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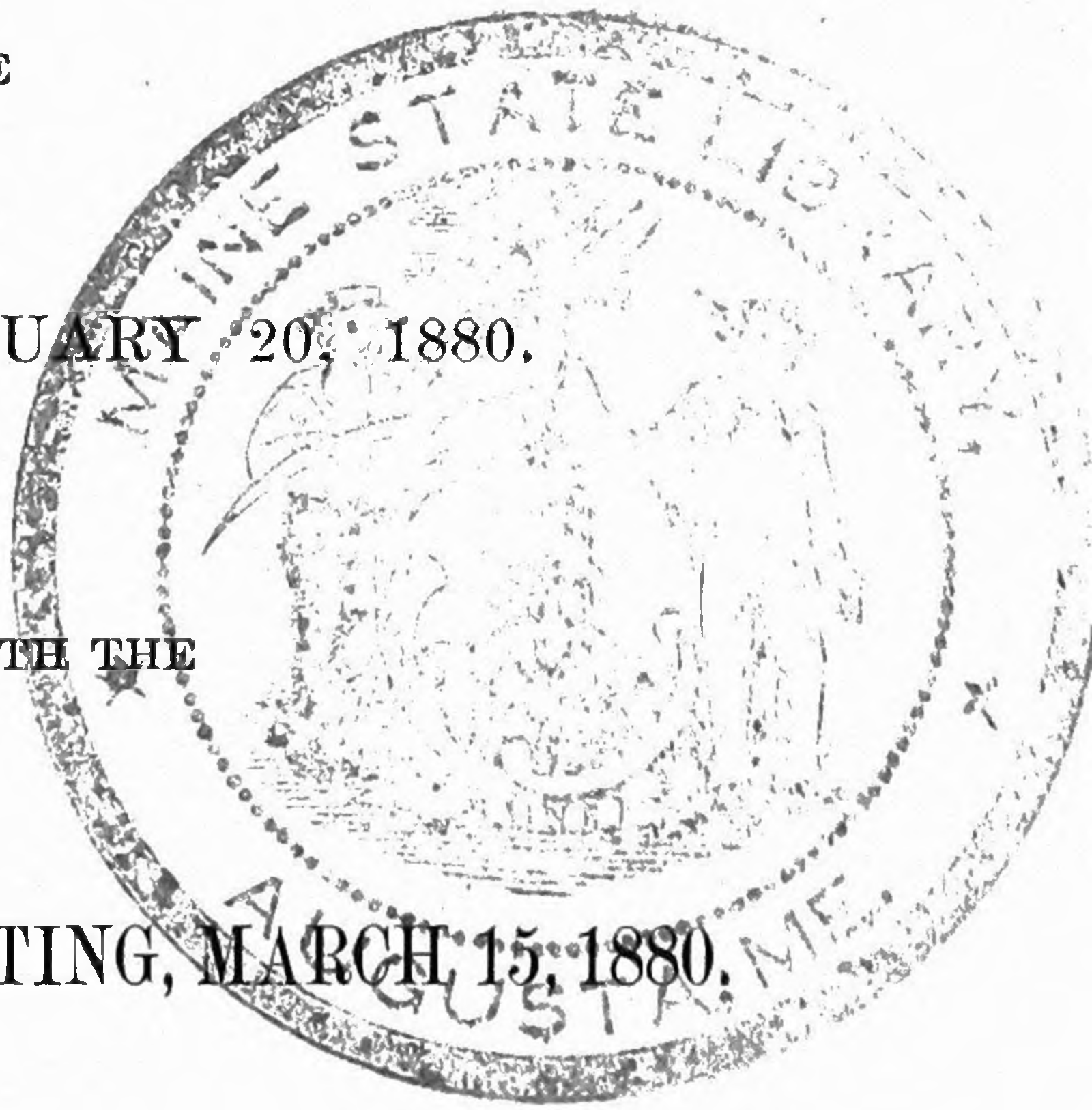
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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE
TOWN OF WATERVILLE

FOR THE
YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 20, 1880.
TOGETHER WITH THE
WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING, MARCH 15, 1880.



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WATERVILLE:
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1880.

TOWN OFFICERS.

LEONARD D. CARVER,

TOWN CLERK.

S. I. ABBOTT,

C. E. MITCHELL,

L. E. THAYER,

SELECTMEN.

D. N. SHELDON,

J. G. SOULE,

M. LYFORD,

SCHOOL COMEITTEE.

E. H. PIPER.

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR.

NATHANIEL MEADER,

AUDITOR.

C. R. McFADDEN,

NATHANIEL MEADER,

F. E. HEATH,

CEMETERY COMMITTEE.

C. G. CARLETON,

INSPECTOR OF POLICE.

H. G. TOZIER, CHIEF ;

J. D. HAYDEN, 1ST ASSISTANT, C. R. SHOREY, 2D ASSISTANT,

ENGINEERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

48216

REPORT.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 20, 1880.

Common Schools,	\$2700 00
Free High School,	1500 00
Roads and bridges,	2500 00
Support of poor,	3500 00
Current Expense,	2000 00
Coupons, Interest on bonded debt,	2500 00
Interest,	600 00
Night Watch,	500 00
Lighting Streets,	500 00
Monument Park, to reimburse G. L. Robinson,	100 00
Fire Department,	2000 00
Damages on Maple St. and building same,	250 00
Temporary Liabilities,	4000 00
Deficiencies in overdrawing accounts for the year ending Feb. 20, 1879, as follows:	
Current Expense,	467 42
Roads,	755 71
New Roads,	687 91
Ticonic Bridge,	969 42
Monument Park,	9 28
Pine Grove Cemetery,	118 15
Fire Department,	845 29
Interest,	1402 73
Paupers,	963 68
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<hr/> 28,869 59

<i>Amount brought forward :</i>	\$28,869 59
State tax for 1879,	5337 56
County " "	2214 25
Overlayings by Assessors in making taxes,	1349 51
Supplemental tax,	329 20
	<hr/> 9,230 52
	<hr/> \$38,100 11

VALUATION AND TAX.

Total value of real estate, 1,607,500 at 16 mills,	\$25,720 00
personal estate, 582.132 " "	9,314 11
988 polls at \$3 each,	2,964 00
102 dogs at \$1 each,	102 00
	<hr/> 38,100 11

EXPENDITURES ON COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

1879—

March 5	F. A. Moor, wood,	\$22 97
7	A. E. Shores, "	22 50
8	Isaiah Grant, cleaning vaults,	12 00
8	Thomas Smart, labor,	5 70
15	Walter Getchell, wood,	7 50
15	E. H. Piper, paid for sawing wood,	2 65
29	I. B. Clifford, care of school room,	4 00
April 5	F. A. Moor, wood,	97 50
7	C. H. Youngman, care of rooms,	9 00
12	E. H. Smiley, Chemicals and duster,	6 24
16	Mitchell & Co. clock,	5 00
25	Geo. E. Shores, wood,	5 62
25	J. D. Hayden, labor and materials	15 60
30	Geo. S. Flood, coal,	34 80
May 3	C. K. Mathews, text-books,	10 81
5	L. W. Judkins, labor,	2 25
22	Mary Ranco, cleaning,	5 00
30	J. D. Hayden, labor and materials.	4 63
June 2	C. A. Henrickson, text-books,	30 24

Amount carried forward,

\$304 01

Amount brought forward,

\$304 01

June	21	Isaiah Grant, cleaning vaults,	13 00
	21	Geo. Baldie, fitting wood,	4 00
	23	H. Fales. building fence,	6 97
	26	C. H. Youngman, labor,	8 00
July	8	J. A. Whitcomb, care of rooms,	4 00
	8	L. W. Judkins, " "	3 50
	9	Wm. Welch, " "	4 00
	9	Wm. Welch, " "	2 00
	9	E. H. Piper, measuring wood,	2 00
	9	E. H. Piper, paid for sawing wood,	3 85
	19	J. G. Soule, school supplies,	46 31
	28	A. K. Beazley, care of rooms,	6 00
	28	M. W. Tewksbury, text-books,	20 92
	29	Richard Brown, labor,	14 62
	30	J. E. Osborn, lime and hair,	7 00
	30	Richard Brown, labor,	2 00
Sept.	11	M. Lyford, S. S. Committee; Piano,	194 31
	11	Edwin Lyford, printing,	2 50
	11	Hiram Conforth, wood,	8 00
	12	J. E. Osborn, paid Geogre Micue for sawing wood,	2 00
	16	Ginn & Heath, text-books,	40 50
	24	G. S. Flood, coal,	149 66
	27	H. C. Proctor, labor and materials,	8 50
Oct.	4	Geo. Baldie, piling wood,	13 00
	4	J. D. Chandler, hauling water,	3 00
	4	Mary Ranco, cleaning,	16 00
	4	Loren Judkins, piling wood,	3 00
	16	L. W. Judkins, repairs,	3 00
Nov.	1	Ansel Trask, care of rooms,	6 00
	5	E. H. Smiley, chemicals,	1 50
	5	Mrs. P. Bushey, care rooms,	4 50
	5	J. G. Soule, books, kindling wood and care of rooms,	26 62
	14	Knight, Adams & Co.. text-books,	53 40
	24	Charles Soule, labor repairing,	16 00
	29	J. D. Hayden, labor and materials,	2 65
Dec.	4	Gaspor Pooler, wood,	1 50
	6	D. J. Halde, rent of school house,	45 00

Amount carried forward,

\$1,052 82

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>			\$1,052 82	
Dec.	12	F. S. Chase, labor,	10 75	
	12	L. W. Judkins, labor and materials,	19 61	
	19	J. G. Soule, sundry bills paid,	29 80	
1880.				
Jan.	10	Wm. Welch, care rooms,	4 25	
	14	Thomas Smart, labor and materials,	16 65	
	23	Wm. Welch, labor,	1 50	
	23	James Ranco care rooms,	2 25	
	23	Ansel Trask, “	7 00	
	23	C. H. Youngman, labor,	8 00	
	23	J. W. C. Gilman & Co., text-books,	44 28	
	29	Paine & Hanson, labor and materials,	39 90	
Feb.	7	I. B. Clifford care rooms,	9 00	
	12	D. N. Sheldon, S. S. Committee salary,	84 00	
	12	J. B. Colcord, wood,	4 25	
	12	J. F. Elden, furniture,	22 00	
	12	Smith & Meader, lumber,	10 19	
	12	J. F. Percival text-books and supplies,	22 61	
	13	J. M. Crooker, two clocks,	10 00	
	14	G. A. Phillips & Co., bill sundries,	69 89	
	16	C. A. Henrickson, text-books and supplies,	29 30	
	17	Walter H. Faunce, text-books,	6 00	
	17	A. C. Stockin, “	7 34	
	17	N. E. School Furnishing Co., text-books,	5 25	
	17	M. W. Tewksbury, text-books,	97 29	
	18	J. G. Soule, sundry bills paid,	42 35	
	19	D. J. Halde, rent of school-house,	45 00	
	19	F. A. Moor, wood,	79 25	
	20	J. G. Soule, S. S. Com. salary,	243 50	
	20	Maxham & Wing, printing,	7 00	
	20	M. Lyford, S. S. Com. salary,	66 50	
	20	E. H. Piper, surveying wood,	1 00	
	20	G. H. Esty, labor,	5 06	
			—————	\$2,103 59

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

W. M. Barnes,	\$260 00
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<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>	260 00	2,103 59
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<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$260 00	2,103 59
Alice V. Drummond,	380 00	
Ada E. Estes,	50 00	
Vesta W. Flagg,	342 00	
Laura F. Fifield,	304 00	
Myra A. Fifield,	170 66	
Georgia Farrington,	104 00	
Carrie E. Fuller,	90 00	
Caleb Frye,	70 00	
Lema C. Goodell,	170 67	
Minnie Haynes,	304 00	
May E. Hathorn,	30 00	
Phebe G. Mitchell,	304 00	
Ella M. Maxwell,	304 00	
Della A. Morse,	90 00	
Julia A. Stackpole,	352 00	
Ada B. Stevens,	304 00	
Mary L. Stevens,	160 00	
Minnie L. Smith,	68 00	
Addie Soule,	165 00	
Nellie G. True,	105 00	
J. Perley, teaching penmanship,	197 67	
J. K. Soule, " music,	242 00	
	<hr/>	4,567 00
Expenses of Common Schools,		6,670 59
Balance due Feb, 20, 1879,	3741 28	
Appropriation,	2700 00	
State school fund,	694 77	
Mill tax,	1602 74	
Cash from West Waterville,	112 00	
	<hr/>	8,850 79
Surplus		2,180 20

EXPENDITURES ON HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

E. H. Smiley, Salary,	\$1000 00	
Mrs. Mary L. Carver,	650 00	
J. K. Soule, teaching music,	8 50	
	<hr/>	1,658 50
Balance due Feb. 20, 1879,	59 50	
Amount of appropriation,	1500 00	
	<hr/>	1,559 50
Deficiency,		99 00

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

	Dr.
For deficiency, Feb. 20, 1879,	\$755 71
	Cr.
By special appropriation March 26, 1879, to balance acct.,	755 71

EXPENDITURES ON ROADS AND BRIDGES ACCOUNT.

1879.		
March	1 Joseph Butler, labor	\$11 60
	3 I. L. Ricker, labor	2 39
	3 Jos. Tardy, labor	2 18
	5 Geo. P. Grover, labor	2 00
	7 G. C. Getchell, labor	2 00
	13 John Lashus, labor	3 00
	17 Thomas Marshall, labor	4 45
	19 P. S. Heald, labor	75
	22 Thomas Lesseau, labor	2 50
	29 Joseph Butler, labor	8 80
April	11 Thomas Marshall, labor	11 94
	16 I. L. Ricker, labor	2 40
	18 E. H. Piper, paid for labor	5 37
	28 Joseph Butler, labor	7 50
May	2 J. P. Hill, labor	2 40
	3 Abraham Morrill, labor	3 82
	6 L. W. Judkins, labor	1 25
	19 Frank Walker, labor	5 75
	29 J. A. Vigue, paid Geo. Micue, labor	1 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		<hr/> 81 10

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$81 10
Mar.	31	Joseph A. Dingley, labor 8 37
June	5	A. B. Branch, labor 5 00
	6	M. L. Page, labor 8 50
	10	C. P. Sherman, labor 5 00
	25	Joseph A. Dingley, labor 47 27
	26	Abram Ranco, for gravel 10 00
	28	Asa R. Clifford, labor 37 61
	28	Abraham Morrill, labor 10 25
	28	Isaac Clifford, labor 3 00
	28	Thomas Marshall, labor 43 50
July	2	Abram Ranco, gravel 56 15
	5	A. B. Bates & Son, planks, 6 93
	9	Arba P. Davis, labor 9 50
	9	E. H. Piper, to reimburse him for cash paid out for labor, 30 45
	19	I. S. Bangs, labor of men and horses, 34 00
	21	B. G. Mitchell, labor, 10 52
	21	Ira A. Mitchell, labor 23 45
	21	Geo. P. Grover, labor, 1 70
	23	Peter Lesseau, labor, 8 00
	23	A. P. Stevens, labor, 12 00
	28	Geo. Rice, 2d, labor, 3 00
	31	Joseph Mitchell, Jr. labor, 37 00
Aug.	1	John Flood, stone culvert on Oak St. 45 00
	16	Albert Russell, labor, 8 00
	18	Thomas Marshall, labor, 50 80
	18	Frank Mayo, labor, 9 00
	18	Marshall Ranco, labor, 22 80
	23	D. C. Littlefield, 162 7-12 ft. curbstone, 97 55
Sept.	1	M. L. Page, labor, 19 00
	3	Thomas Butler, labor, 11 20
	3	Ira A. Mitchell, labor, 25 50
	9	Stephen Russell, labor, 1 50
	10	Abram Ranco, gravel, 10 00
	10	John Mathews, labor, 8 10
	12	J. E. Osborn, supplies for sundry persons for labor, 8 87
	12	Joeeph Bushey, labor, 3 00
	12	D. C. Littlefield, granite crossing on Temple Street, 50 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		862 62

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$862 62
	22 Joseph Richards, labor,	6 83
	24 Fred Pooler, Jr. labor,	50 50
	25 E. H. Piper, cash paid for labor,	18 50
	27 Joseph Tardy, repairing dump cart,	2 68
	30 C. W. Smiley, labor	10 32
Oct.	4 John Sturtevant, labor	9 00
	4 Daniel Trask, labor	10 00
	4 E. H. Piper, for cash paid for labor	72 95
	7 Lewiston Gas Light Co. coal tar	23 25
	7 M. C. R. R. Co. freight and cartage on coal tar,	4 50
	8 I. S. Bangs, labor	4 00
	11 B. G. Mitchell, labor,	6 20
	11 W. L. Tozer, laying new sidewalks	19 50
	11 Alfred Gullifer, laying new sidewalks	9 00
	11 Wm. Balentine, 2d, labor	18 07
	11 Wm. Balentine, labor	43 10
	17 Ivory L. Ricker, labor	5 40
	17 Geo. P. Grover, labor	3 60
	25 Martin Blaisdell, labor on road and culvert	62 20
	28 Smith & Meader, for lumber	122 84
Nov.	10 Geo. Micue, labor	3 00
	19 Abram Ranco, gravel	19 70
	24 N. Totman & Sons, plank	11 52
	28 N. G. H. Pulsifer, 141 cedar posts	17 85
Dec.	3 F. T. Mason, labor	20 50
	4 F. T. Mason, labor, snow-bill,	4 35
	4 E. H. Piper, paid for labor	22 05
	5 H. W. Getchell, labor	113 90
	5 Judson Williams, labor	16 00
	8 R. W. Pray, gravel	10 00
	8 E. H. Piper, paid for labor of men and teams as per time table of H. W. Getchell,	512 70
	8 Wm. Marston, labor	50 67
	12 Wm. Brown, labor	59 62
	12 F. S. Chase, labor on Marston Bridge 2-3 of	6 83
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		2233 75

Amount brought forward, \$2233 75

Dec.	12	C. E. Mitchell, labor	4 20
	23	Joseph Tardy, snow-plow	25 00
	27	Lockwood Co., coal tar and ft. on same	22 10
	27	Geo. S. Flood, for sewer pipe	76 70
	28	M. V. B. Guphill, labor	4 35

1880.

Jan.	2	Elias Pease, labor	5 00
	5	E. F. Webb, drain pipe and cement	62 10
	8	P. S. Heald, post augur	3 00
	8	Peter Lesseau, labor	6 00
	14	Thos. Smart, frame for street grate	35
	14	Wm. Balentine, 2d, labor	1 00
	22	H. C. Morse, labor and stone for culvert	8 50
	22	Samuel Hitchings, stone for culvert	4 00
	22	L. D. Davis, labor on Marston Bridge 2-3 of	67
	28	Thos. Marshall, labor	15 45
	29	Paine & Hanson, bill, hardware	20 93
	30	H. C, Proctor, labor	2 00
	30	E. W. Cook, labor	29 05
Feb.	3	Henry Hoxie, labor	5 90
	6	Noah Boothby, new steeling pick	67
	11	Smith & Meader, plank for sidewalk	9 44
	14	G. A. Phillips & Co., bill, hardware	21 50
	14	Frank Walker, labor	12 78
	16	Jos. A. Dingley, labor and plank	18 80
	16	Peter Marshall, labor	7 50
	16	Thos. Marshall, labor	9 00
	17	A. O. Smith, labor	2 00
	17	Elijah Mitchell, labor	3 40
	18	A. R. Farnham, labor	75
	20	John Lublow, labor	20 40
	20	Ira A. Mitchell, labor	2 10
	20	Webber, Haviland, & Philbrick, labor	70
	20	Asa R. Clifford, labor	9 45
	20	Abraham Morrill, labor	13 75
	20	E. H. Piper, paid for labor,	17 78
	20	Geo. H. Esty, labor on Marston Bridge 2-3 of	2 67

Amount carried forward, 2682 74

Amount brought forward, \$2682 74

Feb. 20	Pulsifer & Gray, gravel	20 00	
20	Wm. Marston, labor	8 40	
20	John Lashus, labor	3 00	
20	Town Farm, Supt. and team	60 00	
		<hr/>	\$2,774 14

TICONIC BRIDGE ACCOUNT.

		Dr.	
To deficiency in overdrawing account for year			
ending Feb. 20, 1879,		\$969 42	
		Cr.	
By special appropriation March 26, 1879,		969 42	
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TICONIC BRIDGE.

1879.

Mar. 15	Samuel King, cutting ice around piers	\$2 00
May 2	Frank Walker, bridge bolts	1 25
Sept. 30	C. W. Smiley, labor	3 75
Oct. 4	E. H. Piper, paid Wm. Ranco, labor	2 00
28	Smith & Meader, lumber	64 06
Dec. 12	F. S. Chase, labor	75

1880.

Feb. 11	Smith & Meader, plank	63
14	G. A. Phillips, hardware	2 05

Total expense,	76 49
Received from Winslow. 1-5 expense,	15 30

Net epense, 61 19

Total expenditure for roads and bridges	\$2835 33
Mar. 26, 1879, Amount of appropriation,	2500 00
Deficiency,	<hr/> 335 33

SUPPORT OF POOR.

List of persons receiving full or partial support outside of Town Farm with amount paid for each.

Brown, Richard	\$9 55	<i>Brought forward,</i>	1319 63
Branch, Mrs. Emma	70 76		
Bresseau, Richard	9 65	Lesseau, two boys	87 50
Bullett, Oliver,	55 50	Marshall, J.	1 00
Bushey, Mrs. Peter,	60 72	Mayo, Mrs.	22 72
Bushey, Moses & Tiley	74 92	Mayo, Peter	42 75
Butler, Peter	2 00	Micue, Mrs. Thomas	29 80
Butler, Edward	9 50	Micue, Sophia	13 50
Butler, Richard	62 58	Myo, Selena	5 00
Butler, Thomas	16 94	Myo, Peter	26 74
Burgess, Louis	8 25	Murray, Louis	27 75
Chipman, Hattie	24 00	Nadeau, Mrs.	6 60
Clair, Philip	54 75	Noble, John	2 20
Coro, James	13 87	Oby, Mrs. Ada	44 25
Coro, Mrs.	56 40	Perry, Levi	19 00
Davis, Mrs. David	20 86	Perry, Mrs. Lewis	45 00
Dewtelle, James	6 22	Perry, Joseph	11 77
Dewtelle, Louis	3 50	Pooler, Willie	30 50
Dingley, Geo. A.	40 43	Pooler, Mrs. Ephraim	4 00
Dusty, Ellen	6 69	Pomelow, Steven	26 00
Dusty, Mitchell,	135 80	Pomelow, Frank	33 30
Dyer, Alex	12 85	Pomeroy, Sophia	40 00
Dyer, Augustus	40 76	Preo, Peter	14 85
Fallow, Mrs. Frank	33 25	Priest, Mrs. Emma	63 65
Gilcot, Mrs. Joseph	8 00	Ranco, Barney	53 35
Groder, Mrs.	18 00	Ranco, Lewis	112 62
Griffin, Margaret	50 75	Ranco, Marshall	76 03
Gero, Mrs.	51 25	Ranco, Peter	5 00
Geynot, Mrs. Jane	89 00	Ranco, Antonis	4 22
Gurney, Mrs. Frank	33 50	Ranco, George	108 19
Gilbear, Mrs. Joseph	62 50	Ranco, Louis O.	4 50
Getchell, Thomas A.	16 68	Rainor, Nelson	22 62
Gurney, Augustus	1 75	Rogers, Joseph	21 50
Huard, Mary	7 25	Roderick, John	2 00
King, Marshall	7 62	Salway, Mrs. Thomas	4 20
Lambert, Peter	2 00	Savage, Sarah	20 00
Lashus, Vede,	31 08	Seco, Hiram	40 82
Lattlip, Victoria	59 50	Shortie, Peter	16 37
Lesseau, Eleazer	51 00	Starkey, Mrs.	17 88
<i>Carried forward,</i>	1319 63	<i>Carried forward,</i>	2426 81

<i>Brought forward,</i>	2426 81	<i>Brought forward,</i>	2654 33
Tozer, Mrs. John	51 50	Willet, Mrs. John	10 00
Tibbetts, Edwin	5 00	Welch, Mrs. Moses	34 65
Tibbedeau, Andrew	37 11	York, John	4 00
Vigue, Mrs. John	30 00	Young, Mrs. E. A.	2 50
Vigue, Frank	15 00	Sundry persons not	
Vigue, Thomas	7 66	specified,	30 14
Violet, Wm.	13 50	F. C. Thayer, bill,	
Witham, Helena	67 75	Town Physician,	100 00
<i>Carried forward,</i>	2654 33	<i>Total,</i>	\$2,835 62

List of persons supported at Town Farm, for the year ending February 20, 1880.

William Tozier, Age 85	52 weeks
Nathaniel Gordon, Age 78	52 "
William Kimball, Age 76	52 "
Charles Marshall, Age 66	52 "
Lydia Hasty, Age 65	52 "
Julia Louisa Welch, Age 64	52 "
Mrs. Eliza A. Moore, Age 63, died Jan. 2, 1880	45 "
Tylie Tallouse, Age 49	52 "
Rose Yewyaw, Age 42	52 "
Lizzie Blanchard, Age 40	52 "
Mrs. Rachel B. Marshall, Age 46	1 "
	514 "

514 week's board of poor at Town Farm at a net cost of \$405.26 or an average cost of 78 84-100 cts. per week.

PAUPER ACCOUNT.

	Dr.
To deficiency in overdrawing account for year ending Feb. 20, 1879,	\$963 68
	Cr.
By special appropriation Mar. 26, 1879,	963 68

EXPENSE OF POOR NOT ON TOWN FARM.

Feb. 27	Mrs. S. A. Tilton, board of Helena Witham	39 00
March 1	Joseph Micue, supplies	9 83
1	Adelaide Laccomb, board of Chipman child,	2 00
5	Geo. A. Osborn, bill supplies	15 84
7	H. W. Getchell, bill wood,	2 19
13	John Lashus, bill straw	75
15	E. H. Piper, for cash paid out	49 27
15	L. E. Thayer, bill wood	11 00
15	Henry Pooler, care of Jos. Rogers	9 50
17	Thos. Marshall, hauling wood,	1 00
19	John Webber, rent	6 00
19	P. S. Heald, cap	75
22	Louis Ranco Jr., milk for M. Dusty	84
22	Edw. Butler, care of G. A. Dingley	8 75
22	Thos. Lesseau, bill wood	2 00
29	Geo. Landry, care of Geo. A. Dingley	8 50
31	J. P. Caffrey Est., bill supplies	10 50
31	W. B. Arnold, bill supplles	24 02
April 1	Joseph Micue, bill supplies	29 85
1	Paul Marshall, bill supplies	62 00
1	Fred Pooler, Jr., bill supplies	74 50
1	John Darveau, bill supplies	28 00
2	Maine Insane Hospital, account T. A. Getchell	16 68
2	Henry Lower, House rent	8 00
2	W. L. Tozier, bill wood	3 00
2	Fred Burgess, bill, supplies	14 25
5	Manly & Tozer, bill, supplies	25 00
12	Josiah Pomelow, care Dusty child,	5 62
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		468 64

Amount brought forward,

\$468 64

Apr.	15	Kelly & Wood, account Marshall Ranco	44 59
	15	Town of Winthrop, acct. " "	31 44
	18	E. H. Piper, sundry bills	10 15
	28	Geo. A. Gsborn, bill supplies	42 52
May	1	Fred Pooler, Jr. bill supplies	30 50
	1	Paul Marshall, bill supplies	20 00
	2	J. P. Hill, house rent	9 00
	2	I. Sanborn, bill supplies	3 85
	3	Adelaide Laccomb, care Hattie Chipman	4 00
	3	Joseph Micue, bill supplies	9 00
	3	D. J. Halde, bill for aid	23 00
	6	Levi Lashus, house rent,	7 87
	19	O. C. Holway, sherry wine	1 00
	20	John Pooler, care Lesseau boys	35 00
	29	J. A. Vigue, bill supplies	41 05
	29	Manley & Tozer, bill supplies	15 00
	31	John Gurney, house rent	2 00
June	2	Fred Pooler Jr. bill supplies	50 25
	2	Edward Coating, care M. Dusty	4 00
	2	S. M. Newhall, bill supplies,	55 50
	2	M. Gallert, bill supplies	10 25
	3	Geo. A. Osborn, bill supplies	30 00
	7	Mrs. S. A. Tilton. care H. Witham	13 00
	12	Adelaide Laccomb, care H. Chipman,	2 00
	14	Josiah Pomelow, care M. Dusty Child,	11 25
July	2	Fred Pooler Jr. bill supplies	21 50
	2	S. M. Newhall, bill supplies	20 00
	5	Geo. A. Osborn, bill supplies	17 00
	5	Me. Insane Hospital, account Emma	
		Branch	5 32
	9	E. H. Piper, account Mrs. Thos Butler	5 00
	11	Barton & McFadden, goods	70
	12	Adelaide Laccomb, account H. Chipman	2 00
	14	Manley & Tozier, bill supplses	31 32
	14	Margaret Griffin, account self	5 00
	19	I. S. Bangs, rent of houses	33 30
	19	H. W. Barney, rent house	8 00
	28	Town of Harmony account Emma Priest	53 00
	28	L. E. Thayer, account Emma Priest	10 65

Amount carried forward,

1187 65

Amount brought forward,

\$1187 65

Aug.	1	Fred Pooler, bill supplies	20 00
	1	Hill & Simpson, rent	9 00
	2	Edward Coating, account Mitchell Dusty	9 00
	8	D. J. Halde, account Mrs. Griffin	6 00
	7	S. M. Newhall, bill supplies	9 00
	13	Adelaide Lacombe, act. Hattie Chipman	2 00
	18	Dinsmore & Son, act. Joseph Perry	2 00
	20	Louis Ranco, Jr. act. Mrs. F. Gurney	13 00
Sept.	1	Margaret Griffin, account self	6 00
	4	Fred Pooler, Jr., bill supplies	25 00
	5	Seth Daggett, account Sarah Savage	9 00
	11	Sophia Pomelow, act. M. Dusty's child	12 50
	11	Fred Burgess, act. Thos. Butler	7 50
	12	J. E. Osborn, bill supplies	9 25
	17	Wm. M. Buck, act. Joseph Perry	6 02
	18	Adelaide Lacombe, act. Hattie Chipman	2 00
	27	Maine Insane Hospital, act. Emma Branch	28 82
Oct.	2	Fred Pooler, Jr., bill supplies	20 00
	4	Edward Coating, act. Mitchell Dusty	9 00
	4	Levi Lashus, rent	4 50
	4	W. B. Arnold, bill supplies	116 75
	4	G. H. Matthews, act. Richard Butler	38
	4	E. H. Piper, act. Richard Brown's family	7 35
	7	R. Foster, rent of house	9 00
	9	Mrs. S. A. Tilton, act. Helena Witham	14 25
	9	I. S. Bangs, rent of house to R. Butler	6 00
	16	Margaret Griffin, act. self	6 00
	20	John Pooler, act. Lesseau boys	35 00
	31	Edward Coating, act. Mitchell Dusty	4 00
Nov.	1	F. Pooler, Jr., bill supplies	20 00
	1	Hill & Simpson, rent	9 00
	4	Seth Daggett, act. Sarah Savage	11 00
	6	Adelaide Lacombe, act. H. Chipman	4 00
	7	C. Pomelow, act. M. Dusty's child	6 75
	8	S. M. Newhall, act. Victoria Lattlip	13 00
	15	C. G. Carleton, act. Mrs. Starkey	17 88
	28	Manley & Tozer, bill supplies	50 00
	29	Edward Coating, act. M. Dusty	3 00

Amount carried forward,

1730 60

Amount brought forward,

\$1730 60

Dec.	2	Fred Pooler, Jr.. bill supplies	25 00
	2	Margaret Griffin, act. self	7 00
	4	E. H. Piper, act. Mrs. Tozer	3 25
	6	Adelaide Laccomb, act. H. Chipman	2 00
	12	W. B. Arnold, bill supplies	36 78
	28	D. J. Halde, act. Mrs, Charles Terrier	6 30

1880.

Jan.	2	Fred Pooler, Jr., bill supplies	22 00
	2	Edward Coating, act. Mitchell Dusty	6 00
	7	L. E. Thayer, act. Helena Witham	1 50
	7	Maine Insane Hospital, act. Emma Branch	26 12
	8	C. Pomelow, act. Mitchell Dusty's child	6 75
	9	S. M. Newhall, act. Victoria Lattlip	8 00
	10	J. A. Vigue, bill supplies	14 17
	12	Adelaide Laccomb, act. Hattie Chipman	2 00
	12	Geo. A. Osborn, bill supplies	39 85
	13	Margaret Griffin, her support	6 00
	23	Knauff Bros. act. Victoria Lattlip	2 35
	28	Thos. Marshall, bill wood	4 50
	29	Buck Bros. bill supplies	4 65
	30	Edward Coating, act. M. Dusty	4 00
	30	G. A. Osborn, bill supplies	11 50
	31	M. Gallert, boots and shoes	15 25
Feb.	2	W. B. Arnold, bill supplies	28 25
	2	Hill & Simpson, act. Jane Geynot	9 00
	3	Bates & Morrill, bill supplies	7 00
	6	Hodsdon & Loud, bill shoes	18 40
	7	Henry Lower, act. Marshall King	7 00
	9	City of Hallowell, act. Vede Lashus	30 08
	9	Adelaide Laccomb, act. Hattie Chipman	2 00
	9	L. E. Thayer & Son, bill clothing	10 85
	9	J. F. Elden, bill sundries	62 00
	10	Wm. M. Lincoln, bill supplies	74 92
	10	Town of Skowhegan, account Mrs. Moses Welch,	34 65
	10	Town of Fairfield, account Geo. Ranco and Nelson Rainor	130 81

Amount carried forward,

2400 53

Amount brought forward, \$2400 53

Feb. 10	J. E. Osborn, bill supplies	2 50
11	City of Augusta, account Hiram Seco	40 82
12	Geo. W. Dorr, sundries	2 65
12	F. C. Thayer, town physician	100 00
12	Fred Burgess account Louis Murray	7 00
12	Manley & Tozer, bill supplies	22 00
12	O. C. Holway, Sundry burials	9 50
12	John Pooler, account Lesseau boys	17 50
13	E. Blumenthal, account Thos. Vigue	1 66
14	I. H. Lowe, sundries	1 25
14	C. R. McFadden, acct. Emma Branch	10 50
14	W. L. Leslie, bill dry goods	3 74
14	J. H. Plaisted & Co. account Frank Pomelow	90
14	David Gallert, account Ellen Dusty	5 44
16	Town of Winslow, account John York	4 00
16	C. H. Redington, Coffins	16 00
17	C. E. Gray, rent and wood account Mrs. J. Tozer	43 00
17	G. H. Matthews, bill supplies	8 26
17	J. A. Vigue, account Ang. Dyer	8 00
18	G. A. Osborn, bill supplies	22 50
19	D. J. Halde, burial of pauper	14 00
20	Fred Pooler, Jr. bill supplies	51 50
20	Lewis Ranco, Jr. support of Mrs. Frank Gurney	13 00
20	Hodsdon & Loud, shoes for Lewis O. Ranco	1 00
20	S. M. Newhall, acct. Victoria Lattlip	8 00
20	W. B. Arnold, bill supplies	7 50
20	E. H. Piper, sundry small bills paid	8 37
20	C. Pomelow, acct. M. Dusty's child	4 50

Expense of poor not on Farm carried forward, \$2,835 62

Expense of poor not on Farm brought forward,

\$2835 62

TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.

1879.		
Feb. 20	Amount due from Supt. Furber.	\$144 27
20	Stock and supplies on hand	843 01
Mar. 15	W. T. & T. B. Page, halters and repairing harness	2 15
April 5	J. B. Furber, salary	39 00
May 2	I. Sanborn, supplies	16 52
7	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
June 2	M. Gallert, shoes	1 90
5	I. Sanborn, supplies	12 48
7	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
July 1	I. Sanborn, supplies	15 81
3	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
14	Benjamin & Allen, repairing mowing machine,	9 00
19	I. S. Bangs, bill sundries	44 43
Aug. 2	I. Sanborn, supplies	14 58
4	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
Sept. 2	I. Sanborn, supplies	16 30
2	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
Oct. 2	I. Sanborn, supplies	15 64
4	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
9	I. S. Bangs, corn and meal	12 30
Nov. 1	I. Sanborn, supplies	8 17
5	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
Dec. 2	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
4	I. Sanborn, supplies	13 43
1880.		
Jan. 2	J. B. Furber, salary	33 33
6	I. Sanborn, supplies	6 41
23	Knauff Bros., dry goods,	29 13
29	Paine & Hanson, bill sundries,	16 21
31	M. Gallert, bill	7 65
Feb. 9	J. F. Elden, coffin for Mrs. E. A. Moor,	10 00
12	O. C. Holway, burial of " "	5 00
20	E. H. Piper, paid L. H. Soper	80
	J. B. Furber, Salary	55 55

Amounts carried forward,

1639 71 2835 62

Amounts brought forward, 1639 71 2835 62

Mrs. Eelen Jewett, care Mrs. Moor 20 00

Bills paid by Supt. Furber, from
proceeds of sales 201 15

\$1860 86

1879. Cr.

Feb. 26 Cash of Supt. Furber 100 00

June 7 " " " 42 19

17 " " " 49 25

1880.

Jan.. 2 Cash of Mrs. Eliza A. Moor, by
Furber 10 00

Feb. 20 Cash pension of Wm. Tozier, by
Furber 39 00

20 Cash of Supt. Furber, 76 91

20 Balance proceeds of sales, in
bills paid by Supt. 201 15

Road labor by Supt. and team 60 00

Stock and supplies at farm per
inventory 877 10

 \$1,455 60

Net cost of support of poor at Town Farm 405 26

Total expenses on account of Poor 3240 88

1879.

Mar. 26 Amount of appropriation 3500 00

Surplus 259 12

CURRENT EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

	Dr.
To deficiency in overdrawing account for year ending Feb. 20, 1879,	467 42
	Cr.
By special appropriation March 26, 1879,	467 42

CURRENT EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

1879.		
March	1	Geo. S. Flood, coal for office 8 43
	10	N. Meader, Auditor for 1878 15 00
	12	Lucius Allen. rent of Lockup lot 25 00
	15	I. S. Bangs, water trough, 1878 3 00
	15	L. E. Thayer, wood for Lockup 3 00
	15	W. T. & T. B. Page, two coffin straps 2 50
April	1	John Darveau, water trough 1878 3 00
May	2	Jas. P. Hill, labor 1 00
	3	L. W. Judkins, police service for 1878 7 25
	30	J. D. Hayden, repairing Common fence 4 41
June	28	R. M. Crosby, road tax in Sidney 3 24
July	9	E. H. Piper, sundry small bills paid 18 10
	9	W. H. Soule, watching Universalist church 1 50
	9	Albert Soule, watching Institute 1 50
Aug.	1	Hill & Simpson, staples for gate 25
	5	S. W. Bates. survey and plan of Water St. 8 50
	28	Amos P. Tozer, police services 1878 8 50
Sept.	4	M. A. Leger, blank receipts 5 00
	5	W. H. Nichols, examination of Town accounts 40 00
	5	C. E. Mitchell, examination of Town accounts 40 00
	12	J. E. Osborn, Tramps, soap for office 70
	29	John Billideau, damages on road 20 00
	30	C. W. Smiley, police services 8 00
Oct.	4	E. H. Piper, fare of Tramp to Lewiston 2 25
	4	Smith & Meader, lumber for drain 6 60
	4	W. B. Arnold, Tramps and Park 2 29
	4	E. H. Piper, paid for labor on Park &c. 11 50
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		250 52

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$250 52
9	I. S. Bangs, sprinkling streets	5 00
24	S. W. Bates, expense of having weights and measures sealed	8 00
31	H. D. Bates, work on Town accounts	3 00
Nov. 1	John Lashus, police services	2 00
1	Hill & Simpson, labor	1 00
25	S. D. Savage, painting and lettering clock dial	20 50
28	Samuel C. Thayer, care of Town clock	10 50
Dec. 4	E. H. Piper, wood and postage stamps for office	4 75
10	Lucius Allen, rent of Lockup lot	25 00
12	S. W. Bates, survey and plan of new street and survey of Water St.	21 50
27	Waterville Aqueduct Co. for water to July 1, 1879,	10 00
27	G. S. Flood, coal for office	5 70
1880.		
Jan. 5	N. G. H. Pulsifer, rent of pound for 1879,	10 00
7	L. E. Thayer, expense to Augusta,	2 00
7	H. M. Sawtelle, ice water, furnished June 25	4 50
14	Thos. Smart, labor covering desk	60
27	L. D. Davis, water trough 1879	3 00
30	H. C. Proctor, police services	23 75
31	Town of Sidney, tax on wood lot	10 35
Feb. 5	M. N. Soule, care of Town clock	18 00
7	Levi A. Dow, police services	25 30
9	Levi Bushy, " "	9 50
9	J. F. Percival, books and stationery for town	49 83
10	J. E. Osborn, wood for office	2 04
12	Ticonic National Bank, rent of office	75 00
12	Manley & Tozer, wood for Lockup	3 00
12	H. G. Tozer, bill sundries	17 48
12	O. C. Holway, repairing Tomb	1 00
13	Ivory L. Ricker, crossing land	1 00
13	Joseph Bowe, police services	7 75
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		631 57

Amount brought forward

\$631 57

14	G. A. Phillips & Co. bill sundries	2 67
14	C. G. Carleton, Inspector of Police	50 00
14	C. R. McFadden, police services	10 00
16	Frank Walker, setting tire on hearse	1 00
16	C. A. Henrickson, stationery	16 63
17	Joseph Percival, bal. com. for 1876	64 09
17	A. O. Smith, care of tramps	1 50
17	C. E. Mitchell, use of team	7 50
18	L. D. Carver, Town Agent salary	25 00
18	L. D. Carver, Town Clerk, salary	46 40
19	John Darveau, Jr. water trough 1879	3 00
20	Geo. Jewell, horse hire	3 50
Feb. 20	Maxham & Wing, bill printing	144 00
20	S. B. Trafton, crossing land,	1 00
20	W. B. Arnold, account tramps	25
20	E. H. Piper, postage stamps	1 00
20	J. P. Hill, police services and tramps	15 00
20	Geo. H. Esty, setting glass	2 50
20	C. E. Mitchell, services as Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of Poor and Road Commissioner, including labor in making out State Valuation, for the year 1879	275 00
20	S. I. Abbott, services as Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of Poor, and Road Commissioner for the year 1879	400 00
20	L. E. Thayer, services as Selectman, Assessor, Overseer, of Poor, and Road Commissioner for the year 1879	450 00
20	E. H. Piper, Collector for 1877, 1878, 1879, balance of commissions for all collections to date	673 25

\$2,824 86

March 26, 1879, amount of appropriation

2000 00

Deficiency

824 86

COUPONS OR INTEREST ON BONDED DEBT.

1879.			Dr.	
Mar. 15	For order No.	30	\$57 50	
Apr. 19	"	" 92	140 00	
June 5	"	" 147	25 00	
July 18	"	" 218	730 00	
19	"	" 222	47 50	
Sept. 19	"	" 305	292 50	
Oct. 10	"	" 355	42 50	
Dec. 2	"	" 435	37 50	
1880.				
Jan. 2	"	" 482	52 50	
21	"	" 529	505 00	
24	"	" 541	260 00	
Feb. 13	"	" 617	335 00	
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Amount of Coupons paid,				2525 00
1879.			Cr.	
Feb. 20	By amount of coupons unpaid from			
	previous appropriation		347 50	
Mar. 26	Appropriation		2500 00	
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				2847 50
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Balance coupons unpaid,				322 50

The above account of orders drawn to pay coupons on bonded debt is \$12,50 more than we find coupons for. The probability is that one coupon was lost after it was taken up, but as appears now in comparing orders with coupon vouchers, it would appear that an order had been drawn for \$12,50 too much. In that case it would make the coupons outstanding, Feb. 20, 1880. \$335,00 instead of \$322,50.

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

1879.		Dr.	
Feb. 20	For deficiency in overdrawing account for year ending Feb. 20, 1879,	\$1402 73	
		Cr.	
Mar. 26	By special appropriation	1402 73	
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INTEREST ACCOUNT.

1870.		Dr.
May 22	For Julia A. Stackpole	75 00
June 4	People's National Bank	65 49
4	Waterville " "	62 34
17	People's " "	33 75
Aug. 16	People's " "	250 00
Sept. 18	People's " "	12 50
Oct. 6	Mary McLaughlin	66 67
8	Mrs. Amanda Percy	25 00
Nov. 10	Mrs. Laura J. Warren	41 80
Dec. 11	Merchants' National Bank	34 65
11	Merchants' " "	336 64
20	People's " "	25 00
1880.		
Jan. 14	Emma Allen	10 65
Feb. 17	Ticonic National Bank	125 00
18	Mrs. Martha T. Fellows	96 54
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Amount of interest paid		1261 03
1879.		Cr.
Mar. 26	By amount appropriation,	600 00
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Deficiency		661 03

NIGHT WATCH ACCOUNT.

1879.		
July 7	For C. W. Smiley, special on account of incendiary fires	55 50
Dec. 4	Chas. R. Shorey, same	20 00
12	F. S. Chase, same	5 00
Feb. 20	Wm. Keating, 365 nights	456 25
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Cost of night watch		536 75
1879.		Cr.
Feb. 20	Balance from last year	24 25
Mar. 26	Amount of appropriation	500 00
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		524 25
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Deficiency		12 50

LIGHTING STREETS ACCOUNT.

1879.			
Mar.	3	Wm, McNelly, lighting lamps,	\$8 00
	31	“ “	22 00
May	1	“ “	24 00
	29	J. A. Vigue, matches and wicks	1 50
June	2	Wm. McNelly, lighting lamps	22 00
July	2	D. H. Swan, oil	13 70
	3	Wm. McNelly, lighting lamps	22 00
Aug.	1	Hill & Simpson, repairs	75
	1	Wm. McNelly, lighting lamps	22 00
Sept.	4	“ “	22 00
	12	J. E. Osborn, oil	78 92
Oct.	4	Wm. McNelly, lighting lamps	22 00
	28	Smith & Meader, lamp posts	4 00
Nov.	1	Wm. McNelly, lighting lamps	22 00
Dec.	1	“ “	22 00
	4	E. H. Piper, paid for setting posts.	50
1880.			
Jan.	2	Wm. McNelly, lighting lamps	23 00
	10	J. A. Vigue, Matches	2 40
	29	Paine & Hanson, lamps and burners,	24 27
	31	Wm. McNelly, lighting lamps,	23 00
Feb.	9	J. F. Elden, sundries	39 27
	10	J. E. Osborn, oil	66 01
	14	G. A. Phillips & Co., sundries	7 60
	16	Frank Walker, lamp frames	4 00
	17	J. A. Vigue, matches	60
	20	G. H. Esty, painting lamp posts	1 50
	20	Wm. McNelly, lighting lamps	22 00
Cost of lighting streets			521 02
1879.			Cr.
Feb.	20	By balance from last year	36 66
Mar,	26	Amount appropriation	500 00
Nov.	1	cash from sale of oil barrels	2 00
			538 66
Surplus			17 64

MONUMENT PARK ACCOUNT.

1879.		Dr.
Feb 20	For deficiency in overdrawing account for year ending Feb. 20, 1879	\$9 28
		Cr.
Mar. 26	By special appropriation	<u>9 28</u>

MONUMENT PARK ACCOUNT.

1879.		Dr.
May 10	For Geo. L. Robinson,	100 00
		Cr.
Mar. 26	By amount of appropriation to reimburse Geo. L. Robinson	<u>100 00</u>

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

		Dr.
	To deficiency in overdrawing account for the year ending Feb. 20, 1879	\$845 29
		Cr.
	By special appropriation, March 26, 1879	<u>845 29</u>

EXPENDITURES ON ACCOUNT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1879.		
Mar. 8	Thos. Marshall, hauling engine	\$8 00
8	Vetran Engine Cs., occount of shank factory fire	20 25
10	I. S. Bangs, hauling engine	4 00
15	L. E. Thayer, wood and sawing	5 00
31	J. B. Britt, moving hose	1 00
April 1	Fred Pooler, Jr., oil and sawing wood	1 05
5	Manly & Tozer, wood and oil	6 40
7	Jos. Pooler, services Steward No. 2	10 00
18	E. H. Piper, paid for sawing wood,	50
May 2	J. P. Hill, labor,	3 85
3	Jos. Micue, pails for Veteran En. Co.	40
		<u>60 45</u>
	<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$70 95
	10 Marshall Ranco, hauling engine	2 50
	19 Frank Walker, iron for hose carriage	2 00
	19 O. C. Holway, alcohol	12 00
	20 Appleton H. & L. Co. services	25 00
	23 American Rubber Co., rubber coats	48 00
	30 J. D. Hayden, repairing A. H. & L house	83 10
June	10 C. P. Sherman, labor	1 00
	19 A. O. Smith, hauling engines	28 00
	30 F. M. Britt, steward A. H. & L. Co.	12 00
July	1 F. N. Esty, labor	25 80
	9 Marshall Ranco, hauling engine	3 00
	23 John Lublow, " "	2 00
Aug.	1 Hill & Simpson, repairs	19 90
	14 L. Button & Son, suction tube for No. 3	38 30
	14 Eastern Ex. Co., express on suction tube for No. 3	3 75
	14 H. G. Tozer, cash paid out	3 25
	14 A. H. & L. Co., services	50 00
	18 M. Ranco, hauling engine	3 00
	19 Veteran Engine Co. services	100 00
	25 J. Boyd & Son, hose brushes and lanterns	16 50
Oct.	9 I. S. Bangs, rent of Veteran engine house	50 00
	20 American Hose Co. 500 feet hose	400 00
	28 Smith & Meader, lumber	1 30
Nov.	1 Hill & Simpson, labor	9 00
	26 J. W. Trainor, wood	4 50
	28 Manley & Tozer, sundries	15 57
	29 J. D. Hayden, repairs	6 26
Dec.	4 E. H. Piper, paid for hauling boxes to Reservoirs	1 50
	11 W. W. Gilman, steward A. H. & L. Co.	3 75
	23 G. S. McKennie, wood	3 12
	23 Geo. Freeman, wood	2 25
	27 Lockwood Co. waste	2 46
	27 G. S. Flood, wood	2 75
	29 Joseph Matthieu, care Veteran engine	20 80
1880.		
Jan.	1 T. F. Dow, oil, wicks and broom	8 79
	12 Amos Richards, wood	2 75
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		<hr/> 1084 85

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$1084 85
Jan. 12	J. M. Hunter, wood	3 75
23	M. Ranco, hauling engine	3 00
27	J. E. Osborn, hauling engine	5 00
28	Thomas Marshall, hauling engine	5 00
28	F. E. Drake, hauling H. & L. Truck	2 00
28	Manley & Tozer, wood	6 00
Feb. 2	Hill & Simpson, labor	7 00
5	R. D. Sanborn, wood	4 25
5	Fred Crosby, wood	4 25
6	Noah Boothby, axes	2 75
9	J. D. Hayden, 1st. Asst. Engineer	50 00
11	Ticonic Engine Co. services	200 00
12	L. A. Dow, hauling engine	5 00
12	Manley & Tozer, sundries	12 80
12	C. R. Shorey, 2d. Asst. Engineer	25 00
14	J. B. Wendell, care Ticonic engine	28 20
14	I. H. Low, duster	2 90
14	G. A. Phillips & Co. sundries	16 51
16	Veteran Engine Co. services	100 00
16	Herbert Kendall, watching fire	1 00
16	H. G. Tozer. Chief Engineer	100 00
16	C. H. Redington, wood	6 87
17	Waterville Engine Co. services	200 00
17	A. O. Smith, hauling engines	10 00
18	A. R. Farnham, labor	3 00
20	Webber. Haviland, & Philbrick, bill	2 75
20	A. H. & L. Co. services	25 00
20	Simeon Keith, steward and labor rep'g	57 85
20	Henry Hoxie, hauling engine	3 00
20	Geo. H. Esty, labor	75
	Liquor Agency, alcohol	12 81
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Expense of Fire Department		\$1991 29
1879		
March 26	Amount of appropriation	2000 00
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Surplus		8 71

NEW ROADS ACCOUNT.

1879.		Dr.
Feb. 20	For deficiency in overdrawing account for year ending Feb. 20, 1879,	\$687 91
		Cr.
Mar. 26	By special appropriation	687 91
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NEW ROADS ACCOUNT.

1879.		Dr.	
May 6	For Wm. Bushey, damages on account of Maple St. extension	100 00	
6	For Wm. and John Cratty, damages on account of Maple St. extension	125 00	
		<hr/>	225 00
1879.			
Mar. 26	Appropriation for damages and building Maple St.		250 00
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	Surplns,		25 00

Maple St. was built at an estimated cost of ten or twelve dollars, but no separate account was kept of the expense and the cost of building was paid from the ordinary road funds.

PINE GROVE CEMETERY.

		Dr.
	For deficiency in overdrawing account for year ending Feb. 20, 1879	\$118 15
1879.		Cr.
Mar. 26	Amount special appropriation	118 15
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TEMPORARY LIABILITIES.

For orders bearing interest paid by order on Treasurer,
1879.

Oct. 6	Mary McLaughlin, No. 188, dated June 5, 1878	\$1000 00	
Nov. 10	Laura J. Warren, No. 607, dated Jan. 9, 1879	1000 00	
Dec. 11	Merchants' National Bank, balance of No. 105, dated April 27, 1878	685 28	
1880.			
Feb. 17	Ticonic National Bank, Note No. 4, in part, dated Aug. 16, 1879, which was given for renewal of No. 344, dated Aug. 16, 1878	1314 72	
1879.		<hr/>	4000 00
Mar. 26	Amount of appropriation		4000 00
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INTEREST BEARING ORDERS FEB. 20, 1879, INCLUDING
INTEREST DUE.

1878.

Apr. 27	105	Merchants Na. Bank 6 mos. 6 per ct.	685 28
" "		Interest due on same	33 84
" "	106	People's Na. Bank, 6 mos. 6 per ct.	4000 00
		Interest due on same	184 51
May 22	153	Julia A. Stackpole 1 yr. 5 per ct.	1500 00
	22 154	Mrs. Jane Robins 1 yr. 5 per ct.	500 00
June 5	178	Waterville Na. Bank 1 yr. 5 per ct.	1236 42
	5 188	Mary McLaughlin 1 yr. 5 per ct.	1000 00
Aug. 12	336	Merchants' Na. Bank 1 yr. 5 per ct.	5000 00
	17 344	Joshua Emery 1 yr. 5 per ct.	5000 00
Sept. 17	382	Mrs. Amanda Percy 1 yr. 5 per ct.	500 00
Oct. 5	414	Erastus Warren 8 mos. 5 per ct.	1000 00
Nov. 12	487	Mrs. Martha T. Fellows 1 yr. 5 per ct.	544 75
	13 493	Mrs. Martha T. Fellows 1 yr. 5 per ct.	1000 00

1879.

Jan. 7	603	Betsey Pillsbury 1 yr. 5 per ct.	1450 00
	9 607	Laura J. Warren 6 mos. 5 per ct.	1000 00

24,634 80

Interest-bearing orders Feb. 20, 1879 brought forward, \$24,634 80

INTEREST BEARING ORDERS FEB 20, 1880.

1878.

May	22	153	Julia A. Stackpole, 1 yr. 5 per ct.	\$1500 00
			Interest due on same	55 83
May	22	154	Mrs. Jane Robins 1 yr. 5 per ct.	500 00
			Interest due on same	18 61
Sept.	17	382	Mrs. Amanda Percy 1 yr. 5 per ct.	500 00
			Interest due on same	10 62

1879.

Jan.	7	603	Betsey Pillsbury 1 yr. 4 per ct.	1450 00
			Interest due on same	64 93
June	4	2	People's Na. Bank 1 yr. 5 per ct.	5236 42
Dec.	11	5	Merchants' Na. Bank 6 mos. 5 per ct.	5000 00
	17	6	People's Na. Bank 1 yr. 5 per ct.	1000 00

1880.

Feb.	18	7	Mrs. Martha T. Fellows 1 yr. 5 per ct.	1641 29
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16,977 70

Actual reductions of interest bearing orders 7,657 10

INTEREST BEARING ORDERS PAID FROM FEB. 20, 1879. TO FEB. 20, 1880 BY ORDERS ON TREASURER.

Sundry orders for Temporary

Liabilities account \$4000 00

1879.

June	4		Interest on order No. 106 of 1878, due Feb. 20, 1879	184 51
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Dec.	11		Interest on order No. 105 of 1878,	
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1880.

due Feb. 20, 1879 33 84

Feb.	17		Balance of note No. 4 dated Aug. 16, 1879, which was given for renewal of No. 344 dated Aug. 16, 1878	3685 28
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Amounts carried forward,

7903 63

7657 10

Amounts brought forward,

\$7903 63 7657 10

Less interest as follows, included in
interest-bearing orders, Feb. 20,
1880.

Int. due on No. 153 of May 22,
1878, 55 83

Int. due on No. 154 of May 22,
1878, 18 61

Int. due on No. 382 of Sept. 17,
1878, 10 62

Int. due on No. 603 of Jan. 7,
1879, 64 93

Int. due on Nos. 487 of Nov. 12
and 493 of Nov. 13, 1878 and
included in order No. 7 of Feb.
18, 1880 96 54

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7,657 10

TOWN HALL ACCOUNT.

1879.		Dr.
Mar. 12	George D. Keyes, work on gas pipes	3 00
13	A. C. Grant, wood	4 50
15	E. H. Piper, paid for sawing wood	50
29	Geo. H. Esty, janitor salary	19 50
June 10	“ “ “ “	29 16
Sept. 3	“ “ “ “	43 75
12	J. E. Osborn, brooms and oil	1 36
Nov. 29	J. D. Hayden, labor and materials	27 55
Dec. 2	Geo. H. Esty, janitor	43 75
4	E. H. Piper, paid for wood and cleaning Hall	10 38
12	W. B. Arnold, sundries	1 50
27	Geo. S. Flood, coal	43 71
1880.		
Jan. 12	Geo. A. Osborn, oil	25
14	Thos. Smart, labor and material	6 42
29	Geo. E. Shores, wood	24 75
Feb. 2	W. B. Arnold, oil	36
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		260 44

Amount brought forward,

\$260 44

Feb. 2	Hill & Simpson, bolts for furnace	25
9	J. F. Percival, wax tapers	50
11	Smith & Meader, bill	9 54
12	F. A. Moor, wood	12 38
14	G. A. Phillips & Co. sundries	13 85
14	J. H. Plaisted & Co. paraffin	1 00
20	W. B. Arnold, oil	18
20	E. H. Piper, paid for sawing wood	4 25
20	Geo. H. Esty, janitor to date	38 88

341 27

1879.

Cr.

Balance from previous account 139 95

Mar. 29 Cash for rent 44 00

June 10 " " " 80 00

Sept. 3 " " " 65 00

Dec. 2 " " " 125 00

1880.

Feb. 20 " " " 64 00 517 95

. Surplus 176 68

LIQUOR AGENCY ACCOUNT.

1879.

Dr.

Feb. 20	For stock on hand and fixtures in Agency	478 92
Mar. 31	M. C. R. R. Co. freight	4 90
Apr. 18	Telegram for alcohol,	25
May 19	O. C. Holway, Agent salary	66 16
19	O. C. Holway. paid for sundries	5 25
22	Edward P. Chase, liquors	469 39
June 21	O. C. Holway, Agent, salary	27 00
July 23	" " " "	25 00
Aug. 22	F. B. Bigelow, liquors	89 09
Sept. 1	J. A. Vigue, Agent, salary	20 00
Oct. 1	" " " "	26 00
1	J. A. Vigue, freight paid	4 98
4	O. C. Holway, Agt. balance of salary	27 00
4	O. C. Holway, freight paid	2 83

Amount carried forward,

1246 77

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$1246 77	
Nov. 1	J. A. Vigue, Agent, salary	27 00	
5	F. B. Bigelow, liquors	359 95	
Dec. 1	J. A. Vigue, Agent, salary	25 00	
1	J. A. Vigue, freight paid	3 10	
1880.			
Jan. 1	J. A. Vigue, salary	27 00	
Feb. 2	" "	27 00	
2	M. C. R. R. Co. freight	1 57	
2	F. B. Bigelow, liquors	308 77	
12	Samuel Appleton, rent	50 00	
14	G. A. Phillips & Co. foot bolt for door	35	
20	J. A. Vigue, agent salary to date	18 00	
			2094 51
1879.		Cr.	
Feb. 20	Balance from previous account,	\$197 74	
May 22	Cash from Agent, account sales,	435 31	
June 21	" " "	129 95	
July 23	" " "	129 95	
Sept. 1	" " "	110 43	
Oct. 1	" " "	137 82	
4	" " "	119 66	
Nov. 1	" " "	135 57	
Dec. 1	" " "	118 82	
1880.			
Jan. 1	" " "	158 12	
Feb. 14	" " "	150 27	
20	" " "	106 10	
20	Alcohol for Fire Department	12 81	
20	Stock on hand and fixtures in agency	443 64	
			2386 19
Surplus			291 68

TOMB CONTRACT.

1879.		Dr.	
May 1	For Foster & Dutton	\$50 00	
1	Taylor & Bickford	250 00	
			300 00
No appropriation.			

ABATEMENTS.

1879.		Dr.
Mar. 15	Thomas Lacombe, overvaluation 1878,	\$19 30
July 28	Geo. Rice 2d, error in taxing dog	1 00
Sept. 3	Thomas Butler, on real estate in 1879	3 20
9	Abram Ranco 2d, poll tax 1878 and 1879	6 00
10	Alfred burleigh, B. & M. R. R. stock	35 20
18	John Webber, overvaluation 1879	64 00
Oct. 31	H. D. Bates, error in taxing 1878 & 1879	6 20
Nov. 5	Mrs. Jane Bacon, 1879	8 00
10	Llewellyn Green, poll tax 1878	3 00
15	Nathl. Meader, error in taxing 1879	40 00
24	John Ware, overvaluation in 1879	62 40
24	Mrs. S. M. and Henry Ware, over- valuation in 1879	152 00
Dec. 1	Geo. H. Ware, overvaluation in 1879	80 00
19	Moses Lyford, " "	36 80
1880.		
Jan. 2	Geo. E. Shores, overvaluation in 1879	3 20
3	Augustus Pooler, on tax of 1879	8 60
7	J. D. Taylor, overvaluation in 1879	8 00
7	F. P. Haviland, " "	96 00
10	Mrs. H. B. Ransted, tax of 1879	9 60
10	Heirs of Wm. L. Maxwell, tax of 1879	12 80
27	Sylvester Witham, overvaluation in 1879	3 20
30	E. W. Cook, poll tax acct. sickness	3 00
Feb. 13	Ivory L. Ricker, overvaluation in 1879	8 00
16	Jos. Percival, on tax bill for 1875 & '76	311 12
17	C. H. Redington, overvaluation, 1879	8 00
19	Jos. Percival, coll., on taxes of 1876	10 00
20	Estate of Josiah Morrill, overvaluation, 1879	8 00
20	E. H. Piper, tax bills for 1877	1577 07

2583 69

No appropriation.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN, FEB. 20, 1880.

LIABILITIES.

Bonded debt bearing 5 per cent. interest :

Due Jan. 1, 1881,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1882,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1883,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1884,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1885,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1886,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1887,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1888,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1889,.....	5000 00	
“ “ 1890,.....	5000 00	
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Coupons due and unpaid 322 50

Interest-bearing orders outstanding Feb 20, 1880,
including interest due on same, as per page 33, 16977 70

Old orders outstanding :

No. 120 of 1875, given Samuel Gardiner,	3 00
144 “ “ John Veado	3 00
316 “ “ Henry Perry	3 00

9 00

Balance due common schools, 2180 20

DEBTS DUE.

Town of Athens, acct. Mrs. Geo. Chipman	\$14 60	
Mrs. S. A. Tilton, care Helena Witham	13 50	
	<hr/>	28 10
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		69,517 50

ASSETS.

Due on account of Treasurer's error for 1873	\$1 01	
Due from John Ware on account of Bond money paid by C. H. Redington, not entered on Treas. book	82 10	
Due from Joseph Percival on account of pension papers of R. S. Prescott and A. Ranco	30 00	
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<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>	113 11	69517 50

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$113 11	69517 50
Due from Wm. Macartney, Treasurer and Collector for 1870, 1871 and 1872	261 09	
Uncollected tax bills of 1870, 1871 and 1872 delivered to Selectmen by Wm. Macartney	938 23	
Granite at Benj. Mitchell's, valued at	4 00	
Stock and supplies at Town Farm	877 10	
“ “ fixtures at Liquor Agency	443 64	
Due from Town of Canaan	62	
“ “ “ West Waterville	3 00	
“ “ “ Oldtown	3 00	
“ “ City of Bangor	4 50	
“ “ Town of Skowhegan	6 36	
“ “ “ Benton	6 50	
“ “ “ Belgrade	4 88	
Due on account of rent of Town Hall	30 00	
Uncollected tax bills of 1878	1,555 65	
“ “ “ “ 1879	6,032 19	
Cash in Treasury	1,659 28	
Bonds and stocks in hands of the Cemetery Committee, par value	3,186 29	
	<hr/>	15,129 44
Liabilities of Town in excess of Assets		<hr/> 54,388 06

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE TOWN
OF WATERVILLE, FEB. 20, 1880.

Town Hall and common	\$12000 00
Farm and buildings	4500 00
Wood lot in Sidney	800 00
Stock on farm	484 00
Farming tools and fixtures	300 00
Hay, grain and provisions at farm	393 00
Two engine houses	3300 00
Three fire engines, hand	2000 00
Hook and Ladder house	500 00
Hook and Ladder truck	150 00
Hook and Ladder apparatus	225 00
Three hose carriages and hose	1500 00
Gravel pit	500 00
Monument Park	8000 00
Cemetery grounds and receiving tomb	6000 00
Standard weights and measures	100 00
Two safes and office furniture	500 00
Two snow ploughs and tools	60 00
Sixty-four street lamps	384 00
High and Grammar school-house and lot, Pleasant St.	10000 00
Intermediate school-house and lot, Mill street	800 00
Intermediate and primary school-house and lot, Pleasant street	2500 00
Intermediate and primary school-house, North street	5000 00
Primary school-house and lot, Oak street	800 00
Primary school-house and lot, Plains	600 00
School-house and lot, Webb district	500 00
School-house and lot, Penny district	300 00
School-house and lot, Neck district	300 00
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	62,496 00

Your Selectmen would recomend the following appropriations for the coming year :—

For common schools,	\$2700 00
Free High School,	1500 00
Highways and sidewalks, including deficiency,	
Feb. 20, 1880,	3000 00
Ticonic Bridge,	200 00
Support of poor,	3500 00
Current expenses, including deficiency, Feb. 20, 1880,	2800 00
Police services,	200 00
Night watch,	500 00
Lighting streets,	500 00
Fire department,	2000 00
Monument Park,	100 00
Bonded debt, principal and interest,	7500 00
Abatements, made as per abatement account,	2583 69
Int. including deficiency Feb. 20, 1880,	1700 00
Tomb contract deficiency	300 00

S. I. ABBOTT,	}	Selectmen of Waterville.
C. E. MITCHELL,		
L. E. THAYER,		

TREASURER'S REPORT.

JOSEPH PERCIVAL, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR,

In account with the TOWN OF WATERVILLE.

1879.		Dr.	
Feb. 20	For balance due	\$636 19	
	For error in entering order No. 422 of 1875, on Treas. book, p. 323	50	
	For error in entering order No. 180 of 1876 on Treas. book, p. 333	2 00	
		<hr/>	\$638 69
		Cr.	
	By error in entering order No. 154 of 1875 on Treas. book, p. 311	6 00	
	By omitting to enter a part of order No. 524 of 1876 paid by Jos. Percival	103 85	
1880.			
Feb. 17	By order of abatement on tax bills of 1875 and 1876	311 12	
	By order for commissions, balance due for collecting tax of 1876	64 09	
	Cash paid selectmen	153 63	
		<hr/>	<u>\$638 69</u>

E. H. PIPER, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR,

In account with the TOWN OF WATERVILLE.

1879.		Dr.	
Feb. 20	Bal. from previous acct.	10,970 42	
	Less old Town order No. 277 cancelled	383 00	10,587 42
	Cash of C. H. Redington, balance Town Bond money	302 24	
	Cash of C. H. Bedington for gas machine sold	100 00	
	Cash of Levi Lashus, acct. sidewalk	10 25	
26	Cash acct. Town Farm	100 00	
27	Cash account Town Canaan	7 50	
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	Amount carried forward,	11107 41	

Amount brought forward, \$11107 41

Mar. 17	Cash tax collected of school district on Neck	49 00
29	Cash account Town Hall	44 00
29	“ “ Geo. H. Esty, overpaid last year	18 38
April 9	Cash acct. W. W. Edwards, auctioneer's license	2 00
19	Cash acct. C. G. Carleton auctioneer's license	2 00
May 22	Cash acct. Liquor Agency	435 31
31	“ “ money hired of People's Na. Bank	1500 00
June 6	Cash acct. Town Farm	42 19
10	Town Hall	80 00
12	Tax bills for 1879	37,770 91
17	Cash acct. Town Farm	49 25
20	“ “ Town of Canaan	15 32
21	“ “ Liquor Agency	129 95
26	“ “ Barnum's circus license	55 00
July 23	“ “ Liquor Agency	129 95
Aug. 8	“ “ Town of Orono	13 00
Sept. 1	“ “ Liquor Agency	110 43
3	“ “ Town Hall	65 00
Oct. 1	“ “ Liquor Agency	137 82
4	“ “ “ “	119 66
8	Supplemental tax bills for 1879	285 20
17	Cash acct. Town of Orono	14 50
Nov. 1	“ “ Lighting streets	2 00
1	“ “ Liquor Agency	135 57
Dec. 1	“ “ “ “	118 82
2	“ “ Town Hall	125 00
10	“ “ Town of Fairfield	44 30
1880.		
Jan. 1	“ “ Liquor Agency	158 12
2	“ “ Town Farm	10 00
5	State school fund for 1879	694 77
5	State mill tax for 1879	1602 74
5	Railroad tax for 1878	571 49
5	Received of State Treasurer by order of the Governor	355 25

Amount carried forward, 55994 34

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$55994 34	
5	Cash acct. Town of Fairfield	48 74	
7	Supplemental tax bills, 1879	44 00	
28	Cash acct. common schools	112 00	
Feb. 14	“ Liquor Agency	150 27	
14	“ Town of Skowhegan	32 25	
16	“ “ Town W. Waterville	10 10	
16	“ Ticonic Bridge	15 30	
17	Order of abatement to Joseph Percival, Coll. for 1875 and 1876	311 12	
17	Order for commissions for Joseph Percival, Coll. for 1876	64 09	
17	Cash acct. Joseph Percival, Coll.	153 63	
18	“ Int. bearing orders,	96 54	
20	“ Town Hall,	64 00	
20	“ Liquor Agency	106 10	
20	“ Town Farm	115 91	
			57,318 39
1879.			Cr.
Aug. 1	By paid note at People's National Bank, dated May 31, 1879	1500 00	
1880.			
Jan. 5	By paid State tax for 1879	5337 56	
5	“ County “ “	2214 25	
Feb. 20	“ Town orders Nos. 1 to 707 inclusive for year ending Feb. 20, 1880	37586 05	
	“ paid on orders dated prior to Feb. 20 1879	1433 41	
20	balance being following items:		
	Uncollected taxes of 1878	1,555 65	
	“ 1879	6,032 19	
	Cash in hands,	1,659 28	9247 12
			57,318 39

E. H. PIPER,
Treasurer & Collector.

CERTIFICATE OF AUDITOR.

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts for the year ending Feb. 20, 1880, of Joseph Percival, Treasurer for 1876, and E. H. Piper, Treasurer for 1879, and find them properly vouched and correctly cast; also the accounts of the Selectmen, for the year ending Feb. 20, 1880, which I find correctly cast, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn, except that the sum of orders drawn for the payment of Coupons exceeds the amount of coupons presented for cancellation by twelve dollars and fifty cents.

NATH'L MEADER, *Auditor.*

Waterville, March 10, 1880.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

The force of the department consists of Chief Engineer, two assistants and four companies, as follows:—

H. G. TOZIER, Chief Engineer ;

J. D. HAYDEN, 1st Asst. ;

C. R. SHOREY, 2d Asst.

TICONIC ENGINE CO. No. 1.

WILLIAM PROCTOR, Foreman ;

WM. T. KEEN, 1st Asst. ; H. E. SPAULDING, 2d Asst.

J. H. PHILLIPS, Hose Master ;

J. F. STEVENS, Clerk ;

J. F. PARTRIDGE, Asst. Clerk ;

JOHN MURRY, 1st Pipeman ;

FRANK OSGOOD, 2d Pipeman ;

J. B. WENDALL, Steward ;

N. P. MEADER, Treas. ;

And forty-one men.

VETERAN ENGINE CO. No. 2.

JOSEPH MICUE, Foreman ;

PAUL MARSHALL, 1st Asst. ;

FRED POOLER, Clerk ;

JOS. PERRY, Asst. Clerk ;

LEVI BUSHIE, Hose Master ;

JOS. POOLER, Steward :

And fifty-one men.

WATERVILLE ENGINE CO. No. 3.

W. B. SMILEY, Foreman ;

M. FARDY, 1st Asst. ;

THOS. SMART, 2d Asst.

O. G. SPRINGFIELD, Hose Master ; JAMES CAUVANOUGH, Clerk :

C. H. WOODMAN, Asst. Clerk ;

E. G. MEADER, Treas. ;

And forty-nine men.

APPLETON HOOK & LADDER CO. No. 2.

F. N. ESTY, Foreman.

F. U. LAMPSON, 1st Asst. ;

S. P. BRANN, Clerk ;

E. L. MEADER, Treas.

And sixteen men.

All the apparatus belonging to the Department and everything therewith connected are in first class working order. The hose consists of 3400 feet which may be classed as follows :

1300 feet leather, part of which is poor.

1000 feet rubber lined linen, all good.

600 " " " cotton, bought last year of Boyd & Son.

500 " " " " " this year of the American
Hose Manuf'g Co. by advice and with approval of chairman of
Selectmen.

ENGINE HOUSES.

The houses are all in good repair. There has been expended on the Hook & Ladder House about one hundred dollars in sheathing and painting, which was very much needed.

RESERVOIRS.

There are within the limits of the Department twenty-one reservoirs : some of them are worthless. I would recommend building three new reservoirs, of a capacity of one hundred and fifty hhds. each ; two of them on the Plains, one near junction of Water and Grove streets, the other near junction of Water and Gold streets, and a new one in place of the old one at foot of Union street. I would also recommend making a new covering to the one near the junction of Main and Temple streets, and the painting of No. 3 engine, and No. 1 hose carriage.

With these, in addition to the hydrants connected with the Lockwood Mills, our facilities for the prompt extinguishment of fire are as good as can be expected of a hand fire department.

List of fires and alarms responded to by the department during the year :—

March 6, 1879, Shank factory owned by Roberts & Marston, loss \$5000, insurance, \$3000, cause unknown.

April 26, 1879, building belonging to Classical Institute, loss \$40, incendiary.

May 4, stable owned by George Gilman, loss \$2000, incendiary.

May 9, alarm from Clinton, No. 3 responded to the call.

May 17, dwelling belonging to the Elmwood property, damage trifling, supposed incendiary.

May 27, barn on lane off Silver street, owned by Gilman heirs, loss \$60, no insurance, incendiary.

July 13, house and barns of Asa R. Clifford, loss \$2000, insurance \$1200, sparks from chimney.

Aug. 15, blacksmith shop occupied by J. J. McFadden, and owned by Water Power Co., cause unknown, loss trifling, insured.

Oct. 26, alarm from West Waterville, No. 3, responded to the call.

Jan. 2, 1880, dwelling house on the Plains, owned by Mrs. Gurney, loss \$500, no insurance, cause unknown.

Jan. 19, False alarm.

Jan. 24, stable owned by C. E. Grey, on Ticonic street, loss \$100, no insurance, cause unknown.

Feb. 20, 1880, dwelling of Rev. Dr. Shaw, loss trifling, fully insured, cause burning out of chimney.

Congratulating our citizens on the immunity from serious loss by conflagration for the past year. and extending my earnest thanks to all the officers and members of the department and the citizens in general, for the prompt and generous response to all calls, I can but hope that the same good feeling will prevail in the future as in the past.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. G. TOZER, *Chief Engineer.*

SCHOOL REPORT.

TOWN OF WATERVILLE, MARCH, 1880.

The close of another municipal year devolves upon the Superintending School Committee the duty of presenting their Annual Report. They are called to give an account of what they have done in the fulfilment of their trust, and of the condition of the schools under their care. In relation to their own duty of Superintendence, so far as this needs to be made a separate topic, it may suffice to say, that by frequent visits, on the part of one or more of their number, to the different schools, and by careful examinations of them at the close of each term, they have kept themselves informed of the progress of the pupils, and advanced them from one grade to another, as their attainments were found to justify. They have also, as occasion made needful, listened to the complaints of parents and others, and given counsel to teachers as to the best way of dealing with troublesome pupils. But the cases have been hapily few, in which such services have been required.

In all the village schools, the graded system has been in operation now for many years ; and the past year has called for no change in the system. With the same classification and nearly the same teachers, the committee, as may be supposed, have to report no considerable variation in the condition of these schools from year to year. Yet there has been, in their judgment, while a slow, yet a perceptibly steady improvement in their efficiency and usefulness, ever since the present graded system was established ; and the year now ending has witnessed its share of this

improvement. There has been a good degree of regularity in the attendance of the children ; and, as a general remark, the teachers have brought to their work a becoming sense of responsibility, and a governing desire to awaken the interest and secure the proficiency of their pupils.

In the outlying rural districts also, where from the nature of the case graded schools could not be had, the results gained have been quite satisfactory. The schools here have been faithfully taught, and, so far as known, have met the expectation, and won the favor of the people directly interested in them.

TEACHERS' MEETINGS.

In the hope of exciting a deeper interest in the teachers, of awakening and keeping alive in them a healthful spirit of inquiry in relation to their work, and stimulating them to better effort for the improvement of the schools, the committee, more than a year since, recommended to them to form themselves into a Teachers' Association. With the aid of the committee, such an association was formed and organized, with the Principal of the High School as president, and all the teachers in the village enrolled as members. Provision was made for stated meetings, and for the consideration, at each meeting, of some subject of practical interest connected with the work of the schools. It was arranged that the committee, or at least some one of them, should be present, as often as possible, at the meetings, and take such part as might seem desirable in the free and familiar conversations and discussions. During the past year, the association has met three times each term, or twelve times in the year ; and, as its records will show, has had in consideration many questions of vital concern to the schools. The teachers have had the advantage of comparing their different views and methods, and of profiting from the experience and suggestions of one another. The committee too have found desirable opportunities of presenting some not needless cautions and hints. Good has evidently come from the meetings thus far ; and if, as the committee hope, they shall be continued, still greater benefit may justly be expected from them. But in order to secure this benefit, they should be faithfully attended. The one respect in which teachers are most liable to fail, is in the interest demand-

ed in their work. This interest ought to amount to an absorbing passion. The moment teaching becomes a routine, or is sought mainly for a livelihood, or for other reason than interest in the work, it loses its proper motive and dignity, and much of its usefulness and success. Readiness to attend such meetings as those here in view may well be regarded both as a sign of interest actually felt, and a means of continuing and strengthening it.

DISCIPLINE AND PUNISHMENT.

During the year, the committee have given much attention to the subject of discipline in the schools. In the teachers' meetings just spoken of, the matter has been very fully discussed; and the views of the committee respecting it may fitly find expression in this report. Order in the schools is a necessary condition of their efficiency. It is also a thing of great value in itself, and an important part of the training of the young to habits of self-restraint and of quiet submission to the regulations of society. Lessons of prompt and cheerful obedience, learned in the schools, are naturally carried into the conduct of life, and help lay the foundations of good citizenship. It is hence essential to the success of the schools, and a matter of wide-reaching concern, that they should be wisely governed; and this wise government may sometimes call for the infliction of something in the way of punishment. The committee do not think that they could, with safety to the schools, deprive the teachers altogether of this right to punish. But while they do not take from them the right, to be used with judgment, they are clearly of the opinion, that the best governed schools are almost always those in which there is the least resort to punishment; and that an ideally perfect school, if it could be reached, would be one in which there would be no corporal punishment. It is character in the teacher that most effectually governs, — firmness tempered with kindness, and especially skill in awakening the interest and the faculties of the pupils. No teacher, in whom these qualities of the mind and heart are seriously lacking, no one whose chief reliance for maintaining order is the use of the rod, ought to be allowed in the school-room.

SCHOOL ACCOMMODATION.

The committee have to call the attention of their fellow-citizens to the immediate and imperative need of additional school accommodation. From the beginning of the present school year, there has been a large increase of the number of pupils in all the primary schools. In three of these schools—that in the north brick building, kept by Miss Maxwell, that in Oak Street, kept by Miss Haynes, and that on the Plains, kept by Miss Fifield—the increase in the number of pupils has been so great, that it was impossible to give them all seats in one room, and beyond the power of a single teacher to hear their lessons. In the fall term, a partial remedy for the evil was found, by putting the smaller children into the entries, and employing for them additional teachers. A still better, though not wholly satisfactory provision was made at the opening of the second or winter term, by hiring of father Halde the Catholic school-building, and establishing there two new schools. This is however regarded as merely a temporary arrangement. Three new school-rooms will be indispensable, as soon as they can be got in readiness. This will hardly be denied by any one, who takes account of the facts, that in the school on the Plains there are already registered 155 names, in the Oak Street primary 115, and in the north brick primary 95.

SALARIES OF TEACHERS

At the beginning of the school year, the committee, in deference to what they understood to be the wishes of the tax-payers, made a reduction of ten per cent. in the salaries of all the village teachers below the High School, and a still greater reduction in the salary of the assistant teacher in the High School. The step was taken by reason of the seriously felt pressure of the times. But that pressure is already somewhat lightened, while the cost of living for the teachers is becoming higher. In this state of things, the committee submit to the town, whether they may not fitly bring back the salaries to their former amounts. They do not think that the teachers were ever paid more than the just value of their services, nor do they believe that they can get teachers with the needful qualifications at cheaper rates.

OTHER MATTERS.

With respect to instruction in music and penmanship, the committee have nothing to add to what is contained in their last report, beyond the remark, that they would regret the withdrawal from the schools of the measure of attention now given to these branches. Nor have they any change of opinion to express as to the wisdom of providing free text-books for the schools. In their judgment, the course pursued in this respect has justified itself by its results. To the discussions now going on in certain quarters respecting new methods of instruction, they have given some thought; but at present they see no occasion for recommending any considerable change in the methods of teaching.

COURSE OF STUDY AND TEXT-BOOKS.

PRIMARY GRADE.

Reading, Spelling, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, Oral Lessons on Languages, Plants, Animals, Phisiology.

Text Books—Primary Reading Charts, Harvey's First, Second and Third Readers, Harvey's Speller, White's Primary and Intermediate Arithmetics, Harper's Introductory Geography.

INTERMEDIATE GRADE.

Reading, Spelling, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, Oral Lessons on Plants, Animals, Organs of Organic Bodies, and Drawing.

Text Books.—Harvey's Fourth Reader, Swinton's Word Book, White's Intermediate Arithmetic, Harper's Introductory Geography, Kerl's Grammar, (First Lessons.)

GRAMMAR GRADE.

Reading, Spelling, Writing, Drawing, Arithmetic, Geography, History of United States, Grammar, Oral Lessons in Natural History, Phisiology and Natural Philosophy, and weekly exercises in English Composition.

Text-Books. — White's Complete Arithmetic, Harper's School Geography, Kerl's Grammar.

First Term. Algebra, Physical Geography, English Analysis or Latin.

Second Term. Algebra, Physical Geography, English Analysis or Latin.

Third Term. Algebra, Natural History, English History or Latin.

Fourth Term. Algebra, Natural History, English History or Latin.

SECOND YEAR.

First Term. Geometry, English History, Eng. Composition or Latin.

Second Term. Geometry, General History, Book-keeping or Latin.

Third Term. Geometry, General History, Book-keeping or Latin.

Fourth Term. Geometry, Physiology, Eng. Composition or Latin.

THIRD YEAR.

First Term. Trigonometry, Physiology, Science of Government.

Second Term. Trigonometry, Nat. Philosophy, Science of Government.

Third Term. Chemistry, Natural Philosophy, Astronomy.

Fourth Term. Chemistry, Botany, Astronomy.

FOURTH YEAR.

First Term. Chemistry, Geology, Higher Algebra Latin or French.

Second Term. Geology, Arithmetic reviewed, Higher Algebra or French.

Third Term. Rhetoric, Geography reviewed or French.

Fourth Term. Rhetoric, Grammar reviewed, French or Latin.

Daily exercises in Reading and Spelling. Weekly exercises in Composition and Declamation.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.

Text-Books — Davies' Algebra, Warren's Physical Geography, Steele's Zoology, Davie's Legendre, Trigonometry and Surveying, Thalheimer's Eng. History, Brown's Physiology, Norton's Physics, Dana's Geology, Alden's Science of Government, Lockyer's Astronomy, Steele's Chemistry, Wood's Botany, Meservey's Book-keeping, Swinton's General History, White's Arithmetic, Harper's Geography, Kerl's Grammar, Harvey's Fifth Reader, Hill's Rhetoric.

DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES.

Harkness' Latin Grammar, Harkness' Latin Reader, Hanson's Latin Prose Book, Duffet's French Method, Spier's and Surrenne's Dictionary.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Balance from last year	\$3741 28
Amount raised by vote of the Town	2700 00
Mill tax	1602 74
School fund	694 77
Received from W. Waterville on account of Union districts	112 00
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	8850 79
Expenses	6670 59
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Balance	\$2180 20

HIGH SCHOOL.

Balance Feb. 20, 1879	\$59 50
Appropriation	1500 00
Paid by State to Town on account of High Schools	355 25
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	\$1924 75
Paid for teaching	1658 50
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Balance	266 25

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES.

Expended for salaries of teachers	\$4572 83
For fuel	471 58
For repairs	162 00
Supplies and labor	709 11
Text-books	361 07
Salary of S. S. Committee	394 00
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	\$6670 59

D. N. SHELDON, } S. S. Com.
 J. G. SOULE, } of
 M. LYFORD, } Waterville.

TABULAR STATEMENT.

				SPRING.				SUMMER.				FALL.				WINTER.			
				Length Term in Days	No. Scholars Regist'd	Average Attendance	Per Cent. Attendance	Length Term in Days	No. Scholars Regist'd	Average Attendance	Per Cent. Attendance	Length Term in Days	No. Scholars Regist'd	Average Attendance	Per Cent. Attendance	Length Term in Days	No. Scholars Regist'd	Average Attendance	Per Cent. Attendance
No. Scholars in Town, April 1, 1879, . . .				1538															
Registered in Schools, . . .				864															
Average Attendance during School sessions, . . .				630															
Per Cent. attendance of Scholars Registered, . . .				73															
High School, { E. H. Smiley, Principal,				50	60	54	90	50	55	48	88	50	75	70	93	50	74	69	93
{ Mrs. M. E. Carver, Assistant,																			
Grammar School, { Miss W. M. Barnes,				45	33	30	90	45	33	31	94	45	34	32	94	45	34	30	88
{ " C. E. Fuller,																			
{ " A. V. Drummond,				45	31	28	90	45	27	24	89	45	31	29	94	45	34	31	91
No. Intermediate, { " Vesta W. Flagg,				45	47	43	92	45	48	41	85	45	51	45	88	45	51	43	84
So. " { " Julia A. Stackpole,				45	38	35	92	45	36	32	89	45	44	40	91	45	44	41	93
No. Primary, { " Ella M. Maxwell,				45	56	51	91	45	76	64	84	45	84	67	80	45	40	33	83
{ " Ada B. Stevens,				45	54	48	89	45	58	53	91	45	64	56	88	45	63	56	89
So. " { " M. L. Stevens, Miss L. C. Goodell,				45	46	38	83	45	63	58	92	45	60	45	75	45	46	41	90
{ Mrs. Phebe G. Mitchell,				45	40	37	93	45	39	33	85	45	35	30	86	45	33	30	91
Oak St. " { Miss M. R. Haines, Miss M. Smith,				45	76	60	79	45	84	71	85	45	100	81	81	45	81	76	94
Plains " { " Myra Fifield, " Laura Fifield,				45	61	43	70	45	65	45	70	45	121	91	75	45	65	46	70
{ " Laura F. Fifield,																			
Elm St. " { " Georgia A. Farrington.																			
{ " Nellie G. True, Caleb Frye,								50	52	22	90	50	21	18	90	50	21	18	90
Webb District, { " Ada E. Estes, Miss Della A. Morse,								50	7	6	85	55	14	9	64	30	8	7	87
Penny " { " Addie Soule,								50	16	13	81	50	19	15	80	50	23	18	83
Neck " {																			

WARRANT.

STATE OF MAINE.

To E. H. PIPER, *one of the Constables of the Town of Waterville,*
County of Kennebec, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Waterville, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at Town Hall, in said Town, on Monday, the 15th day of March, A. D. 1880, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, to wit:—

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator to govern said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose a Town Clerk, Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, and one or more Superintending School Committee.

ART. 3. To see what method the Town will adopt to collect taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 4. To choose a Treasurer, Collector, Agent Auditor of accounts, and all other necessary Town Officers.

ART. 5. To raise a sum of money for the support of schools.

ART. 6. To raise a sum of money for the support of poor.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote any instructions in relation to the management of the poor, or of the Town Farm.

ART. 8. To see what method the Town will take to repair the roads, bridges and sidewalks, and raise a sum of money to pay for said repairs the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To raise a sum of money to pay the current expenses of the Town the ensuing year.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will raise a sum of money to pay its interest-bearing debt, or any portion thereof, or take any action in regard to the same.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a suitable number of persons to be measurers of Wood and Bark, and Surveyors of Logs and Lumber the ensuing year.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will raise a sum of money to pay a Night Watch, or act anything thereon.

ART. 13. To see what action the Town will take in regard to Lighting the Streets, and raise a sum of money for the same.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money for the support of a Free High School.

ART. 15. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the management of the Town Hall.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will take any action in regard to Sewerage, and to raise money for the same.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to furnish Text-books for the Scholars of the Public Schools.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the Fire Department.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to refund to Joseph Mitchell and Joseph Mitchell Jr., money paid on School-house tax, in Union District No. 2, of West Waterville.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to tax dogs the ensuing year.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Reform Club to use the Town Hall for meetings, free, when not otherwise engaged.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will take any action in reference to a Revision of the "By-Laws of the Town of Waterville."

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to have a Supervisor of Schools instead of a S. S. Committee as heretofore.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a lot for School Purposes on the Plains in said town, to erect a School Building on the same, and raise a sum for the purchase of the lot and the erection of the building.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to provide an additional room for the accommodation of the Oak St. Primary School, and raise a sum of money for the same.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote to sell a strip of land three feet wide from the south side of the white school house lot on the east side of Pleasant Street, to Wesley J. Maynard, and empower the Selectmen to convey the same by deed.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and place in the hands of W. S. Heath Post G. A. R., the sum of \$25.00 to be used in decorating the graves of deceased Soldiers and Sailors, next Decoration Day.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to have the sale of Liquor at the Agency confined to the residents of Waterville.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to run out the lines of Main Street, and set permanent monuments to mark the same, to be paid from the Highway appropriation.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money to improve the Park.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will take any action in relation to the method of calling future Town Meetings.

ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to lease of Ticonic Bank the office now occupied by the Selectmen, for a term of five years, at one hundred dollars per year.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild the Cedar Bridge over the Messalonskee stream, and raise a sum of money for the same.

ARS. 34. Tho see if the Town will vote to discontinue so much of Front St., described as follows: Beginning on the easterly line of Front St., three rods northerly of where the same intersects the northerly line of the Maine Central Railroad, as located; thence north 15 3-4 degs. east, to the fence next southerly of Memorial Hall; thence north, 56 1-2 degs. west, about eleven (11) rods and seven (7) links to College Street; said way being three rods wide and lying west and south of the above described courses and distances, and being the northerly end of the way accepted by the town March 8th, 1841.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to accept a Private Way, laid out by the Selectmen, and described as follows:—Beginning at a bolt driven in the ground in the north line of Silver Street, and in J. H. Plaisted's west line; thence northerly, on said Plaisted's west line about ninety-two (92) feet to a bolt driven in the ground; thence on a line parallel, (or nearly so) to the fronts of the stores on Main Street, about 448 ft., to a bolt driven in the ground one (1) ft. north of, and eight (8) feet from the east end of the store house now occupied by J. F. Percival; thence about fifty-two (52) ft. to a bolt driven in the ground one ft. east of the southeast corner of F. Walker's shop; thence on a line parallel to the east side of said shop, about forty-five (45) to Temple Street. The above described line is to be the west line of the Way, and the east line is to be twenty-four (24) feet easterly therefrom, excepting where the Way passes in the rear of the following lots on Main St., viz. : lots owned by C. M. Barrel, C. G. Carleton, Merchants' Bank, John Ware, J. M. Crooker, Louise Ingalls, Mrs. Joanna B. Gilman, Waterville Savings Bank. Arthur alden, Mrs. Caffrey, P. S. Heald, L. E. Thayer, and Ticonic Bank. where the way is to embrace all land lying between the above described lots, and the above described west line of way, all according to a plan in the hands of the Selectmen, which is hereby made a part of this description.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept a Town Way laid out by the Selectmen, and described as follows:—Beginning at a point in the easterly line of College Street, where the same intersects the northerly line of land of Maine Central Railroad Company; thence southeasterly, on said northerly line of said Company's railway land, to the easterly line of Front Street, said road to be 3 rods wide, and lying northerly of said railway land.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to accept a Town Way laid out by the Selectmen, and described as follows:—Beginning at the westerly end of Gilman Street, at an iron rod in the northerly line of said street; thence north 63 degs., 36 min. west, to a bolt driven in the ground, 103 rods; thence north, 63 degs. west, 65 rods to an iron bolt in the easterly line of the West Waterville road (so called), said road to lie south of the above described line, and to be three rods wide.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to accept a Town Way laid out by the Selectmen, and described as follows:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of Mrs. Drinkwater's homestead lot, on the northerly side of Centre Street; thence northerly, on the westerly line of said Drinkwater's lot, 109 ft. to land of R. B. Dunn; thence, on land of R. B. Dunn; parallel to Mrs. Florence McFadden's land, 165 ft. to land of Mrs. Fannie A. Butterfield; thence, on land of said Butterfield, 36 ft. 6 in.; said way to be two rods wide and lying westerly of the above described line.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to abate the tax assessed against Asa R. Clifford, in 1879.

ART. 40 To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money for Police Services.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money for deficiencies in Overdrawing Accounts for year ending Feb. 20, 1880.

And you are alike to notify the inhabitants of said Town that the Selectmen will be in session on Saturday, March 13, A.D. 1880, from 9 to 12 o'clock A.M. and from 1 to 5 o'clock P.M., at their office in Waterville, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters

HEREOF FAIL NOT, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings hereon, on or before the day of said meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS, this eighth day of March, A.D. 1880.

S. I. ABBOTT,	}	Selectmen of Waterville.
C. E. MITCHELL,		
L. E. THAYER,		

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Original Warrant, to me directed.

E. H. PIPER,
Constable of the Town of Waterville, Maine.