F. Tarbox, E. R. Noble, I. C. Downs, John Given, Wm. Crowley, James Weymouth, A. J. Hinkley, O. G. Douglass, T. B. Norris, John C. Farr, Barnard Kelly, Edward Ryan, James M. Steadman, H. H. Richardson, C. Faught, H. Rose, Benj. Collins, W. Philips, A. E. Hall, John Owen, W. P. Loughton, A. C. Mitchell, John F. Emerson, J. S. Morgan.

*Surveyors of Lumber.*—E. R. Noble, John N. Small, Cyrus

Greely, John N. Wood, Chas. B. Chandler, Randall W. Clark, A. E. Frost, Lyman Prescott, R. E. Hathaway, B. A. Bailey, C. P. Wellman, I. C. Downs, O. M. Maxwell, B. F. Emery, Nelson Howard, Andrew Hall, D. B. Jones, James Randall, Henry E. Wood, Geo. W. Crockett, W. A. Shackford, Geo. F. Pierce, W. C. Bailey, Hilman Smith, Seth Chandler.

*Measurers of Wood and Bark.*—T. B. Thompson, John F. Putnam, N. R. Lougee, Isaac Golder, C. F. Nevens, A. F. Merrill, Dexter Blethen, Nelson Ham, A. F. Graham, B. A. Bailey, J. B. Tracy, H. E. Wood, I. C. Downs, W. R. Wright, Samuel W. Libby, W. A. Shackford, John Given, John Garner, John N. Small.

*Superintendent of Burials.*—T. B. Thompson.

*Culler of Staves.*—John A. Davis.

*Fence Viewers.*—Joseph Jackson, Nelson Ham, Seth Chandler, Jr.

*Pound Keeper.*—Westly Blanchard.

*Sealer of Leather.*—A. P. White.

*Sextons.*—B. C. Taylor, Ezra Carville, W. F. Dingley, Joseph Blethen, Wm. Collins, Paris Bond, James Garcelon 2d, C. F. Nevens, Rufus Carr.

*Tything Men.*—P. N. Dexter, James Wood, A. M. Jones, J. K. Blanchard, S. H. Murray, Joseph Blethen, James Randall, Wm. Collins, John Robinson.

*Committee on Reduction of City Debt.*—A. M. Jones, J. G. Coburn, Ai Brooks.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

*Chief Engineer.*—Lewis C. Peck.

*Assistant Engineers.*—Cyrus Greely, Daniel S. Fitzgerald, Warren E. Pressey, N. R. Lougee.



## CITY OFFICERS.

APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

*City Marshal*—H. H. Richardson.

*Assistant Marshal*—Benjamin F. Tarbox.

*Police*—Columbus Faught, Hiram B. Rose, Benj. Collins, Washington Phillips, John C. Farr, Albert E. Hall, John Owen.

*Special Police*—O. G. Douglass, Samuel R. Kincaid, E. D. Wiggin, John F. Emerson, Edward Ryan, George W. Wright, Daniel Crossman, E. R. Noble, Wm. Walsh, Joseph Blethen, Wm. Crowley, Ham Brooks, John C. Jepson, J. T. Small, James Weymouth, E. Sevey, Sewell Bagley, Calvin Estes, John Pinkham, Jacob M. Mace, J. J. Davis, Wm. Collins, Page Pingree, J. S. P. Ham, Charles F. Nevens, Hiram Snow, Thomas Crush.

*Sunday Police*—John F. Emerson, George Garside, H. M. Brown, A. C. Mitchell.

*Sealer of Weights and Measures*—Isaac G. Curtis.

*Liquor Agent*—Isaac G. Curtis.

## WARD OFFICERS, 1872.

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WARDEN.	WARD CLERK.
Ward 1—A. B. Furbish.	L. C. Dunham.
“ 2—John F. Pierce.	Jos. A. Stevens.
“ 3—H. H. Beacham.	C. H. Sprague.
“ 4—N. L. Fogg.	Frank A. Thurston.
“ 5—Wm. D. Pennell.	Chas. W. Warren.
“ 6—R. D. Sutherland.	A. K. Dennison.
“ 7—Gideon Perkins.	Wm. R. Wright.

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## SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE,

ELECTED MARCH, 1872.

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WARD 1.—L. G. Jordan.
“ 2.—Janus G. Elder.
“ 3.—Jacob L. Hayes.
“ 4.—D. Horace Holman.
“ 5.—J. G. Coburn.
“ 6.—Pardon N. Dexter.
“ 7.—Isaac Goddard, Jr.

**SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE,**  
**1871-72.**

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**ORGANIZATION OF THE COMMITTEE,**  
**FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR COMMENCING SEPT. 1ST, 1871,**  
**AND CLOSING SEPT. 1ST, 1872.**

*President*—N. DINGLEY, JR.

*Secretary*—A. M. JONES.

*Corresponding Secretary*—THOMAS TASH.

**COMMITTEE.**

WARD I.—\*Abial M. Jones, David T. Wright.

WARD II.—Nelson Dingley jr., \*M. T. Ludden.

WARD III.—\*C. I. Barker, P. McGillicuddy.

WARD IV.—\*A. D. Thorn, Samuel York.

WARD V.—\*Josiah G. Coburn, E. M. Haynes.

WARD VI.—\*P. N. Dexter, Menander Dennett.

WARD VII.—\*Wm. H. Stevens, J. P. Gill.

**SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.**  
**THOMAS TASH.**

Regular meetings of the Committee at the Superintendent's Office, the first Saturday evening of each month.

**STANDING SUB-COMMITTEES.**

**HIGH SCHOOL**—Dingley, Haynes, Coburn, Ludden, Gill.

**GRAMMAR SCHOOL**—Coburn, Stevens, Jones, Thorn, Wright.

**INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS**—Barker, Haynes, Thorn, McGillicuddy, Dexter.

**PRIMARY SCHOOLS**—Gill, Wright, Dexter, York, Dennett.

**TEACHERS AND INSTRUCTION**—Haynes, Coburn, Dingley.

\*Term of office expires September 1st, 1872; remaining members hold over until September 1st, 1873.

TEXT BOOKS AND SCHOOL APPLIANCES—Ludden, Coburn, Stevens.

SCHOOL ROOMS AND REPAIRS—Stevens, Barker, Coburn.

FUEL AND HEATING APPARATUS—Jones, McGillicuddy, Coburn.

ACCOUNTS—Coburn, Gill, Jones.

RURAL SCHOOLS—Barker's Mills, Dingley; College Road, Wright; Thorne, Jones; Jackson, Ludden; Sabattus Road, Coburn; Sabattisville, Barker; Scribner, Dennett; No-Name Pond, Gill; Crowley, Haynes; Pine Woods, York; Ferry, Thorn; River Road, Dexter; Rose Hill, No. 13, Stevens; Rose Hill, No. 14, McGillicuddy.

## SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS, 1871-72.

HIGH SCHOOL—Wm. H. Lambert, Principal; Misses Bartlett, Towle and Gilman, Assistants.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL—J. S. Barrell, Principal; Misses Sanford, M. J. Ham, Allen, Lyford, Glidden, Rich and Lord, Assistants.

UNGRADED SCHOOLS—Miss Hunter.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS—*Grammar School Building* (1st Class) Miss Melcher; *Oak Street* (1st Class) E. M. Balkam; *Bates Street* (1st Class) Miss Williams; *Bates Street* (2d Class) Martha Rogers; *Bates Street* (2d Class) H. C. Weymouth; *Oak Street* (2d Class) Miss Butts; *Lincoln Street* (2d Class) Miss Trott.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS—*Main Street* (1st Class) C. A. Skinner; *Oak Street* (1st Class) E. M. Read; *Bates Street* (1st Class) E. L. Burnham; *Lincoln Street* (1st Class) Miss Frank; *Mill Street* (1st and 2d Classes) Miss N. G. Ham; *College Street* (2d Class) F. D. James; *Oak Street* (2d Class) D. F. James; *Bates Street* (2d Class) R. J. Day; *Bates Street* (2d Class) H. E. Emery; *Lincoln Street* (2d Class) Mrs. Bagley; *Main Street* (3d Class) Miss Pettengill; *Bridge Street* (3d Class) J. M. Skelton; *Oak Street* (3d Class) Sarah Boothby;

*Bates Street* (3d Class) N. F. Read; *Bates Street* (3d Class) Miss Barrell; *Lincoln Street* (3d Class) Miss Bryant; *Lincoln Street* (3d Class) Misses A. W. Skelton and Barker; *Lincoln Street, Gas House* (3d Class) Miss Holland.

RURAL SCHOOLS—*Barker's Mills*—Miss Dunlap; *Jackson*, Miss Quimby; *College Road*—Miss Dunn; *Thorne*—J. H. Libby; *Sabattus Road*—E. W. Bixby; *No-Name Pond*—A. M. Libby; *Sabattusville*—N. Skinner; *Scribner*—Miss Carville; *River Road*—Miss Jackson; *Pine Woods*—E. J. Ham; *Ferry*—Miss Cartland; *Clough*—M. E. Libby; *Rose Hill* (No. 13) E. E. Bixby; *Rose Hill* (No. 14)—Miss Dickey.

CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON,  
1863.

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## MAYOR.

JACOB B. HAM.

## ALDERMEN.

Stephen I. Abbott,  
David M. Ayer,  
Edward Clark,  
Marshall French,  
Abial M. Jones,  
Samuel W. Kilvert,  
Thomas D. Thorne.

## CITY CLERK.

Edward P. Tobie.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

JOSIAH G. COBURN, *President*.

Rhodes A. Budlong, George A. Clark, Jeremiah Crowley,  
Jr., Ezekiel S. Davis, Hersey Day, Joseph S. Garcelon, William  
F. Garcelon, Cyrus Greely, Converse J. Pettengill, George H.  
Pilsburv, Jordan K. Piper, John Y. Scruton, Wm. H. Stevens,  
James Wood.

## CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

\*Samuel H. Garcelon.

†William J. Burnham.

\* Resigned during the year.

† Elected to fill vacancy.

# CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON, 1864.

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MAYOR.

JACOB B. HAM.

ALDERMEN.

Ward No. 1.	Abial M. Jones.
“ “ 2.	Samuel W. Kilvert.
“ “ 3.	Alonzo Garcelon.
“ “ 4.	Linneus Cheetham.
“ “ 5.	Josiah G. Coburn.
“ “ 6.	Stephen I. Abbott.
“ “ 7.	Edward Clark.

CITY CLERK.

Edward P. Tobie.

COMMON COUNCIL.

GEORGE H. PILSBURY, *President*.

WARD No. 1.—Seth Chandler, Daniel Holland, Converse J. Pettengill.

WARD No. 2.—Josiah Day, Cyrus Greeley, Alpheus C. Locke.

WARD No. 3.—Timothy E. Fogg, John Y. Scruton, George Webb.

WARD No. 4.—George H. Chandler, Samuel E. May, A. Byron Reed.

WARD No. 5.—Joseph P. Fessenden, Henry C. Goodenow, George H. Pilsbury.

WARD No. 6.—Jordan K. Piper, William S. Rogers, Chester C. Thing.

WARD No. 7.—Joseph Blethen, John B. Garcelon, William Stevens.

CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

William J. Burnham.

CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON,  
1865.

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MAYOR.  
WILLIAM P. FRYE.

ALDERMEN.

Ward No. 1.	Abial M. Jones.
“ “ 2.	Josiah Day.
“ “ 3.	Timothy E. Fogg.
“ “ 4.	Henry C. Goodenow.
“ “ 5.	Marshall French.
“ “ 6.	*Lorenzo L. Shaw. †Allen P. Winslow.
“ “ 7.	Geo. H. Pilsbury.

CITY CLERK.

Edward P. Tobie.

COMMON COUNCIL.

WILLIAM H. STEVENS, *President*.

Ward No. 1.—Daniel Holland, Converse J. Pettengill, Lewis C. Peck.

Ward No. 2.—Lothrop L. Blake, Cyrus Greely, John N. Wood.

Ward No. 3.—George Webb, Theophilus B. Thompson, Plummer C. Tarbox.

WARD No. 4.—George H. Chandler, Benj. R. Cotton, Albert O. Morgan.

WARD No. 5.—Joseph P. Fessenden, Wells W. Ayer, Geo. A. Clark.

WARD No. 6.—William S. Rogers, Benj. A. Bailey, R. E. Patterson.

WARD No. 7.—Joseph Blethen, John B. Garcelon, William H. Stevens.

CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

William H. Kilvert.

\*Resigned during the year.

†Elected to fill vacancy.



# CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON, 1866.

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## MAYOR.

WILLIAM P. FRYE.

## ALDERMEN.

Ward No. 1.	Daniel Holland.
“ “ 2.	*Samuel W. Kilvert. †Seth Chandler.
“ “ 3.	Timothy E. Fogg.
“ “ 4.	*Henry C. Goodenow. †Albert O. Morgan.
“ “ 5.	Marshall French.
“ “ 6.	Benjamin A. Bailey.
“ “ 7.	Geo. H. Pillsbury.

## CITY CLERK.

Edward P. Tobie.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

GEO. A. CLARK, *President*.

WARD No. 1.—Lewis C. Peck, Thomas D. Thorn, Sylvanus D. Thomas.

WARD No. 2.—Ransom C. Pingree, John Goss, John H. Randall.

WARD No. 3.—Theophilus B. Thompson, George Webb, Plummer C. Tarbox.

WARD No. 4.—Albert O. Morgan, Emery O. Bicknell, Ira W. Coburn.

WARD No. 5.—George A. Clark, Wells W. Ayer, John W. Danielson.

WARD No. 6.—Samuel B. Parmenter, John W. Farwell,  
\*Edward M. Dearborn, †D. B. Sanderson.

WARD No. 7.—Noah Litchfield, Horace B. Bartlett, Joshua D. Rollins.

## CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

William H. Kilvert.

\* Resigned during the year.

† Elected to fill vacancy.

CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON,  
1867.

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## MAYOR.

GEORGE H. PILSBURY.

## ALDERMEN.

Ward No. 1.	Thomas D. Thorne.
“ “ 2.	Ransom C. Pingree.
“ “ 3.	Mark Lowell.
“ “ 4.	Albert O. Morgan.
“ “ 5.	George A. Clark.
“ “ 6.	Jordan K. Piper.
“ “ 7.	Ebenezer Ham.

## CITY CLERK.

Edward P. Tobie.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

JOSIAH G. COBURN, *President*.

WARD No. 1.—Abial M. Jones, \*David T. French, Albion K. P. Knowlton, †Lyman Prescott.

WARD No. 2.—John Goss, Albert B. Nealey, Levi W. Gilman.

WARD No. 3.—Isaac G. Curtis, Isaac R. Hall, James B. Tracy.

WARD No. 4.—Ira W. Coburn, John D. Stetson, James Wrigley.

WARD No. 5.—Josiah G. Coburn, John W. Danielson, Samuel B. Harmon.

WARD No. 6.—Samuel B. Parmenter, John W. Farwell, \*George W. Bean, †Pardon N. Dexter.

WARD No. 7.—Horace B. Bartlett, Noah Litchfield, Natt E. Davis.

## CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

Edward P. Tobie, Jr.

\*Resigned during the year.

†Elected to fill vacancy.

# CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON, 1868.

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MAYOR.  
ISAAC N. PARKER.

ALDERMEN.	
WARD No. 1.	*Abial M. Jones. †Joseph P. Fessenden.
“ “ 2.	Ransom C. Pingree.
“ “ 3.	Patrick McGillicuddy.
“ “ 4.	Jesse S. Lyford.
“ “ 5.	*James Sands. †William J. Burnham.
“ “ 6.	Stephen I. Abbott.
“ “ 7.	Horace B. Bartlett.

CITY CLERK.  
Edward P. Tobie.

COMMON COUNCIL.  
JOSIAH G. COBURN, *President*.

WARD No. 1.—A. K. P. Knowlton, James Wood, Dan Whittum.

WARD No. 2.—Albert B. Nealy, Joel Nevens, Seth Chandler.

WARD No. 3.—George Webb, Theophilus Thompson, Harmon Dixon.

WARD No. 4.—James Wrigley, William H. Monroe, John A. Rodick.

WARD No. 5.—Josiah G. Coburn, David Cowan, Benjamin T. Emery.

WARD No. 6.—John W. Farwell, Pardon N. Dexter, John B. Cotton.

WARD No. 7.—John B. Garcelon, Joseph Blethen, Daniel B. Jones.

CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.  
Edward P. Tobie, Jr.

\*Resigned during the year.

†Elected to fill vacancy.

CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON,  
1869.

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## MAYOR.

ISAAC N. PARKER.

## ALDERMEN.

WARD No. 1.	Joseph P. Fessenden,
“ “ 2.	Jacob B. Ham.
“ “ 3.	Milton C. Wedgewood.
“ “ 4.	James Wrigley.
“ “ 5.	William J. Burnham.
“ “ 6.	Stephen I. Abbott.
“ “ 7.	Noah Litchfield.

## CITY CLERK.

Edward P. Tobie.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

JOSIAH G. COBURN, *President*.

WARD No. 1.—John F. Putnam, John N. Wood, Daniel Wood.

WARD No. 2.—William Robinson, Martin A. Jones, Wm. F. Garcelon.

WARD No. 3.—Joseph H. Day, C. I. Barker, H. H. Richardson.

WARD No. 4.—John A. Rodick, George Hanson, Horace W. Barbour.

WARD No. 5.—Josiah G. Coburn, David Cowan, Richard R. Ricker.

WARD No. 6.—John W. Farwell, Elijah M. Shaw, Joseph A. Peirce.

WARD No. 7.—John B. Garcelon, Jason Rand, Daniel B. Jones.

## CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

Edward P. Tobie, Jr.

# CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON, 1870.

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## MAYOR.

WILLIAM H. STEVENS.

## ALDERMEN.

WARD No. 1.	A. K. P. Knowlton.
“ “ 2.	Mandeville T. Ludden.
“ “ 3.	Alonzo Garcelon.
“ “ 4.	Isaac C. Downs.
“ “ 5.	David Cowan.
“ “ 6.	William S. Rogers.
“ “ 7.	H. B. Bartlett.

## CITY CLERK.

Edward P. Tobie.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

JOHN F. PUTNAM, *President.*

WARD No. 1.—John F. Putnam, Alonzo D. Morton, Albert B. Furbish.

WARD No. 2.—Edward H. Cummings, Albert E. Frost, J. L. H. Cobb.

WARD No. 3.—Cyrus I. Barker, Roscoe C. Reynolds, H. H. Richardson.

WARD No. 4.—Aaron D. Thorne, Buel W. Dean, Rufus Carr.

WARD No. 5.—R. R. Ricker, Cyrus Greely, Josiah G. Coburn.

WARD No. 6.—Benj. P. Lowell, Joseph A. Pierce, Robert D. Sutherland, Jr.

WARD No. 7.—Jesse T. Stevens, William R. Wright, James Garcelon Jr.

## CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

J. Frank Boothby.

# CITY GOVERNMENT OF LEWISTON, 1871.

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MAYOR.  
ALONZO GARCELON.

ALDERMEN.	
WARD No. 1.	John F. Putnam.
" " 2.	Mandeville T. Ludden.
" " 3.	David F. Noyes.
" " 4.	George A. Drew.
" " 5.	David Cowan.
" " 6.	*Stephen I. Abbott. †William S. Rogers.
" " 7.	J. P. Gill.

CITY CLERK.  
Edward P. Tobie.

COMMON COUNCIL.  
ABIAL M. JONES, *President*.

WARD No. 1.—Alonzo D. Morton, Albert B. Furbish, Abial M. Jones.

WARD No. 2.—Albert E. Frost, Geo. A. Callahan, Benj. Litchfield.

WARD No. 3.—Roscoe C. Reynolds, Thomas Ward, E. B. Clark.

WARD No. 4.—Rufus Carr, John Riley, T. B. Rowell.

WARD No. 5.—Josiah G. Coburn, Cyrus Greely, Charles P. Wellman.

WARD No. 6.—Richard Skelton, David Phetepplace, \*Eaton Patterson, †Benjamin A. Bailey.

WARD No. 7.—Wm. J. Rodick, William R. Wright, Geo. W. Crockett.

CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

\* Fred B. Sands.

† H. D. Hall.

\* Resigned during the year.

† Elected to fill vacancy.



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