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# ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

## TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

# TOWN OF WATERVILLE

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 20, 1884,

TOGETHER WITH THE

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING, MARCH 10, 1884.

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WATERVILLE, ME.,

THE "SENTINEL" STEAM PRINT.

1884.

# TOWN OFFICERS.

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SIDNEY MOOR HEATH,

TOWN CLERK.

E. L. GETCHELL, L. E. THAYER, FRED POOLER,  
SELECTMEN.

S. S. BROWN,

TOWN AGENT.

J. G. SOULE, JOHN A. BELLOWS, S. S. BROWN,  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

E. H. PIPER,

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR.

S. S. BROWN,

AUDITOR.

C. R. McFADDEN, NATHANIEL MEADER,  
F. E. HEATH, W. B. ARNOLD,  
CEMETERY COMMITTEE.

HORACE G. TOZER,

CHIEF OF POLICE.

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C. R. SHOREY, *Chief,*  
JOS. MATTHIEU, CHAS. SLOPER,  
*First Assistant.* *Second Assistant.*

ENGINEERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

# TREASURER'S REPORT.

E. H. PIPER, *Treasurer and Collector,*

*In account with the TOWN OF WATERVILLE*

1883		Dr.
Feb. 20.	To balance from previous account,	\$12,334 14
Mar. 1.	Cash of Town of Fairfield,	12 00
3.	" Chief of Police,	3 00
6.	Amount of supplemental tax bill,	69 75
10.	Cash of Town of Knox,	21 25
15.	" Mrs. Geo. King,	3 00
15.	" C. G. Carleton, auctioneer's license,	4 00
30.	" Town of Oakland,	75 80
Apr. 3.	" Liquor Agent,	250 70
7.	" Town Hall Agent,	86 00
10.	" Town of Anson,	16 50
May 1.	" Liquor Agent,	193 25
10.	" Town Hall Agent,	101 00
19.	" L. Miller, billiard license,	10 00
19.	" J. E. Osborne, billiard license,	10 00
June 1.	" Liquor Agent,	205 75
1.	Amt. of Tax Bills for the year 1883,	39,165 14
4.	Cash of C. R. McFadden, auct'eer's license,	2 00
30.	" A. Forepaugh, circus license,	50 00
July 2.	" Liquor Agent,	169 98
2.	" H. Fales, billiard license	10 00
19.	" Town of Medway,	49 50
28.	" Dorris, circus license,	35 00
Aug. 1.	" Liquor Agent,	209 15
15.	" Selectmen, school house loan.	1500 00



	15.	"	State Treas., rent of armory,	100 00	
Sept.	4.	"	Town Hall Agent,	86 00	
	5.	"	Liquor Agent,	223 74	
	14.	"	Selectmen, school house loan,	1500 00	
	15.	"	Frank Higgins, tax of 1881,	3 00	
Oct.	1.	"	Liquor Agent,	218 77	
	1.	"	G. H. Matthews, empty packages,	9 75	
	11.	"	J. A. Stewart, poll tax of 1882,	3 00	
	11.	"	City of Gardiner,	16 00	
	16.	"	Clark Soule, tax of 1878,	3 00	
	20.	"	Mrs Thomas Wedgewood,	2 00	
	24.	"	Geo. W. Taft,	5 50	
Nov.	1.	"	Liquor Agent,	209 48	
	1.	"	Town Hall Agent,	127 00	
	10.	"	Town of Sidney,	2 00	
Dec.	1.	"	Liquor Agent,	174 22	
	17.	"	J. Landry, billiard license,	10 00	
1884.					
Jan.	9.	"	Town Hall Agent,	105 00	
	10.	"	Liquor Agent,	155 73	
	12.	"	C. W. Clark,	15 02	
	28.	"	Town of Medway,	24 03	
	31.	"	State Treas., school		
			fund and mill tax,	\$2,982 52	
	31.	"	State Treas., rail-		
			road and telegraph		
			tax,	396 39	
	31.	"	State Treas, high school,	250 00	3,628 91
Feb.	1.	"	Liquor Agent,	236 92	
	8.	"	D. C. Breed, tax of 1877,	3 00	
	9.	"	G. W. Reynolds,	2 00	
	20.	"	Liquor Agent,	166 98	
	20.	"	Town Farm Supt.,	155 76	
	20.	"	Town Hall Agent,	74 00	
	20.	"	Supt. School Com.,	58 90	
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					\$61,906 62

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By paid Town Orders, Nos. 1 to 650 inclusive, for	
the year ending Feb. 20, 1884,	\$39,960 61
“ County Tax, for the year 1883,	3,813 51
“ State “ “ 1883,	10,460 41
Balance being following items:	
Uncollected taxes for the year 1881,	335 98
“ “ “ 1882,	998 33
“ “ “ 1883,	6,010 61
Cash in treasury, Feb. 20, 1884,	327 17
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	\$61,906 62

E. H. PIPER, *Treasurer and Collector.*

# SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

## APPROPRIATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 20, 1884.

Common Schools,	\$4,000	00	
Roads, including deficiency,	3,600	00	
Surface Drainage,	300	00	
Mill Street Sidewalk,	100	00	
Current Expense,	1,500	00	
Bonded Debt,	5,000	00	
Interest on same,	1,750	00	
Interest Account,	496	00	
Night Watch,	400	00	
Lighting Streets, including deficiency,	700	00	
Free High School,	1,500	00	
Fire Department, including deficiency,	2,500	00	
Decoration,	25	00	
Rangeway School House Lot,	200	00	
Police Service,	150	00	
Ticonic Bridge,	100	00	
Poor,	1,800	00	
State Tax for 1883,	10,460	41	
County Tax for 1883,	3,813	51	
Overlayings,	770	22	\$39,165 14

## VALUATION AND TAX.

Total value of real estate \$1,915,076 at			
14 1-2 mills,	\$27,768	60	
Total value of personal estate \$615,692 at			
14 1-2 mills,	8,927	54	
1178 polls at \$2,	2,356	00	
113 dogs at \$1,	113	00	\$39,165 14



## EXPENDITURES ON COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

1883.		Dr.
March	7. To J. M. Wall, for wood,	\$ 3 15
	7. E. H. Piper, two small bills paid,	3 00
	27. W. Waterville, for scholars in Union Dist.,	21 32
	29. E. H. Piper, sixteen small bills paid,	50 71
April	7. E. H. Piper, three small bills paid,	10 50
June	15. Bridges Bros., labor and material,	13 36
	25. E. H. Piper, forty-three small bills paid,	150 13
	25. John A. Bellows, services as S. S. Com.,	36 00
	25. Georgia A. Farrington, sundries,	3 00
	30. E. H. Piper, bills paid,	12 83
July	14. Laura A. Fifield, sundries,	55
	25. J. G. Soule, sundries,	13 80
	25. J. G. Soule, services as S. S. Com.,	35 00
Aug.	4. Prank Educational Co. bill of Mdse.,	16 36
Sept.	3. Bridges Bros., sundries,	16 32
	3. Sumner M. Carr, labor and materials,	7 25
	3. Joseph Bushey, labor.	8 00
	3. C. H. Blunt, labor and materials,	22 12
	4. Wm. B. Woodman and oth'rs, wood & labor,	32 24
	22. Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co., text-books,	23 01
	25. E. S. Ritchie & Sons, chemicals,	51 07
	29. E. H. Piper, two small bills paid,	7 25
Oct.	18. John A. Bellows, services as S. S. Com.,	10 00
Nov.	16. E. H. Piper, thirteen small bills paid,	40 38
	17. Eddie Bushey, care of school house,	1 25
	29. G. S. Flood & Co., bill of coal,	157 25
	30. C. R. Shorey, labor and materials,	39 12
Dec.	11. Fred Pooler, sundries,	70
	11. John A. Bellows, services as S. S. Com.,	11 00
	11. E. H. Piper, seven small bills paid,	13 75
	18. Charles H. Whitney, text-books,	37 76
	18. Cowperthwait & Co., text-books,	24 90
	18. Clark Maynard, text-books,	16 00
	18. Harrison Hume, text-books,	45 10



	18.	J. B. Lippincott & Co., text-books,	4 00
	18.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	45 14
	20.	H. C. Morse, wood,	11 6g
	27.	E. H. Piper, three small bills paid,	4 75
	27.	J. M. Wall, labor,	2 85
	1884.		
Jan.	2.	Bridges Bros., sundries,	10 16
	3.	H. C. Morse, wood,	12 00
	4.	Ginn Heath & Co., text-books,	24 30
	4.	A. C. Stocken, text-books,	69 08
	15.	T. F. Hanson, sundries,	24 48
	19.	Maxham & Wing, printing,	7 50
	30.	Geo. W. Dorr, sundries,	20 31
Feb.	2.	E. H. Piper, sixteen small bills paid,	65 90
	6.	Ephraim Low, for wood,	215 82
	12.	J. Furbish, sundries,	7 88
	13.	J. B. Britt, sundries,	3 70
	14.	E. H. Piper, two small bills paid,	10 50
	15.	C. R. Shorey, labor and materials,	12 93
	18.	Lockwood Co., for rent for school house,	50 00
	18.	S. D. Savage, for labor and materials,	12 95
	19.	Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co., text-books,	150 72
	19.	Elias Pease, for labor,	5 00
	19.	Thomas Smart, for labor,	95
	20.	Geo. H. Esty, labor and materials,	13 75
	20.	C. A. Henrickson, sundries,	15 20
	20.	Horace Cousins, labor, self and team,	3 00
	20.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	18 35
	20.	J. F. Elden, sundries,	8 50
	20.	J. G. Soule, for money paid out,	30 45
	20.	J. G. Soule, services as S. S. Com.,	300 00
	20.	E. H. Piper, surveying wood,	2 00
	20.	S. S. Brown, services as S. S. Com.,	150 00
			<u>\$2,247 99</u>

## TEACHERS' SALARIES.

	Dr.	
Kate H. Burleigh,	\$ 80 00	
Addie O. Davis,	224 00	
Alice V. Drummond,	433 34	
Florence L. Drummond,	356 67	
Georgia A. Farrington,	346 66	
Laura F. Fifield,	346 66	
Vesta W. Flagg,	300 00	
Carrie M. Foster,	248 00	
Carrie E. Fuller,	433 33	
Lema C. Goodell,	80 00	
Minnie Haynes.	346 67	
Lizzie A. Hodgdon,	321 67	
Helen L. Jewett,	271 00	
Addie F. March,	80 00	
Ella M. Maxwell,	266 68	
Della A. Morse,	152 00	
Barzie E. Nowell,	72 00	
Addie Soule,	346 65	
Wm. M. Soule,	62 00	
Elizabeth H. Stevens,	390 00	
L. Belle Turner,	50 00	
Georgia A. Wells,	328 00	\$5,535 33
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		\$7,783 32

1883.	Cr.	
Feb. 20. By Balance,	\$1,648 38	
Mar. 12. Appropriation,	4,000 00	
12. Evening school account,	200 00	
30. Cash from Oakland on		
Union District acc't,	75 80	
1884.		
Jan. 31. School Fund and Mill tax,	2,982 52	
Feb. 20. Cash from Oakland on		
Neck Dist. acc't and from		
sale of supplies,	40 90	\$8,947 60
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Balance,		\$1,164 28

## FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

1883.		CR.	
Feb. 20.	By Balance,	\$ 190 92	
Mar. 12.	Appropriation,	1,500 00	
1884.			
Jan. 31.	Cash from State,	250 00	
Feb. 20,	“ “ J. G. Soule, tuition collected,	18 00	\$1,958 92
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		DR.	
Mar. 28.	To E. H. Smiley, teaching,	\$318 50	
28.	Nellie G. True, “	101 31	
28.	Minnie L. Smith, “	116 00	
May 16,	E. H. Smiley, “	25 00	
June 25.	Minnie L. Smith, “	116 00	
25.	Nellie G. True, “	101 69	
30.	E. H. Smiley, “	296 30	
Nov. 16.	E. H. Smiley, “	289 08	
16.	Nellie G. True, “	92 10	
17.	Minnie L. Smith, “	100 00	
27.	E. H. Smiley, “	75 00	
1884.			
Jan. 30.	E. H. Smiley, “	200 75	
30.	Minnie L. Smith, “	160 00	
30.	Nellie G. True, “	92 10	\$2,023 83
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Overdraft,			\$64 91



## SUPPORT OF POOR.

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

Blanchard, Lizzie	\$111 37
Baldic, Addie	13 75
Branch, W. M.	246 14
Bullett, Oliver	32 75
Bushey, Lydia	67 45
Bushey, Mary	59 17
Bushey, John	7 00
Bushey, Moses and Tilley	60 84
Bushey, Peter	13 00
Butler, Antwine	7 00
Butler, George	6 00
Butler, Richard	5 00
Butler, Mrs. Chas.	6 50
Butler, Emma	24 40
Carey, Joseph	3 00
Chebot, Emma	4 00
Chipman, Hattie	34 42
Cirroi, Lee	2 00
Clair, Philip	7 60
Clukey, Frank	1 50
Connie, John	1 00
Cote, David P.	3 00
Cross, L.	3 25
Dusty, Ellen	54 25
Dusty, Mitchell, child,	10 90
Dyer, Alex	46 00
Dyer, John	11 95
Dyer, Augustus, child,	58 00
Dyer, Alex, Jr.	2 00
Forkey, Nelson	47 00
Fortier, Joseph	2 00
Fortier, Louis	16 20

Fowler, Mrs. Frank	32 00
Gero, George	51 20
Godens, Peter	2 50
Golder, Mary	6 50
Groder, Lucy	6 31
Groder, Augustus, child,	1 25
Gurney, Augustus	58 57
Gurney, John	19 80
Gurney, Mrs. Frank	25 75
Hawkes, Peter	11 25
Huard, Mary	1 50
Jaques, Vitaline	3 00
King, Marshall	145 34
King, Napoleon	12 50
Lambert, Mrs.	9 00
Landry, John	17 65
Langois, Mr.	2 50
Lashus, Joseph	2 50
Lashus, Sophia	8 00
Lattlipp, Victoria	59 00
Lattlipp, John	2 00
Lawrence, Joseph	3 00
Lessau, boys,	26 00
Micue, Mrs. Lewis	60 40
Mayo, Mrs. Henry	5 45
Murray, Sophia	33 83
Myo, Peter	45
Nye, Chas. H.	3 76
Parent, Joseph	13 87
Perry, Mrs. Lewis	26 00
Perry, Joseph	2 00
Pierre, John St.	22 75
Pierre, Joseph St.	90
Pooler, Frank	4 00
Pooler, G.	75

Pomelow, S.	26 25
Ponset, Miss	22 75
Preo, David	7 25
Ranco, George	11 50
Ranco, Barney	81 90
Ranco, Lewis	78 00
Ranco, Peter	2 00
Ranco, Pauline	1 50
Ranco, Joseph L.	4 75
Rhue, Augustus	71 00
Rowe, Chas. N.	8 28
Roy, Mary	7 00
Shortie, Sophia	32 50
Seco, Hiram	40 50
Shawmut, Emma	55 50
Souce, John B.	11 75
Stackpole, Caroline	40 45
Tallouse, Edward	13 00
Taylor, S.	48 31
Tebeau, Joseph	2 75
Tibodeau, Andrew	6 00
Tibodeau, Peter	6 00
Tozier, Mrs. John	52 00
Tramps,	1 55
Valley, Benjamin	50 00
Vigue, Mary	3 40
Vigue, Mrs. Joseph	11 25
Willett, Edward	20 00
D. P. Stowell, medical services,	68 75
S. C. Thayer, medical services,	50 00
Balance support of poor on town farm,	402 43

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\$2,888 04



List of persons supported at Town Farm, for the year ending  
February 20, 1884.

William Kimball,	Age 80	52 weeks.
Charles Marshall,	" 70	52 "
Lydia Hasty,	" 69	52 "
Julia Louisa Welch,	" 68	52 "
Tillie Tallouse,	" 53	52 "
Rose Huard,	" 46	52 "
Joseph St. Pierre,	" 30	30 "
Wm. A. Warton,	" 23	8 "
Matilda Stone,	" 71	10 "
Delenda Pelcha,	" 26	8 "
		<hr/> 368 "

368 weeks board of poor at Town Farm at a net cost of  
\$402 43, or an average cost of 109 356-368 cents per week.

EXPENSE OF POOR NOT ON THE TOWN FARM.  
1883.

	DR.
Mar. 1. To C. A. Hill, sundries,	\$ 2 00
1. Town of Fairfield, supplies to George Ranco,	11 50
2. B. Ranco, rent to Marshall King,	5 00
3. John Pooler, support of Lessau boys,	8 00
5. E. L. Getchell, Agt., rent for B. Vallier, 1 year,	36 00
7. R. W. Dunn, rent for Alex Dyer,	12 00
7. N. R. Boutelle, medical service,	3 00
7. Adelaide Lacom, care of Hattie Chipman,	12 75
7. Joseph Labby, rent for Marshall King,	2 00
10. Wilson & Towne, aid to Phillip Clair,	2 00
10. Sarah Butler, care of Ellen Ponset,	12 50
17. " " "	5 00
26. Insane Hospital, for Lizzie Blanchard,	25 80
30. Mary Parcher, rent for Caroline Stackpole,	7 50

	30.	John Labby, rent for Marshall King,	2 00
April	2.	Paul Marshall, for supplies,	27 00
	6.	Daniel R. Wing. aid to Mrs. John Tozier,	13 00
	6.	Manly & Tozier, for supplies,	13 00
	6.	Fred Pooler, for supplies,	27 00
	6.	Joseph Matthieu, for supplies,	31 00
	20.	L. S. Marquis, aid to Ellen Ponset,	2 25
	30.	Joseph Matthieu, for supplies,	12 00
May	3.	Joseph King, care of Emma Shawmut,	15 00
	3.	Fred Pooler, for supplies,	26 00
	5.	T. C. Ellis & Co., supplies,	21 00
	15.	Joseph King, care of Emma Shawmut,	10 00
	16.	A. L. McFadden, for wood,	22 87
	21.	Edw. Cote, care of Ellen Dusty,	14 00
	22.	Joseph Labby, rent for Marshall King,	2 00
	28.	S. C. Marston, aid to John Landry,	5 00
	28.	Joseph King, aid to Emma Shawmut,	10 00
June	2.	Paul Marshall, for supplies,	25 24
	2.	Alex Bushey, aid to Addie Baldic,	5 00
	2.	N. Charland, burial expenses,	6 00
	13.	Joseph King, care of Emma Shawmut,	5 00
	13.	Fred Pooler. supplies,	22 25
	13.	Joseph Matthieu, supplies,	12 00
	13.	Joseph Labby, rent for Marshall King,	2 00
	13.	N. Charland, burial expenses,	3 00
	13.	Fred Burgess. aid to Sophia Murphy,	6 00
	20.	Redington & Co., for coffins, &c.,	55 40
	20.	S. M. Newhall, supplies,	30 00
	20.	Insane Hospital, for Lizzie Blanchard,	26 68
	20.	Alex Bushy, care of Addie Baldic,	5 00
	30.	Adelaide Lacom, care of Hattie Chipman,	13 00
	30.	City of Rockland, aid to Chas. H. Nye,	3 76
	30.	Alex Bushy, care of Addie Baldic,	8 75
	30.	Fred Pooler, aid to Emma Shawmut,	15 50
July	14.	Fred Pooler, supplies,	28 75



	20.	D. P. Stowell, medical services, 1882-3.	31 25
	25.	Mary Parcher, rent for Caroline Stackpole,	7 50
	25.	Dan'l R. Wing, aid to Mrs. John Tozier,	13 00
	25.	Stewart Bros., aid to tramp,	30
	25.	Joseph Matthieu, aid to Sophia Taylor,	5 00
Aug.	6.	T. C. Ellis & Co., supplies,	26 00
	6.	Gott Vigue, board and care John St. Pierre,	8 00
	6.	F. Pooler, supplies,	36 47
	6.	S. King, Jr., rent for Aug. Rhue,	10 00
	6.	N. Charland, burial expenses,	6 00
	9.	Town of Oakland, support of W. M. Branch,	108 00
	14.	Joseph Matthieu, supplies,	19 31
	17.	L. E. Thayer & Son, supplies,	12 12
	31.	L. A. Moulton, supplies,	3 05
Sept.	3.	Paul Marshall, "	31 50
	3.	Joseph Labby, "	6 00
	3.	Lewis Ranco, "	13 00
	3.	L. J. Cote, "	7 50
	10.	Edw. Labby, supplies to N. Forkey and child,	21 00
	13.	Town of Oakland, supplies to W. M. Branch,	53 14
	17.	Fred Pooler, supplies,	31 00
	17.	Geo. A. Orsborne, supplies,	26 00
	19.	Maine Insane Hospital, supplies to Lizzie Blanchard,	27 98
	22.	N. Charland, burial expenses, R. Butler, child,	3 00
	25.	Edw. Cote, board and care of Ellen Dusty,	18 00
	25.	A. B. Branch, support of W. M. Branch, to March 13, 1884,	35 00
	29.	Fred Burgess, supplies,	16 63
	29.	Mary Parcher, rent for Caroline Stackpole,	7 50
Oct.	5.	D. E. Parsons, medical services for W. M. Branch,	50 00
	11.	C. Therriault, support of N. King,	6 00
	13.	Fred Pooler, supplies,	44 75



	18.	Sam'l King, Jr., rent for Aug. Rhue,	15 00
	18.	D. R. Wing, support of Mrs. John Tozer,	13 00
	18.	T. C. Ellis & Co., supplies,	17 00
	19.	C. Therriault, support of N. King,	5 00
	22.	Edw. Cote, support of Ellen Dusty,	4 00
	25.	Adelaide Lacom, support of Hattie Chipman,	8 67
	27.	C. Therriault, aid to Napoleon King,	1 50
Nov.	1.	Geo. Butler, aid to Marshall King,	16 00
	10.	“ “ “	7 50
	16.	Fred Pooler, supplies,	42 50
	16.	Edw. Baldic, wood for David Prio,	2 25
	16.	P. S. Heald, supplies to Chas. N. Rowe,	2 18
	16.	C. Therriault, aid to Edw. Willet,	6 00
	16.	Geo. Butler, aid to Marshall King,	10 00
	16.	C. Therriault, aid to Edw. Willet,	6 00
	21.	Edw. Cote, aid to Ellen Dusty,	6 00
	21.	John Pooler, aid to Lessau boys,	18 00
	21.	C. Therriault, aid to Edw. Willet,	8 00
	21.	Geo. Butler, aid to Marshall King,	10 00
Dec.	1.	“ “ “	17 50
	11.	Fred Pooler, supplies,	32 54
	11.	Paul Marshall, supplies,	41 50
	11.	Joseph Labby, Jr., rent for M. King,	6 50
	11.	Lewis Ranco, aid to Mrs. Frank Ranco,	7 75
	11.	Geo. A. Osborn, supplies,	28 00
	12.	G. S. Flood & Co., wood for Caroline Stackpole,	10 45
	15.	Jacob Landry, board and care of Marshall King,	9 00
	15.	Mrs. Lewis Ranco, washing for Marshall King,	2 00
	25.	Edw. Cote, board and care of Ellen Dusty,	5 00
	27.	Mary Parcher, rent for Caroline Stackpole,	7 50
	27.	Dow Bros., supplies to Geo. Gero,	40 25
	27.	Maine Insane Hospital, for Lizzie Blanchard,	30 91

27.	Town of Brunswick, for Hiram Seco's family,	40 50
29.	Chas. Butler, board and care of Emma Butler,	9 00

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Jan.	3.	Fred Pooler, supplies,	21 00
	3.	O. C. Holway, burial of Jos. Parrent child,	3 00
	4.	John Darveau, supplies to Peter Bushy,	12 00
	8.	T. C. Ellis & Co., supplies,	27 00
	8.	D. R. Wing, support of Mrs. John Tozer,	13 00
	8.	Jacob Landry, support of Marshall King,	14 50
	12.	Percy Loud, supplies,	7 90
	15.	Lucy Burgess, care of Lydia Bushy,	6 00
	17.	B. G. Mitchell & Co., supplies,	46 25
	18.	Manly & Tozer, supplies,	38 75
	18.	George Gero, board and care of Mrs. Frank Gurney.	3 00
	18.	C. E. Matthews & Co., supplies to Jos. Fortier,	2 00
	21.	Geo. Jewell, team for pauper funerals,	6 00
	23.	Redington & Co., supplies,	54 50
	23.	L. H. Soper, supplies,	7 56
	30.	Geo. W. Dorr, sundries,	1 85
	30.	O. J. Pelletier, supplies,	10 00
Feb.	1.	M. Gallert, supplies,	13 25
	2.	Ingraham & Plaisted, supplies,	25 40
	2.	Edw. Cote, board and care of Ellen Dusty,	6 00
	2.	Lucy Burgess, care of Lydia Bushy,	6 00
	5.	S. King, rent for Augustus Rhue,	20 00
	5.	Chas. Butler, board and care of Emma Butler,	15 00
	5.	Joseph Matthieu, supplies,	8 50
	15.	N. R. Boutelle, medical services for Aug. Gurney,	5 00
	15.	A. O. Smith, supplies to tramp,	1 25
	16.	Lockwood Co., rent for Alex Dyer,	24 00



16.	Geo. Gero, board and care of Mrs. Frank Gurney,	2 00
18.	Peter Vigue, wood for Mary Golder,	3 50
18.	Fred Pooler, supplies,	57 00
18.	Jacob Landry, board and care of M. King,	23 00
19.	Dr. D. P. Stowell, medical services,	37 50
19.	A. L. McFadden, for wood,	6 75
19.	Geo. A. Osborn, supplies,	26 00
20.	Dr. S. C. Thayer, medical services,	50 00
20.	T. C. Ellis & Co., supplies,	14 00
20.	P. L. Irish, Agt., medicine for the poor,	29 65
20.	Balance Town Farm acc't, support of poor,	402 43
		<hr/> \$2,888 04

1883.

CR.

Feb. 20.	By Balance,	\$ 737 08
Mar. 12.	Appropriation,	1,800 00
Feb. 6.	Am't transferred to Grand Isle acc't,	10 00
6.	Am't transferred to Grand Isle account,	I 75 \$2,548 83
Overdraft,		<hr/> \$339 21

## TOWN FARM.

1883.

CR.

Feb. 20.	By Town of Medway, support of W. A. Wharton,	\$ 20 00
July 19.	Town of Medway, support of W. A. Wharton,	16 00

1884.

Feb. 20.	Cash of J. B. Furber, balance of sale of farm products,	155 76
20.	Supplies, pd. for by sale of farm products,	374 49
20.	Stock and supplies,	1,141 90



20.	Amt. charged to Road Acc't for labor,	13 30
20.	Amt. charged to Pauper Acc't to bal.	402 43
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		\$2,123 88

DR.

Feb.	20.	To stock and supplies,	\$963 00
Mar.	29.	H. P. & H. Cousins, blacksmith work,	8 10
April	13.	P. S. Heald, clothes for J. Peters,	10 00
	21.	J. B. Furber, Supt. services to April 1,	44 44
May	8.	W. W. Edwards, agent for fruit trees,	20 00
June	8.	J. B. Furber, services to June 1,	66 67
July	13.	“ “ to July 1,	33 34
	26.	“ “ to Aug. 1,	33 33
Aug.	1.	G. H. Matthews & Co., bill of groceries,	88 45
	6.	J. M. Peavy, surveyor highway tax in Sidney,	3 00
Sept.	1.	J. B. Furber, services to Sept. 1, 1883,	33 33
Oct.	8.	I. S. Bangs, sundries,	144 48
	18.	J. B. Furber, services to Oct. 1,	33 33
Nov.	10.	H. B. Wyman, tax on wood lot,	9 92
	16.	J. B. Furber, services to Nov. 1,	33 33
Dec.	7.	“ “ to Dec. 1,	33 33
	11.	C. E. Matthews & Co., supplies,	36 64
1884.			
Jan.	15.	I. S. Bangs, sundries,	15 21
	15.	H. T. Hanson, sundries,	23 78
	19.	Maxham & Wing, Waterville Mail,	2 00
	30.	J. B. Furber, services to Jan. 1, 1884,	33 34
	30.	Supplies paid for by sale of farm products,	374 49
	30.	J. B. Furber, services as Supt. to Feb. 20,	55 56
	30.	H. P. & H. Cousins, for shoeing horses,	6 75
	30.	Knauff Bros., sundries,	18 06
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			\$2,123 88

## EXPENDITURES ON ROADS AND BRIDGES ACCOUNT.

1883.		CR.
March 12.	By appropriation,	\$2,969 76
Oct. 24.	Cash,	5 50
1884.		
Feb. 9.	Cash,	2 00
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		\$2,977 26
		DR.
March 3.	To John Lashus, labor,	\$ 4 00
7.	A. R. Clifford, breaking roads,	4 00
7.	" " "	14 70
9.	Wm. Brown, " "	37 27
10.	Wm. Marston, " "	8 57
26.	Ira A. Mitchell, " "	4 36
29.	Frank Sturtevant, labor,	4 72
29.	Richard Rice, labor,	4 25
31.	Chas. Dingley, breaking roads,	13 08
April 7.	Henry Hoxie, labor,	5 00
12.	Chas. E. Mitchell, breaking roads,	7 95
20.	Frank W. Davis, breaking roads,	2 40
26.	Wm. Woodman, clearing sidewalks,	8 25
28.	Hayden & Robinson, labor and material on bridges,	60 84
May 4.	A. B. Morrill, labor,	86 35
15.	Thomas Lessau, clearing sidewalks,	5 85
June 13.	A. L. McFadden, for plank,	30 00
13.	Chas. Soule, breaking roads,	9 00
13.	J. C. Morrill, " "	15 30
20.	A. B. Morrill, labor,	30 00
23.	Chas. Soule, labor,	47 37
30.	Fred Pooler, labor,	63 75
30.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on road machine,	15 75
30.	E. H. Piper, for paid on pay roll,	513 36
July 3.	Chas. Dingley, labor,	49 87
3.	John A. Ranco, for gravel,	50 00



Sept.	17.	Fred Pooler, labor,	30 62
	17.	C. R. Shorey, labor and materials,	15 76
	25.	A. L. McFadden, lumber,	28 00
	27.	A. J. Alden, for plow,	3 50
	29.	E. H. Piper, paid on pay roll,	418 50
	29.	Sylvester Ranco, repair of road machine,	2 50
	29.	Wm. R. Webster, labor,	5 00
Oct.	8.	I. S. Bangs, sundries,	17 20
	18.	James Woodman, for gravel,	1 50
	20.	John A. Ranco, for gravel,	94 60
	22.	C. W. Trafton, breaking roads, Feb. and Mar., 1883,	11 18
	22.	C. W. Trafton, labor and material,	33 25
Nov.	16.	Levi Bushey, " "	101 65
	16.	Lawrence, Phillips & Co., lumber,	13 80
	21.	Wm. Brown, labor,	3 50
	30.	C. R. Shorey, "	17 07
Dec.	5.	Levi Bushey, "	2 00
	8.	H. C. Morse, "	5 22
	11.	M. V. B. Guphill, labor,	3 80
	11.	Wm. Balentine, "	13 43
	11.	Hill & Simpson, "	1 50
	12.	G. S. Flood & Co., drain pipe and cement,	28 40
	18.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	19 36
	19.	E. H. Piper, paid on pay roll,	310 52
	20.	A. L. McFadden, plank,	28 00
	26.	S. W. Bates, taking levels,	5 01
	26.	H. W. Getchell, labor, self and team,	200 30
	26.	Mrs. W. Morrill, labor,	6 25
	27.	J. M. Wall, labor,	30
	27.	Dow Bros., for salt,	15
	27.	Wm. Marston, labor,	10 07
	1884.		
Jan.	3.	Fred Pooler, for pick,	1 25
	4.	Chas. Getchell, oak for scraper,	2 50
	4.	John A. Ranco, for gravel,	1 00



	4.	John Darveau, for watering trough,	3 00
	12.	Geo. E. Shores, labor, self and team,	95 15
	14.	Walker & Rackleff, labor and material,	26 00
	14.	Frank Walker, " "	13 41
	15.	I. S. Bangs, granite for street crossings,	203 28
	15.	H. T. Hanson, sundries,	12 67
	19.	Norton & Purinton, brick,	26 25
	19.	Henry Hoxie, labor,	5 05
	23.	C. E. Mitchell, "	6 40
	26.	J. C. Blaisdell, "	13 35
	30.	Hayden & Robinson, labor,	2 00
	30.	Lockwood Co., building sidewalk, South Main street,	50 00
	30.	A. R. Farnham, repair of snow plow and new plow,	14 70
Feb.	5.	Martin Blaisdell, labor,	28 74
	13.	John B. Britt, "	1 00
	14.	George Bouldier, "	9 84
	15.	Joseph Butler, clearing & sanding sidewalks,	30 00
	18.	Fred Pooler, bills for labor paid,	1 20
	19.	Elias Pease, labor,	5 95
	19.	Thomas Smart, labor,	35
	19.	Judson Williams, labor,	8 35
	20.	Proctor Bros., "	75
	20.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	1 00
	20.	Town Farm, labor of men and team,	13 30
	20.	A. B. Bates & Son, lumber,	2 92
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			\$3,107 34
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Overdraft,			\$130 08

## TICONIC BRIDGE.

1883.		Dr.
May 16.	To A. L. McFadden, for plank and timber,	\$ 74 12
June 13.	“ “ “ “	70 00
July 24.	Bridges Bros., labor and material,	7 27
Sept. 3.	Wm. Ray, labor,	1 50
17.	Fred Pooler, labor, men and team,	11 55
17.	C. R. Shorey, labor and material,	2 48
22.	S. D. Savage, painting signs,	4 00
25.	A. L. McFadden, plank and timber,	621 39
29.	E. H. Piper, Treas., paid on pay roll,	3 74
Oct. 5.	Hayden & Robinson, repairs damage by fire,	131 76
5.	Hayden & Robinson, general repairs,	156 73
18.	Allen Colby, examination of bridge,	10 00
25.	D. A. Booker, “ “	10 00
Dec. 18.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	17 39
26.	H. W. Getchell, labor, self and team,	3 25
27.	J. R. Pollard, labor,	3 75
27.	J. M. Wall, labor,	20
1884.		
Jan. 14.	Walker & Rackliff, sundries,	2 25
14.	Frank Walker, sundries,	3 50
19.	Webber & Philbrick, washers,	7 80
30.	O. E. Emerson, filing saws in 1881-2,	1 00
30.	Hayden & Robinson, labor,	53 95
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		\$1,197 63

1883.		Cr.
Feb. 20.	By Balance,	106 51
Mar. 12.	Appropriation,	100 00
1884.		
Feb. 20.	Amount charged town of Winslow on acc't of 1882,	58 31
20.	Amount charged town of Winslow on acc't of 1883,	193 45
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Overdraft,		\$739 36



## SHERWIN HILL.

1883.	CR.
Feb. 20. By Balance,	\$42 56

## MILL STREET SIDEWALK.

1883.	CR.	
Mar. 12. By Appropriation,	\$100 00	\$100 00
	DR.	
June 30. To E. H. Piper, for paid on pay roll,	\$86 35	86 35
Balance,		<u>\$13 65</u>

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1883.	DR.
Feb. 28. To Neptune Hose Co., services to March 10, 1883,	\$ 75 00
Mar. 1. C. A. Hill, sundries,	2 00
8. Joseph Bowe, watching fire,	1 50
8. A. C. Stark, damage to window,	1 00
29. Wm. Woodman, hauling engines,	6 00
29. S. D. Savage, damage to sign and window,	1 50
April 6. Manly & Tozer, for oil,	75
7. W. B. Woodman, hauling fire apparatus,	3 00
7. Henry Hoxie, hauling fire apparatus,	2 00
7. Geo. H. Esty, labor for Neptune Hose Co.,	4 50
26. Wm. Woodman, labor,	2 00
May 8. C. R. Shorey, labor and cash paid out,	10 50
10. F. N. Esty, labor,	4 00
16. A. L. McFadden, for wood.	22 00
June 13. Joseph Matthieu, sundries,	1 55
13. L. R. Kitchen, watching fire,	2 00
13. Joseph Perry, hauling engines,	5 00
13. Edw. Baldic, " "	3 00
13. E. A. Vose, " "	2 00
13. Jos. Richards, " "	4 00
13. Wm. Woodman, " "	3 00
13. John Lublow, " "	2 00



	15.	Bridges Bros., labor and material,	5 00
	20.	American Fire Hose Manf'g Co., for lantern,	2 67
	30.	A. O. Smith, hauling engines,	26 00
July	14.	Edw. Baldic " "	5 00
	25.	Wm. Woodman, " "	2 00
	25.	Neptune Hose Co., services to Aug. 20, '83,	75 00
	25.	Appleton H. & L. Co., services to Aug. 20, 1883,	75 00
Aug.	6.	John Lublow, hauling engine,	3 00
	6.	John Carey, labor on engine-house,	1 00
	11.	Veteran Engine Co., services six months,	100 00
	17.	L. E. Thayer & Son, rubber coats,	103 00
	31.	C. R. Shorey, labor and money paid out,	8 88
Sept.	25.	A. L. McFadden, lumber,	4 85
	29.	Wm. Webster, labor,	8 75
	29.	Joseph Carey, labor,	3 00
Oct.	8.	I. S. Bangs, rent of engine-house, etc.,	52 50
	17.	John Lublow, hauling water,	4 00
	18.	Edw. Baldic, hauling engine,	5 00
Nov.	16.	Levi Bushey, labor and materials for repairs on Ticonic Engine House,	89 96
	16.	Levi Bushey, labor and materials,	3 35
	16.	W. T. & T. B. Page, wood and sundries,	95 75
	16.	J. P. Hill, labor and materials,	2 00
	16.	A. H. Winters, hauling engine,	2 00
	16.	J. B. Wendall, services Ticonic Engine,	25 00
	16.	A. Sturtevant, hauling engine,	3 00
	27.	Joseph Carey, services Veteran Engine,	11 50
Dec.	11.	Fred Pooler, hauling hose carriage,	1 50
	11.	James F. Pooler, labor,	1 00
	11.	Hill & Simpson, labor,	25
	17.	Edw. Baldic, hauling engine Dec. 12,	5 00
	17.	" " " " 10,	3 00
	18.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	8 26
	20.	Fred King, hauling engine,	2 00
	27.	J. M. Wall, " "	3 00

1884.

Jan.	3.	Wm. Woodman, labor,	2 50
	4.	A. P. Marston, hauling H. & L. truck,	2 00
	7.	Appleton H. & L. Co. services to Feb. 20, '84,	75 00
	11.	Waterville Engine Co., services to Feb. 20, 1884,	200 00
	12.	Percy Loud, repair of rubber coats,	2 00
	14.	Walker & Rackliff, labor and material,	21 00
	14.	Frank Walker, repair of hose carriage,	75
	18.	Manley & Tozer, sundries,	1 55
	19.	Neptune Hose Co., services to Feb. 20, '84.	75 00
	19.	Henry Hoxie, labor,	5 50
	21.	C. R. Shorey, services as Chief Engineer,	50 00
	23.	Edw. Baldic, hauling engine,	5 00
	26.	L. W. Abbott, for wood,	5 00
	30.	Edw. Baldic, hauling engine Jan. 23,	5 00
	30.	" " " 24,	5 00
	30.	Veteran Engine Co., services to Feb. 20, 1884,	61 10
Feb.	2.	Ticonic Engine Co., services, to Feb. 20, 1884,	100 00
	5.	Joseph Matthieu, 1st Ass't Engineer and sundries,	50 80
	13.	J. B. Britt, hauling engine and hose carriage,	3 00
	13.	Fred G. Bridges, services as Steward of H. & L. Co.,	20 00
	13.	Bridges Bros., sundries,	3 56
	15.	J. B. Wendall, labor on Ticonic Engine and Neptune hose carriage,	30 00
	15.	C. R. Shorey, services as Chief Engineer,	50 00
	15.	" labor, and bills paid,	33 10
	15.	A. O. Smith, hauling engine to fires,	32 50
	16.	Joseph Carey, Steward, Veteran Engine Co.,	10 00
	18.	S. Keith, labor and services Waterville Engine Co.,	52 82
	18.	Joseph Pooler, labor,	1 50



19.	Chas. H. Sloper, services, 2d Ass't Engineer,	25	00
19.	A. H. & C. E. Duren, lumber for Ticonic Engine House,	24	27
20.	Geo. H. Esty, labor,		75
20.	P. L. Irish, Agt., alcohol for engine,	52	50
20.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	10	64
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		\$1,916	36

1883.

CR.

Mar. 12.	By Appropriation,	\$2,428	08	\$2,428	08
	Balance,			\$511	72

## MILL STREET SCHOOL HOUSE.

1883.

CR.

Mar. 12.	By Appropriation,	\$3,000	00
12.	Transfer of Plain school house Acc't	176	16

1884.

Jan. 12.	Cash, freight on seats refunded,	15	02
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		\$3,191	18

DR.

July 21.	To L. R. Kitchen, on contract in part,	\$450	00
Aug. 6.	F. Pooler, bill of labor,		75
11.	L. R. Kitchen, on contract in part,	500	00
14.	" " "	789	00
Sept. 4.	James Perry and others, labor,	58	87
4.	Thomas Marshall, labor,	12	25
17.	L. R. Kitchen, on contract in part,	300	00
17.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on seats,	16	02
Oct. 18.	L. R. Kitchen, on contract in part,	215	32
18.	" " "	300	00
Nov. 1.	J. A. Ranco, labor,	11	00
1.	S. D. Savage, "	11	00
Dec. 18.	C. W. Clark, desks and heater,	342	75

1884.



Feb. 20.	J. G. Soule, making plan and specifications and superintending construction of new school house,	30 00
		<hr/> \$3,036 96
	Balance,	<hr/> \$154 22

## MONUMENT PARK.

1883.		CR.	
Feb. 20.	By Balance,	\$36 40	\$36 40
		DR.	
May 1.	To Abram Shaw, for labor,	\$6 00	
June 6.	“ “ “	2 00	
Oct. 17.	John Lublow, “	50	8 50
	Balance,		<hr/> \$27 90

## DECORATION OF THE GRAVES OF SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

1883.		CR.
Mar. 12.	By Appropriation,	\$25 00
1883.		DR.
May 18.	To S. Haynes for decoration purposes,	\$25 00

## NIGHT WATCH.

1883.		DR.
April 2.	To C. H. Weeks, services to Apr. 1,	\$48 75
May 1.	“ “ “ May 1,	37 50
July 2.	“ “ “ July 1,	99 00
Aug. 1.	“ “ “ Aug. 1,	46 50
Sept. 17.	“ “ “ Sept. 1,	46 50
17.	T. W. Scribner, services,	20 00
Oct. 18.	C. H. Weeks, services to Oct. 1,	45 00
Nov. 1.	“ “ “ Nov. 1,	46 50
Dec. 11.	“ “ “ Dec. 1,	45 00
15.	T. W. Scribner, services,	22 00
1884.		
Jan. 1.	C. H. Weeks, services to Jan. 1,	46 50
2.	J. M. Mower, services,	46 00

Feb. 2.	C. H. Weeks, services,	46 50	
5.	J. M. Mower, "	62 00	\$657 75
1883.		CR.	
Feb. 20.	By Balance,	120 50	
Mar. 12.	Appropriation,	400 00	\$520 50
	Overdraft,		\$137 25

## LIGHTING STREETS.

1883.			DR.
April 7.	To Joseph Matthieu, services to April 1,	36 50	
23.	Williams, Pulsifer & Co., bill of oil,	24 15	
30.	Joseph Matthieu, services to May 1,	30 93	
June 1.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on oil,	2 90	
4.	R. T. Simpson, services,	37 50	
13.	Williams, Pulsifer & Co., bill of oil,	13 76	
July 4.	R. T. Simpson, services to July 1,	32 50	
25.	Joseph Matthieu, for oil,	1 55	
Aug. 6.	R. T. Simpson, services to Aug. 1, 1883,	31 50	
6.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on oil,	1 45	
7.	Williams, Pulsifer & Co., bill of oil,	14 81	
17.	L. E. Thayer & Son, oil can and faucet,	2 00	
Sept. 4.	R. T. Simpson, services to Sept. 1, 1883,	33 00	
Oct. 18.	" " Oct. 1, "	31 50	
Nov. 16.	" " Nov. 1, "	31 50	
27.	C. R. Wilson, oil and sundries,	7 55	
Dec. 11.	R. T. Simpson, services to Dec. 1, 1883,	31 50	
1884.			
Jan. 3.	" " Jan. 1, 1884,	34 50	
3.	C. R. Nelson & Co., sundries,	53 07	
14.	Walker & Rackliffe, lamp frames,	2 00	
14.	Frank Walker, lamp frames,	3 00	
Feb. 2.	R. T. Simpson, services to Feb. 1, 1884,	36 00	
5.	Joseph Matthieu, sundries,	3 65	
20.	J. F. Elden, sundries,	48 58	
			\$608 40



1883.		Cr.
Mar. 12.	By Appropriation,	\$585 08
	Overdraft,	\$23 32

## POLICE SERVICE.

1883.		Cr.
Feb. 20.	By Balance,	\$113 54
Mar. 12.	Appropriation,	150 00
		<u>\$263 54</u>
		Dr.
Mar. 8.	To. Lewis O. Ranco, services,	\$ 5 00
8.	Levi Bushey, “	7 00
8.	Daniel Butler, “	3 00
June 15.	Bridges Bros., repairs of Lockup,	1 00
30.	H. G. Tozer, for badges and handcuffs,	17 00
July 19.	John A. Tower, for sundries,	14 90
Oct. 20.	H. C. Proctor, services,	2 00
Dec. 15.	T. W. Scribner, “	10 00
1884.		
Feb. 5.	Lewis Ranco, “	8 50
6.	Sarah H. Allen, rent of Lockup land,	25 00
14.	Sumner Rowe, services,	11 75
15.	Michael Kelliher, “	8 00
20.	A. L. McFadden, “	8 00
20.	C. H. Weeks, “	5 00
20.	John G. Pooler “	14 00
20.	Geo. Bushey, “	5 00
20.	Chas. F. Pooler, “	10 00
20.	Mathew Fardy, “	8 00
20.	Alfred Flood, “	8 00
20.	H. G. Tozer, services, chief of police,	60 00
20.	C. H. Redington, services,	10 80
		<u>\$241 95</u>
	Balance,	\$21 59



## DRAINAGE ACCOUNT.

1883.		CR.
July 14.	By Appropriation,	\$300 00
1883.		DR.
Sept. 29.	To Moses Huard, for labor,	\$ 1 50
Nov. 27.	E. Totman & Co., for plank,	6 18
Dec. 1.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on grates,	2 10
5.	Levi Bushey, labor and cement,	79 50
11.	Lewiston Machine Co., for grates,	25 20
12.	G. S. Flood & Co., drain pipe,	184 03
26.	S. W. Bates, taking levels,	1 49
		<hr/> \$300 00

## RESERVOIRS.

1883.		CR.
Feb. 20.	By Balance,	\$200 00 \$200 00
		DR.
Aug. 31.	To C. R. Shorey, labor and lumber,	\$26 31
Sept 25.	A. L. McFadden, pine lumber,	18 20
Dec. 18.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	4 54
1884.		
Feb. 2.	R. L. Proctor, repair of reservoirs,	4 84 53 89
Balance,		<hr/> \$146 11

## TOWN HALL ACCOUNT.

1883.		CR.
Feb. 20.	By Balance,	\$615 53
April 7.	Cash of Geo. H. Esty, rent of hall,	86 00
May 10.	" " "	101 00
Sept. 4.	" " "	86 00
Nov. 1.	" " "	127 00
1884.		
Jan. 9.	" " "	105 00
Feb. 20.	" " "	74 00
		<hr/> \$1,194 53

1883.		DR.
Mar. 7.	To Ticonic Aqueduct Co., water for hall,	\$ 2 00
April 7.	Proctor Bros., labor,	16 02
7.	Geo. H. Esty, care of hall to April 1.	21 34
7.	" painting and glazing hall,	5 67

	28.	Hayden & Robinson, labor and material,	11 09
May	10.	Geo. H. Esty, care of hall to May 1,	16 00
	10.	J. M. Wall, for wood,	6 50
	16.	A. L. McFadden, for coal,	7 58
June	15.	Bridges Bros., labor and material,	2 80
	30.	E. H. Piper, for paid on pay roll,	1 50
Aug.	6.	Ticonic Aqueduct Co., water to July 1, '83,	1 00
Sept.	4.	Geo. H. Esty, care of hall to Sept. 1, '83,	64 00
	17.	C. R. Shorey, labor and material,	74 71
	22.	S. D. Savage, painting hall,	112 95
	29.	E. H. Piper, paid on pay roll,	4 00
Nov.	1.	Geo. H. Esty, care of hall,	32 00
	2.	A. T. Gifford, for wood,	23 25
	16.	Geo. Tallouse, sawing wood,	4 00
Dec.	11.	Hill & Simpson, labor and material,	3 50
	12.	G. S. Flood & Co., bill of coal,	58 15
	18.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	9 47
	1884.		
Jan.	2.	Bridges Bros., labor and material,	34 77
	8.	Ticonic Aqueduct Co., water,	2 00
	9.	Geo. H. Esty, care of hall,	48 00
	17.	B. G. Mitchell & Co., sundries,	3 96
	19.	Albert Hodges, wood,	29 38
	23.	Richard Butler, sawing wood,	5 00
Feb.	2.	Ingraham & Plaisted, sundries,	2 40
	5.	McClure & Co., labor and material,	21 61
	20.	Geo. H. Esty, " "	6 50
	20.	Proctor Bros., labor,	1 25
	20.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	7 30
	20.	J. F. Elden, sundries,	75
	20.	Geo. H. Esty, care of hall,	10 67
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			\$651 12
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Balance,			\$543 41



## LIQUOR AGENCY.

1883.

CR.

Feb. 20.	By Balance,	\$1,315 33
April 2.	Cash of P. L. Irish, sales of liquor,	250 70
May 1.	" " "	193 25
June 1.	" " "	205 75
July 2.	" " "	169 98
Aug. 1.	" " "	209 15
Sept. 5.	" " "	223 74
Oct. 1.	" " "	218 77
Nov. 1.	" " "	209 48
Dec. 1.	" " "	174 22

1884.

Jan. 10.	" " "	155 73
Feb. 1.	" " "	236 92
20.	" " "	166 98
20.	Alcohol for fire engines and medicine for the poor,	84 35
20.	Stock and fixtures in Agency,	338 62
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		\$4,152 97

DR.

Feb. 20.	To stock and fixtures,	\$394 12
April 2.	P. L. Irish, Agent services to April 1,	34 00
28.	Hayden & Robinson, Yale lock and labor,	4 75
May 1.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on liquors,	4 35
1.	Wm. Z. Clayton, bill of liquors,	538 10
1.	P. L. Irish, services to May 1,	25 00
16.	A. L. McFadden, for coal,	5 10
June 1.	P. L. Irish, services to June 1,	27 00
30.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on liquors,	1 00
July 2.	Wm. Z. Clayton, bill of liquors,	216 52
25.	P. L. Irish, Agent, services to July 1,	26 00
Aug. 1.	" " " Aug. 1,	26 00
6.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on liquors,	1 59
Sept. 5.	P. L. Irish, services to Sept. 1,	27 00



	19.	Wm. Z. Clayton, bill of liquors,	152 20
Oct.	11.	" " "	154 12
	18.	P. L. Irish, services to Oct. 1, 1883,	25 00
Nov.	1.	" " Nov. 1,	27 00
	27.	Wm. Z. Clayton, bill of liquors,	135 74
	30.	P. L. Irish, services to Dec. 1,	26 00
Dec.	1.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on liquors,	3 26
	18.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	25
	29.	Wm. Z. Clayton, bill of liquors,	191 32
1884.			
Jan.	4.	M. C. R. R. Co., freight bill,	1 56
	16.	Wm. Z. Clayton, bill of liquors,	112 20
	19.	P. L. Irish, Agt., services to Dec. 29, 1883,	24 00
Feb.	1.	E. A. Hilton, Agt., services to Feb. 1, 1884,	36 25
	2.	Ingraham & Plaisted, sundries,	1 52
	12.	S. Appleton, rent of shop to Feb. 20, 1884,	50 00
	16.	Wm. Z. Clayton, bill of liquors,	17 10
	19.	A. L. McFadden, for coal,	21 15
	20.	E. A. Hilton, Agt., services to Feb. 20,	21 25
	20.	Amount transferred to miscellaneous acc't,	1,200 00
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			\$3,530 45
Balance,			<hr/>
			\$622 52

## EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

1883.		CR.
Feb.	20. By Balance,	\$1,107 27
Mar.	2. Cash of H. G. Tozer, fines collected in 1882,	3 00
	12. Appropriation,	1,500 00
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		\$2,610 27
		DR.
Mar.	7. To C. K. Mathews, Treas. Aqueduct Co., for water,	\$ 10 00
	8. C. R. McFadden. services, health Com.,	20 00
	8. E. H. Piper, notifying town meetings, and sundries,	14 00

	15.	Robinson & Co., printing 900 town reports,	100 00
	28.	W. M. Dunn, for postage stamps,	3 00
April	21.	S. S. Brown, services as Auditor,	10 00
May	16.	A. L. McFadden, for coal,	7 87
Sept.	4.	Robinson & Co., for Collector's receipts,	7 50
Oct.	8.	I. S. Bangs, sundries,	15 00
	17.	John Lublow, ice water, public days,	8 00
Dec.	12.	G. S. Flood & Co., bill of coal,	17 65
	18.	W. B. Arnold & Co., sundries,	6 90
	20.	W. C. Wyer, labor and lumber, lockup,	7 65
1884.			
Jan.	2.	Bridges Bros., repair of town pump,	3 85
	4.	S. M. Heath, Clerk, services,	33 37
	9.	W. M. Dunn, postage stamps,	4 00
	14.	Frank Walker, repair of lockup,	85
	17.	B. G. Mitchell & Co., sundries,	12
	19.	N. G. H. Pulsifer, rent of pound,	10 00
	19.	Maxham & Wing, printing,	5 50
	21.	George Jewell, horse hire,	11 00
	23.	Redington & Co., repair of hearse,	17 79
	30.	Geo. W. Dorr, mucilage,	10
1884.			
Feb.	2.	Noah Boothby, services, self and team,	2 00
	12.	Ticonic National Bank, rent of Selectmen's Office,	100 00
	14.	George Wood; for watering trough,	3 00
	14.	S. M. Heath, services as Town Clerk,	15 66
	14.	Mitchell & Co., winding town clock and repairs,	31 25
	20.	C. A. Henrickson, sundries,	47 92
	20.	C. R. McFadden, services, health Com.,	25 00
	20.	W. B. Arnold, sundries,	1 01
	20.	H. G. Tozer, care of clock and supplies for lockup,	31 71
	20.	E. L. Getchell, services as Selectman and Assessor,	400 00



20.	L. E. Thayer, services as Selectman and Assessor,	400 00
20.	Fred Pooler, services as Selectman and Assessor,	250 00
20.	S. S. Brown, services as Town Agent,	25 00
20.	E. H. Piper, Collector, commissions on taxes of 1881, 1882 and 1883, collected,	551 30
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		\$2,198 90
	Balance,	<hr/>
		\$411 37

## MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.

1883.		CR.
Mar. 24.	By Cash, C. G. Carleton, auctioneer license,	\$ 4 00
May. 19.	J. E. Osborn, billiard-room, license,	10 00
19.	Louis Miller, " "	10 00
June 2.	C. R. McFadden, auctioneer license,	2 00
15.	Am't in Treasury unappropriated, transferred by vote,	8,388 60
15.	Real estate acc't transferred by vote,	48 00
15.	Overlayings, transferred by vote,	770 22
30.	Cash, Forepaugh circus license,	50 00
30.	H. Fales, billiard-room license,	10 00
July 28.	Dorris' circus license,	35 00
Aug. 15.	State Treasurer, Armory rent,	100 00
Oct. 1.	G. H. Matthews, sale of liquor packages,	9 75
Dec. 17.	Jacob Landry, billiard-room license,	10 00
1884.		
Jan. 31.	R. R. and Telegraph tax from State,	396 39
Feb. 20.	E. H. Piper, Coll., abated taxes collected,	12 00
20.	Am't transferred from Liquor Agency acc't,	1,200 00
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		\$11,055 96



1883.		Dr.
April 27.	To Abatement Am. Express Co., tax, 1882,	\$3 88
May 11.	Thos. Smart, repair of A. H. Rice's wagon,	4 00
June 6.	E. H. Piper, Coll., abatement of taxes of 1881,	321 29
15.	Bridges Bros., repair of pump,	3 50
15.	Deficiency acc't transferred by vote of town,	2,946 47
15.	Abatement acc't transferred by vote of town,	145 43
15.	Temporary Liabilities, transferred by vote of town,	66 56
15.	Suspense acc't transferred by vote of town,	82 10
July 14.	J. H. Pray, varnishing hearse,	5 00
Aug. 3.	E. H. Piper, Coll., abatement of taxes of 1882,	113 73
6.	J. T. Darling, for Champion Road Machine,	250 00
7.	Ira Hall, for Interest Order No. 23, paid in part,	500 00
10.	F. P. Haviland, for Interest Order No. 25, paid in full,	1,000 00
Sept. 11.	A. Healy & Son, rent of Armory,	50 00
29.	Rossie E. Smith, abatement tax of 1882, in part,	23 25
Nov. 21.	Wm. Brown, rent of land, 1882-3, for Wa- terville L. I. Co.,	50 00
1884.		
Jan. 2.	Frank B. Webber, abatement tax on dog,	1 00
23.	S. L. Blaisdell, abatement, over-valuation,	4 35
Feb. 1.	N. P. Downer, abatement in part, tax of 1882, over-valuation,	12 40
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		\$5,582 96
Balance,		<hr/> \$5,473 00

## COUPON ACCOUNT.

1883.		CR.
Feb. 20.	By Balance,	\$ 345 00
Mar. 12.	Appropriation,	1,750 00
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		\$2,095 00
		DR.
Mar. 21.	To E. H. Piper, Treas., for coupons paid,	\$ 80 00
June 11.	“ “ “	67 50
Aug. 3.	“ “ “	527 50
Sept. 5.	“ “ “	235 00
Dec. 11.	“ “ “	75 00
1884.		
Feb. 2.	“ “ “	837 50
20.	A. A. Plaisted, Cashier,	75 00
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		\$1,897 50
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Balance,		\$197 50

## INTEREST ACCOUNT.

1883.		CR.
Mar. 12.	By Appropriation,	496 00
		DR.
Mar. 23.	To Betsey Pillsbury, interest on Note No. 20, of 1881,	\$ 58 00
June 12.	E. R. Drummond, Agt. for Lucy Chaney, int. on Note No. 21,	80 00
Aug. 7.	Ira Hall, int. on Orders Nos. 23, 24, & 26,	120 00
10.	F. P. Haviland, int. on Order No. 25,	40 00
29.	Frances A. Getchell, int. on Order No. 27,	60 00
Sept. 26.	Mrs. Jane Robbins, “ “	28, 20 00
Nov. 1.	Mrs. Amanda Percey, “ “	29, 20 00
Dec. 15.	Lovina R. Getchell, “ “	30, 40 00
1884.		
Feb. 2.	Betsey Pillsbury, “ “	31, 58 00
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		\$496 00

## BONDED DEBT.

1883.

	CR.
Feb. 20. By Balance,	\$1,000 00
Mar. 12. Appropriation,	5,000 00
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	\$6,000 00

1883.

	DR.
Sept. 7. To E. H. Piper, Treas., Bond No. 163, paid,	\$1,000 00

1884.

Feb. 2.	" "	Waterville bonds paid,	3,000 00
12.	A. A. Plaisted, Cashier,	" "	1,500 00
20.	" "	" "	500 00
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			\$6,000 00

## INTEREST BEARING ORDERS FEB. 20. 1884.

1883.

June 12.	E. R. Drummond, att'y for L. A. Chaney,	
	1 year, 4 per cent,	\$2,000 00
Aug. 7.	Ira Hall, 1 year, 4 per cent,	1,000 00
7.	" " "	1,000 00
7.	" " "	500 00
15.	Jane Milliken, 1 year, 5 per cent,	1,500 00
29.	Frances A. Getchell, 1 year, 4 per cent,	1,500 00
Sept. 13.	Jane Milliken, 1 year, 5 per cent,	1,500 00
22.	Mrs. Jane Robbins, 1 year, 4 per cent,	500 00
Nov. 8.	Mrs. Amanda Percy, 1 year, 4 per cent,	500 00
Dec. 16.	Lovina R. Getchell, " "	1,000 00

1884.

Feb. 2.	Betsey Pillsbury,	" "	1,450 00
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			\$12,450 00



## FINANCIAL CONDITION OF TOWN FEB. 20, 1884.

## LIABILITIES.

Bonded debt bearing 5 per cent. interest,

January 1, 1885,	\$5,000 00	
“ 1. 1886,	5,000 00	
“ 1, 1887,	5,000 00	
“ 1, 1888,	5,000 00	
“ 1, 1889,	5,000 00	
“ 1, 1890,	5,000 00	\$30,000 00

Coupons due and unpaid,

197 50

Interest-bearing orders outstanding,

12,450 00

Balance due Common Schools,

1,164 28 \$13,811 78

\$43,811 78

## ASSETS.

Due from C. H. Redington or John Ware,

same items as reported last year, \$148 66

Stock and supplies at Town Farm, 1,141 90

Stock and fixtures at Liquor Agency, 338 62

Due from other towns on pauper acc't, 205 20

“ Winslow Jones, 42 15

“ Town of Winslow on acc't of Ti-  
conic Bridge, 251 76

Cemetery Fund—bonds and stocks at par, 4,156 56

Uncollected taxes in bills of 1881, \$335 98

“ “ 1882, 998 33

“ “ 1883, 6,010 61

Cash in the treasury, 327 17 7,672 09 \$13,956 94

Liabilities in excess of assets, \$29,854 84

# BALANCE SHEET.

Showing amount of Appropriations and Expenditures.

For what Purpose.	Appropriations, Surplus and Receipts.	Expendi- tures.	Balance.	Overdrafts.
Common Schools,	\$8947 60	\$7783 32	\$1164 28	
Free High School,	1958 92	2023 83		64 91
Current Expense,	2610 27	2198 90	411 37	
Roads.	2977 26	3107 34		130 08
Paupers,	2548 83	2888 04		339 21
Fire Department,	2428 08	1916 36	511 72	
Town Hall,	1194 53	651 12	543 41	
Liquor Agency,	4152 97	3530 45	622 52	
Night Watch,	520 50	657 75		137 25
Lighting Streets,	585 08	608 40		23 32
Miscellaneous Account,	11055 96	5582 96	5473 00	
Monument Park,	36 40	8 50	27 90	
Ticonic Bridge,	458 27	1197 63		739 36
Mill St. School-house,	3191 18	3036 96	154 22	
Mill St Sidewalk,	100 00	86 35	13 65	
Sherwin Hill Account,	200 00	157 44	42 56	
Rangeway School-house				
Lot,	200 00		200 00	
Police Service,	263 54	241 95	21 59	
Reservoirs,	200 00	53 89	146 11	
Coupons,	2095 00	1897 50	197 50	
	45724 39	37628 69	9529 83	1434 13

Showing a surplus on accounts of \$8,095 70.



SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE  
TOWN OF WATERVILLE, FEB. 20, 1884.

Town Hall and common,	\$12,000 00
Farm and buildings,	4,500 00
Wood lot in Sidney,	800 00
Stock on farm,	576 00
Hay, grain and provisions at farm,	565 90
Farming tools and fixtures,	300 00
Stock and fixtures at Liquor Agency,	338 62
Two engine houses and lots,	3,300 00
Three fire engines,	2,000 00
Hook and Ladder house,	500 00
“ truck,	150 00
“ apparatus,	225 00
Four hose carriages and hose,	2,800 00
Water pipe and hydrants,	1,400 00
Gravel pit,	500 00
Road machine, two snow plows and tools,	325 00
Monument Park,	8,000 00
Cemetery grounds and receiving tomb,	6,000 00
Standard weights and measures,	100 00
Two safes and office furniture,	500 00
Seventy-five street lamps,	450 00
High and Grammar school house and lot, Pleasant St.,	10,000 00
Intermediate, “ “ Mill St.,	4,000 00
Intermediate and Primary school house and lot, Pleasant street,	2,500 00
Intermediate and Primary school house and lot, Pleasant and North streets,	8,000 00
Primary school house and lot, Oak street,	800 00
“ “ “ Plains,	600 00
School house and lot, Grove street,	3,500 00
“ “ Webb district.	500 00
“ “ Neck “	300 00
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	\$75,530 52

# APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR THE EN- SUING YEAR.

For Common Schools,		\$4,000 00
Free High School, including deficiency,		1,564 91
Roads and Bridges,	" "	3,500 00
Support of Poor,	" "	2,800 00
Night Watch,	" "	1,500 00
Lighting Streets,	" "	800 00
Ticonic Bridge,	" "	1,000 00
Current Expenses,		1,600 00
Fire Department,		1,500 00
Police Service,		200 00
Bonded Debt, principal and interest,		6,150 00
Interest on temporary liabilities,		618 00
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		\$25,232 91

E. L. GETCHELL,	}	<i>Selectmen of Waterville.</i>
L. E. THAYER,		
FRED POOLER.		



# CERTIFICATE OF AUDITOR.

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I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts of E. H. Piper, Treasurer and Collector; also, of the Selectmen of the town of Waterville, showing receipts and expenditures for the year ending February 20, 1884, and I find the same properly vouched and correctly cast, and that the amount in the hands of the Treasurer and Collector at the close of the year is seven thousand, six hundred and seventy-two dollars and nine cents (7,672.09).

I further certify that I have this day destroyed, by burning, bonds of the town of Waterville, which matured Jan. 1, 1883 and Jan. 1, 1884, to the amount of six thousand dollars. (6,000). Said bonds were paid by the Treasurer on orders numbered, 269, 556, 573, and 615.

I have also this day destroyed, by burning, cancelled coupons of the town of Waterville to the amount of nineteen hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents (1,907 50). Said coupons were paid by the Treasurer on orders Nos. 36, 135, 220, 268, 416, 555, 614.

S. S. BROWN, *Auditor.*

WATERVILLE, Feb. 20, 1884.

# CEMETERY.

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## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMITTEE.

Amount of funds in hands of Committee, Feb. 20, 1883,	\$3,919 47
Amount since received,	726 43
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	\$4,645 90
Amount expended,	489 34
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Now in hands of Committee,	\$4,156 56
Invested as follows, To wit :	
Railroad Bonds, par value,	\$1,600 00
Six shares Ticonic Nat'l Bank Stock,	600 00
Deposited in Waterville Savings Bank,	1,956 56
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	\$4,156 56

C. R. McFADDEN,

*For the Committee.*



# FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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## REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

The Fire Department force consists of —

Three Engine Companies,  
One Hook and Ladder Company,  
One Hose Company.

C. R. SHOREY, Chief Engineer.

JOSEPH MATTHIEU, 1st Ass't.      C. H. SLOPER, 2nd Ass't.

## TICONIC ENGINE CO. NO. 1.

F. H. Matthews, Foreman; A. H. Turner, 1st Ass't; M. M. Branch, 2nd Ass't; D. A. Withee, Hose Master; Robert Gullifer, 1st Pipeman; Charles Brown, 2nd Pipeman; M. F. Davis, Clerk; Will Marston, Ass't Clerk; J. B. Wendall, Steward; and forty-three men.

There is at Ticonic Engine house 900 ft. of rubber-lined cotton hose in good order; 350 ft. of leather hose in fair order; 2 axes; 8 rubber coats; 12 spanners, with straps; 1 wrench; 1 jack; 5 lamps; 2 lanterns; 1 hydrant wrench.

## VETERAN ENGINE CO., NO. 2.

Peter Marshall, Foreman ; Henry Perry, 1st Ass't ; C. C. Coro, Clerk ; Joseph Perry, 1st Ass't Clerk ; George Laundry, Foreman Hose ; Henry Bushy, 1st Pipeman ; J. Ranco, 2nd Pipeman ; Joseph Carey, Steward ; and thirty-eight men.

There is at Veteran Engine Co's house 450 ft. of rubber-lined linen hose in poor order ; 550 ft. of rubber-lined cotton hose in good order ; 600 ft. of leather hose in fair order ; 10 spanners ; 2 axes ; 2 lanterns ; 6 rubber coats ; 1 bar ; 1 wrench ; 2 buckets.

## WATERVILLE ENGINE CO., NO. 3.

J. P. Hill, Foreman ; S. S. Wormell, 1st Ass't ; W. S. Dunham, 2nd Ass't ; Simeon Keith, Clerk ; Henry Washburn, Foreman Hose ; Simeon Keith, Steward ; and thirty-one men.

There is at No. 3's house 900 ft. of rubber-lined cotton hose in good order ; 450 ft. of leather hose in fair order ; 1 hammer ; 2 wrenches ; 11 spanners ; 2 axes ; 2 long screw drivers ; 6 lamps ; 2 lanterns ; 1 jack ; 8 rubber coats ; 1 hydrant wrench ; 1 vice ; 1 bar.

## APPLETON HOOK & LADDER CO.

H. C. Proctor, Foreman ; William Proctor, 1st Ass't ; H. P. Bush, Treas. and Clerk ; F. G. Bridges, Steward ; and eleven men.

There is at the Hook & Ladder Co's house a hook and ladder truck, with hook and ladder complete ; 4 lanterns ; 17 rubber coats ; 1 carriage jack ; 4 axes ; 1 iron bar ; 3 lamps ; 2 buckets.

## NEPTUNE HOSE CO., NO. 6.

T. W. Scribner, Foreman ; F. W. Davis, 1st Ass't ; G. L. Brackett, Treas. and Clerk ; and nine men.

Its apparatus consists of 1 four-wheeled hose carriage ; 1000 ft. of rubber-lined cotton hose ; 4 lanterns ; 18 spanners with straps ; 12 ladder straps ; 2 discharge pipes ; 2 hydrant wrenches ; 12 rubber coats with straps.



## FIRES DURING THE YEAR.

March 11, 1883, L. E. Thayer's store, Main St. Loss, \$5,300 ; insurance, \$5,300. Cause, putting ashes in a closet on the second floor.

April 1st, a dwelling house on the Plain, owned by S. King. Loss, \$750 ; insured, \$500. Cause, defective chimney.

April 8, house on Gilman St., owned by A. Emery's estate. Loss, \$400 ; insured, \$300. Cause, defective chimney.

May 12, house owned by J. D. Halde, Temple Court. No loss on building, but a woman so badly burned by burning pitch that she died a few days later.

May 17, Dr. G. D. B. Pepper's stable, College St. No loss. Cause, burning brush.

June 17, building on Temple St., owned by G. H. Matthews, occupied by A. A. Crockett as a bakery. Loss, \$50 ; insurance, \$50. Cause, over-heated oven.

July 3, Bangs' Mill. Loss, \$13,000 ; insurance, \$13,000. Cause unknown. Same time, gate-house ; loss \$60 ; no insurance. Same time, Ticonic bridge ; loss, \$200 ; no insurance. Same time, Lockwood Mill ; damaged \$800 by water ; no insurance.

Oct. 4, J. P. Hill's blacksmith shop, Common St. Loss, \$5 ; no insurance. Cause, over-heated forge.

Oct. 18, barn owned by Mr. Downs, Cool St. Loss, \$300 ; no insurance. Cause, unknown. Same time and place, blacksmith shop owned by Waterville Savings Bank. Loss \$50 ; no insurance.

Dec. 10, Match Factory, owned by Winslow Marston. Loss, \$2,500 ; no insurance. Cause, defective boiler.

Jan. 18, 1884, boarding house, owned by Gen. Franklin Smith, lower Main St. Loss, \$5 ; insured. Cause, over-heated stove.

Jan. 23, house owned by Lockwood Co., at the Head of the Falls. Loss, \$300 ; insurance, \$300. Cause unknown.

Jan. 24, false alarm. American House, Common St.

During the year the Fire Department has been called out of town twice, to Fairfield and to Oakland.

C. R. SHOREY, *Chief Engineer.*

# SCHOOL REPORT.

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TOWN OF WATERVILLE, March 10, 1884

The S. S. Committee of Waterville, in compliance with the usage and the law of the State, respectfully submit their annual report for the year ending Feb. 20, 1884.

## CONDITION OF THE SCHOOLS.

The work of the Schools during the year will bear favorable comparison with that of preceding years. The High and Grammar Schools have done better work than usual, while the Intermediate and Primary Schools have in general sustained their former efficiency. There has been some difficulty in the management of the No. Intermediate and in one of the Oak Street Primaries. Order has been restored in both these schools and they are now moving along harmoniously.

The harmony of the schools is more or less interrupted by a change of teachers. At the close of the Fall term both teachers of the schools in the North Brick school house, resigned. Miss Flagg to take needed rest and Miss Maxwell to enter into other and, we hope, more agreeable relations in life.

Miss Farrington, another of our esteemed Primary teachers also resigned at the close of the Winter Term. May the new relations which she is about to assume, be to her, a "joy forever."

Miss Florence Drummond of the Oak St. Primary, was elected to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of Miss Flagg and Miss Lema C. Goodell a former teacher in our Primary Schools was chosen to take charge of the school vacated by Miss Maxwell.

The vacancy resulting from the promotion of Miss Drummond was supplied by placing Miss Helen L. Jewett in charge. Miss Fifield of the Plains Primary was put in charge of Miss Farrington's school and Miss Addie Davis took Miss Fifield's place on the Plains. Miss Kate H. Burleigh, a most efficient teacher of the Oak Street Sub Primary, on account of sickness, was obliged to retire for a term and Miss Addie F. Murch, a graduate of the Gorham Normal School taught the Summer term. Miss Burleigh, soon after the close of the Summer Term, finally resigned, and Miss Della Morse was placed in charge of the school.



## SCHOOL HOUSES.

The school-houses with few exceptions are in good repair. The Oak St. school-house needs a better foundation. Standing as it does, on posts, by the unequal action of the frost on the different parts of the building, every winter it is thrown out of level, causing the plastering to crack and in some places to fall off. It requires every year a considerable sum to keep it in proper condition for the schools.

Unless, in the near future, the town shall see fit to dispose of the old red school-house on the Plains and build a new one, it will need to be shingled and otherwise repaired. The old school-house on the Neck, so called, if continued in use for school purposes will need some repairs. The condition of things about the High school building would be improved by removing the water closets from the building and making some other provision for them.

School accommodations have been considerably increased by the erection of the new school-house on Mill St. The building is a fine one and contains two very pleasant and convenient school-rooms, each with a capacity of seating sixty pupils. The building was constructed with special reference to light and ventilation, and proves to be very satisfactory. The lot needs to be larger and might conveniently be somewhat increased in size by the purchase of a small three cornered piece of land on the westerly side. Whether or not this piece of land can be purchased at a fair price we have been unable to learn.

Last year the town voted to purchase a School lot at or near the junction of the Crummetts Mills road and the Range Way, so called, and move the old school-house from the Neck District to this lot and fit it up for school purposes. For several reasons, the committee thought it not best to do that. In the first place the old building was found to be hardly worth the expense of moving. There was much opposition to the plan on the part of certain citizens residing in that vicinity. The people also in the neighborhood of the proposed new site, protested against it, on the ground that they were as much entitled to a new school-house as people in any other part of the town. For these reasons the usual terms of schools have been continued on the Neck and Oakland has contributed to their support.

## NEED OF MORE SCHOOL ROOMS.

After the completion of the new school-house on Mill Street, the school kept in the old paint shop on Front Street was removed to the new quarters thus provided. The children, living at the head of the Falls, attended quite regularly during the Fall Term, but when the Winter Term began there was a great falling off in attendance among those children. The parents complain that their children are poorly clad and that it is a great hardship to be obliged to send them so far to school, especially in cold weather, consequently the Winter Term in the new Primary room was rather small, but owing to the rapid increase in population, the school is now full, and a large number of those at the head of the Falls are left out, now indeed for



want of room. An effort has been made to secure again the room on Front Street and start an additional school. This arrangement, as hitherto, would relieve the situation for a time, but it must be apparent to all that there is still a pressing need of more school accommodations; and this brings to a consideration of the subject of the employment of children in the Cotton Mills of the town.

Our Common School system is designed to benefit the community, the State, the entire country. It aims to secure the highest good of all, and has reference both to the present and future and it is certainly most desirable that all the children of the town should have the opportunity of availing themselves of our educational advantages but the condition of things in this town, is such, that it is very difficult to keep all the children at school, even during the twelve or sixteen weeks required by law. The want of sufficient school accommodations still exists. This difficulty can easily be remedied by the town but there are other difficulties, which will require time and persevering effort to overcome.

The children must have food and clothing first, schooling afterwards. There are in town many large families. The parents are unable to support them comfortably and as many as are old enough to work are pressed into service and when notified that the law requires that their children should go to school, they excuse themselves on the ground that they are unable to support them, if obliged to send them to school, and it must be confessed that a man having eight or ten children, would need to exercise great economy, to feed and clothe so many on an income of one dollar or one dollar and fifty cents a day. Suggest help by the town, some of them indignantly repel the idea, so long as, by their united labor they are able to help themselves.

There are others who would readily accept aid from the town, but such are not generally industrious. In some cases the indolent father loiters about the streets and saloons while his children are at work, usually in the mill, to support themselves and him in his idleness. What can be done in such a case as this?

Again, a continual change is going on among our foreign population. Families frequently move into town, remain a longer or shorter time and then depart for other manufacturing towns or return to the places from which they came. Their families are often large. Many of the children are of that age at which the law would compel them to attend school. They can speak very little English and almost terrified at the thought of entering a school-house. Children all the way from nine to fifteen would be obliged to enter the sub-primary class, there to remain till their parents should change their residence to another town or until they should reach the age of fifteen. How much can our schools benefit such a class of children?

The whole matter is a most difficult problem which will require time and effort wisely directed to solve. The problem is troubling other manufacturing towns both in this, and other States. Men are striving to elevate the condition of certain classes of foreign population, not only for present good to themselves but also for future



good to the State and nation. Some progress is noticed, but it is slow, and under the inevitable laws of development of races, it would seem, must be slow. It has taken hundreds of years to raise the enlightened, cultured nations of the earth to their present high state of civilization.

Very few of the children of certain uncultured classes of our fellow citizens, reach the higher grades of school. The reason for this seems to lie in a peculiar characteristic belonging to them and one not generally observed except by those having charge of their educational training. They are generally very precocious. The little children in the primary department are usually very bright and learn very rapidly. They pass their examinations not only creditably but some of them even brilliantly. At the age of ten to fourteen years during their Intermediate course, they begin to fail. Many of them wilt like a plant from which the necessary amount of moisture is withdrawn. Not being able to keep along with their classes, they are degraded to the next class below to travel over the same ground again and large numbers go no further than through the Intermediate grade. A few enter the Grammar grade and in most cases there they remain, sometimes going over the ground again and again, hardly ever becoming able, and having little inclination or ambition to enter the High School. In these grades few of them compete successfully with the average pupil, whose ancestors have been trained in the common school. Perhaps scientists would attribute this characteristic to the law of heredity running along a line of many generations of illiterate ancestors. If this be true a permanent elevation in intellectual character, can be brought about only by slow and long continued process.

#### METHODS.

To stimulate effort on the part of the pupil, a system of ranking is used by the teachers in all the grades above the Primary. It has its uses and its abuses. Great care in its use is needed or it degenerates into abuse. It records in most studies only what has been acquired through the organ of memory. It measures no power acquired by the mind through intellectual activity. In the hands of a careless unskilled teacher it is of little or no value as a means and is apt to degenerate into an end. When the pupil studies only to get high rank, little real intellectual development is produced. At the close of each term we have an

#### EXAMINATION.

This is also intended to be used as a means and never as an end, and yet our pupils frequently fall into the mistake that they go to school for the *express purpose* of passing a good examination. This is a great mistake. The design of an examination is to test as well the development of brain power as the amount of knowledge acquired through the faculty of memory. Of course it is difficult to determine with any degree of accuracy the extent of mental discipline, yet the *kind* of work done by the teacher can be pretty clearly determined.



We notice in our work of supervision and from what we observe in schools of other towns that methods of questioning vary considerably in different schools. Some teachers are confined too much to the questions in the book, some in their methods frequently overlook the capacity of the pupil. Some, in their efforts to simplify succeed but indifferently. Some in asking a series of questions present them in an order more or less illogical. Some ask in such a way as to allow a choice of answers. Some in such a manner as to suggest the answer by contrast, and some—perhaps a majority—ask too many questions which are sufficiently answered by “Yes” or “No.”

We threw out the above hints not in a *spirit of fault finding*, but as *suggestive* to teachers. Gladman says: “Questioning is an art, and facility in this art, as in all others, comes only after painstaking practice.”

#### CONCLUSION.

During the last part of our municipal year, we were deprived of the valuable services of the Rev. Mr. Bellows, who resigned some time in the month of December last, having been called to a wider sphere of labor in the city of Portland. The power to appoint his successor for the remaining portion of the year was in our hands, but finding that we were able to do the work for so short a time we thought it advisable to let the town, at its next annual meeting, fill the vacancy.

Finally we would observe that we have tried to represent fairly the condition of our school interests and we hope that our labors in those interests may prove satisfactory to the town.

J. G. SOULE, }  
S. S. BROWN, } S. S. Com.



# FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

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Balance from last year,	\$1,648 38	
Amount raised and appropriated March 1883,	4,200 00	
Amount received from State school fund, mill and bank tax,	2,982 52	
Amount received from Oakland on acc't Union school,	111 05	
Amount received for school supplies and books,	5 65	
Total of Common School resources,		\$8,947 60
Total of expenses,		7,783 32
Balance,		\$1,164 28

## HIGH SCHOOL.

Balance last year,	\$ 190 92	
Amount raised and appropriated by the town last year,	1,500 00	
Amount received from the State,	250 00	
Tuition collected,	18 00	
Total of High School resources,		\$1,958 92
Amount paid to teachers,		2,023 83
Deficit,		\$64 91

## NEW SCHOOL HOUSE CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT.

Amount raised by town last year,.	\$3,000 00	
Appropriated from old account,	176 16	
Cash refunded on seats,	15 02	
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Total,		\$3,191 18
Expended on construction and grading,		3,036 96
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Balance,		\$154 22

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS IN TOWN.

1 High. 2 Grammar. 2 Intermediate. 10 Primary. 3 Rural.  
Total, 18.

Number of terms of each school (except the Rural school in Penny District),	4
Rural school in Penny District,	1
Whole number of terms taught,	69

## NUMBER DAYS TAUGHT.

High School,	190
Grammar Schools,	372
Intermediate Schools,	360
Primary Schools	1,800
Rural Schools	405
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Total,	3,127

## COURSE OF STUDY AND TEXT-BOOKS.

## PRIMARY GRADE.

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

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



## INTERMEDIATE GRADE—COURSE OF TWO YEARS.

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

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

## GRAMMAR GRADE—COURSE OF TWO YEARS.

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

*Text-Books.*—White's Complete Arithmetic, Harper's School Geography, Swinton's Grammar, Swinton's Word-Book, Eclectic School History, Eclectic Fifth Reader, Scholar's Manual of the Constitution.

## HIGH SCHOOL COURSE.

## FIRST YEAR.

*First Term.*—Algebra, Reading and Spelling, English Grammar or Latin.

*Second Term.*—Algebra, Reading and Spelling, English Grammar or Latin.

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

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

## SECOND YEAR.

*First Term.*—Arithmetic, English History, Book-keeping or Latin.

*Second Term.*—Arithmetic, General History, Book-keeping or Latin.

*Third Term.*—Geometry, General History, English Composition or Latin.

*Fourth Term.*—Geometry, Physiology, English Composition or Latin.

## THIRD YEAR.

*First Term.*—Geometry, Physiology, Science of Government or Latin.

*Second Term.*—Geometry, Astronomy, Science of Government or Latin.

*Third Term.*—Astronomy, Natural Philosophy, Trigonometry or Latin.

*Fourth Term.*—Chemistry, Natural Philosophy, Botany or Latin.

## FOURTH YEAR.

*First Term.*—Chemistry, U. S. History Revised, French or Latin.

*Second Term.*—Rhetoric, Geology, French or Latin.

*Third Term.*—English Literature, Shakespeare's Julius Cæsar, Arithmetic Revised, or Latin.

*Fourth Term.*—English Literature, Algebra Revised, Geography Revised.

## ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.

*Text-Books.*—Wentworth's Algebra, Warren's Physical Geography, Steele's Zoology, Davies' Legendre, Trigonometry and Surveying, Thalheimer's English History, Hutchinson's Physiology, Norton's Physics, Dana's Geology, Alden's Science of Government, Lockyer's Astronomy, Steele's Chemistry, Gray's Botany, Meservey's Book-keeping, Swinton's General History, Greenleaf's Arithmetic, Harper's Geography, Swinton's Grammar, Lippincott'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, Allen & Greenough's Latin Prose, Otto's French Reader.



# TABULAR STATEMENT.

		SPRING	SUMMER	FALL	WINTER
		No. Scholars Regist'd. Average Attendance. Percent Attendance.	No. Scholars Regist'd. Average Attendance. Percent Attendance.	No. Scholars Regist'd. Average Attendance. Percent Attendance.	No. Scholars Regist'd. Average Attendance. Percent Attendance.
No of Scholars in Town, Apr. 1, '83	1986				
“ “ Registered in Schools	1052				
Average Attendance during Year	668				
Percent Attendance of scholars registered	64				
High School	{ E. H. Smiley, Principal, Minnie L. Smith, { Assist. Nellie G. True, { ants,	60 55 92	60 57 95	78 75 97	72 69 96
1st Gram. School	Alice V. Drummond,	38 32 85	36 32 90	42 33 90	39 35 90
2d “ “	Carrie E. Fuller, Vesta W. Flagg, 3 terms,	50 42 84	45 41 91	34 32 94	33 31 94
No. Intermediate	Florence L. Drummond, { 1 term,	45 35 80	44 33 75	54 47 87	55 46 84
So. Intermediate	Elizabeth H. Stevens 1 term	46 40 87	45 36 80	49 44 90	47 41 87
So. Primary	Georgia Farrington, “	43 35 81	39 36 92	48 39 81	43 37 81
So. Primary Sub Grade	Georgia A. Wells, “	62 44 71	72 59 82	87 65 75	65 57 88
No. Primary	Miss Maxwell, 3 terms, “ Goodell, 1 term,	55 34 62	65 55 85	66 59 91	70 59 84
Mill St. Primary	“ Foster, 3 terms, “ Nowell, 1 term,	35 26 70	49 35 71	58 36 62	35 31 90
Plains Primary	“ Fifield,	27 24 90	26 23 90	32 25 80	34 31 91
Oak St. Primary	{ Misses Burleigh, Murch and Morse, Sub Grade,	58 46 80	52 44 84	54 43 80	50 40 80
	{ Minnie Haynes, Middle Grade,	39 30 77	39 33 85	35 31 90	35 30 85
	{ Miss Drummond 3 terms “ Jewett, 1 term,	36 31 86	32 27 84	38 30 91	35 33 94
Lower Plains Primaries.	{ Miss Hodgden, “ Soule,	61 53 87 41 35 85	56 48 86 50 40 80	63 56 89 57 44 77	65 58 90 56 43 76
Webb District	Miss Jewett, 3 terms, Wm. Soule, 1 term,	30 26 87	26 22 85	28 27 96	29 23 80
Neck “	Miss Davis,	17 14 82	14 12 86	19 17 89	17 15 88
Penny “	“ Turner,	8 6 75			

# WARRANT.

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## 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 tenth day of March, A. D. 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, to wit:

ART. 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 the ensuing year.

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 raise a sum of 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 raise a sum of money for police services.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money to improve the Park.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate fifty dollars to W. S. Heath Post, G. A. R., to be used in decorating the graves of deceased soldiers and sailors and in defraying the expenses of Memorial Day.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to tax dogs the ensuing year.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to extend the system of water pipes and hydrants the ensuing year, and raise a sum of money for the same.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to construct a suitable building on their gravel pit lot for the safe-keeping of their road machine, snow plows, scrapers and other tools, also to build a pound on the same lot and raise a sum of money for these purposes.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the devise made to it by Sylvia M. Parker, in her will dated August 20, 1883 and duly proved, approved and allowed, said devise consisting of her homestead farm situated in Waterville, containing about eighty acres, or take action thereon.

ART. 26. To see what measures, if any, the Town will adopt to ascertain the rights and liabilities of Waterville and Winslow to support and maintain Ticonic Bridge.



ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild or repair Ticonic Bridge, or appoint any committee to act in conjunction with any committee appointed by the town of Winslow, and to authorize said committee to rebuild or repair said bridge and to raise a sum of money therefor.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will lay a covered drain from Mill Street, through the land of J. W. Philbrick and Mrs. H. P. Elden, where least injurious to said land, and commencing in Mill Street at the covered drain now in said street, and raise a sum of money therefor.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse to Joseph E. Sturtevant, Francis M. Sturtevant, M. N. Soule, G. W. Messer, M. B. Millett, N. W. Merrill, G. W. Vickery, G. W. Getchell, S. P. Jackson, E. Blumenthal, J. B. Mitchell, W. A. Pullen, Nath'l Low, J. Mitchell Jr., C. W. Trafton, G. H. Atkins, W. H. Morrill, J. F. Merrill, S. C. Marston, Geo. Milliken, C. E. Folsom and Johnson Boothby, or their legal representatives, the sum of \$200 each, and interest, which they paid for substitutes that entered service under the draft of July, 1863, and to raise a sum of money therefor.

ART. 30. To see what action the Town will take relating to the fence between Monument Park and Coburn Classical Institute.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will construct a sewer from Coburn Classical Institute lot to some suitable outlet and raise a sum of money therefor.

ART. 32. To see if the town will vote to purchase some land of the Lockwood Company, adjoining the Town Hall lot, if the same can be obtained, and enlarge said Hall, raise a sum of money by assessment or otherwise for those purposes, or taking action in regard to the enlargement of the Town Hall.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to exempt from taxation the real estate known as the Elmwood property, abate the taxes assessed thereon for the years 1881, 1882 and 1883, or take any action relating to the taxation of said property.

ART. 34. To hear the report of the committee appointed at the last annual March meeting, under Art. 26, to request the M. C. R. R. Co. to make suitable and sufficient water courses on Chaplin and College streets, or take any action in regard to the obstruction of said water courses by the railroad of said company.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will accept a town way laid out by the Selectmen and described as follows: Beginning at a stone monument at the intersection of the north line of Grove Street, with the west line of Water Street; thence on a course of south 42 1-2 ° west 123 7-10 feet to a spike driven in the ground;



thence turning  $13^{\circ} 47'$  to the right and on a course of south  $56^{\circ} 14'$  west 99 50-100 feet to a spike in top of a picket fence; thence turning  $8^{\circ} 12'$  to the right and on a course of south  $64^{\circ} 1-2'$  west 316 feet to a spike in the ground near Jos. Rancour's house; thence turning  $4^{\circ} 25'$  to the right and on a course of south  $69^{\circ}$  west 300 feet to a spike in the ground about 10 feet northerly of the dwelling house of Sophia Pomelow. Said road is to lie on the south-easterly side of the above described line and is to be two rods wide. We award no damages to any party or parties.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to build one or more reservoirs and raise a sum of money for same.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to repair the High School Building and raise a sum of money for same.

ART. 38. To see if the Town will vote to sell the old Red School House and lot at the head of the Plains, purchase a new lot and build a new school-house on same and raise a sum of money therefor.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a lot and build a Primary School House to accommodate the people living at the head of the Falls, so called, and raise a sum of money for same.

ART. 40. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Art. 28, of the warrant of the last March annual meeting, so far as relates to moving the Neck School House and vote to build a new school-house at or near the intersection of Mill Street and the Rangeway road and raise a sum of money for same.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will vote to enlarge and deepen the drain through the Gilman Bog, so called, from Temple Street across Spring Street and Elm and Mill Streets to the Emerson Stream, or through any portion of said route, and raise a sum of money for the same, or take any action in reference thereto.

And you are alike to notify the inhabitants of said town that the Selectmen will be in session on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 6th, 7th and 8th, 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 first day of March, A. D. 1884.

E. L. GETCHELL,	}	<i>Selectmen of Waterville.</i>
L. E. THAYER,		
FRED POOLER,		

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