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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

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Valuation of Real Estate April 1, 1887, .....	\$222,278 00
“        Personal Estate April 1, 1887, .....	83,900 00
	\$306,178 00

Sum raised for support of schools, .....	\$1,340 00
“    “    for support of poor, .....	800 00
“    “    to defray town charges, .....	1,800 00
“    “    to pay on town debt, .....	500 00
“    “    to build school house, .....	500 00
“    “    to purchase school books, .....	100 00
“    “    for State tax, .....	1,156 17
“    “    for County tax, .....	638 75
Overlayings, .....	149 94
Supplemental tax, .....	33 20
	\$7,018 06

The above sum was committed to Wm. P. Winslow for collection.  
Number of polls, 297.    Rate of taxation, 20 mills.

### HIGHWAY TAX.

Sum raised, .....

	\$6,000 00
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Rate 17.5 mills.

This was committed to the highway surveyors, and God knows what has become of it.

## PAUPER ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance 1886, .....	\$813 94
sum raised, .. .. .	800 00
sum received for stock from town farm, . . . . .	704 43
sum received for cream from town farm, .....	150 65
sum received for sweet corn from town farm, . . . .	96 57
sum received for incidentals from town farm, . . . .	52 77
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	\$2,118 36

CR.

By paid R. Cooley, support of J. Kimball 1886, .....	8 00
M. Bigelow, support of A. R. Wells 1886, .....	11 26
J. Winslow, rent of house occupied by B. Magoon, . . .	8 25
W. B. Wilkins, work on town farm 1886, .....	116 75
Mrs. Jas. Stott, board of E. D. Mower, .....	25 00
John W. Berry, work on town farm, .....	28 00
Aaron Frost, supplies for town farm, .....	50 00
W. J. Foss, support of Amos Corson, 1886, . . . . .	37 49
D. Emery, supplies for town farm, . . . . .	25 54
Town of Brighton, support of J. Smart and C. York	33 91
Aaron Frost, supplies for town farm, .....	71 40
Mrs. Jas. Stott, board of E. D. Mower, . . . . .	25 00
Town of Wellington, support of A. Ellis and wife, . . .	87 55
Town of Corinna, support of Mrs. F. White, .....	18 25
I. O. Winslow, wood for Mrs. Andrews, .....	9 25
Town of Sangerville, support of J. H. Booker & fan	10 65
C. T. Skinner, supplies for town farm, .....	16 20
D. Emery, supplies for town farm and for J. White	15 71
Town of Newport, support of S. R. White & family	8 50
Dr. L. N. Ellingwood, medical services in families of J. S. Smart, Cyrus York and Amos Corson, ..	80 00
J. A. K. Hilton, harrow for town farm, .....	20 00
M. L. Merrill, expenses of Geo. Forsythe from Augusta, .....	9 25
M. L. Merrill, cash paid for A. Ellis and Evelyn Moore, .. .. .	7 65
W. H. Moore, use of bull for town farm, 1884, . . . .	1 50
Aaron Frost, stock and supplies for town farm, . . .	206 52
J. F. Hilton, stock and supplies for town farm, . . . .	184 87
Town of Brooks, support of Mary Hawkes, .....	44 00
Balance unexpended, .....	957 86
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	\$2,118 36

## TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.

DR.	
To value of farm Feb. 20, 1888, .....	\$2,525 00
value of stock Feb. 20, 1888, .....	559 00
value of farming tools Feb. 20, 1888, .....	230 00
value of provisions, .....	372 11
value of household furniture, .....	182 93
sum received for stock, .....	704 43
received for cream, .....	150 65
received for sweet corn, .....	96 57
received for incidentals, .....	52 77
balance, (cost of supporting paupers,) .....	305 92
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	\$5,179 38

CR.	
By value of farm Feb. 20, 1887, .....	\$2,500 00
value of stock Feb. 20, 1887, .....	810 20
value of farming tools Feb. 20, 1887, .....	218 80
value of provisions Feb. 20, 1887, .....	312 90
value of household furniture Feb. 20, 1887, .....	200 85
paid for stock, .....	198 50
paid for farming tools, .....	55 12
paid for feed for stock, .....	125 22
paid for household articles, .....	13 86
paid for provisions, .....	103 22
paid for clothing, .....	39 86
paid for building material, .....	23 71
paid for managers, .....	345 00
paid for work, .....	30 00
interest on investment, .....	202 14
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	\$5,179 38

Number of weeks board, 250. Cost per week, \$1.22.

## TOWN CHARGES ACCOUNT.

DR.	
To balance 1886, .....	\$ 910 77
sum raised .....	1800 00
overlays .....	149 94
supplementary taxes .....	33 20
hired to repair bridges and highways .....	300 00
Received for use of town hall and school house. ..	8 25
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	3,202 16



## TOWN CHARGES ACCOUNT CONTINUED.

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By paid A. B. Tyler repairs on highway.....	2 25
J. C. Raymond " " .....	15 74
Sewell C. Frost work on road .....	6 87
O. A. Parkman breaking roads 1886.....	31 47
A. Stinchfield repairing bridge 1886.....	7 25
Belden Southard part payment for building bridge .....	117 00
Wm. P. Winslow partial services as Collector for 1886 .....	150 00
Wm. P. Winslow partial services as Constable for 1886—7.....	6 00
M. L. Merrill cash paid to repair damage by freshet.....	28 50
H. C. Parsons insuring town buildings from 1887 to 1890.....	25 50
L. C. Dillingham for repairing damage by freshet.....	10 50
Crosby & Crosby services in case St. Albans vs. H. A. Hurd.....	50 00
A. S. Varney services as Constable 1885.....	6 00
J. F. Hilton repairing highways.....	7 50
L. W. Packard work on road.....	10 00
Geo. Tyler & Co. blades for road machine	8 00
W. P. Winslow by order B. Southard on bridge account.....	8 57
W. P. Winslow partial services as Collector for 1887 .....	80 00
Wilson Bigelow services as Constable 1886..	4 50
J. W. Chase support of M. McLuer at Augusta	69 10
I. O. Winslow repairing damage by freshet..	6 33
I. O. Winslow expenses Carrie Smart and Em- ma York to Hartford.....	20 10
J. L. Hersey damage to cow on bridge.....	5 00
J. Leach by order B. Southard on bridge acct.	19 92
R. L. Williams expenses in Amos Corson case	15 49
Perry Furbush lumber for bridge....	13 42
M. L. Merrill cash paid for labor and material for bridges .....	35 45
J. F. Hilton team and cash paid as expenses as Town Agent.....	29 25

## TOWN CHARGES ACCOUNT CONTINUED.

By paid J. F. Hilton services as Town Agent .....	24 29
J. F. Hilton cost of suit to recover town papers	14 00
D. Bugbee & Co. town books and stationery	14 00
O. S. Haskell printing reports for 1886.....	8 00
I. O. Winslow services as Supervisor .....	100 00
M. L. Merrill services as Selectman, including team and expenses .....	85 00
I. O. Winslow services as Selectman, includ- ing team and expenses .....	50 00
J. F. Hilton services as Selectman, including team and expenses.....	45 55
D. Foss services as Treasurer. . . . .	20 00
S. A. Maxim services as Town Clerk .....	5 00
order for discount.....	221 97
abatements 1884—5 .....	78 22
“ 1886.....	67 62
balance unexpended .....	1678 80
	<u>3,202 16</u>

## SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

## DR.

To balance unexpended 1886 .....	\$ 213 41
sum raised by vote of town.....	1340 00
received from the state.....	755 09
interest on school fund .....	71 40
sum raised to purchase books .....	100 00
	<u>2,479 90</u>

## CR.

By sum paid teachers .....	1548 80
“ for fuel and building fires.....	104 19
“ for repairs, renewals and incidentals....	122 28
“ for conveying scholars .....	15 00
“ for tuition in other towns... ..	80 64
“ for school books .....	100 00
balance unexpended .....	508 99
	<u>2,479 90</u>

## SCHOOL BUILDING ACCOUNT.

To sum raised .....	\$500 00	
By paid G. Damon for building....		\$490 00
Mrs. Hopkins for land.....		10 00
	<u>500 00</u>	<u>500 00</u>

## TOWN DEBT ACCOUNT.

To balance 1886 .....	\$ 291 12	
sum raised.....	500 00	
debt paid in excess of sums raised .....	227 13	
By old outstanding orders paid 1887.....		\$1018 25
	<u>1,018 25</u>	<u>1,018 25</u>

## TOTAL ORDERS DRAWN 1887.

For support of poor .. . . . .	\$1,186 09
"    schools .. . . . .	1,892 91
building school house.....	500 00
school books .. . . . .	100 00
To pay town charges.....	1,169 30
For renewal .. . . . .	110 25
interest .. . . . .	47 74
	<u>5,006 29</u>

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. MERRILL,	} Selectmen	
I. O. WINSLOW,		} of
J. F. HILTON,		} St. Albans.



