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THIRTIETH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
OF THE
CITY OF AUBURN
FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28,
1899,

TOGETHER WITH OTHER ANNUAL REPORTS AND PAPERS RELATING
TO THE AFFAIRS OF THE CITY.



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1899.

CITY OF AUBURN.

IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, }
March 20, 1899. }

ORDERED, The Common Council concurring: That the Joint Standing Committee on Printing, hereafter to be announced, together with the City Clerk, be and are authorized and directed to have printed not exceeding one thousand (1,000) copies of the Mayor's address, together with the reports of the several City Officers for the municipal year 1898-99, for the use of the City Council.

Read and passed, sent down for concurrence.

GEO. E. McCANN, *City Clerk.*

IN COMMON COUNCIL, }
March 20, 1899. }

Read and passed in concurrence.

FRED L. BRIGGS, *Clerk.*

MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

Gentlemen of the City Council:—

In assembling here this morning to take the oath of office, we are assuming no light task. That we have allowed ourselves to be elected to our several positions and have accepted the same, places us in most solemn obligations at all times to give our best thought and effort to the administration of the affairs of our city. Among our first duties will be the selection of the various city officers for the ensuing year. In this we should use great care and elect such men as in our judgment are best fitted for the office.

The office of City Clerk, Treasurer, Assessor of Taxes, Street Commissioner, Collector of Taxes, City Solicitor, are all very important. In no case should we give our vote to any man for any of these positions until we are satisfied that he is the best man available for the position. Our vote should never be given as a reward for personal or party favor. "He serves his party best who serves his State best."

I call your attention to the importance of punctual attendance at all meetings of the City Council and all committee meetings. If you allow yourself to be thirty minutes late at meetings of the City Council or committee meetings, you are using so much of the time of other members and delaying business.

FINANCES.

The Treasury Department of our city has been so well managed that our financial condition is satisfactory, our credit as a city second to none. We are able to place our loans at as low a rate of interest as

any city in New England. Our bonded debt and temporary loan remain the same as last year.

Bonds exclusive water loan,	\$218,000 00
Bonds due July 1, 1897, not yet presented for payment,	500 00
Temporary loan,	117,000 00
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	\$335,500 00

Note water loan due Jan. 1, 1904,	\$58,700 00
Note water loan due May 20, 1913,	30,000 00
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	\$88,700 00
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Total,	\$424,200 00

Available resources:

L. & A. R. R. Stock,	\$74,900 00
Uncollected taxes,	42,072 74
Uncollected sewer taxes,	950 25
Tax Deeds,	2,333 08
Due from G. T. R. R.,	2,247 00
Water loan, interest paid by Water Commissioners,	88,700 00
Slattery note,	68 00
Cash on hand,	19,747 97
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Total resources,	\$231,019 04

Net debt,	\$193,180 96
Decrease in net debt of city,	\$6,174 34

WATER WORKS.

The report of our Water Commissioners makes a good showing, an abundance of good water at little cost.

There has been a constant improvement in the service, and a material reduction in the rates.

Notwithstanding these improvements and the reduction in the rates of about \$2,000, the net income exceeds that of the previous year. A careful reading of the report will be advantageous to all tax payers.

HIGHWAYS.

Our present method of appropriating the sum of about \$20,000 for ordinary repair of the roads and bridges to my mind is all wrong. At the end of the year, after the expenditure of so large a sum as \$20,000, our roads are in about the same condition as in the previous year. I believe, as has been heretofore recommended, in the appointment of a commission to have in charge the care of our streets and bridges and selection of Street Commissioner and general management and control of this whole matter. I would also recommend that we at once enter upon the method of using each year some part of our appropriation for permanent roads. We have four much traveled roads leading out to the surrounding country,—some of them, from necessity, nearly always in bad condition. For instance, the Poland Spring road as far as Lewiston Junction, requires a large expenditure of labor and material each year. If we could put some portion of this road in permanent condition each year, it would not be long before it would be completed and the subsequent saving in the annual expense of repairs would be considerable, to say nothing of the added facility of travel. Then we could give the other roads like treatment, and in time we should have much better roads and be able to keep them in repair at little expense. The money which the city has expended in paving has been well expended. This is a permanent improvement, which all get the benefit of. Main street, from the Grand Trunk crossing to Broad street bridge is one of the principal thoroughfares of the city, and is in bad condition for a large part of the year. Something should be done. — If any paving is to be done this year, it should be on Main street. So much of this street as

lies between the Grand Trunk railroad crossing southerly to the top of the hill would require about 3400 yards of paving, at a total cost of about \$5000. I consider this portion of the city needs paving more than any other street in the city, and believe it would be a prudent and economical investment for the city to make.

The question of new roads is likely to come up this year as usual. With our 250 miles of roads to care for, we should be slow to undertake the building of new roads, or the acceptance of any roads or streets until they are put in first-class condition as to grading and culverts.

SIDEWALKS.

It would not be an easy matter to find in New England a city of our size so deficient in sidewalks as the city of Auburn. Of course we are not able to build a great amount of walk in any one year, but we should each year do something in this direction, always having in mind that the walks first built should be on streets having the largest amount of travel, also that they should be continuous, not a strip here and there.

SCHOOLS.

Our schools are in good condition. It should be our aim to make them better. Our expenditures in this department have increased materially in the past few years. The city reports show that for thirty-six weeks of common schools (high school not included) in 1894, with an average attendance of 1427 the cost was \$23,899.83; in 1896, with an average attendance of 1583, the cost was \$28,525.30; in 1898, with an average attendance of about 1600 for thirty-two weeks and two days school, the cost was \$31,097.84.

The attendance is taken from the winter term in each year.

We should appropriate sufficient money to maintain the high grade of our schools. At the same time

it is our duty to see to it that there is no waste of money in this or other departments. I find from city reports that two-fifths, or 40 per cent. of all the money raised for municipal purposes is expended for schools and ordinary repairs on highways.

Several rural school buildings will require repairs the present year. Additional heating arrangements must be provided at Park Hill and Merrill Hill school-houses. It may be necessary to provide additional school accommodations at New Auburn.

LEGAL AFFAIRS.

All law suits which were pending between the city and other parties are now settled. Much of the credit of this pleasant state of affairs is due to the able manner in which this department has been managed.

POLICE.

Our people are so orderly and well disposed that we hardly have use for a regular police force. But for the necessity of guarding against fires, we could reduce this expense materially.

POOR DEPARTMENT.

This department has been well managed. The poor and needy have been promptly and well cared for. Our alms-house is not all it should be. Some improvements should be made there the present year. I recommend the building of an addition, large enough for four sleeping rooms and a bath room. From our own timber nearly enough lumber has been prepared to make these improvements.

Small pox has troubled us and caused quite a heavy expense for medical attendance, supplies, fittings of hospital, vaccination, etc. We hope to pay nearly all these bills from the balance of the 1898 appropriations.

One of the greatest burdens our people have to bear in this time of depression in business is a high

rate of taxation. While we should take no backward step, we should exercise the greatest possible care in every department.

The public library is now well established in the new quarters provided by the city. We do well to give this aid to our public library. No institution in our midst is more deserving of our support. The Old Ladies' Home and associated charities are well deserving of our support. While it may not be proper to appropriate money under existing law for the maintenance of institutions of this kind, I believe we should give all proper encouragement to every work that tends to lessen suffering or benefit mankind. With a firm trust in that Higher Power that helps those that help themselves, we enter upon our duties.

W. H. WIGGIN, *Mayor*.

AUBURN, MARCH 20, 1899.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the
City of Auburn:—*

I herewith submit to you the report of the Receipts and Expenditures of the City of Auburn for the year ending February 28, 1899.

RECEIPTS.

As per Treasurer's Report, \$199,490 57

EXPENDITURES.

HIGHWAYS.

To Allbee, John, supplies and labor,	\$11 62
Allen, James, labor,	80
Ame & Co., supplies,	30 00
Auburn Water Commissioners, supplies and labor,	227 41
Auburn Water Commissioners, water rates,	9 50
Ames Plow Company, supplies,	42 00
Abbott, M., labor,	13 95
Arnold, Eldreth, supplies,	20 72
Auburn Monumental Works, supplies,	19 40
Atwood, Arthur C., supplies,	75
Auger, E. G., labor,	43 87
Arris, Frank, labor,	3 66
Ashworth, S. S., labor,	21 00
Austin, P. M., labor,	9 00
Bledo, Alex, labor,	84 36
Bosse, Frank, labor,	62 99

To Barrell, Louis, labor,	\$151 86
Bonville, Joseph, labor,	19 87
Brown, W. F., labor,	3 00
Brooks, Geo. B., supplies,	63 43
Berry, Albert S., labor,	60
Brown, James, labor,	22 05
Briggs, C. H., use of teams,	178 63
Bradbury, R. S., use of teams,	83 50
Bailey, E. D., labor,	30 32
Bucknam, C. C., labor,	15 99
Bradbury, G. H., labor,	1 50
Bowie, Emerson, labor,	10 80
Bowier, Fred, labor,	2 70
Briggs, Ansel, labor,	66 45
Bean, Frank,	7 50
Briggs, Seth, labor,	22 00
Bucknam, Sam, labor,	8 16
Brock, L. C., labor,	6 00
Ballard, S. K., supplies,	5 40
Barrett, G. W., labor,	3 00
Blanchard, Joseph, labor,	30
Black, A. B., Agt., snow-plows,	150 00
Boulier, Phil, labor,	7 50
Britton, Nahum, labor,	7 50
Beede, Alex, labor,	4 50
Brison, Lew, labor,	4 50
Bacalomick, B., labor,	1 50
Bickerton, William, labor,	10 50
Bradbury, Benjamin, labor,	1 50
Bates, Fred, labor,	8 00
Briggs, F. A., labor,	2 50
Brown, Frank, labor,	1 50
Bodge, William, labor,	3 00
Bradbury, J. H., labor,	4 50
Bonney, F. J., labor,	3 50
Bisbee, Daniel, labor,	2 68
Brennan, Fred, labor,	1 50
Brown, Alphonso, labor,	1 50
Breen, Fred, labor,	50
Bilodeau, Thomas, labor,	1 50

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To Church, H. C., driver,	\$225 50
Cote, Joseph, labor,	217 47
Curtis, John, labor,	50
Conant, F. R. & Co., supplies,	377 79
Croston, John, labor,	157 87
Coburn, George, labor,	75
Curtis, Chas. F., supplies,	1 57
Choate, H. H., services as veterinary,	35 15
Couant, A. B., labor,	7 91
Campbell, C., labor,	8 33
Coston, Henry, labor,	50
Coston, Harry, labor,	42
Conant & Andrews, use of teams,	63 25
Crawshaw, John M., sharpening tools,	70
Clifford, John, labor,	8 40
Carroll, Paul, labor,	49 50
Casavant, George, labor,	31 00
Coombs, J. E. & Co., repairing tools,	5 65
Conant, Henry, labor,	3 25
Chaput, Joseph, labor,	21 00
Cobb, Walter, labor,	7 50
Chandler Bros., supplies,	6 96
Clough, Phineas, trucking,	3 50
Cote, Alex, labor,	4 50
Cote, M., labor,	37 87
Churchill, Charles, labor,	1 20
Cushman, Cyrenus, labor,	42 30
Conant, Frank, labor,	7 00
Chesley, John, labor,	4 25
Carrigan, Con, labor,	9 00
Carroll, Tom, labor,	8 25
Cote, Ham, labor,	7 50
Campbell, T. H., labor,	4 50
Campbell, B. A., labor,	4 50
Conant, F. R., labor,	21 00
Chaput, Exit, labor,	4 20
Curtis, Charles F., labor,	24
Coombs, William M., labor,	50
Crafts, F. T., labor,	37 38
Dyer, Daniel, driver,	332 00

To Derwin, George, labor,	\$106 10
Derwin, Joseph, labor,	128 23
Desrocher, Ed., labor,	168 74
Driscoll, William, labor,	214 48
Driscoll, Florance, labor,	193 10
Driscoll, Daniel, labor,	13 50
Daicey, Roger, labor,	31 12
Dobson, Harry, labor,	12 00
Dascomb, M. K., labor,	1 95
Davis, O. K., labor,	3 75
Davis, Wm. H., labor,	27 67
Davis, H. W., labor,	17 92
Davis, M. J., supplies,	75 94
Dyer, E. E., labor,	40
Dillingham, E. E., repairing tools,	20 35
Davis, E. H., labor,	4 66
Davis, True, labor,	1 12
Dillingham, Geo. H., labor,	1 50
Desjardins, A. R., labor,	1 05
Dexter, C. W., hay,	7 45
Dingley, F. W., labor,	46 69
Dyer, William,	75
Dingley, John & Co., supplies,	9 10
Dubois, Fred, labor,	10 55
Douglass, E. C., labor,	4 68
Derwin, Louis, labor,	4 50
Dillingham & Phillips, supplies,	30 25
Dube, Chas., labor,	1 50
Downing, W. H., labor,	5 50
Dyer, Geo., labor,	4 17
Dyer, Winfield, labor,	4 17
Deschamps, Archie, labor,	2 00
Demers, Eugene, labor,	1 88
Dill, W. R., labor,	23 97
Duplix, Victor, labor,	3 08
Donald, Leslie, labor,	1 50
Edwards, C., labor,	33 40
Eveleth, Ezekiel, labor,	1 50
Emerson, Thomas, labor,	16 10
Elms & Hall, supplies,	90 93

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To Elwell, Wm., labor,	25
Emerton, J. C., labor,	\$ 42 75
Edwards, Jonas, horses,	136 50
Emmons, Paul, labor,	3 50
Eveleth, Joseph, labor,	1 50
Elwell, S. J., labor,	7 50
Eastman, —, labor,	60
Field, G. A., driver,	331 50
Fickett, Geo., labor,	12 23
Flagg, Cyrus,	7 50
Flagg, Edward,	26 25
Farnham, F. C., labor,	6 45
Fletcher, Geo., labor,	2 40
Freeman, Geo. E., labor,	15 00
Frank, A. C., labor,	115 25
Flynn, Wm. H., labor,	3 00
Foss, H. W., labor,	1 50
Fickett, Loring, labor,	9 00
Foster, A. P., labor,	4 50
Fogg, Geo. M., supplies,	43 99
Flagg, Merritt, labor,	7 05
Flagg, Chas., labor,	4 65
Frank, A. C., hay,	11 66
Flagg, Chas., hay,	34 02
Flagg, Joseph M., hay,	49 90
Farris, Wm., labor,	3 00
Fraizer, James, labor,	9 00
Flagg, Rawson, labor,	4 65
Foster, Moses, labor,	3 00
Field, D. P., labor,	58 11
Fogg, N. S., labor,	5 35
Goss, Frank F., Street Commissioner,	722 50
Gaudette, Napoleon, labor,	107 60
Gaudette, Louis, labor,	322 50
Gaudette, Joseph, labor,	10 50
Gilbert, Fred, labor,	103 48
Guay, Cyril, labor,	131 62
Greenwood, Jerry, labor,	299 83
Gagnon, Fred, labor,	12 00
Grenier, Al, labor,	5 25

To Gay, Geo., labor,	\$ 11 70
Goding, D. J., labor,	29 83
Goss, A. L. & E. F. Co., supplies,	5 20
Goodwin, Bert, labor,	7 05
Gibbs, R. L., labor,	45
Greenwood, Archie, labor,	80 37
Goding, W. H. H., labor,	31 95
Goding, Chas., labor,	22 35
Goss, T. S., labor,	27 50
Gore, Eugene, labor,	3 00
Griffin, John, labor,	75
Gore, Arthur, labor,	3 00
Greeblaw, G. F., labor,	2 07
Gilbert, W. W., labor,	26 65
Goding, S. J., labor,	38 17
Goding, D. J., lumber,	1 10
Garcelon, Mrs. Louisa V., lumber,	90
Goodwin, James, labor,	4 33
Garcelon, A. M., labor,	5 50
Goding, James, labor,	6 60
Goding, Ezra, labor,	10 35
Goss & Soule, supplies,	4 41
Gay, Geo., hay,	55 06
Gowell, Geo., labor,	8 38
Goding, Benj., labor,	45
Gauthier, Joseph, labor,	11 30
Greenwood, Ed., labor,	9 00
Garcelon, J. P., labor,	12 17
Gregoire, Paul, labor,	3 00
Groves, Irvin, labor,	3 75
Gore, Stanley, labor,	5 25
Gowell, Joseph, labor,	50
Hicks, Ed., driver,	212 50
Hanlon, Dennis, labor,	216 35
Huston, John, labor,	13 50
Harrison, Sam, labor,	3 37
Haskell, G. H., supplies,	4 16
Ham, J. B. & Co., supplies,	843 51
Hanson, L. D., labor,	11 70
Holmes, W. W., labor,	31 15

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To Hall, F. W., labor,	\$ 67
Hunnewell, W. S., labor,	39 92
Hunnewell, W. L., labor,	18 20
Hunnewell, G. R., labor,	18 32
Haskell, H. L., labor,	8 42
Howard, Nelson, repairing concrete,	100 80
Higgins, Pat, labor,	31 12
Hunnewell, Daniel, labor,	4 20
Hooper, T. J., labor,	3 75
Harriman, Randall, labor,	49 95
Harriman, John, labor,	21 00
Hodgkins, Foss & Adams, supplies,	15 00
Hersey, G. J., labor,	14 77
Hersey, Stephen, labor,	4 95
Hersey, Cyrus, labor,	11 75
Hackett, Geo. W., labor,	26 63
Hackett, Geo. P., labor,	10 75
Howe, Charles, labor,	12 22
Hall, Cyrus, labor,	50
Harmon, William,	3 00
Haskell, Lewis L.,	2 25
Hashey, Joseph, labor,	12 75
Hasting & Smith, fuel,	39 00
Hathaway, W. S., labor,	20 34
Haskell, L. W., & Co., supplies,	2 57
Harris, Nathan W., gravel,	17 50
Hackett, Franklin, labor,	31 73
Hicks, C. H., labor,	11 50
Hicks, H. F., labor,	15 50
Hicks, John, labor,	35 25
Humphrey, William, labor,	1 20
Hodgkins, E. J., labor,	30 25
Hould, Frank, labor,	9 00
Hayford, John, labor,	3 50
Hilts, James T., labor,	9 16
Hodgkins, E., labor,	3 00
Haley, James, labor,	75
Hall, Chas. K., labor,	2 25
Hayes, Geo., labor,	2 1/5
Hayes, Ralph, labor,	2 25

To Johnson, O. E., labor,	\$ 11 49
Jordan-Frost Lumber Co., lumber,	108 10
Jordan, W. H.,	60 25
Jordan, William, labor,	6 50
Johnson, Harvey E., labor,	2 85
Jordan, Enos, labor,	5 25
Jordan, Albert, labor,	9 75
Jordan, Dominicus, labor,	2 25
Jordan, W. & Co., supplies,	34 98
Jordan, Aradl, labor,	3 00
Jones, Frank, labor,	45
Jacobs, Benjamin, labor,	5 00
Jordan, Samuel, labor,	15
Jepson, Frank, labor,	5 50
Jordan, Charles P., labor,	1 35
Kearns, James, labor,	175 26
King, Fred, labor,	6 00
Keene, Roland, labor,	30 12
Knowlton, Charles, labor,	2 30
Kirkpatrick, J. D., labor,	17 40
Kirkpatrick, Alex, labor,	12 95
Kenniston, L. J., labor,	59 33
Knowlton, Chas., labor,	3 75
Keith, Sanford, labor,	60
Keith, Charles, labor,	60
Kilgore, Frank, labor,	1 35
Libby, F. N., labor,	536 62
Lawler, Mike, labor,	400 10
Lawler, Thomas, labor,	21 00
LeClaire, Al., labor,	16 50
Lalone, D., labor,	6 00
Leavitt, Ernest, labor,	16 05
Leavitt, Edward, labor,	27 45
L. & A. Electric Light Co., lights,	60 92
Lovejoy, S. H., repairing tools,	26 15
Lord, L. F., labor,	8 49
Libby, Moses H., labor,	10 40
Lambert, Isaac, labor,	28 30
Larrabee, W. S., labor,	19 51
Littlefield, Perley,	6 18

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To Larrabee, Solomon, labor,	\$ 5 14
Lovejoy, Warren, labor,	22 55
Lacourse, Nelson, labor,	21 75
Libby, Gershom, labor,	13 85
Libby, Leroy, labor,	9 10
Libby, Geo. J., labor,	10 25
Lander, Nahum, labor,	6 70
Larrabee, J. F., labor and supplies,	18 29
Little Androscoggin Water Power Co., gravel,	57 20
Linnell, Newell, labor,	13 25
Littlefield, Joshua, labor,	11 25
Lawry, Atkins, labor,	10 50
Lambert, Frank, labor,	6 00
Libby, O., labor,	28 79
Libby, Lester, labor, -	1 50
Little, J. C., labor,	7 50
Lecroix, Frank, labor,	75
Lamontagne, Peter, labor,	6 00
LeClair, Frank, labor,	7 50
Libby, William T., labor,	1 95
Libby, Justus, labor,	4 88
Love, James, labor,	1 50
Libby, Marshal, labor,	3 50
Lawrence, A. E., labor,	75
LeClair, Lewis, labor,	5 25
Learned, E. G., labor,	4 67
Leavitt, Leroy, labor,	6 75
Lowell, J. L., labor,	7 00
Lowell, C. G., labor,	1 50
Lishon, William, labor,	1 50
Leonard, Correll, labor,	2 25
Landers, Frank, labor,	1 88
Moulton, C. H., driver,	449 50
Minnehan, Chas., labor,	22 12
Mayhew, Phil, labor,	137 23
Mayhew, Archie, labor,	11 25
McCarthy, Mike,	280 11
McCarthy, Jerry 1st, labor,	257 24
McCarthy, Jerry 2d, labor,	59 36
McCarthy, Jerry 3d, labor,	122 61

To McCarthy, Lewis, labor,	\$133 86
Murphy, Dan, labor,	25 87
Moran, Peter, labor,	10 50
Maney, Pat, labor,	93 37
Mero, Charles, labor,	45 00
McKenney, Chas. D., labor,	30
Merrow, Ned, labor,	4 05
Merrow, Orin, labor,	22 70
Martin, Fred L., labor,	44 00
Mitchell, C. H., supplies;	247 70
Metcalf, J. L., labor,	3 00
Metcalf, Cyrus, labor,	75
Merrill, Sidney S., labor,	3 08
Martin, Frank, labor,	34 50
Morrill, A. F., hay,	108 77
Moulton, C. E., labor,	95 61
Mills, Guy, labor,	27 25
Milliken, E., labor,	3 00
Macomber, E., labor,	7 17
Maine Central R. R. Co., freight,	20 54
Merrill & Webber, printing,	4 93
Merrill, E. K., labor,	29 63
Mayhew, Frank, labor,	29 62
McKenney, W. P., labor,	3 25
McCarthy, Dennis, labor,	14 62
Millett, M. E., labor,	90
Moore, L. P., labor,	7 00
McAllister, I. F., labor,	5 55
Mills, Ezra, labor,	28 50
Michaud, Andrew, labor,	12 00
Martin, A. C., labor,	14 90
McKenney, Wm. A., labor,	1 50
Morrill, A. F., labor,	7 25
Merrill, Chas., labor,	3 70
Merrill, Thomas, labor,	3 80
Martineau, Louis, sharpening tools,	9 36
Minnehau, Dan, labor,	3 75
Merrow, Geo., labor,	6 45
Marston, E., labor,	4 19
Morse, Osgood, labor,	12 00

To Marsh, William, labor,	\$ 1 95
Moore, Joseph, labor,	18 12
Michaud, Henry, labor,	4 50
Mayhew, Napoleon, labor,	9 00
Mitchell, W. D., labor,	10 87
Morrill, F. A., labor,	8 35
Morgan, G. W., labor,	8 22
Mercier, Joseph, labor,	8 10
Mosher, S. F., labor,	5 17
Manley, S., labor,	5 40
Merrow, Charles, labor,	2 25
Martin, Eugene, labor,	3 75
Martin, Albert L., labor,	6 00
Morrill, A. G., labor,	3 50
Mixer, Frank S., labor,	3 00
Merrow, Ralph, labor,	7 75
Morin, John B., labor,	3 50
Marcotte, Eli, labor,	1 50
Neal, Charles, labor,	3 00
Nadeau, Joseph, labor,	3 75
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co., telephone,	
street commissioner's office,	30 34
Nugent, Mike, labor,	26 62
Niles, S. W., labor,	2 33
Nevens, Chas. T., repairs and supplies,	254 85
Nadeau, Archie, labor,	6 00
Newell, Z. T., labor,	7 00
Newton, Geo., labor,	8 58
Oliver, George F., labor and supplies,	55 96
Overseers of poor, supplies,	59 85
Oliver, Joseph, labor,	13 50
Oliver, Paul, labor,	9 00
Parrent, John, labor,	206 98
Povier, Theo., labor,	161 24
Pettengill, Carlton, labor,	6 38
Parker, Russell, labor,	11 25
Pingree, R. C. & Co., lumber,	348 13
Perry, M. S., labor,	13 66
Packard, F. S., labor,	12 32
Plummer, Wm., labor,	11 10

To Peterson, Allen L., labor,	\$ 9 17
Pike, James A., labor,	13 78
Plummer, Wm. H., labor,	13 20
Pollister, W. W., labor,	30 44
Parker, E. H., labor,	25 11
Prince, H. R., hay,	17 47
Packard, Lucius, lumber and labor,	29 02
Pelletier, Joseph, labor,	3 00
Penley, Seward, labor,	5 25
Peables, Chas., labor,	9 90
Penley, Cyrus, labor,	6 70
Penley, Royal, labor,	11 00
Parker, Linwood, labor,	2 25
Penley, Ferdinand, labor,	2 50
Parker, Charles, labor,	11 90
Piper, Thomas, labor,	3 00
Paul, Lewis, labor,	8 80
Pettengill, Victor, labor,	21 09
Peables, Jacob L., labor,	16 88
Pulsifer, Arthur, labor,	1 12
Perkins, J. H., labor,	11 62
Packard, Albert, labor,	5 15
Perry, S., labor,	1 50
Perkins, Josiah, labor,	1 20
Penley, True, labor,	14 40
Parker, R. P., labor,	11 08
Pettengill, Chas., labor,	1 50
Packard, Arthur, labor,	3 50
Pettengill, Holmes, labor,	4 20
Perkins, Joseph, labor,	75
Perkins, Fred, labor,	1 50
Pulsifer, Chas., labor,	1 25
Pollard, John H., labor,	2 31
Prince, Lee, labor,	1 95
Penley, Ralph, labor,	1 50
Plunkett, Albert, labor,	1 13
Penley, A. M., supplies,	2 25
Reagan, Con, labor,	386 75
Reagan, James, labor,	251 95
Rooney, Joseph, labor,	125 62

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To Ratcliff, James H., labor,	\$13 50
Record, Chas., labor,	20 70
Rounds, Edwin, labor,	17 65
Robinson, W. A. & Co., supplies,	3 05
Rowell, E. F., supplies,	1 50
Robinson, E. G., labor,	30 00
Robinson, M. S., labor,	1 49
Rich, Eugene, repairing tools,	5 10
Robinson, A. H., labor,	6 05
Rowe, E. C., labor,	7 88
Reagan, Jerry, labor,	3 00
Robinson, Myron, labor,	9 00
Ricker, J. W., labor,	25
Ripley, M., labor,	6 00
Robinson, S. B., labor,	50
Roak, Austin, labor,	9 00
Rogers, Roscoe, labor,	2 25
Rowe, J. C., labor,	11 12
Russell, Murray, labor,	1 80
Southard, Elmer, driver,	367 50
Sampson, Thomas, labor,	209 36
Shields, Mike, labor,	207 76
Sullivan, Jerry, labor,	133 87
Shorey, Alex, labor,	47 99
Seva, Peter, labor,	38 24
Strout, L. P., labor,	3 75
Stevens, Samuel, labor,	2 85
Starbird, Thomas, labor,	3 60
Sawyer, L. F., labor,	1 50
Sawyer, Chas., labor,	15 00
Sawyer, G. L., labor,	22 00
Stanchfield, J. S., labor,	20 28
Soper, E. H., labor,	28 40
Skillings, V. E., hay,	11 85
Stevens, D. B., shoeing horses,	260 52
Stevens, D. B., hay,	135 70
Stanchfield, C. O., labor,	24 50
Saindon, Peter, labor,	21 85
Skillings, Fred M., labor,	22 35
Stetson, Henry, labor,	20 50

To Stanchfield, J. T. W., labor,	\$29 25
Storah, Thomas, labor,	5 25
Sawyer, F. W., sharpening tools,	5 80
Spear, John, labor,	13 12
Sullivan, John, labor,	5 00
Sautha, Joseph, labor,	4 50
Sawyer, William, labor,	10 50
Sullivan, Dennis, labor,	88 85
Sullivan, Tim, labor,	3 75
Schoppe, William F., labor,	2 59
Stevens, Harry, labor,	8 40
Stanchfield, Eben, labor,	1 33
Small, Howard, labor,	6 00
Saindon, Joseph, labor,	2 00
Sampson, John, labor,	9 00
Simoneau, James, labor,	6 00
Sweeney, John, labor,	7 50
Savage, Hyman, labor,	4 50
Sullivan, F. W., labor,	3 00
Seymour, Isidore, labor,	14 00
Seigel, Sam, labor,	1 50
Stanchfield, W. H., labor,	1 00
Steele, Alexander, labor,	5 95
St. Onge, Joseph, labor,	4 50
Sherman, A., labor,	22 45
Smith, Alvah, labor,	5 55
Skillings, Virgil, labor,	3 00
Smith, labor,	5 25
Starbird, Robert, labor,	3 50
Simard, Vital, labor,	6 00
Staples, H., labor,	37
Sampson, Danville B., labor,	45
Sampson, M., labor,	1 95
Tarr, H. L., driver,	446 38
Tooney, John, labor,	297 72
Tooney, Jerry, labor,	332 22
Tibbetts, Charles, labor,	120 73
Tribou & Osgood, labor,	16 95
Tibbetts, J. E. & Co., supplies,	71 83
Tabor, C. S., labor,	118 75

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To Taylor Bros., repairs,	\$ 43 30
Thurston, Charles, labor and supplies,	4 59
Taylor Bros., supplies,	163 90
Thurston, E. R., labor,	91 00
Thompson, G. A., labor,	25 65
Tooney, Vincent, labor,	3 00
Tyler, A. L., labor,	39 74
Tabor, Sherman, labor,	1 25
Tabor, S. E., labor,	1 50
Tukey, D. P., labor,	3 50
Thurston, C. E., labor,	1 50
Vickery, F. F., labor,	3 43
Vickery, F. G., labor,	2 25
Vosmus, William, labor,	8 37
Verrill, Martin, labor,	45 63
Vickery, Chas., labor,	2 25
Vosmus, M. H.,	8 25
Verrill, Bert D., labor,	21 34
Vickery, Frank, labor,	8 33
Verron, Louis, labor,	15 75
Verrill, Arthur L., labor,	6 75
Verrill, Harrison,	75
Verrill, Dell,	1 17
Vosmus, George, labor,	2 25
Varnum, R. A., labor,	7 80
Verrill, D. R., labor,	2 70
Verrill, E. C., labor,	50
Verrill, Walter, labor,	2 25
Welch, Mike, labor,	186 35
Watson, David, labor,	21 77
Wood & Melcher Harness Co., supplies,	4 90
Whitman, A. R., labor,	36 68
Whitman, D. H., labor,	45
Whitman, D. A.,	10 63
Wagg, H. S., labor,	5 38
Watson, Meddy, labor,	11 80
Whitman, H. S., labor,	22 87
Webb, Eugene, labor,	14 15
Waterhouse, R., labor,	1 50
Wallace, C. W., labor,	15 35

To Walker, W. S. & Co., supplies,	\$22 51
Webb, A. M., labor,	26 25
Wagg, A. S., labor,	14 00
Wills, E., labor,	5 49
Whitman, Herbert, labor,	17 55
Willey, F. E., labor,	5 05
Wood, R. D. & Co., supplies,	218 33
Whitman, H. O., hay,	56 95
Watson, M. B., hay,	14 90
Woodman, N. P., labor,	35 00
Waterman, W. H., labor,	4 65
Whitman, H. O., labor,	2 80
Woodbury, James F., labor,	4 50
Woodbury, G. W., labor,	23 62
Woodbury, N. H., labor,	75
Ward, David, labor,	11 09
Wagg, Howard, labor,	14 16
Waterhouse, E. E., labor,	4 03
Woodward, Arthur, labor,	1 50
Woodbury, W. S., labor,	5 95
Whiting, L. B., labor,	1 50
Waterhouse, W. P., labor,	8 17
Weatherbee, Freeman, labor,	1 00
Whitcomb, H. V., labor,	75
Wallingford, John, labor,	12 20
Walker & Howard, supplies,	5 83
Young, James R., labor,	3 75
Young, Moses C., labor,	4 00
Young, Calvin, labor,	1 50
Total,	<hr/> \$21,388 33

CONTINGENT.

To Allen, D. S., searching for body at Lake Auburn,	5 00
Allen, Geo. A., supplies and furnishings at pest house,	28 91
Anderson, Solon, searching for body of El- mer Bowley,	31 80

To Auburn Water Commissioners, water rates,	
Old Ladies' Home,	\$ 8 00
Auburn Water Commissioners, watering	
troughs,	100 00
Austin, F. L., team for enforcing dog law,	28 00
Barrell, Louis, labor,	15 00
Bearce, Wilson & Co., ice,	4 00
Beede, J. W., visiting small-pox suspects	
and vaccination,	9 00
Beede, J. W., birth and death certificates,	11 75
Bledo, Alex, labor,	1 50
Bosse, Frank, labor,	2 25
Bradbury, R. S., sprinkling,	100 00
Bradbury, R. S., team,	1 00
Briggs, E. M., settlement of case, Bolton	
vs. City of Auburn,	10 00
Briggs, C. H., use of team,	1 75
Briggs, C. H., trucking,	2 00
Briggs, C. H., burying horse killed by elec-	
tric wire,	1 50
Briggs, F. L., use of steamer and boat	
searching for body of Elmer Bowley,	10 50
Burnham, R. F., supplies in small-pox	
cases,	58 43
Burnham, R. F., supplies,	1 40
Burnside Post, G. A. R., Memorial Day ap-	
propriation,	175 00
Burr, H. L., making monthly reports,	10 00
Burr, Cecilia L., type-writing on ordin-	
ances	150 00
Beals, W. B., seven copies L. & A. R. R. Co.	
deeds,	4 40
Cassavant, Geo., watering trough,	6 00
Church, H. C., driver of team,	186 00
Cobb, John F., set vault doors,	94 56
Cook, Otis J., supplies,	16 65
Cook, Otis J., supplies in small-pox cases,	78 65
Conant & Andrews, teams,	5 50
Conant, F. R. & Co., lumber for pest-house,	51 16
Cote, Joseph, labor,	27 75

To Curtis, Chas., F., fuel to pest house,	\$ 3 00
Davis property, bricks,	35 75.
Davis, Fred W., use of boat and services searching for body of Elmer Bowley,	3 75
Derwin, Geo., labor,	11 25
Derwin, Joseph, labor,	3 37
Desrocher, Ed., labor,	23 25
Donham, G. M., Maine Registers,	9 00
Driscoll, Daniel, labor,	1 50
Driscoll, William, labor,	37
Dumont, S., M. D., birth and death certifi- cates,	8 25
Dyer, Daniel, driver of team,	6 00
Elms & Hall, supplies for pest-house,	5 64
Elms & Hall, supplies,	1 70
Eveleth, E. G., traveling expenses,	67 30
Eveleth, E. G., sundry expenses,	3 90
Eveleth, E. G., amount of dog tax paid to State Treasurer,	517 00
Eureka Lodge, K. of P., use of banquet hall and dishes,	7 00
Field, G. A., driver of team,	33 00
Fire engineers, inspection of buildings,	200 00
Ford, J. F., watering trough,	6 00
Garcelon, Don D., engraving shield and frame for E. L. H. S.,	3 48
Garcelon, Don D., services as city messenger,	5 00
Garcelon, A. A. Jr., services, city messenger,	5 00
Gilbert, Fred, labor,	18 75
Gilmore, W. H., posting tax notices,	3 00
Globe Publishing Co., maps,	12 50
Goss, Frank F., street commissioner,	16 00
Goss, W. H., trucking,	90
Greenwood, Jerry, labor,	1 50
Hanlon, Dennis, labor,	2 24
Harris, N. W., expenses to Boston,	15 00
Harris, N. W., sundry expenses,	15 76
Haskell, L. W. & Co., supplies to pest house,	70
Hastings & Smith, fuel for pest house,	13 00
Henderson, George W., guard over quaran- tined house,	3 00

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To Hersey, Cyrus, watering trough,	\$ 6 00
Hicks, C. E., driver of team,	183 00
Higgins, Pat, labor,	37
Hinds, A. A., labor on pest house,	2 25
Holmes, Dana B., watering trough,	6 00
Jenkins & Austin, services as dog officers,	63 00
Jordan, W. H., setting stones on line between Minot and Auburn,	24 00
Jumper, Chas. H., street numbers,	6 00
Kinsley, D. W., Coll., commission for collecting tax of 1897,	936 43
Kinsley, D. W., real estate sold, 1897,	594 96
Langen, James A., guard over quarantined house,	33 75
Langen, James A., labor on flag staff,	5 00
Larrabee, F. W., M. D., birth and death certificates,	1 75
Larrabee, James F., labor and supplies for pest house,	44 70
Larrabee, Solomon, notifying scholars to be vaccinated,	1 00
Lawler, Mike, labor,	18 75
Leadbetter, L. D., watering trough,	6 00
Letourneau, A. A., M. D., birth and death certificates,	9 75
Lewiston Journal, advertising,	55 20
Lewiston & Auburn Electric Light Co., removing pole from in front of Maine hotel,	6 00
Libby, Horace, supplies to pest house,	5 10
Libby, A., lambs killed by dogs,	6 00
Lupien, Lucius, M. D., birth and death certificates,	4 50
Maine Central Railroad Co., steel rails and labor,	45 47
Maine State Band, services escorting Hose Co. on return from Bath,	10 00
Maine State Band, reception to Co. C,	15 00
Maine State Band, concerts on E. L. H. S. Park,	40 00

To Maney, Pat, labor,	\$ 75
Marston, Geo. E., trucking,	50
Martin, A. J., lambs killed by dogs,	5 00
Mayhew, Phil, labor,	37
McCann, Geo. E., postage, etc.,	77 77
McCann, Geo. E., cash paid Mrs. Burr for type-writing on ordinances and city re- ports,	30 00
McCann, Geo. E., collecting and arranging books and records in vaults,	25 00
McCann, Geo. E., administering and record- ing oaths of city officers,	12 30
McCann, Geo. E., type-writing on loan or- ders, etc.,	5 00
McCaun, Geo. E., recording births, marriages and deaths and returning to State Reg- istrar,	184 00
McCann, Geo. E., returning to towns copies and certificates of burial,	40 45
McCann, Geo. E., expenses going to Au- gusta to get city ordinances approved,	12 60
McCann, Geo. E., indexing records of births, deaths and marriages,	100 00
McCann, Geo. E., revising and compiling city ordinances,	100 00
McCarthy, Dennis, labor on pest house,	2 25
McCarthy, Jerry, 1st, labor,	9 75
McCarthy, Jerry, 2d, labor,	37
McCarthy, Jerry, 3d, labor,	20 62
McCarthy, Lewis, labor,	70 00
Mero, Chas., labor,	8 25
Merrow Bros. & Co., lambs killed by dogs,	15 00
Moulton, C. H., driver of team,	4 00
Moulton, C. E., labor,	3 37
Mullaney, J. F., guard over quarantined house,	3 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone, City Clerk,	32 99
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone, Mayor,	31 69
Newton, M. C., watering trough,	6 00
Noyes, D. F., witness fee in Union Water Power case,	1 62

To Nugent, Mike, labor, . . .	\$ 7 50
Parent, John, labor,	3 75
Peables, A. M., M. D., disinfecting houses,	130 50
Peables, A. M., M. D., visiting small-pox suspects and vaccination,	12 00
Peables, A. M., M. D., et als., vaccinating scholars,	280 50
Pettengill, W. A., searching for body of El- mer Bowley,	6 75
Pettengill, W. W., use of land for rifle range,	12 50
Porier, Theo., labor,	21 75
Prescott, S. D., carrying workmen to pest house,	2 00
Pulsifer Variety Store, furnishings to pest house,	3 57
Ranks, E. F., watering trough,	3 00
Reagan, James, labor,	4 12
Rendall, D. H., labor and supplies,	89 37
Richter, Geo. H. & Co., supplies,	17 20
Rideout & Wormwood, moving safes,	15 00
Robinson, W. A. & Co., supplies,	26 83
Robinson, W. A. & Co., supplies in small- pox cases,	52 43
Rooney, Joseph, labor,	27 00
Sampson, Thomas, labor,	1 12
Savage, Hyman, guard over quarantined house,	16 50
Sawyer, L. F. guard over quarantined house,	18 00
Shields, Mike, labor,	4 87
Shorey, Alex, labor,	7 50
Smith, Wallace, guard over quarantined house,	9 75
Soldiers' Aid,	49 00
State Reform School, subsistence and clothing of Henry B. Coffin,	52 00
State Reform School, subsistence and clothing of Hudson A. Russell,	52 00
State Reform School, subsistence and clothing of Willie Templeton,	52 00

To Stetson, S., labor and supplies,	\$ 5 50
Stevens, J. M., catering at banquet to re- turned soldiers,	50 00
Sturgis, John, M. D., birth and death cer- tificates,	6 00
Sturgis, B. F., M. D., birth and death cer- tificates,	10 25
Sullivan, Dennis,	16 49
Sullivan, Jerry, guard over quarantined house,	26 25
Sullivan, Jerry, labor,	37
Tarr, H. L., driver of team,	4 00
The Daily Sun, advertising,	3 75
Thompson, G. A., watering trough,	6 00
Thurston, E. R., watering trough,	6 00
Tibbetts, Chas., labor,	53 25
Tooney, Jerry, labor,	42 36
Tooney, John, labor,	26 99
Tubbs, A. A., labor,	35
Tukey, D. P., lambs killed by dogs,	9 00
Turner, A. R., Publishing Co., Directories,	18 00
Turner, John A., team hire and sundry ex- penses,	16 20
Turner, John A., witness fee at fire inquest,	10 76
Turner, John A., expense searching for body of Elmer Bowley,	16 70
Tylor, A. L., labor,	16 50
Verron, Louis, labor,	37
Vosmus, S. A., birth certificates,	50
Walsh, Mike, labor,	4 50
Walker, Jason, M. D., birth and death cer- tificates,	1 25
Webber, Wallace E., M. D., birth and death certificates,	2 00
Welch, Mike, labor,	15 74
White, C. M., expense searching for body of Elmer Bowley,	5 00
Whitehouse Bros., labor and supplies on pest house,	10 50
Whitman Agricultural Works, lawn settees,	60 00

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To Whitman, H. O., watering trough,	\$ 6 00
Whitman, T. S., Agt., supplies in small-pox cases,	2 05
Wiggin, W. H., flag,	9 80
Williams, Chas. E., M. D., birth and death certificates,	7 25
Winslow, Chas. E., guard over quarantined house,	18 00
Wood & Wakefield, coal,	13 00
Wood, James, guard over quarantined house,	18 00
Woodman, N. P., labor,	72 62
Young, Robert, expense searching for body of Elmer Bowley and use of boat,	2 00
Total,	<hr/> \$6,806 76

SCHOOLS.

Wagg, A. P., superintendent,	\$1,469 97
Alderich, Mertie M., teacher,	178 50
Alden, Edna, teacher,	258 00
Bartlett, Viola B., teacher,	134 00
Bearce, Etta, teacher,	300 60
Bonney, Ella M., teacher,	206 40
Bridgham, Maude, teacher,	127 50
Brown, Bertha E., teacher,	292 60
Brown, May E., teacher,	324 00
Bunker, Flora R., teacher,	389 40
Carroll, Mamie, teacher,	328 80
Chase, Winnie, teacher,	49 00
Cobb, Josie L., teacher,	388 80
Crafts, Lucy D., teacher,	297 00
Crawshaw, Mary W., teacher,	285 60
Cummings, Gertrude, teacher,	168 00
Cummings, Laura, teacher,	291 60
Dagneau, Ella M., teacher,	279 00
Davis, Mildred, teacher,	253 20
Dow, Addie A., teacher,	324 00
Eaton, Harold E., teacher,	30 00

To Elwell, Gertrude, teacher,	\$235 50
Farnham, S. M., Jr., teacher,	22 00
Field, Hattie M., teacher,	102 00
Fitz, Agnes M., teacher,	328 00
Fitz, Susie, teacher,	278 50
Foss, Louisa M., teacher,	318 00
Gerrish, Grace, teacher,	258 00
Gilbert, Lena M., teacher,	379 50
Goddard, Harold R., teacher,	72 00
Hall, Daisy D., teacher,	274 50
Hall, Grace, teacher,	39 00
Ham, Elizabeth, teacher,	36 00
Harrington, May, teacher,	59 50
Haskell, L. Helen, teacher,	27 60
Horr, Marion, teacher,	258 00
Ingersoll, Grace, teacher,	285 60
Ingersoll, Sarah, teacher,	419 00
Johnson, Annie L., teacher,	307 50
Johnson, Clarence, teacher,	258 00
Jordan, Mabel A., teacher,	93 00
Latham, Maude, teacher,	318 60
Libby, Nellie M., teacher,	274 50
Little, Carrie, teacher,	294 10
Long, Georgiana, teacher,	48 00
Long, Sadie B., teacher,	324 00
Lowell, Grace, teacher,	241 50
Lunt, Flora, teacher,	152 00
Martin, A. C., teacher,	154 00
Mason, A. R., teacher,	30 00
Mason, Evelyn A., teacher,	217 50
Maxwell, Hattie, teacher,	204 00
Merrill, Alice, teacher,	307 80
Merrill, Della M., teacher,	183 00
Merrill, Thirsa, teacher,	324 00
Miller, Sadie R., teacher,	189 00
Mower, N. L., teacher,	563 31
Osgood, Mabel, teacher,	84 00
Packard, Helena, teacher,	285 60
Paine, Mary H., teacher,	307 80
Parker, Grace, teacher,	12 00

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To Paul, May E., teacher,	\$404 20
Peables, Carrie L., teacher.	230 00
Penley, Mamie, teacher,	285 60
Perry, Charles, teacher,	285 00
Pettengill, Stella M., teacher,	270 90
Pulsifer, Laura E., teacher,	280 50
Pulsifer, Mary H., teacher,	239 40
Rand, Herbert L., teacher,	346 21
Reynolds, Hattie E., teacher,	319 90
Rideout, Mary E., teacher,	324 00
Roak, R. Belle, teacher,	354 00
Roberts, Lucie, teacher,	36 00
Slattery, J. F., teacher,	30 00
Small, Lizzie, teacher,	16 60
Small, Lottie L., teacher,	96 00
Small, Maggie, teacher,	306 00
Smith, A. M., teacher,	376 17
Smith, Daisy, teacher,	318 60
Smith, Ida R., teacher,	318 00
Stevens, Ada G., teacher,	324 00
Strout, Belle, teacher,	21 00
Tew, Helen L., teacher,	342 64
Turner, Annie E., teacher,	96 00
Turner, M. C., teacher,	278 00
Wagg, Lillian A., teacher,	22 40
White, Albia S., teacher,	389 40
Wilson, Margaret L., teacher,	337 40
Wing, Alice M., teacher,	100 00
Young, Belle, teacher,	178 50
Young, Millie M.,	324 00
Davis, S. H., janitor,	118 00
Davis, W. H., janitor,	256 00
Fuller, Charles, janitor,	160 00
Garcelon, Allie, janitor,	6 00
Hunt, A. L., janitor,	130 00
Merrill, S. P., janitor,	383 00
Mitchell, Isaiah, janitor,	150 00
Otis, John, janitor,	90 00
Rand, Watson S., janitor,	210 00
Allen, Annie, care of room,	4 00

To Buckley, Abbie, care of room,	\$ 3 80
Chandler, Cyrus, care of room,	12 50
Crafts, Lucy D., care of room,	9 00
Davis, George, care of room,	8 00
Downing, Arthur, care of room,	10 00
Dyer, Forrest, care of room,	12 50
Elwell, Gertrude, care of room,	4 50
Frauk, George, care of room,	12 50
Garcelon, Allie, care of room,	3 00
Goding, Ben, care of room,	4 00
Goding, Marcia, care of room,	4 50
Hackett, Allen, care of room,	15 50
Hall, Daisy D., care of room,	8 00
Hersey, Annie, care of room,	5 00
Hicks, Julia, care of room,	4 00
Johnson, Clarence, care of room,	12 50
Lowell, Walter, care of room,	12 50
Lyseth, Patrick, care of room,	4 00
Merrill, Charles, care of room,	8 00
Miller, Sadie E., care of room,	4 50
Penley, Alice, care of room,	4 00
Pulsifer, Laura, care of room,	4 50
Records, Geo., care of room,	8 00
Robbins, Ralph, care of room,	2 25
Robinson, Daisy, care of room,	12 50
Rollins, Orrison, care of room,	30 00
Saindoin, Althouse, care of room,	4 50
Saindoin, Fred, care of room,	4 00
Saindoin, Peter, care of room,	4 00
Sampson, Jane, care of room,	5 00
Schoppe, Willie, care of room,	30 00
Stevens, Beryl, care of room,	13 50
Towle, Earl, care of room,	4 50
Upton, Roy, care of room,	8 00
Walker, Nellie, care of room,	4 50
Waterman, Idella, care of room,	4 00
White, Walter, care of room,	7 50
Wilbur, Harry, care of room,	2 25
Blaisdell, James, fuel,	38 25
Bearce, Wilson & Co., fuel,	362 25

To Bowie, E., fuel,	\$ 19 00
Briggs, C. H., fuel,	90
Conant, F. R. & Co., fuel,	2 25
Curtis, Chas. F., fuel,	2 50
Dill, S. H., fuel,	3 25
Dorman, H. P., fuel,	325 49
Edmunds, J. Q., fuel,	51 00
Fletcher, Geo. B., fuel,	19 50
Ford, J. F., fuel,	2 50
Frank, A. C, fuel,	22 37
Hastings & Smith, fuel,	442 28
Hunnewell, W. S., fuel,	17 00
Johnson, Clarence, kindlings,	60
Keene, Roland, fuel,	4 80
Martin, Sarah B., fuel,	2 50
Merrill, E. K., kindlings,	2 50
Peables, Chas. A., fuel,	45 00
Robinson, S. R., fuel,	103 75
Saindoin, Alphonse, kindlings,	2 50
Saindoin, Peter, fuel,	7 50
Soper, E. H., kindlings,	2 00
Stearns & Reed, fuel,	31 75
Stevens, Harry L., fuel,	1 50
Vickery, J. P. & Co., fuel,	88
Waterman, Ira T., fuel,	73 60
Wood, J. N. Co., fuel,	305 00
Wood & Wakefield, fuel,	294 22
American Book Co., text books,	1,157 61
Appleton, D. & Co., text books,	34 38
Auburn Brush & Mop Co., supplies,	1 70
Auburn Water Commissioners, water rates,	286 22
Babb, Edward E. & Co., text-books,	244 20
Bailey, H. H., labor and supplies,	3 55
Ballard, S. K., insurance,	150 00
Bauks, C. E., labor and supplies,	2 62
Beal, O. G., supplies,	26 55
Blake, L. L. & Co., carpet for superintend- ent's office,	23 05
Blake, L. L. & Co., supplies,	20 37
Boston & Lewiston Express Co., express,	40 70

To Bowen, A. C., text books,	\$ 2 00
Bradbury, J. H., care of superintendent's office,	31 10
Bradford, Conant & Co., supplies,	8 95
Bridge, The Printer, printing and supplies,	16 12
Briggs, C. H., sawdust,	60
Brooks, Geo. B. & Co., supplies,	60
Burrill & Jordan, supplies,	70
Clough, Phineas, trucking,	16 50
Cobb, John F., insurance,	75 00
Conant & Andrews, teams for Miss Tew,	64 50
Conant, F. R. & Co., supplies,	1 09
Cotton, Geo. E., trucking,	7 35
Coston, H. C., labor and supplies,	5 55
Cummings, W. H., labor at Park Hill,	4 00
Curtis, Chas. F., supplies,	3 38
Cutler, W. E., traveling expenses,	4 80
Davis, W. H., cleaning,	15 00
Day Bros., tables,	9 00
Eagle Pencil Co., supplies,	8 75
Educational Pub. Co., text books,	1 20
Elms & Hall, supplies,	57 89
Estes & Lauriat, text books,	7 36
Eveleth, J. W., cleaning vaults,	10 00
Fernald, J. M., supplies,	2 14
Frank, Geo., labor,	1 50
Frazier, J. B., transporting scholars,	36 00
Ford, J. F., cleaning vaults,	5 00
Fuller, Chas., cleaning and supplies,	8 70
Funk & Wagnalls Co., text books,	2 50
Garcelon, Allie J., packing and unpacking books,	18 00
Gillott, Joseph & Sons, text books,	39 00
Ginn & Co., text books,	128 23
Goss, W. H., trucking,	10 10
Goss & Soule, supplies,	90
Goss, A. L. & E. F. Co., supplies,	22 50
Gove, C. U., supplies,	5 82
Hall, A. B., repairing,	35 50

To Hammett, J. L. & Co., text books and supplies,	\$104 39
Harradon, J. A., trucking,	4 30
Hartwell, Harry, repairing,	11 33
Hascall, J. A., transporting scholars,	13 00
Haskell, G. H., supplies,	64 09
Haskell, L. W. & Co., supplies and labor,	47 93
Hawkes, E., supplies and labor,	70
Hayes, Wm., traveling expenses,	18 20
Heath, D. C. & Co., text books,	56 25
Heath, E. M., supplies,	4 00
Henderson, Geo. W., trucking,	1 65
Higgins, C. H., trucking,	2 20
Hinds, Arthur & Co., text books,	8 40
Hinds & Noble, text books,	2 40
Holden Patent Book Cover Co., supplies,	92 99
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., text books,	9 72
Jenkins, W. B., team hire,	2 85
Jordan, N. I., insurance,	20 00
Kelley, R. P., text books,	45 00
Lane, E. A., trucking,	2 00
Lewiston Journal, advertising,	3 88
Lothrop, W. L., music,	5 40
Lovejoy, S. H., repairing,	50
Maher, F. J., picture frames,	3 00
Marston, Geo. E., trucking,	35
McCarthy, Lewis, labor,	3 00
McFarland, E. E., trucking,	50
Merrill, Mrs. E. K., cleaning,	3 00
Merrill, S. P., labor and supplies,	33 60
Mitchell, Isaiah, cleaning,	25 00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone at Grammar School,	29 64
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone at superintendent's office,	29 54
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone at Sixth St. schoolhouse,	29 54
Otis, J. H., labor,	29 00
Palmer & Merrill, printing,	253 28
Palmer, C. H., brushes,	1 10

To Penley, A. M., supplies,	\$ 7 42
Pollister, Mary E., cleaning,	3 00
Pollister, S. A., supplies,	59 05
Pollister, S. R., cleaning,	3 00
Prang, The Educational Co., supplies,	162 50
Prescott, S. D., trucking,	2 65
Public School Publishing Co., text books,	5 15
Pulsifer, R. W., supplies,	7 00
Rand, H. L., supplies,	3 40
Rand, W. S., cleaning,	60 00
Rankin, N. E., labor on roll of honor,	2 00
Reed, Augustus, trucking,	2 10
Rich, Eugene, repairing,	3 95
Richter, Geo. H. & Co., text books,	1 50
Roak, R. Belle, repairing, labor and supplies,	2 85
Robinson, Mrs. A. H., cleaning,	7 75
Robinson, Mrs. L. W., cleaning,	2 00
Robinson, Mrs. Myron, cleaning,	15 00
Robinson, W. A. & Co., supplies,	6 28
Rollins, O. F., labor,	50
Royal, H. C., labor on diplomas,	31 50
Saindoin, Mrs. Peter, cleaning,	3 00
Saunders, Fannie V., type-writing,	5 50
Sherman, A., cleaning vault,	3 00
Silver, Burdette & Co., text books,	106 38
Skilliugs, F. M., transporting scholars,	60 00
Smith, A. M., repairing drum,	1 00
Stetson, S., labor and supplies,	3 75
Stevens, Mrs. Kate, cleaning,	23 00
Stevens, S. L., cleaning vault,	6 00
Stoddard, J. F., supplies,	1 80
Tainter, F. E., rent of piano and moving same,	41 50
Taylor Bros., labor and supplies,	2 80
The Assessors, taking school census,	141 77
The Daily Sun, advertising,	2 50
The H. P. Smith Pub. Co., text books,	4 05
The Morse Co., text books,	5 97
Thomas, Mrs. L., cleaning,	6 50
Thurston, Chas., supplies,	1 92

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To Townsend, Bertha, cleaning,	\$ 3 00
Verrill, Bert D., cleaning vault,	3 00
Verrill, Mrs. E. J., cleaning,	3 00
Verrill & Hutchinson, insurance,	52 50
Vosmus & Ross, supplies,	25
Wagg, A. P., superintendent, sundries,	36 94
Wagg, A. P., teams,	39 50
Wagg, A. P., express and postage,	10 46
Wagg, A. P., expenses to Boston and re- turn,	32 15
Wagg, A. P., expenses to Farmington and return,	4 90
Ward, Samuel Co., supplies,	65
Werner School Book Co., text books,	8 94
Whirley, John, services as monitor,	15 00
Wiggin, W. H., supplies,	7 65
Wiley, F. E., cleaning clocks,	50
Wills, Geo. E., cleaning clocks, etc..	5 00
Wood-Robinson Co., supplies,	79 87
Woodside, J. C., supplies,	170 24
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Total,	\$31,097 84

HIGH SCHOOL.

Allyn & Bacon, text books,	176 44
American Book Co., text books,	20 40
Auburn Water Commissioners, water rates,	50 00
Babb, Edward E. & Co., supplies,	47 50
Bailey, Mabel P., teacher,	184 16
Balch Bros., text books,	15 60
Bartlett, F. & Son, supplies,	5 22
Boston School Supply Co., text books,	24 50
Boston & Lewiston Express Co., express,	17 35
Burrill & Jordan, supplies,	123 30
Caston, T. H. & Co., text books,	1 00
Chase, Emma, teacher,	215 75
Cobb, John F., Agt., insurance,	45 00
Crafts, A. B., janitor,	500 00
Dalton, Chas. X., repairing microscope,	27 00
Eaton, Hal R., teacher,	84 90

To Educational Publishing Co., text books,	\$ 3 00
Elms & Hall, supplies,	15 44
Emerson, Emilie, teacher,	165 76
Fields, Geo. P., books,	12 50
Gilbert, J. D., binding books,	8 60
Ginn & Co., text books,	292 76
Greeley, John J., supplies,	1 57
Green, Margaret, teacher,	184 16
Greenleaf, E. M., labor and supplies,	2 12
Greenwood & Co., supplies,	13 50
Hammett, J. L. & Co., text books and sup- plies,	11 72
Harper & Brothers, text books,	18 90
Haskell, L. W. & Co., supplies,	1 10
Hayes, Edith, teacher,	16 45
Heath, D. C. & Co., text books,	97 42
Holt, Henry & Co., text books,	1 28
Jenkins, William R., text books,	1 11
Josslyn, Effie L., teacher,	118 41
Keene, O. S., signs,	2 25
Kelley, R. P., text books,	30 00
Kelley, Susan A., teacher,	142 20
Lambert, Fred D., teacher,	420 00
Leach, Shewell & Co., text books,	25 09
Leach, Shewell & Sanborn, text books,	45 42
Lewiston & Auburn Electric Light Co., lights,	79 45
Lippincott, J. B. & Co., text books,	1 33
McDonald, J. G., text books,	1 75
McIntire, Laura E., teacher,	536 83
McMillan Co., The,	90
Merrill & Webber, printing,	9 30
Merritt, C. E., teacher,	239 52
Moody, John F., principal,	1,646 50
Moody, John F., sundry expenses,	5 29
Mower, N. L., teacher,	160 00
Olfene & Holmes, supplies,	56
Palmer & Merrill, printing,	17 25
Peables, Carrie L., teacher,	156 00
Percival, Mary, teacher,	237 00

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To Pingree, R. C. & Co., lumber,	\$18 80
Pollister, S. A., supplies,	3 55
Prescott, Augusta, teacher,	536 83
Royal, H. C., writing roll of honor,	2 00
Sanborn, Benj. H. & Co., text books,	41 67
Sawtelle, Harry, text books,	80
Sibley & Ducker, text books,	1 25
Smith, G. B., filling out diplomas,	12 25
Smith, Helen, teacher,	70 25
Smith, Laura, teacher,	237 00
Stearns & Reed, fuel,	180 17
Stetson, J. W., expenses to Boston and re- turn,	13 50
Tainter, F. E., text books,	11 37
Tew, Helen L., teacher,	76 08
Thompson, Brown & Co., text books,	16 20
True, E. C., expenses to Boston and return,	20 50
University Pub. Co., text books,	30 00
Verrill & Hutchinson, insurance,	90 00
Wagg, A. P., superintendent,	199 99
Wagg, A. P., expenses,	33 98
Wardsworth, Howland & Co., supplies,	24 20
Webber, George, teacher,	16 80
Wiggin, W. H., sundries,	4 80
Williams, Ethel, teacher,	290 00
Williams & Rogers, text books,	25 05
Wills, Geo. E., cleaning clocks,	1 00
Wood, Gertrude P., teacher,	165 76
Woodside, J. C., supplies,	10 00
Wood-Robinson Co., supplies,	10
Wood & Wakefield, fuel,	67 83
Total,	<hr/> \$8,462 29

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

To Auburn Water Commissioners, water rates,	\$ 28 00
American Fire Hose Co., hose,	975 00
Atwood, Tascus, Ass., (Brewster & Lothrop) supplies,	70
Ames, H. F., Hook and Ladder Co.,	73 75
Allen, Geo. A., fire police,	32 00
Arnold, Eldreth, supplies and labor,	26 08
Bray, E. B. Company, supplies,	12 54
Bearce, Wilson & Co., fuel,	49 33
Brooks, Geo. B., supplies,	1 20
Boston & Lewiston Express Co., express,	3 00
Bridge The Printer, stationery,	10 56
Bartlett, F. L., expenses to Bath,	26 50
Bartlett, F. & Son, supplies,	19 06
Blethen, C. A., Hose Co. No. 1,	85 00
Bennett, M. L., Hose Co. No. 1,	74 50
Bailey, C. E., Hook and Ladder Co.,	74 00
Buckley, Edward, Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Boisvert, Gideon, Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Boisvert, Gideon, sleeping in engine house,	12 00
Brooks & Co., supplies,	1 17
Barnes, Henry K., supplies,	41 05
Barrell, Louis, driver,	1 50
Barker Mill, supplies,	6 40
Church, H. C., driver,	120 00
Conant, F. R. & Co., lumber,	16 21
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co., supplies,	4 39
Court St. Free Baptist Society, use of bell for fire alarm,	21 00
Chase, F. A., Hook and Ladder Co.,	71 50
Chippendale, John T., Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Chippendale, John T., sleeping in engine house,	4 50
Decrow, W. E., supplies,	25
Davis, E. P., Hose Co. No. 1,	37 50
Davis, E. P., Hook and Ladder Co.,	4 37
Dunn, E. W., Hose Co. No. 1,	75 00
Davis, E. S., Hose Co. No. 1,	73 75

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To Drake, D. C., Hose Co. No. 1,	\$75 00
Davis, Walter, Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Dearborn, Frank L., Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Dorman, H. P., ice for engine house,	2 90
Elms & Hall, supplies,	16 60
Engineer, Chief,	150 00
Engineer, First Assistant,	75 00
Engineer, Second Assistant,	75 00
Engineer, Third Assistant,	75 00
Engineer, Fourth Assistant,	75 00
Engineer of Steamer,	125 00
Field, G. A., driver,	120 00
Fogg, N. S., supplies,	2 50
Fireman of Steamer,	75 00
Fogg, Geo. M., supplies,	14 30
Fitzgerald, C. T., supplies,	1 82
Fox, John M. & Co.,	3 20
Gunn, C. R., labor,	17 00
Garcelon, C. J., Hook and Ladder Co.,	84 00
Gunn, C. R., Hook and Ladder Co.,	75 00
Garcelon, A. A., fire police,	36 00
Goss, M. E., fire police,	36 00
Hodgkins, Foss & Adams, supplies,	1 20
Hall & Knight, supplies,	40
Hicks, Ed., driver,	120 00
Harris, B. F., use of horse,	1 00
Haskell, L. W., Hose Co. No. 1,	39 25
Higgins, C. H., Hose Co. No. 1,	74 75
Hodgdon, C. O., Hook and Ladder Co.,	75 00
Hunt, C. P., Hook and Ladder Co.,	75 00
Haskell, L. W. & Co., labor and supplies,	16 39
Hastings & Smith, fuel,	131 49
Haskell, Chapin, labor on wires,	12 51
Inglis, G. R., services as veterinary,	2 00
Jordon, N. I., Agt., Insurance,	13 00
Jackson, Leroy, sleeping in engine house,	30 00
L. & A. Electric Light Co., lights,	49 65
Lewiston Gas Co., lights,	66 32
Loeb Respirator Co., supplies,	51 50
Leavitt, W. S., labor and supplies,	3 80

To Lovejoy, Arthur, labor,	\$ 6 00
Libby, F. N., Hose Co. No. 1,	74 00
Langen, J. A., Hook and Ladder Co.,	72 50
Liuton, James R., Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Larrabee, J. F., fire police,	34 00
Linton, James R., supplies,	4 15
Litchfield, C. J., labor,	7 20
Lewiston, City of, supplies and use of storage battery,	95 72
McCarthy, Jerry 1st, labor,	2 00
Merrill, D. D., cash paid for express,	50
McCarthy, John, labor on wires,	1 13
Maine Central R. R. Co., freight,	1 37
Marston, E. E., trucking,	3 25
Marston, G. E., Hose Co. No. 1,	59 75
Merrill, G. W., Hook and Ladder Co.,	74 00
Morrow, Wallace W., Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Morrow, Wallace, care of engine house and sleeping in same,	62 20
Merchant's Express Co., express,	35
N. E. Telephone and Telegraph Co., tele- phone,	31 85
Newman, O. & Co., ice,	3 30
Nevens, C. T., storage,	4 00
O'Neil, Chas., labor on wires,	2 50
O'Brion, John,	10 25
Pulsifer, Ralph W., care of engine house,	62 00
Pulsifer, R. W., Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Pratt, A. E., Hose Co. No. 1,	75 00
Paul, O. F., Hose Co. No. 1,	75 00
Plante, Telesphore S., Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Palmer & Merrill, printing,	1 25
Ross, Dwight, labor on wires,	75
Russell, G. C., Hose Co. No. 1,	72 50
Russell, Dana, Hose Co. No. 1,	75 00
Reynolds, Mark, Hose Co. No. 1,	75 00
Ratcliffe, James, fire police,	10 00
Rivard, George, fire police,	10 00
Robinson, W. A. & Co., supplies,	80
Southard, Elmer, driver,	80 00

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To Sawyer, F. W., driver of hose wagon,	\$600 00
Stevens, D. B., shoeing horses,	20 00
Sawyer, H. L., Hose Co. No. 1,	73 50
Sawyer, E. H., Hose Co. No. 1,	74 50
Smith, J. A., Hook and Ladder Co.,	75 00
Smith, J. F., Hook and Ladder Co.,	74 50
Sawyer, L. F., Hook and Ladder Co.,	70 62
Sawyer, L. F., labor as steward at engine house,	23 10
Sawyer, E. H., supplies,	1 70
Spearin, A. R., Hose Co. No. 1,	14 00
Street Department, board of fire department horse,	144 00
Taylor Bros., supplies,	201 05
Tarr, H. L., driver,	40 00
Towle, O. E., Hose Co. No. 1,	74 00
Towle, S. B., Hose Co. No. 1,	75 00
Taylor, Fred M., fire police,	30 00
Verrill & Hutchinson, insurance,	16 00
Washburn & Moen Mfg. Co., supplies,	26 78
Welch, J. E., Hose Co. No. 1,	74 50
Walker, E. J., Hose Co. No. 1,	75 00
Woodrow, John C., Hose Co. No. 4,	25 00
Woodrow, John C., sleeping in engine house,	19 50
Woodside, J. C., supplies,	2 55
Walker, W. S. & Co., supplies,	9 50
Whitney, F. R., supplies and care of fire alarm system,	123 60
Walker & Howard, supplies,	5 40
Yeaton, W. C., fire police,	34 00
Total,	<hr/> \$7,194 51

POOR DEPARTMENT.

To Allen, Geo. A., supplies furnished Geo. W. Whitney,	\$ 1 00
Arnold, Eldreth, supplies furnished city farm,	2 10
Attwood & Barrows, supplies furnished city farm,	7 95

To Atwood, Tascus, rent furnished:

Llewellyn Heath,	\$72 00
Erskine, F. H.,	6 00
Auburn Water Commissioners, water rates,	12 00
Auburn Stove Foundry Co., supplies furnished city farm,	1 50
Bartlett, F. & Son, supplies furnished:	
City farm,	23 05
Mrs. C. K. Wood,	. 65
Bearce, Wilson & Co., fuel furnished:	
City farm,	73 04
Llewellyn Heath,	9 00
Bradford, Conant & Co., supplies furnished city farm,	10 50
Bray, E. B. Company, supplies furnished city farm,	24 07
Brewster & Lothrop, supplies furnished F. H. Erskine,	9 13
Briggs, C. H., fuel furnished:	
Wells Clough,	2 75
L. Heath,	22 25
Mrs. C. K. Wood,	3 00
A. A. Hines,	3 00
Dennis Sweeney,	55 25
A. Mailhot,	3 25
G. M. Haynes,	2 75
Brock, L. C., labor at city farm,	2 25
Brooks, Geo. B., supplies furnished city farm,	13 91
Bubier, H. M., board and care of Mrs. C. K. Wood,	18 85
Burr, Chas. F. & Co., supplies furnished city farm,	57 79
Burnham, R. F., supplies furnished:	
Chas. Muer,	4 10
Dan Coughlin,	13 25
John Nelson,	16 75
Peter Tobatschnick,	30
Eveleth, J. W.,	60

To Bartlett, F. & Son, supplies furnished:

City farm,	\$23 05
Mrs. C. K. Wood,	65
Crooker & Coombs, labor at farm,	1 75
Curtis, Chas. F., supplies furnished city farm,	89 40
Cushman, A. B., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	12 25
Mr. Harris,	3 00
Minnie Titus,	2 50
Curtis, M. A. & Co., supplies furnished farm,	3 00
Chase & Callahan, supplies furnished city farm,	43 14
Cook, Otis J., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	5 95
C. K. Wood,	3 00
Dan Coughlin,	50
Conant & Andrews, team,	2 00
Conant, F. R. & Co., supplies to farm,	9 59
DeCoster, Ellery, labor at farm,	159 61
Dingley, John & Co., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	3 55
L. Heath,	73 71
Donnell, A. B., rent for Mrs. Johnson,	66 00
Dow, Asa, fuel furnished:	
Edward Rooney,	2 50
A. Pinnette,	2 50
DeCoster, Emma, labor at farm,	35 13
Dill, W. R., use of team at farm,	8 75
Damon, C. L., supplies furnished city farm,	80 18
Edwards, Chester, supplies furnished city farm,	8 00
Elms & Hall, supplies furnished city farm,	15 60
Eaton, J. F., supplies furnished:	
Wells Clough,	1 64
G. M. Haines,	7 59
Fogg, Geo. M., repairs and supplies furnished city farm,	8 60
Garcelon, Mrs. L. V., board, supplies and care of Mrs. C. K. Wood,	155 44
Gove, C. U., supplies furnished city farm,	7 09

To Greeley, John J., supplies furnished:

Dan Coughlin,	\$21 12
Geo. W. Whitney,	2 05
Garcelon, A. A., salary as overseer,	60 00
Garcelon, A. A., sundry expenses,	11 04
Garcelon, A. A., expense on paupers,	23 54
Goss, A. L. & E. F. Co., supplies furnished city farm,	20 45
Garcelon, John P., use of team,	2 00
Goss & Soule, supplies furnished city farm,	9 94
Holway, O. & Co., supplies furnished city farm,	174 48

Hastings & Smith, fuel furnished:

John Kennison,	2 50
Edward Rooney,	2 50
Albert Pinette,	2 50
Geo. W. Whitney,	4 63
I. S. Hunnewell,	14 64

Home for Friendless Boys, expense on Allen Clough,

13 50

Haskell, L. W. & Co., supplies furnished city farm,

2 20

Hunnewell, G. R., supplies furnished city farm,

3 10

Hutchins & Libby, supplies furnished city farm,

29 12

Insane Hospital, support of:

Roy E. Lothrop,	148 71
Martha A. Hill,	136 92
Diantha Woodside,	84 86
Abbie E. Verrill,	50 36
Amelia D. Bisbee,	135 07
Dr. E. I. Folsom,	36 95
Benjamin C. Bradbury,	39 54
Edward H. Bickerton,	33 77
Betsey H. Clark,	14 91

Johnson & Kimball, supplies furnished city farm,

24 27

Jordan, S. B., labor at city farm,

3 00

To Jenkins & Austin, expense to Augusta with	
Benj. C. Bradbury,	\$11 75
Kennedy & Co., supplies furnished city farm,	9 22
Libby, E. H., supplies furnished city farm,	30
Landers, Chas. M., supplies furnished Mrs.	
C. K. Wood,	1 25
Love, James, labor at city farm,	4 30
Libby & Track, fuel furnished:	
Mrs. Sarah Greeley,	1 62
Mrs. Almie Mailhot,	6 50
Alfred Bernbe,	2 75
Hyman Pilot,	3 26
Larrabee, J. F., labor and supplies furnished	
Mrs. C. K. Wood,	6 40
Merrow, Mrs. Geo., labor at city farm,	61 07
Mercier, Virginie, care of Mrs. John Nelson,	10 00
Moody, W. F., supplies furnished city farm,	20 30
Miller, A. W., supplies furnished:	
Ed Rooney,	12 00
Mrs. Sarah Greeley,	2 00
Mower, Fred C., supplies furnished city farm,	9 25
McCann, Geo. E., supplies furnished city farm,	6 00
Murphy, Jerry, supplies furnished city farm,	7 76
Merrill & Webber, printing,	3 75
Osgood, Isaac, supplies furnished Mrs. R. L.	
Conant,	24 00
Peables, A. M., M. D., examination of Benj.	
Bradbury,	3 00
Peaslee, C. C., M. D., medical attendance to	
Mary Marshall,	6 00
Pollister, S. A., supplies,	1 10
Penley, A. M. & Co., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	4 23
Chas. Danforth,	54 00
Pingree, R. C. & Co., supplies furnished city	
farm,	13 32
Pulsifer, R. W., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	14 50
Dan Coughlin,	55

To Peables & Garcelon, supplies furnished:

City farm,	\$195 11
Misses Johnson,	29 16
A. Hines,	9 46
Amos O. Dearborn,	14 19
J. W. Eveleth,	19 27
Geo. W. Whitney,	41 66
Poulin, Georgia, care of Mrs. John Nelson,	6 00
Penley, A. W., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	10 96
J. Kenniston,	13 89
Peables, Carrie L., use of team,	2 00
Penley, Ferd, supplies furnished city farm,	6 75
Rollins, Geo. F., services as superintendent,	400 00
Rollins, Geo. F., sundry expenses,	22 77
Reny, A. T. & Son, supplies furnished A. Mailhot,	31 76
Ricker, J. W. & Sons, supplies furnished city farm,	29 68
Rollins, O., labor and supplies at city farm,	23 66
Robinson, W. A. & Co., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	16 07
Geo. W. Whitney,	7 55
Roak & Plummer, burial expenses of:	
Edith and Harold Whitney,	20 00
Anne Berube,	17 00
Clara Dearborn,	8 50
Henry Harding,	8 00
Kinsman, Amos,	10 50
Stevens, J. M., supplies furnished city farm,	34 14
Stevens, J. M., salary as overseer,	50 00
Stevens, J. M., expense on paupers,	12 75
Stevens, Nellie, labor at farm,	37 14
Sturgis, W. P., aid furnished Esther, Ann and Dorcas Larrabee,	4 00
Swett, F. E. & S. C., supplies furnished C. K. Wood,	85
Shapiro, J. J., supplies furnished Dan Coughlin,	2 50
Stevens, D. B., shoeing horses,	27 75
Stearns & Reed, fuel furnished to Chas. Muer,	5 00

To Stearns & Reed, fuel furnished:

Chas Danforth,	\$5 50
L. Heath,	3 25
Dennis Sweeney,	2 75
Sturgis, B. F., M. D., examination of Benj. Bradbury,	3 00
State Reform School, subsistence and clothing of Augustine Roy,	7 57
Turner Centre Dairying Association, supplies furnished city farm,	31 47
Turner, John A., expenses to Augusta with Roy Lothrop,	14 65
Taylor Bros., repairs and supplies for farm,	21 85
Thurston, Charles, supplies furnished Joseph Mercier,	5 00
Turner, Winslow, supplies furnished J. Merrill,	5 00
Tibbetts, J. E. & Co., supplies furnished city farm,	26 14
Vosmus & Ross, supplies furnished:	
City farm,	22 91
Albert Lothrop,	10 00
Vickery, J. P. & Co., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	364 79
Thomas Piper,	2 50
Wood & Wakefield, fuel furnished:	
City farm,	99 03
F. H. Erskine,	6 25
Whitman, T. S., Agent, supplies furnished:	
City farm,	5 26
Mrs. C. K. Wood,	2 75
Geo. W. Whitney,	1 15
Woodside, J. C., supplies furnished city farm,	7 10
Whitman, H. O., salary as overseer,	50 00
Whitman, H. O., supplies furnished city farm,	3 00
Walker, W. S. & Co., supplies furnished city farm,	11 05
Wagg, Herbert J., supplies,	15 00

To Wedgwood, N. J., M. D., medical attendance	
to Ansel Jackson,	\$37 00
Webb, E. E., labor at city farm,	2 00
Windham, Town of, aid furnished Minnie	
Titus,	10 85
Wiggin's Market, supplies furnished city	
farm,	32 59
Wiggin, W. H., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	16 71
Minnie Titus,	3 00
Mrs. C. K. Wood,	85
Wood, John N. Co., fuel furnished:	
City farm,	63 23
F. H. Erskine,	10 00
Waterman, C. E., supplies furnished city	
farm,	7 50
Walker & Howard, repairs and supplies fur-	
nished city farm,	40
Yeaton. Harrison, labor at city farm,	25 00
Young, S. L., supplies furnished:	
City farm,	2 50
Mrs. C. K. Wood,	1 75
Minnie Titus,	2 75
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Total,	\$4,731 63

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

To Austin, Fred L., police officer,	\$713 07
Austin, Fred L., teams,	4 00
Amback, H. C., police officer,	1 50
Benson, H. C., police officer,	695 47
Bradford. Conant & Co., supplies,	10 75
Bradbury, R. S., team,	4 00
Byron, Geo., police officer,	88 00
Darenberg, Carl, police officer,	90 00
Davis, Chas. F., police officer,	1 50
Elms & Hall, supplies,	1 50
Freve, Alphonse, police officer,	25 00
Goss, M. E., police officer,	1 50

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To Harlow, Mrs. C. H., desk and chair,	\$ 23 00
Haskell, L. W. & Co., supplies and labor,	4 13
Hodgkins, Foss & Adams, supplies,	1 91
Jenkins, W. B., deputy marshal,	775 00
Jenkins, W. B., food for prisoners,	37 50
Jenkins, W. B., expenses to Turner with Mrs. Hobbs,	5 50
Jenkins, W. B., expenses to Danvers with Mrs. Smith,	16 18
Jenkins, W. B., expenses to Augusta with Aug. Roy,	5 74
Jenkins & Curtis, teams,	3 00
Lewiston & Auburn Electric Light Co., lights,	44 93
Maine Investment Co., rent of lock-up,	85 00
Merrill & Webber, printing,	6 75
Mitchell, Clark, police officer,	1 50
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., telephone,	22 08
Ratcliffe, Samuel, police officer,	120 00
Rowe, Harry, police officer,	9 00
Rivard, Geo., police officer,	3 00
Small, C. H., police officer,	715 00
Swett, Mrs. Maria M., police matron,	200 00
Seavey, Geo. E., police officer,	6 75
Thomas, C., team,	1 00
Turner, John A., city marshal,	840 00
Turner, John A., sundry expenses,	119 43
Wilkins, Guy A., police officer,	539 71
Yeaton, W. E., police officer,	3 00
Total,	<hr/> \$5,225 40

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.

To Auburn Monumental Works, stone,	\$464 00
Auburn Water Commissioners, supplies,	44 20
Auger, E. G., labor,	1 50
Barrell, Louis, labor,	11 25
Bledo, Alex, labor,	3 75

To Bosse, Frank, labor,	\$13 00
Briggs, C. H., teams,	7 00
Brooks, Geo. B., supplies,	10 30
Church, H. C., labor,	45 50
Coombs, J. E. & Co., sharpening tools,	19 82
Cote, Joseph, labor,	17 25
Croston, John, labor,	3 75
Davis, Harry, labor,	18 00
Derwin, Geo., labor,	3 75
Derwin, Joseph, labor,	5 25
Desrocher, Ed., labor,	3 37
Driscoll, Florance, labor,	11 25
Driscoll, William, labor,	14 25
Dunn, Chas., brick,	44 50
Dyer, Daniel, labor,	119 25
Elms & Hall, supplies,	19 02
Field, Geo. A., labor,	4 50
Flynn, Wm. H., labor,	2 25
Gaudette, Napoleon, labor,	32 62
Gilbert, Fred, labor,	42 75
Goss, Frank F., Street Commissioner,	71 00
Goss, Frank F., team transporting tools,	13 00
Goss, Howard, labor,	19 50
Greenwood, Archie, labor,	69 00
Greenwood, Jerry, labor,	15 37
Hackett, Frank, labor,	24 50
Hanlon, Dennis, labor,	20 24
Hicks, Ed, labor,	55 75
Jordan, W. H., labor,	138 25
Kearns, James, labor,	63
King, Fred, labor,	3 00
Lemieux, Chas., use of derrick,	10 00
Libby, F. N., labor,	43 46
Lord, L. F., labor,	10 00
Mayhew, Frank, labor,	3 00
Mayhew, Phil, labor,	45 75
McCarthy, Dennis, labor,	4 50
McCarthy, Jerry 1st, labor,	10 50
McCarthy, Jerry 2d, labor,	52 25
McCarthy, Jerry 3d, labor,	23 62

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To McCarthy, Lewis, labor,	\$40 12
McCarthy, Mike, labor,	14 25
McKenney, Wm. A., labor,	3 00
Mero, Chas., labor,	10 50
Moulton, C. E., labor,	3 75
Moulton, Chas. H., labor,	30 25
Nugent, Mike, labor,	4 50
Parrent, John, labor,	9 00
Porier, Theo., labor,	25 50
Pulsifer, R. W., supplies,	55
Reagan, James, labor,	53 99
Rooney, James, labor,	4 50
Rooney, Joseph, labor,	3 00
Sampson, Thomas, labor,	75
Seva, Peter, labor,	4 50
Shields, Mike, labor,	45 74
Shorey, Alex, labor,	17 25
Southards, Elmer, labor,	10 50
Sullivan, Jerry, labor,	3 00
Tarr, H. L., labor,	3 50
Tibbetts, Chas., labor,	4 50
Tooney, Jerry, labor,	6 75
Tooney, John, labor,	3 00
Tyler, A. L., labor,	1 50
Union Water Power Co., use of derrick,	15 00
Vosmus, Milton, labor,	29 00
Watson, David, labor,	37 00
Welch, Mike, labor,	27 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,997 30

SEWERS.

To Auburn Monumental Works, supplies,	\$29 00
Auburn Water Commissioners, supplies,	1 75
Auger, E. G., labor,	1 50
Barrell, Louis, labor,	33 37
Beaudry, Narcisse, labor,	1 50
Bledo, Alex, labor,	6 00
Bosse, Frank, labor,	16 12
Briggs, C. H., teams,	7 48

To Brooks, Geo. B. & Co., supplies,	\$13 48
Burke, John, labor,	1 50
Conant, F. R. & Co., supplies,	65
Concord Foundry Co., supplies,	16 00
Coombs, J. E. & Co., sharpening tools,	15 18
Cote, Joseph, labor,	11 25
Cote, M., labor,	3 00
Croston, John, labor,	1 50
Derwin, Geo., labor,	14 99
Derwin, Joseph, labor,	1 87
Derwin, Lewis, labor,	3 75
Desrocher, Ed, labor,	6 37
Dingley, John & Co., supplies,	91 57
Dinsmore & Greenleaf, supplies,	2 00
Driscoll, Florance, labor,	4 50
Driscoll, William, labor,	17 25
Dunn, Chas., brick,	172 50
Dyer, Daniel, labor,	36 50
Elms & Hall, supplies,	17 46
Field, G. A., labor,	111 00
Field, G. H., labor,	256 39
Franklin Co., rebate of assessment,	60 00
Gaudette, Napoleon, labor,	6 00
Gilbert, Fred, labor,	6 00
Goss, Frank F., Street Commissioner,	47 50
Goss, Howard E., labor,	3 00
Goss, W. H., labor,	25
Greenleaf, W. M., damages,	15 60
Greenwood, Archie, labor,	3 00
Greenwood, Jerry, labor,	76 12
Guay, Cyril, labor,	6 00
Hall & Knight Hardware Co., supplies,	2 75
Hanlon, Dennis, labor,	38 62
Haskell, S. F., supplies,	5 00
Haskell, L. W. & Co., supplies,	25 37
Higgins, Pat, labor,	1 50
Jordan, W. H., labor,	39 00
Kearns, James, labor,	5 00
King, Fred, labor,	3 75
Labonte, James, labor,	75

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To Lamontague, Peter, labor,	\$ 3 75
Lawler, Mike, labor,	75
Lewiston Monumental Works, supplies,	15 00
Libby, F. N., labor,	56 36
Littlefield, Perley, labor,	13 75
Maine Central Railroad Co., freight,	1 86
Maney, Pat, labor,	75
Mayhew, Frank, labor,	75
Mayhew, Phil, labor,	7 50
McCarthy, Jerry 1st, labor,	15 00
McCarthy, Jerry 2d, labor,	9 00
McCarthy, Jerry 3d, labor,	12 74
McCarthy, Lewis, labor,	14 25
McCarthy, Mike, labor,	15 00
McClouch, John, labor,	1 50
McKenney, Wm. H., labor,	85 50
Mero, Chas., labor,	4 50
Minnehan, Chas., labor,	1 50
Minnehan, Daniel, labor,	5 25
Moulton, Chas. E., labor,	2 25
Moulton, Chas. H., labor,	7 25
Neal, N. M. Foundry Co., supplies,	13 89
Nugent, M., labor,	9 00
Parrent, John, labor,	28 50
Porier, Theo., labor,	30 75
Pulsifer, R. W., supplies,	1 00
Reagan, James, labor,	35 24
Rooney, Joseph, labor,	16 50
Sampson, Thomas, labor,	26 25
Seva, Peter, labor,	6 75
Shields, Mike, labor,	15 00
Southards, Elmer, labor,	2 00
Sullivan, Dennis, labor,	12 00
Sullivan, Jerry, labor,	7 12
Sullivan, Tim, labor,	6 00
Tarr, H. L., driver,	2 00
Tibbetts, Chas., labor,	19 87
Tooney, Jerry, labor,	64 12
Tooney, John, labor,	102 00
Tyler, A. L., labor,	1 87

To Verron, Louis, labor,	\$15 75
Welch, Mike, labor,	30 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,960 46

STREET LIGHTS.

To American Light & Power Co., lights,	\$4,522 04
Auburn Water Commissioners, supplies,	1 38
Bailey, Geo. O., supplies,	13 31
Bradbury, R. S., team,	1 50
Curtis, Chas. F., supplies,	2 15
Elms & Hall, supplies,	40
Highway Department, supplies and labor,	13 00
Lyford, F. H., supplies,	2 70
Osgood, Isaac, supplies,	9 70
Union Oil Co., supplies,	21 50
Total,	<hr/> \$4,587 68

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

To Harris, N. W., treasurer, appropriation,	\$1,400 00
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LIQUOR AGENCY.

To Wakefield, J. W., Liquor Commissioner,	\$5,547 60
Whitman, T. S., Agent, salary,	390 00
Whitman, T. S., sundry expenses,	79 63
Verrill & Hutchinson, insurance,	17 75
Robinson & Beede, rent,	76 67
Total,	<hr/> \$6,111 65

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

To Beal, O. G., supplies,	\$ 11 38
Buck, T. S., supplies,	3 14
Eveleth, E. G., cash paid for supplies,	5 80
Haskell, G. H., supplies,	10 51
Merrill & Webber, printing,	313 50
Palmer & Merrill, printing,	19 00

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To Pollister, S. A., supplies,	\$ 1 60
Robinson, A. L., supplies,	1 00
Weeks, W. H., Mayor's address,	6 50
Weeks, W. H., city reports,	157 52
Weeks, W. H., printing,	1 50
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Total,	\$531 45

NEW ROADS.

To Auburn Water Commissioners, supplies,	\$ 123 54
Barrell, Louis, labor,	1 50
Briggs, C. H., teams,	28 00
Brooks, Geo. B. & Co., supplies,	2 00
Coombs, J. E. & Co., sharpening tools,	6 84
Croston, John, labor,	26 62
Cote, Joseph, labor,	16 87
Derwin, George, labor,	6 00
Derwin, Joseph, labor,	3 00
Desrocher, Ed., labor,	19 12
Driscoll, Wm., labor,	9 00
Dyer, Daniel, labor,	36 25
Gilbert, Fred, labor,	13 87
Goss, Frank F., street commissioner,	37 00
Goss, Frank F., team to carry men and tools,	3 00
Goss, Howard, labor,	9 25
Greenwood, Jerry, labor,	3 75
Guay, Cyril, labor,	26 62
Hanlon, Dennis, labor,	10 50
Jordan, W. H., labor,	29 85
Kearns, James, labor,	7 50
Libby, Frank N., labor,	12 96
Maney, Pat, labor,	13 12
Mayhew, Phil, labor,	3 75
McCarthy, Jerry, 1st, labor,	23 62
McCarthy, Jerry, 2d, labor,	18 37
McCarthy, Jerry, 3d, labor,	10 87
McCarthy, Lewis, labor,	4 50
Mero, Charles, labor,	12 37
Moulton, Chas. E., labor,	9 00
Moulton, Chas. H., labor,	49 00

To Parrent, John, labor,	\$ 6 75
Reagan, James, labor,	6 00
Rooney, Joseph, labor,	18 37
Sampson, Thomas, labor,	26 62
Sullivan, Jerry, labor,	15 37
Tarr, H. L., labor,	64 12
Tibbetts, Chas., labor,	3 00
Tooney, John, labor,	4 50
Verrill, Bert, labor,	22 75
Welch, Mike, labor,	15 37
Total,	<hr/> \$760 49

PUBLIC PROPERTY.

To American Light & Power Co., lights,	\$ 110 00
Arnold, Eldreth, supplies,	82 94
Auburn Water Commissioners, water rates,	76 00
Auburn Brush & Mop Co.,	6 52
Banks & McKenney, supplies and labor,	15 27
Bradbury, J. H., care of Auburn Hall,	112 00
Bradford, Conant & Co., supplies,	8 05
Bray, E. B. Co., supplies,	2 00
Briggs, C. H., fuel,	85 25
Burrill & Jordan, supplies,	1 25
Carbano, E., labor and supplies, fixing roof of Auburn Hall,	57 60
Conant, F. R. & Co., labor,	20 52
Coombs, J. E. & Co., labor,	3 50
Cobb, John F., insurance,	33 75
Davis, Wm. L., labor,	14 01
Dinsmore & Greenleaf, labor and supplies,	4 60
Elms & Hall, supplies,	6 25
Eveleth, E. G., Tr., cash paid for revenue stamp,	50
Eveleth, E. G., cash paid for cleaning,	2 90
Field, G. H., labor,	12 42
Goss, A. L. & E. F. Co., supplies,	4 22
Gunn, C. R., labor,	1 00
Hartwell, Harry, labor and supplies,	39 00
Hastings & Smith, fuel,	164 48

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To Haskell, L. W. & Co., labor and supplies,	\$13 37
Haskell, I. N., labor and supplies,	22 00
Hodgkins, Foss & Adams, supplies,	30 40
Howard, Nelson L., labor and supplies,	3 00
Hunton, J. B., insurance,	24 00
Hunton, F. W. & Co., insurance,	13 50
Jordan, N. I., Agt., insurance,	50 00
Keene, O. S., labor,	17 00
Larrabee, J. F., labor and supplies,	73 66
Lewiston & Auburn Electric Light Co.,	18 00
Lewiston Gas Co.,	86 08
Miller, W. R., design for porch,	7 00
Miller & Owen, insurance,	79 00
Minnehau, Chas., labor,	75
Mitchell, Ezra, labor,	75
Nichols, John H., cleaning vaults. etc.,	4 50
Oliver, Geo. F., labor and supplies,	78 71
Peables & Garcelon, supplies,	4 40
Ranks & Ray, labor,	15 36
Rendall, D. H., labor,	7 00
Rich, Eugene, supplies,	50
Street Department, changing sewer,	33 30
Sullivan, Dennis, labor,	75
White, W. H., Trustee, supplies,	25 00
Whitman, T. S., care of furnace in Davis Building,	30 00
Whitney, F. R., opening and repairing safe,	3 00
Wood-Robinson Co., supplies,	4 50
Woodside, J. C., supplies,	29 62
Total,	<hr/> \$1,539 18

MUNICIPAL COURT.

To Auburn Post Office, stamped envelopes,	\$ 11 60
Garcelon, A. A., Jr., care of court room,	36 00
Garcelon, Don D., care of court room,	36 00
Haskell, G. H., supplies,	2 63
Haskell, L. W. & Co., supplies and labor,	3 10
Jaques & Currier, cleaning carpet,	6 38
Lewiston & Auburn Electric Light Co., lights,	49 15

To Maine Mercantile Directory Co., directory,	\$ 3 00
Mechanics' Savings Bank, heating court room,	145 90
Merrill & Webber, supplies,	117 25
Mitchell, J. W., salary as Judge,	1,200 00
Munroe, James & Co., rent of court room,	230 04
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone,	24 58
Nichols, John, cleaning court room,	11 55
Palmer & Merrill, printing,	75
Pollister, S. A., supplies,	6 05
Pulsifer, Abbie, type-writing,	7 00
Verrill & Hutchinson, insurance,	9 60
Total,	<hr/> \$1,900 58

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS.

To Arnold, Eldreth, supplies,	\$ 70 83
Bailey, H. H., labor and supplies,	48 40
Bowie, Emerson, labor and supplies,	1 50
Brock, L. C., labor and supplies,	53 00
Butterfield, W. W., labor and supplies,	10 83
Chase, J. H., labor and supplies,	77 41
Churchill, Chas., labor,	3 00
Clough, Phineas, carting,	6 00
Conant, F. R. & Co., lumber,	91 11
Dingley, John & Co., supplies,	33 75
Dinsmore & Greenleaf, labor and supplies,	78 20
Elms & Hall, supplies,	6 35
Ford, J. F., labor,	10 00
Gammon, A. T., labor and supplies,	73 84
Goss, A. L. & E. F. Co., supplies,	2 36
Greenleaf, E. M., labor and supplies,	30 48
Hartwell, Harry, labor and supplies,	22 57
Haskell, I. N., labor and supplies,	132 25
Haskell, L. W. & Co., supplies,	24 71
Hodgkins, Foss & Adams, supplies,	2 22
Jones, D. W., labor and supplies,	8 00
Keyes Bros., labor,	4 38
Lane, E. A., labor,	1 50
Larrabee, J. F., labor and supplies,	38 23

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To Larrabee, Solomon, labor and supplies,	\$ 4 50
Martin, Frank, labor,	12 25
Merrill, E. K., labor and supplies,	2 75
Millett, M. E., labor,	5 00
Oliver, Geo. F., labor and supplies,	2 90
Plummer, W. H., labor and supplies,	11 37
Raynes & Ross, labor and supplies,	28 27
Rendall, D. H., labor and supplies,	42 22
Robinson, W. A. & Co., supplies,	7 06
Rounds, F. R., labor and supplies,	30 22
Stevens, Samuel L., labor and supplies,	90 00
Street Department, cleaning sewer,	11 49
Tubbs, A. A., labor and supplies,	51 25
Tukey, D. P., labor and supplies,	5 90
Warren, A. F., labor and supplies,	9 08
Webb, E. E., labor and supplies,	3 95
Whitehouse Bros., labor and supplies,	25 50
Wiggin, W. H., express,	1 16
Woodside, J. C., supplies,	5 45
Total,	<hr/> \$1,181 24

SALARIES.

To N. W. Harris, Mayor,	\$300 00
Geo. E. McCann, City Clerk,	250 00
E. G. Eveleth, City Treasurer,	500 00
Henry W. Oakes, City Solicitor,	200 00
C. C. Peaslee, M. D., City Physician,	100 00
Howard L. Burr, City Auditor,	125 00
S. R. Robinson, Assessor of Taxes,	275 00
John N. Foster, Assessor of Taxes,	275 00
S. B. Smith, Assessor of Taxes,	275 00
Chas. W. Coombs, Clerk of Council,	40 00
A. M. Peables, M. D., Secretary Board of Health,	100 00
Bailey, Emery, Member Board of Health,	50 00
J. W. Beede, M. D., Member Board of Health,	50 00
Geo. F. Oliver, Inspector of Buildings,	125 00
Geo. E. McCann, Pension Officer,	25 00

To Rodney A. Swift, City Engineer,	\$350 00
Whitney, F. R., City Electrician,	100 00
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Total,	\$3,140 00

ELECTIONS.

To Anderson, E. J., election officer,	\$ 5 00
Ashworth, S. S., election officer,	5 00
Atkinson Furnishing Co., supplies,	4 00
Bailey, C. E., election officer,	5 00
Beal, O. G., supplies,	87
Bigelow, F. B., election officer,	5 00
Bradbury, J. H., services as messenger for board of registration,	9 50
Bradbury, J. H., freight and trucking,	65
Briggs, C. H., fuel,	1 75
Brooks, Geo. B., supplies,	25
Burr, Howard L., election officer,	2 50
Coan, Newton S., election officer,	5 00
Cobb, A. W. P., election officer,	2 50
Coombs, Chas. W., election officer,	5 00
Curtis, D. S., election officer,	5 00
Darrington, C. F., election officer,	5 00
Day, Geo. P., election officer,	5 00
Dinsmore & Greenleaf, supplies,	31 80
Elms & Hall, supplies,	2 58
Emerton, J. C., election officer,	5 00
Farrington, Robert J., election officer,	2 50
Garcelon, A. A., election officer,	2 50
Garcelon, A. A., serving summonses for board of registration,	6 48
Garcelon, J. P., election officer,	5 00
Gifford, Geo. G., chairman board of regis- tration,	109 00
Gifford, Geo. G., services preparing voting lists and card registration,	144 00
Goss, M. E., election officer,	2 50
Greenleaf, Chas. E., election officer,	5 00
Groves, Fred B., election officer,	5 00
Haskell, Albert, election officer,	2 50

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To Johnson, O. E., election officer,	\$ 2 50
Jordan, F. R. Jr., election officer,	5 00
Jordan, Thomas C., election officer,	5 00
Kelleher, P. H., member board of registration,	35 00
Kelleher, P. H., services preparing voting lists,	3 50
Larrabee, Solomon, election officer,	5 00
Library Bureau, supplies for card registration,	64 50
Martin, Frank, election officer,	5 00
Merrill & Webber, printing,	108 01
Miller, W. M., election officer,	5 00
Morse, L. O., election officer,	5 00
Newell, Z. T., election officer,	2 50
O'Brien, Alton, election officer,	2 50
Perry, Newton, election officer,	5 00
Pettengill, A. D., election officer,	5 00
Pollister, S. A., supplies,	5 70
Pulsifer, R. W., services, clerk of board of registration,	37 50
Raynes, A. D., election officer,	5 00
Robinson, A. L., election officer,	2 50
Royal, H. C., services, clerk of board of registration,	27 50
Royal, H. C., services, member of board of registration,	51 50
Royal, H. C., services preparing card registration,	18 75
Shapiro, J. J., election officer,	5 00
Sprague, H. M., member board of registration,	102 50
Sprague, H. M., services preparing voting lists and card registration,	60 75
Sprague, H. M., expense,	2 00
Taylor, F. B., election officer,	5 00
Turner, John A., serving summonses for board of registration,	25 12
Turner, John A., carriage, posting notices,	50
Verrill, Leon D., election officer,	5 00

To Woodbury, Edith E., copying for board of
registration, \$ 1 50

Total, \$1,005 21

DAVIS PROPERTY.

To Arnold, Eldreth, supplies,	\$ 248 91
Auburn Monumental Works, supplies,	2 00
Barrell, Louis, labor,	4 50
Bledo, Alex, labor,	3 00
Church, H. C., labor,	25 00
Conant & Andrews, teams,	7 00
Cote, Joseph, labor,	4 50
Croston, John, labor,	5 25
Derwin, Joseph, labor,	2 25
Dingley, John & Co., supplies,	5 40
Douglass & Cook, supplies,	3 25
Driscoll, Florance, labor,	4 50
Dyer, Daniel, labor,	10 00
Eveleth, E. G., Treas., cash paid for record- ing deed and plan,	2 90
Flynn, Wm. H., labor,	3 00
Gaudette, Napoleon, labor,	1 12
Gilbert, Fred, labor,	6 37
Goss, Frank F., street commissioner,	6 00
Greenleaf, E. M., labor and supplies,	85 13
Guay, Cyril, labor,	1 50
Ham, J. B. & Co., supplies,	4 44
Hanlon, Dennis, labor,	7 12
Hicks, Ed., labor,	24 75
Hines, Elmer, hauling sods,	1 00
Hodgkins, Foss & Adams, supplies,	35 37
Howard, Nelson, supplies,	32 50
Jordan, W. H., labor,	6 00
King, Fred, labor,	2 25
Larrabee, J. F., labor and supplies,	170 89
Lewiston Gas Light Co., piping,	40 00
Libby, F. N., labor,	10 60
Mayhew, Frank, labor,	1 12
McCarthy, Jerry, 2d, labor,	6 50

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To McCarthy, Lewis, labor,	\$ 1 87
McCarthy, Mike, labor,	10 12
Mero, Charles, labor,	5 25
Miller, W. R., plans and details,	30 00
Moulton, Chas. E., labor,	37
Muuroe, J. & Co., granite steps,	10 00
Nugent, Mike, labor,	3 00
Oliver, Geo. F., labor and supplies,	396 49
Pickard & Woodman, deed of property,	10,725 00
Pickard & Woodman, transfer of insurance,	20 00
Porier, Theo, labor,	75
Rendall, D. H., labor and supplies,	155 50
Sampson, Thomas, labor,	4 50
Seva, Peter, labor,	4 50
Shorey, Alex, labor,	3 00
Sullivan, Jerry, labor,	4 50
Tibbetts, Chas., labor,	75
Tooney, Jerry, labor,	75
Tooney, John, labor,	3 75
Verrill & Hutchinson, services in purchasing property,	100 00
Watson, D. W.,	27 75
Welch, Mike, labor,	3 75
Woodside, J. C., supplies,	38 18
Total,	<hr/> \$12,318 90

HYDRANTS.

To Auburn Water Commissioners, water for hydrants,	\$2,985 00
Auburn Water Commissioners, shoveling snow,	10 75
Auburn Water Commissioners, labor and supplies,	61 08
Maine Central Railroad Co., freight,	8 77
Rensselaer Mfg. Co., supplies,	55 25
Wood, R. D. & Co., supplies,	126 00
Total,	<hr/> \$3,246 85

INTEREST.

To Eveleth, E. G., Treasurer, coupons,	\$8,950 00
Eveleth, E. G., discount on notes,	3,108 60
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Total,	\$12,058 60

PARK.

To Crafts, A. B., labor,	\$53 00
Elms & Hall, supplies,	13 75
Larrabee, James F., labor and supplies,	44 29
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Total,	\$111 04

COUNTY TAX.

To Potter, Noel B., Treasurer,	\$9,750 12
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STATE TAX.

To Simpson, F. M., Treasurer,	\$19,123 80
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ABATEMENT ON TAXES.

To Kinsley, D. W., Collector, abatements allowed 1895-96-97-98,	\$3,366 53
Eveleth, E. G., Collector, abatements al- lowed 1891-92,	526 88
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Total,	\$3,893 41

DISCOUNT ON TAXES.

To Kinsley, D. W., Collector, discounts al- lowed 1898,	\$5,217 88
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WATER WORKS SINKING FUND.

To Auburn Water Commissioners,	\$3,000 00
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RECAPITULATION.

To total receipts for the year ending Febru- ary 28, 1899,	\$199,490 57
Total expenditures for same,	179,742 60
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Cash in Treasurer's hands,	\$19, 747 97

SCHEDULE OF CITY PROPERTY.

Stock of Lewiston & Auburn Railroad,	\$74,900 00
Lot on Main Street, south of Station,	1,000 00
City Stable, store-house and lots on Troy Street,	3,500 00
Armory, stores and lots on Hampshire Street,	9,000 00
Auburn Hall and lot,	20,000 00
Lot on Miller Street,	1,000 00
Gravel Pits,	1,500 00
Poor farm, stock and fixtures,	12,000 00
Land, part of old poor farm,	400 00
Land, part of John Staples' place,	400 00
Hall, store-house and lot, North Auburn,	400 00
School house lot, New Auburn,	2,500 00
High School Building and Park,	35,000 00
Grammar school-house and lot,	25,000 00
School-house and lot, corner French and Whitney streets,	12,000 00
Pine street school-house and lot,	6,000 00
Park Hill school-house and lot,	4,000 00
Merrill Hill school-house and lot,	3,000 00
Academy street school-house and lot,	3,000 00
Fourth street school-house,	1,500 00
Sixth street school-house,	20,000 00
Twenty-four school-houses outside the city,	11,000 00
Engine House and lot, Court street,	12,000 00
Fire station, New Auburn,	2,000 00
Steam fire engine, hose, etc.,	5,000 00
Hook and ladder truck,	750 00
Hose wagons and pump,	600 00
Fixtures Municipal Court Room,	500 00
Horse and harnesses, fire department,	550 00
Two safes, treasurer's office,	400 00
One safe, city clerk's office,	100 00
One safe, assessors' room,	50 00
Thirteen horses, street department,	2,100 00
Six double dump carts,	400 00
One single dump cart,	30 00
Six double sleds,	200 00
One single sled,	25 00

Six road machines,	\$1,000 00
Two derricks and rigging,	125 00
Eight snow plows,	299 00
One street sweeper,	325 00
Old harnesses,	75 00
One road roller,	375 00
Two sewer pumps and rigging,	75 00
Miscellaneous tools,	425 00
Total,	\$274,504 00

TABULATED STATEMENT

Showing the amounts of the several appropriations, the receipts, the payments made from them, and the excess or deficiency of each.

	Expenditures.	Appropriations.	Receipts.	Balance.	Overdrawn.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Highways.....	21,388.88	19,000 00	610.76		1,777.57
Contingent.....	6,806.76	4,299.54	1,400.81		1,106.41
Schools.....	31,097.84	20,500.00	10,618.01	15.17	
High Schools.....	8,462.29	8,000.00	588.55	126.26	
Fire Department.....	7,194.51	7,000.00	1.40		193.11
Poor Department.....	4,731.63	4,000.00	1,182.85	451.22	
Police.....	5,225.40	4,400.00	775.77		49.63
Permanent Improvements	1,997.80	2,000.00		2.70	
Sewers.....	1,960.46	1,500.00	1,124.75	664.29	
Street Lights.....	4,587.68	4,700.00		112.32	
New Roads.....	760.49	800.00		39.51	
Public Property.....	1,539.18	500.00	1,697.00	657.82	
Liquor Agency.....	6,111.65		7,788.41	1,676.76	
Municipal Court.....	1,900.58	1,500.00	416.20	16.62	
Printing and Stationery...	531.45	1,000.00		468.55	
Elections.....	1,005.21	1,000.00			5.21
Hydrants.....	3,246.85	3,300.00		53.15	
Park.....	111.04	125.00		13.96	
County Tax.....	9,750.12	9,750.12			
State Tax.....	19,123.80	18,614.23	509.57		
Salaries.....	3,140.00	3,140.00			
Interest.....	12,058.60	10,000.00	2,595.80	537.20	
Repairs on School Houses	1,181.24	1,200.00		18.76	
Abatements on Taxes.....	3,893.41	4,000.00		106.59	
Discount on Taxes.....	5,217.88	5,500.00		282.12	
Water W'ks Sinking Fund	3,000.00	3,000.00			
Public Library.....	1,400.00	1,400.00			
Davis Property.....	12,318.90	12,300.00	35.75	16.85	
	179,742.60	152,528.89	29,340.63	5,258.85	3,131.93

Respectfully submitted,
HOWARD L. BURR, Auditor.

REPORT OF CITY TREASURER.

To the Mayor and Members of the City Government:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report as Treasurer of Auburn for the year ending February 28, 1899.

RECEIPTS.

To cash in treasury, March 1st, 1898,	\$ 15,762 61
Taxes of 1898,	\$119,388 91
Taxes of former years,	34,998 42
State school fund and mill tax,	10,573 11
Tuition, common schools,	30 00
H. R. Eaton overpaid,	4 00
Sundries collected by Supt.,	3 90
Grass from schoolhouse lots,	2 00
State free High School,	250 00
Tuition, High School,	334 00
Rebate on bills, High School,	4 55
Liquor sold,	7,755 41
Empty liquor casks sold,	33 00
Dog licenses, city clerk,	517 00
Other licenses, city clerk,	14 50
Carriage licenses, marshal,	25 00
State R. R. and telegraph tax,	600 80
Rebate on telephone,	14 62
Tax deeds and interest on same,	200 43
Setting stone bounds on line between Minot and Auburn,	12 00
Trimming trees,	16 46
Stated dog tax, 1897, refunded,	509 57
Window sold,	1 40
Old lumber sold Columbia Mill,	49 16
Old lumber sold J. C. Emerton,	3 60
Loam sold George F. Oliver,	5 50

To Loam sold Geo. E. Barrows,	\$4 00
Labor, A. Cushman Co.,	6 50
Labor, Maine State Agricultural Society,	47 00
Labor, county,	2 50
Labor, P. M. Bickford,	17 62
Labor, Auburn Steam Power Co.,	8 00
Labor and material, Auburn Water Commissioners,	13 62
Labor and material, Ferd Penley,	28 77
Labor and material, Dept. of public property,	33 30
Labor and material, Dept. of schoolhouse repairs,	11 49
Labor and material, Dept. of street lights,	13 00
Paving near Maine Hotel, Geo. C. Wing,	192 70
Old road machine sold, Electric R. R.,	30 00
Board of Fire Dept. horse,	144 00
Rent of Auburn Hall,	317 00
Rent of New Armory store,	230 00
Rent of Old Armory store,	200 00
Rent of Old Armory tenement,	150 00
Rent of Public Library,	400 00
Schoolhouse lot, Goff Hill,	200 00
State, rental of Armory,	100 00
On acct. schoolhouse lot, F. A. Haskell,	100 00
County fees, county treasurer,	351 20
Municipal Court fees, A. E. Verrill, clerk,	65 00
County fees, city marshal,	667 18
Municipal Court fees, city marshal,	106 29
Bicycle and keys sold, city marshal,	2 30

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To Sewer assessments,	\$1,005 00
Sewer permits,	105 00
Sundries collected on sewers,	14 75
Contingent acct., on acct.	
Davis property,	35 75
Rental of Lewiston & Auburn	
R. R.,	2,247 00
Interest on tax of 1897,	348 80
Cream sold from city farm,	513 18
Sweet corn sold from city	
farm,	141 29
Hay sold from city farm,	66 25
Cattle sold from city farm,	42 50
Rent of Wood house,	130 00
Sundries collected by over-	
seers,	13 50
Labor of city farm man,	3 00
Support of Mrs. Amanda	
Drake at city farm,	78 00
City of Lewiston, support of	
Daniel Coughlin and fam-	
ily,	28 38
City of Lewiston, support of	
Edward Fitzgerald,	11 67
Town of Mt. Vernon, support	
of Archie M. Gordon,	15 65
Town of Brunswick, support	
of Albert Pinnette,	13 50
Town of Turner, support	
of Caleb Snell,	11 87
Town of Falmouth, support	
of E. I. Folsom,	48 30
Town of So. Thomaston, sup-	
port of Fred H. Erskine,	21 38
Town of Sangerville, support	
of Ansel Jackson,	37 00
Town of Unity, support of	
A. A. Hinds and wife,	7 38
	<hr/> \$199,490 57

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DISBURSEMENTS.

By Mayor's warrants paid:

Repairs on streets and highways,	\$21,388 33
Contingent expenses,	6,806 76
Support of common schools,	31,097 84
Support of High School,	8,462 29
Support of fire department,	7,194 51
Support of poor department,	4,731 63
Support of police department,	5,225 40
Permanent improvements,	1,997 30
Building sewers,	1,960 46
Street lights,	4,587 68
New roads,	760 49
Public property,	1,539 18
Liquor agency,	6,111 65
Municipal court,	1,900 58
Printing and stationery,	531 45
Elections,	1,005 21
Hydrants,	3,246 85
Park,	111 04
County tax,	9,750 12
State tax,	19,123 80
Salaries,	3,140 00
Interest,	12,058 60
Repairs on schoolhouses,	1,181 24
Abatements on taxes,	3,893 41
Discount on taxes,	5,217 88
Water works sinking fund,	3,000 00
Public Library,	1,400 00
Davis property,	12,318 90
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	\$179,742 60
Cash balance in Treasury,	19,747 97
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	\$199,490 57

LIABILITIES AND RESOURCES.

LIABILITIES.

The indebtedness of the city Feb. 28, 1899, was as follows:

For outstanding bonds bearing interest at four per cent., due as follows:

July 1, 1900,	\$15,000 00
Jan. 1, 1902,	15,000 00
July 2, 1903,	25,000 00
July 1, 1904,	23,500 00
July 1, 1905,	15,000 00
July 1, 1906,	18,000 00
July 1, 1907,	10,000 00
July 1, 1909,	14,000 00
July 1, 1910,	13,000 00
July 1, 1911,	13,000 00
Jan. 1, 1912,	4,000 00
July 1, 1912,	7,000 00
July 1, 1917,	15,000 00
June 1, 1923,	16,000 00
Jan. 1, 1925,	14,500 00
	<hr/> \$218,000 00

Bond No. 9, due July 1st,
1897, not presented for
payment,
Temporary loan,

500 00.
117,000 00

\$335,500 00

Debt of the city, incurred by
the purchase of the wa-
ter works, on which the
interest is paid by the
water commissioners.

Water loan bonds 5% due
July 1, 1905,
Water loan bonds 4% due
May 20, 1923,

58,700 00
30,000 00

88,700 00

Total,

\$424,200 00

RESOURCES.

Sinking fund, Lewiston & Auburn R. R. stock,	\$74,900 00
Uncollected taxes,	42,072 74
Balance due on tax deeds,	2,333 08
Balance due on sewer assessments,	950 25
Note of E. F. Slattery,	68 00
Cash in treasury, Feb. 28, 1899,	19,747 97
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	\$140,072 04
Amount invested in water works as per bonds above mentioned,	88,700 00
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	\$228,772 04
Net debt of city,	\$195,427 96
State pensions have been paid during the year amounting to	\$1,350 00
For burial of destitute soldiers,	\$70 00
which amounts have been reimbursed by the State.	
Tax assessment for 1898,	\$153,831 45
Supplementary assessment,	\$260 82
Rate of taxation, 22½ mills per \$1.00,	
Total real estate assessed,	\$5,310,120 00
Total personal estate assessed,	\$1,042,700 00
Number of polls, 3,631.	
Sewer assessments for 1898,	\$453 00
Sewer assessments abated for 1898,	\$15 00

Respectfully submitted,

E. G. EVELETH, *City Treasurer.*

I have examined the accounts of the City Treasurer for the year ending Feb. 28, 1899, and find them properly vouched for and hereby approve the same.

HOWARD L. BURR, *City Auditor.*

REPORT OF AUBURN WATER COMMISSIONERS.

To the City Council of Auburn,

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Water Commissioners herewith submit their sixth annual report.

At the annual meeting of the Board, held March 21, 1898, Jerome B. Hunton was elected Clerk, and Forrest E. Bisbee was elected Superintendent.

The successful workings of our water system demonstrate from year to year the wisdom of municipal ownership. Its beneficent consequences are outrunning the anticipations of its most ardent supporters at the start. Notwithstanding the substantial reduction of the rates made a year ago, amounting to more than two thousand dollars, the net income for the year just closed exceeds that of the preceding year.

The general condition of the works is so satisfactory that our surplus earnings for the future can be devoted to the construction of the Merrill Hill Reservoir and the work preliminary thereto. The plans have already been drawn and paid for. A careful and scientific estimate of a suitable reservoir having a capacity of six million gallons has also been procured, showing that the reservoir can be constructed at a cost of thirty-six thousand dollars. It will take about two years to complete the work preliminary to the reservoir, and will require an outlay of about eight thousand dollars. We commenced one year ago the purchase of material and tools for that purpose, so that this work can be completed and paid for inside of two years; then, or immediately thereafter we shall be in condition financially and otherwise to commence the construction of the reservoir proper, if it is deemed desirable to do so.

The following statement shows the net income of the Water Works for the year ending February 28, 1899:

Water rents collected during the	
year,	\$29,268 88
Licenses, fines, etc.,	33 00
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Total collected for the year end-	
ing Feb. 28, 1899,	\$29,301 88
Water bills uncollected,	741 20
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	\$30,043 08
Less water bills uncollected Mch.	
1, 1898,	1,362 90
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Gross earnings for the year ending	
Feb. 28, 1899,	\$28,680 18
Less operating expenses as follows:	
General expenses,	\$5,215 83
Repairs,	4,173 33
Interest,	13,145 83
Depreciation on tools,	138 26
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	\$22,673 25
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Net income for the year ending	
Feb. 28, 1899,	\$ 6,006 93
Net income to Mch. 1, 1898,	41,858 45
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Total net income to date,	\$47,865 47

We also connect herewith a statement of Assets and Liabilities.

ASSETS.

Water Plant,	\$341,523 94
Stock on hand,	5,347 94
Tools and office fixtures,	1,912 24
Bills receivable,	778 30
Sinking Fund,	26,854 22
Cash on-hand Mch. 1, 1899,	3,147 17
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	\$379,563 81

LIABILITIES.

Water Commissioners' bonds,	\$226,000 00	
City Water Bonds,	88,700 00	
Premiums and accrued interest,	4,998 34	
Net income,	47,865 47	
City appropriation for Sinking Fund,	12,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$379,563 81

The following is a detailed statement of the Sinking Fund.

AUBURN WATER WORKS SINKING FUND.

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1896.	PAR VALUE	1896.	
Feb. 12, Water Com. Bonds, Prem. on same at \$1.98, Accrued Int. from Jan. 1,	\$5,000.00 99.00 28.88	\$5,000.00	Feb. 12, City Appropriation, Water Com. 1%.
Feb. 25, Water Com. Bonds, Prem. on same at \$1.98, Accrued Int. from Jan. 1,	500.00 9.90 8.05	500.00	
Mch. 1, Cash to make 1%,	679.11		
	<u>\$6,814.39</u>		
1897.			1896.
Jan. 10, Water Com. Bonds at par,	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	Mch. 1, Cash to balance,
Mch. 1, Water Com. Bonds,	2,000.00	2,000.00	July 1, Int. on bonds,
Mch. 1, Accrued Int. on same from Jan. 1.	19.11		1897.
Mch. 1, Cash to make 1%,	279.57		Jan. 1, Int. on bonds,
			Jan. 9, Int. on City note, No. 9, to Jan. 9, '97 from Mch. 23, '96, Amt. \$697.11 at 4%
	<u>\$7,298.68</u>		Jan. 10, City Appropriations,
1898.			Jan. 10, Water Com. pt. of 1%,
Jan. 2, Water Com. Bonds, par.	\$3,500.00	\$3,500.00	Mch. 1, Water Com. bal. of 1%,
Accrued Int. on above,	1.94		
Feb. 28, Water Com. Bonds,	3,500.00	3,500.00	1897.
Accrued Int. on above,	23.33		Mch. 1, Cash to balance,
Cash to make 1%,	148.26		July 1, Int. on Bonds,
	<u>\$7,173.63</u>		Jan. 1, Int. on Bonds,
1899.			July 28, Water Com. 1%,
Jan. 1, Water Com. Bonds of Auburn Sav- ings Bank,	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	Jan. 1, City Appropriations,
Feb. 28, Deposited in Auburn Savings Bank,	938.98	938.98	
Feb. 28, Cash to be invested,	4,415.24	4,415.24	1898.
			Mch. 1, Cash to balance,
	<u>\$7,354.22</u>		July 8, Int. on \$19,500 Bonds, Jan. 1 to July 1, '98,
Total Sinking Fund, Mch. 1, 1899,		\$26,854.22	1899.
			Jan. 1, Int. on \$19,500 Bonds, July 1, '98 to Jan. 1, '99.
			Jan. 9, Dividend on deposit in Auburn Sav. bank, July 11, '98 to Jan. 19, '99
			Jan. 1, Water Com. part of 1%,
			Feb. 28, Water Com. balance of 1%,
			Feb. 28, City of Auburn Appropriation,
			<u>\$7,354.22</u>

For further matters of detail we refer you to the able report of the Superintendent, herewith connected.

Respectfully submitted,

E. S. PAUL,
H. G. FOSS,
F. BARTLETT,
A. M. PULSIFER,
C. H. BRIGGS,
R. M. MASON,
NATHAN W. HARRIS.

Auburn Water Commissioners.

AUBURN, MAINE, March 13, 1899.

REPORT OF SUPT. OF WATER WORKS.

AUBURN, February 28, 1899.

To the Honorable Board of Water Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith hand you the sixth annual report of work done under your direction, in improving and extending the water works, the care and maintenance and the operation of the works, for the year ending February 28, 1899.

The works are in good running order and are giving satisfactory results.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The pumping station lot has been graded with the street scraping, and is an improvement to the place. We have also built a pipe fence around the same lot at a cost of \$23.43.

The new steel boiler ordered last year of Cunningham & Co. of South Boston, with a sixty foot stack, arrived April 1st, and has been set. The cost of boiler, stack, piping sewer, changing building, covering and piping complete, was \$1,360.65.

The well house at the city farm has been painted and new steps built, at a cost of \$10.42.

The Warren steel bridge over the Little Androscoggin River has been painted. Cost, \$19.91.

The water crane in front of the Maine Hotel on Main street, has been removed to Miller street and changed to a Coffin 4-in. improved crane, at a cost of \$62.95.

The lake having been kept up to high water mark by the Union Water Power Co., until July 15th, the wind and water washed the intake bank at the entrance of the 24-in. pipe. The committee ordered a bulk-head of stone built, at a cost of \$40.26. The screens have been taken out and washed once a month, finding no alga and but little matter on the face of screens.

A contract was made February 5, 1898, with R. D. Wood & Co. of Philadelphia, Pa., for 178 tons of cast iron pipe, of sizes 4, 6, 16 and 20 in. for nineteen dollars and sixty cents (\$19.60) per gross ton, 2240 lbs., f. o. b. Auburn, Maine, April 30, 1899.

HYDRANTS.

The Fire Department has added five (5) new hydrants: One corner of Lake and Davis Park; one in center of Davis Park, near the Davis house; one on Summit street, near Mrs. Jones' house, No. 65; two on Miller street; making a total of 102 city hydrants and 9 private.

NEW SERVICES.

We have added in the year of 1898 seventy-one (71) new services, at a cost of \$398.02.

CHANGE OF PRESSURE ON SIXTH STREET.

When the pump was running, the service on this street was not satisfactory, and the committee ordered a change from low service to high, making a change of sixteen families on the high service.

LEAKS.

We have had five leaks this year; two in the 1½ pipe on French street, and three lead corporations.

FREEZES OF SERVICES IN THE STREET.

The winter having been a very cold season, the frost is down four and one-half (4½) feet, and froze up six service pipes, all having been started from the cellars.

September 2d, 1898, a committee consisting of the Mayor, E. S. Paul, R. M. Mason and A. M. Pulsifer, was appointed to inspect the cottages and grounds around Lake Auburn, the water supply of the city, and found the cottages and grounds in a healthy state, with two exceptions, and ordered those cleaned up at once.

PIPE USED IN 1898.

2,833 feet of 6 inch pipe.

206 feet of 4 inch pipe.

1,022 feet of 2 inch pipe.

1,483 feet of 1½ inch pipe.

1,212 feet of 1 inch pipe.

6,982 feet of ¾ inch pipe.

50 feet of ½ inch pipe.

 Total, 13,788 feet.

The tables will show the street and the number of feet.

The length of pipe in the main line is $26\frac{2987}{2880}$ miles, using 1006 tons of cast-iron pipe since the city purchased the plant.

An order was passed February 27, 1899, by the Water Board, instructing the committee on extension to purchase the following supplies for the season of 1899: Pipe, special gate, boiler and engine, Sargent driller and derrick, at a cost of \$2,450.00.

Classification of water supply, showing the increase of takers since the city purchased the plant.

Divided as follows:

	1893	1899
Families,	2,493	2,616
Water closets,	1,419	1,883
Bath tubs,	259	515
Hand hose,	477	397
Horses or cows,	558	643
Stores or offices,	200	231
Meters,	40	41
City hydrants,	67	102
Private hydrants and stand-pipes,	40	40
Barbers, etc.,		21
Boarders,	174	213
Watering troughs,	4	4
Specials,	40	60
	<hr/> 5,771	<hr/> 6,766=995

RECOMMENDED TO COMMITTEE ON EXTENSION.

The laying of 1,000 feet of 2-in. pipe on Mill street, west of Tenth street, at a cost of \$250; 250 feet of 4-in. pipe on Whitney street, south of French street, at a cost of \$100; and relaying the 8-in. pipe across the Little Androscoggin river, on the high service. The pipe is not strong enough to stand the pressure from the Merrill Hill reservoir. The pipe is on wood blockings. The cost of 15 stone piers, bolts, pipe and other material, with labor, about \$600.

In the tables annexed will be found a classification of water supply, monthly and yearly pumping records, location and size of meters, location of mains extended and gates set, and inventory of stock and tools.

In closing my report I thank you all for the kind help you have given me in the discharge of my duties as your superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

FORREST E. BISBEE,

Superintendent.

MAINE

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

AUGUSTA, March 13, 1899.

FORREST E. BISBEE, *Supt. Water Works,*

Auburn, Me.

DEAR SIR:—Reporting on the sample of water taken by you from a tap in the Water Co.'s office January 4, I would say that the results agree quite closely with the average of those obtained in the examination of the samples in 1888. The only practical difference shown in this last analysis is a slight increase in the hardness of the water.

1899. Taken from the tap in Water Co.'s office,

Total Solids.	Hardness.	Chlorine.	Free Ammonia.
2.6	2.60	.2	.001
Organic Ammonia.	Nitrites.	Nitrates.	
.012	None	Very slight trace.	

Average in 1888, taken from the tap in Water Co.'s office:

Total Solids.	Hardness.	Chlorine.	Free Ammonia.
2.5	1.64	.25	.0007
Organic Ammonia.	Nitrites.	Nitrates.	
.0111	None or slight trace.		

Yours truly,

A. G. YOUNG, *Secretary.*

Inventory of stock and tools on hand March 1,
1899, \$1,912 24.

LOCATION AND SIZE OF METERS IN USE THE
PAST YEAR.

Buildings.	Street.	Size.	Use.
T. A. Huston & Co.,	N. Main,	2 in.	Mfg.
Turner C. Creamery,	Turner,	1½ "	"
Turner C. Creamery,	Minot Ave.,	2 "	"
Conant & Andrews,	Turner,	¾ "	Stable.
R. S. Bradbury,	Court,	¾ "	"
Pray, Small Company,	Spring,	1½ "	Mfg.
D. D. Merrill Co.,	Mc. Row,	1 "	Laundry
J. S. Jordan,	Main,	¾ "	Stable.
George C. Wing,	Main,	¾ "	"
A. Cushman Co.,	Court,	1 "	Mfg.
A. Cushman Co.,	Court,	3 "	"
A. Cushman Co.,	Railroad,	1 "	"
A. Cushman Co.,	Railroad,	2 "	"
A. Cushman Co.,	Railroad,	1 "	"
A. Cushman Co.,	Railroad,	1 "	"
Foss, Packard Co.,	Main,	¾ "	"
Munroes, Packard & Linscott,	Spring,	1 "	"
Munroes, Packard & Linscott,	Spring,	2 "	"
Dingley, Foss Co.,	Troy,	1½ "	"
Dingley, Foss Co.,	Troy,	2 "	"
Fitz Bros. Last Co.,	Minot Ave.,	1 "	"
S. S. Hersey,	Miller,	⅝ "	"
H. B. Pulsifer,	Cook,	¾ "	Farm.
Auburn Stove Foundry Company,	Minot,	¾ "	Mfg.
Barker Mill,	Mill,	2 "	"
Barker Mill,	Mill,	¾ "	"
Oak Hill Cemetery,	Seventh,	1½ "	Cemetery
Elm House Stable,	Rear Main,	¾ "	Stable.
County Jail,	Court,	1 "	Shop.
County Jail,	Court,	¾ "	Build.

Buildings.	Street.	Size.	Use.
J. Dingley Jr.,	Court,	$\frac{3}{4}$ in.	Hotel.
Geo. C. Wing,	Main,	$\frac{3}{4}$ "	"
Burnham & Morrill,	French,	$1\frac{1}{4}$ "	Mfg.
F. R. Conant & Co.,	Minot Ave.,	$\frac{3}{4}$ "	"
City of Auburn,	Minot Ave.,	$\frac{3}{4}$ "	School.
City of Auburn,	Sixth,	$1\frac{1}{4}$ "	"
Sanitary Farm,	Loring Ave.,	$\frac{3}{4}$ "	Farm.
Swift & Sawyer,	Minot Ave.,	$\frac{3}{4}$ "	Mfg.
E. W. Gross,	Main,	$\frac{3}{4}$ "	"
J. R. Learned,	Court,	$\frac{3}{4}$ "	Laundry
J. P. Hutchinson,	Turner,	1 "	Mfg.
Total 41.			

HIGH SERVICE PUMPING RECORD FOR 1898 AND 1899.

1898.

March,	Gallons pumped, 3,641,143
April,	Gallons pumped, 3,598,715
May,	Gallons pumped, 3,853,283
June,	Gallons pumped, 3,916,925
July,	Gallons pumped, 5,380,691
August,	Gallons pumped, 4,383,633
September,	Gallons pumped, 4,042,200
October,	Gallons pumped, 3,853,283
November,	Gallons pumped, 3,683,571
December,	Gallons pumped, 4,269,318

1899.

January,	Gallons pumped, 4,216,283
February,	Gallons pumped, 5,356,535

Total, 50,195,580 gallons

MAIN PIPE LINE GATES SET IN 1898.

We have added 21 gates, divided as follows:

- 1 $1\frac{1}{4}$ inch gate, Gill and Fifth streets.
- 1 $1\frac{1}{4}$ inch gate, Foster Avenue and Eighth.
- 1 $1\frac{1}{4}$ inch gate, South Main and Eighth.
- 1 $1\frac{1}{4}$ inch gate, Cook and Sixth.
- 1 2 inch gate, Troy and Hampshire streets.
- 1 2 inch gate, French and Harvard streets.

- 1 2 inch gate, Miller and Archway.
- 1 2 inch gate, Lake and Davis Park.
- 1 2 inch gate, Broad and Eighth.
- 1 4 inch gate, Miller stand pipe.
- 1 6 inch gate, Minot Ave., T. C. Creamery.
- 1 6 inch gate, Summit street hydrant.
- 1 6 inch gate, Lake street blow-off.
- 1 6 inch gate, Lake and Davis Park.
- 1 6 inch gate, Lake and Fern streets.
- 1 6 inch gate, Lake and Davis Park hydrant.
- 1 6 inch gate, Davis Park.
- 1 6 inch gate, Miller Private Way.
- 1 6 inch gate, Miller, hydrant.
- 1 6 inch gate, Miller, hydrant.
- 1 6 inch gate, Court and Pleasant streets.

Gates set March 1, 1898,	335
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Gates set in 1898,	21
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Taken out in 1898,	5
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Total,	351
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LIST OF HYDRANTS AND LOCATION.

- No 1.—Center street, near Henry Noyes' house.
- 2.—Center street, near Box 87.
- 3.—Turner street, corner Center street.
- 4.—Turner street, corner Rowe street.
- 5.—Turner street, corner Dennison street.
- 6.—Turner street, near Ira Fitz's house.
- 7.—Turner street, near Box 83.
- 8.—Turner street, near Daniel Stevens' shop.
- 9.—Turner street, Hampshire street,
- 10.—Turner street, Court near bakery.
- 11.—Summer street, corner of Rowe street.
- 12.—Summer street, corner of Parker street.
- 13.—Blake street, corner of Winter street.
- 14.—Winter street, corner of Jordan street.
- 15.—Winter street, corner of Dennison street.

- 16.—Winter street, corner of Wood street.
- 17.—Gamage Avenue, corner of Dennison street.
- 18.—Gamage Avenue, corner of Davis Avenue.
- 19.—Gamage Avenue, corner of Private Way.
- 20.—Highland Avenue, near E. S. Paul's house.
- 21.—Highland Avenue, near Mrs. Crowley's house.
- 22.—Fern street, corner of Lake street.
- 23.—Fern street, corner of Granite street.
- 24.—Lake street, corner of Court street.
- 25.—Forest Avenue, near Mrs. Jordan's house.
- 26.—James street, near John Mullaney.
- 27.—Goff street, near George Brown's house.
- 28.—Goff street, corner of Grant street.
- 29.—Manley street, corner of Willow street.
- 30.—Manley street, corner of Temple street.
- 31.—Hampshire street, corner of Oak street.
- 32.—Union street, corner of Hampshire street.
- 33.—Union street, corner of School street.
- 34.—Court street, corner of Granite street.
- 35.—Court street, corner of Western Avenue.
- 36.—Court street, corner of Goff street.
- 37.—Court street, near M. C. R. R.
- 38.—Court street, near M. C. R. R. Park.
- 39.—Court street, near Auburn Hall.
- 40.—Court street, near Elm House.
- 41.—Washington street, near watering trough.
- 42.—Washington street, near Minot Avenue.
- 43.—Washington street, opposite foundry.
- 44.—Washington street, beyond Box 124.
- 45.—Hutchins street, near Hutchins' box shop.
- 46.—Roak street, corner of Seventh street.
- 47.—Roak street, corner of Third street.
- 48.—Dunn street, corner of Second street.
- 49.—Brook street, corner of First street.
- 50.—Broad street, corner of First street.
- 51.—First street, near Merrow Bros.
- 52.—Pulsifer street, corner of Fifth street.
- 53.—Cook street, corner of Bolster street.
- 54.—Cook street, corner of Eighth street.
- 55.—Cook street, corner of Sixth street.

- 56.—Cook street, corner of Fourth street.
- 57.—Broad street, corner of Fifth street.
- 58.—Broad street, corner of Second street.
- 59.—First street, cor. opposite rear French sisters.
- 60.—Laurel Avenue, opposite J. O. Foss' house.
- 61.—Laurel Avenue, corner of Laurel street.
- 62.—South Main street, near F. A. Haskell's house.
- 63.—South Main street, corner of Pulsifer street.
- 64.—Main street, opposite L. W. Haskell's house.
- 65.—Main street, foot of E. L. Park.
- 66.—Main street, corner of Elm street.
- 67.—Main street, front of Roak Block.
- 68.—Main street, front of Hersey Block.
- 69.—North Main street, opposite bakery.
- 70.—High street, opposite Dr. Philoon's.
- 71.—High street, corner of Elm street.
- 72.—Pleasant street, corner of Hampshire street.
- 73.—Pleasant street, corner of Court street.
- 74.—Pleasant street, corner of Drummond street.
- 75.—Spring street, corner of Troy street.
- 76.—Spring street, near Ivory Bowie's house.
- 78.—Drummond street, foot of Railroad street.
- 79.—Drummond street, top of Drummond Hill.
- 80.—Elm street, foot of Spring street.
- 81.—Elm street, foot of Pleasant street.
- 82.—Minot Avenue, near B. & W. coal sheds.
- 83.—Minot Avenue, near Western Avenue.
- 84.—Western Avenue and Hazel street.
- 85.—French street, corner of Whitney street.
- 86.—Pine street, corner of Willow street.
- 87.—Pine street, corner of Pearl street.
- 88.—Academy street, corner of High street.
- 89.—Gamage Avenue, sand hill.
- 90.—Dexter and Fern streets.
- 91.—Minot Avenue, near South street.
- 92.—Newbury street, Burke house.
- 93.—Madison and Second Avenue.
- 94.—Minot Avenue, near W. W. Stetson's.
- 95.—Third street and Loring Avenue.
- 96.—French and Coburn streets.

- 97.—Harvard street, near F. S. Pyle's.
 - 98.—Summit street, near Western Avenue.
 - 99.—Miller street, corner of Roak Block.
 - 100.—Miller street, city lot.
 - 101.—Lake and Davis Park.
 - 102.—Davis Park, L. E. Heckler's.
 - 103.—Railroad street, near Mason-Cobb Co., private.
 - 104.—Ara Cushman Company yard, west wing.
 - 105.—Ara Cushman Company yard.
 - 106.—Androscoggin jail yard.
 - 107.—Barker Mill Yard, front of mill.
 - 108.—Barker Mill Yard, front of mill.
 - 109.—Barker Mill Yard, rear of mill.
 - 110.—Barker Mill Yard, rear of mill.
 - 111.—Barker Mill Yard, rear of mill.
 - 12.—Stand pipe connection for hose, Barker Mill.
 - 5.—Stand pipe connection for hose, T. A. Huston & Co.,
 - 4.—Stand pipe connection for hose, Foss-Packard Co.,
 - 4.—Stand pipe connection for hose, Munroe, Packard & Co.,
 - 5.—Stand pipe connection for hose, Ara Cushman Co., Court street.
 - 1.—Stand pipe connection for hose, Ara Cushman Co., Shop No. 1.
- Total, 142.

HIGH SERVICE INSPECTION JANUARY 11, 1899.

Number of houses on high service,	417
Number of families on high service,	566
Number of water closets,	283
Number of bath tubs,	126
Number of horses or cows,	190
Number using hose,	177
Number of inhabitants,	1,908
Number of foundry, boilers and schools,	6
Number of factories on meters,	15

The average amount of water used for each individual in twenty-four (24) hours is sixty-one and one-half (61.5) gallons.

CLASSIFICATION OF WATER SUPPLY.

Total number of taps,	6,766
divided as follows:	
Number of first families,	1,548
Number of additional families,	1,068
Number of water closets,	1,883
Number of bath tubs,	515
Number of hand hose,	397
Number of horses or cows,	643
Number of stores and offices,	231
Number of barbers,	21
Number of boarders,	213
Number of watering troughs,	4
Number of meters,	41
Number of city hydrants,	102
Number of private hydrants and stand pipes,	40
Printing offices, fish tank, halls, schools, street sprinkling, bakeries and churches,	60

RELAY OF PIPE IN THE FOLLOWING STREETS.

165 feet 1 inch pipe, Adams street, north of Washington,	\$ 24 00
125 feet 1 inch pipe, Fourth street, north of Roak,	37 02
94 feet 1 inch pipe, School street, east of Union,	11 95
156 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Grove street, north of River street,	18 53
235 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Hazel street,	66 89
68 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Dunn street,	11 34
124 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Eighth street, south of Foster Ave.,	78 18
100 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Eighth street, north of South Main,	16 14
91 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Sixth street, north of Roak,	13 94
91 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Eighth and Broad,	15 87

125 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Oliver street,	\$ 13 00
148 feet 1¼ inch pipe, Gill and Fifth, north on Fifth,	17 85
168 feet 2 inch pipe, Troy street, south of Hampshire,	67 12
60 feet 2 inch pipe, Oliver street,	9 60
80 feet 2 inch pipe, French street,	23 70
38 feet 2 inch pipe, Harvard street,	8 00
227 feet 2 inch pipe, } 152 feet 1¼ inch pipe, } Broad and Seventh,	78 18
185 feet 2 inch pipe, Cook street, east of Fourth,	42 37
2,104 feet 6 inch pipe, Lake and Davis Park,	997 46
729 feet 6 inch pipe, } 206 feet 4 inch pipe, } Miller street,	456 66

Total, \$2,007 80

Stock on hand March 1, 1898,	\$2,664 42
Bought during the year,	5,509 50
Profit on stock sold,	79 33
	<u>\$8,253 25</u>

Stock sold,	\$ 831 21
Bills not collected,	48 00
Stock on Goff Hill,	2,509 82
Stock in yard,	1,395 38
Stock in shop,	1,192 20
Stock, special,	250 54
Stock, to construction,	229 87
Stock, to relaying and repairs,	1,796 23
	<u>\$8,253 25</u>

Stock to construction,	229 87
Labor to construction,	168 35
	<u>\$298 22</u>

Stock to relaying and repairs,	\$1,796 23
Labor to relaying and repairs,	2,377 10
	<u>\$4,173 33</u>

RECEIPTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 1899.

Credit for all water receipts, uncollected bills and cash on hand,	\$30,053 08
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REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

To the City Council of the City of Auburn:—

GENTLEMEN:—We herewith submit to you our annual report as Overseers of the Poor for the municipal year ending February 28, 1899.

The amount appropriated by the City Council for the support of the poor and insane persons and salary of Overseers, \$4,000 00
Received from other cities and towns for supplies furnished paupers:

City of Lewiston,	\$40 05	
Town of Mt. Vernon,	15 65	
Brunswick,	13 50	
Turner,	11 87	
Falmouth,	48 30	
So. Thomaston,	21 38	
Sangerville,	37 00	
Unity,	7 38	
		\$195 13

Received from rent of Wood house, \$130 00

Received from City Farm:

Turner Centre Creamery,	\$513 18	
Burnham & Morrill, sweet corn,	141 29	
Hay delivered Street Department,	59 85	
F. F. Goss, hay,	6 40	
W. C. Briggs, cow and bull,	42 50	
Geo. Merrow, board bill,	8 50	
B. F. & F. H. Briggs, labor,	3 00	
Arthur E. Drake, guardian, board and care of Mrs. Amanda Drake,	78 00	
Overseers, sundries,	5 00	
		\$857 72

Total receipts, \$5,182 85

EXPENDITURES.

For support of insane persons,	\$ 681 09	
Labor and supplies furnished		
alms-house,	2,298 51	
Superintendent and wife,	400 00	
Support of persons off farm		
who have settlement in City,	960 34	
Support of persons off farm		
who have no settlement in		
State,	42 69	
Support of persons who have		
settlement in other cities,	164 86	
Salaries of Overseers,	160 00	
Miscellaneous expenses,	24 14	
	<hr/>	\$4,731 63
Balance unexpended,		\$451 22

There are now due the city the following sums:

From City of Lewiston,	\$47 52	
City of Augusta,	6 03	
Town of So. Thomaston,	10 00	
Town of Mechanic Falls,	14 64	
	<hr/>	\$78 19

Number of inmates at alms-house, 18; highest number for the year, 20; lowest number, 17. There have been 5 deaths.

The present number of persons at the Insane Hospital, Augusta, whose bills are paid by the city is four.

We have now on the farm 60 tons hay, 2 tons straw, 10 bushels corn in ear, 75 bushels potatoes, 25 bushels beans, 3 bushels peas, $\frac{1}{4}$ bbl. salt port, 9 bbls. flour, $\frac{1}{2}$ bbl. pickles, 2 bbls. vinegar, 15 cords wood, 40 tons ice, 1 ton coal, 150 lbs. sugar, 25 gallons molasses; 15 cows, 1 bull, 4 heifers, 3 calves, 2 horses, 9 shoats, 25 hens, 1 pig, 1 wagon, 1 mowing machine, 3 hay racks, 2 hay rakes, 4 harrows, 3 cultivators, 1 plow sulky, 4 plows, 1 wheel-barrow, 1 one-horse farm

wagon, 1 two-horse farm wagon, 1 two-horse dump cart, 1 single harness, 1 set double harnesses, 1 ox cart, 1 set double sleds, 1 one-horse sled, 1 fur robe, 1 lap robe, 1 pair street blankets, 1 roller, 1 seed sower, 1 winnowing machine, 2 horse hay forks.

The products of the farm are 100 tons hay, 150 bushels potatoes, 185 bushels oats, 21 bushels beans, 80 bushels turnips, 7 bushels beets, 5 bushels peas, 2 bbls. apples, 1800 lbs. pork, sweet corn sold, \$141.29, cream sold, \$513.18.

An addition to the alms-house is necessary so as to get a few sleeping rooms on the first floor. A bath-room is also very much needed, and we especially recommend the building of the same the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Rollins who have superintended the alms-house for the past four years have been engaged for the following year.

H. O. WHITMAN,
A. A. GARCELON,
J. M. STEVENS,

Overseers of the Poor.

REPORT OF STREET COMMISSIONER.

To the Mayor and Members of the City Government,

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report as Street Commissioner for the year ending Feb. 28, 1899.

STREETS AND HIGHWAYS.

Expenditures as follows:

Gravelling and grading Centre street,	\$556 10
Gravelling and grading Harvard street,	293 72
Gravelling and new side walk, High street,	350 25
Grading and filling South River road,	196 50
Blasting ledge on Centre street,	54 35
Planking and new stringers Iron Bridge near Littlefield's,	169 55
Planking three bridges near Stevens' Mills,	64 10
Planking sidewalk and widening Dennison street bridge,	297 09
Iron pipe culvert, 36 feet 12 inch, on North River road near J. L. Lowell's,	36 10
Iron pipe culvert, 24 feet 24 inch, on North River road near Cyrus Hall's,	62 66
Iron pipe culvert, 36 feet 16 inch, above East Auburn near T. P. Randall's,	56 54
Iron pipe culvert, 48 feet 16 inch, on Harris ave.,	68 75
Iron pipe culvert, [24 feet 24 inch, on] Washington [street, near Geo. Hackett's,	70 13

Iron pipe culvert, 36 feet 24 inch, on Washington street, near J. F. Ford's,	\$109 49
Iron pipe culvert, 24 feet 24 inch, on Fern street,	65 63
Iron pipe culvert, 60 feet 20 inch, on Second street,	175 59
Cutting and grading Fern and Josslyn streets,	110 25
Paving Archway under Phoenix Block,	152 00
Building over culvert on South River road, near Walker place,	31 00
Claying Lake street, near Dr. Bigelow's,	165 35
Exchange of horses,	130 00
Exchange of carts,	308 00
Two new snow-plows,	150 00
Hay, grain and straw,	1,542 23
Lumber,	735 35
General repairs, not included in above,	15,437 60
	<hr/> \$21,388 33
Appropriation,	\$19,000 00
Receipts as per Treasurer's report,	610 76
	<hr/> \$19,610 76
Overdrawn,	<hr/> \$1,777 57

SEWERS.

Appropriation,	\$1,500 00
Receipts as per Treasurer's report,	1,124 75
	<hr/> \$2,624 75
Expended:	
376 feet 12 inch pipe, two catch basins and one man hole on Winter street,	\$271 31

201 feet 10 inch pipe and two catch basins on Vine street,	\$325 42
287 feet 12 inch pipe and three catch basins on Minot ave.,	207 76
135 feet 15 inch pipe on River street,	77 43
20 feet 12 inch pipe on Manley street,	15 00
12 new catch basins on old sewers,	450 00
Repairs on catch basins on old sewers,	218 48
Cleaning and general repairs on old sewers,	319 46
Damage to W. M. Greenleaf's house by blasting,	15 60
Rebate to Franklin Co., on account of sewer assessment over-paid,	60 00
	<hr/> \$1,960 46
Balance unexpended,	<hr/> \$664 29

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.

Appropriation,	\$2,000 00
Expended :	
Culvert near M. H. Vosmus',	\$489 84
Culvert near H. C. Estes',	15 00
Pipeculvert near J. H. Bradbury's,	66 12
Blasting ledge on Mill street,	155 37
Blasting ledge near West Auburn,	38 00
Paving ditch on Lake street,	66 62
Stone crossing on Turner street at R. R. bridge,	68 40
Stone crossing on Pleasant street, corner Hampshire,	56 93
Stone crossing on Vine street, corner High,	29 86
Stone crossing on High street, corner Vine,	46 61

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Stone crossing on Pearl street, corner Hampshire,	\$45 56
Stone crossing on Pine street, corner Oak,	45 56
Stone crossing on Hampshire street, corner Oak,	45 56
Stone crossing on Main street, corner Newbury,	45 56
Curbing on corner of Dennison and Oliver streets,	137 81
Curbing on Second street,	325 40
Curbing on Main street, near Haskell's Block,	68 80
Curbing on Academy and High streets,	68 00
Curbing and sidewalk on corner Court St. and Mechanic's Row,	182 30
	<hr/> \$1,997 30
Balance unexpended,	<hr/> \$2 70

NEW ROADS.

Appropriation,	\$800 00
Expended:	
Bradbury Hill road, labor,	\$328 27
Bradbury Hill road, pipe culverts,	123 54
Foster avenue,	57 40
Second street,	109 68
Loring avenue,	34 10
Thirteenth and Roak streets,	92 50
Ashe street,	15 00
	<hr/> \$760 49
Balance unexpended,	<hr/> \$39 51

PROPERTY OF STREET DEPARTMENT.

13 horses and harnesses,	\$2,100 00
6 double dump carts,	500 00
1 single dump cart,	65 00

6 double sleds,	\$200 00
1 single sled,	25 00
6 road machines,	1,000 00
8 snow plows,	425 00
1 street sweeper,	325 00
1 road roller,	375 00
2 derricks and rigging,	125 00
2 pumps,	100 00
Tools,	550 00
Old harnesses,	75 00
	<hr/> \$5,865 00

I would recommend that a culvert be built on the Conant road near the residence of W. S. Larrabee, and that an appropriation of \$25,000 for Streets and Highways be made for the coming year.

There are 2000 loads of gravel already piled for spring use; also 200 loads of ashes on Goff Hill.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK F. GOSS,
Street Commissioner.

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

To the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of Auburn:

I herewith submit the annual report of the condition of the fire department for the year ending February 28, 1899.

The force of the department consists of fifty-two men, chief engineer, four assistant engineers, thirty hosemen, twelve ladder men, engineer and stoker of steamer, five drivers.

The number of alarms the department has responded to from March 1, 1898, to Feb. 28, 1899, are as follows:

Bell alarms, 18; still, 16; total, 34.

The following is a statement of alarms for each month:

March, 3; April, 1; May, 2; June, 1; July, 5; August, 2; September, 3; October, 3; November, 5; December, 3; January, 2; February, 4.

September 10 the department responded to a call from Livermore Falls by sending a steamer, hose wagon and fifteen men.

Losses within fire limits,	\$11,405 00
Insurance paid,	\$11,016 27

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF STEAMER CO.

7500 feet hose, first quality, one two-horse hose reel, two one-horse hose wagons, two set double harness, two single harness, ten pipes, twenty-four rubber coats, seven chemicals, five Callahan tips, ten hydrant wrenches, eight ladder straps, three crowbars, three axes, four lanterns, six horse blankets, two spray nozzles, one plaster hook, two two-way hydrant valves, one single hydrant valve, one pipe holder, two smoke protectors, ten spanner belts, twenty-six spanners, one hose pung.

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF HOOK AND LADDER CO.

One ladder truck, one set double sleds, two roof ladders, two hand extension ladders, one short extension ladder, one Boston rope extension ladder, one Bangor chain extension ladder, four stay poles for extension ladders, one chain hook, four plaster hooks, three large plaster hooks, five ladders in reserve, one chain, four chain lengtheners, four iron posts, one whiffle-tree, one lead bar, one three-way Eastman Deluge set, two spanners, ten billies, one chain, two crowbars, two chemicals, one pair wire cutters, one pair rubber mittens, one safety belt, two blankets, one whip, one set swing harness, one Loeb respirator, two smoke protectors, eight ropes, four axes, four lanterns, thirteen rubber coats, one grub axe, one hay fork.

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF HOSE CO., NO 4.

One Gamewell indicator and gong, one hand hose reel, one pipe with Callahan shut off, two chemical tanks, four spanners, two ladder straps, one hydrant wrench, one axe, one crowbar, ten chains, ten rubber coats, two lanterns, one heating stove, one table, two single beds, two spring beds, two mattresses, six blankets, two quilts, eight sheets, eight pillow slips, two pillows, two spreads, four towels.

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF JANITOR.

Eight spring beds, eight bedsteads, eight mattresses, sixteen sheets (good), sixteen pillow slips, one and one-half dozen towels, one-half dozen roller towels, sixteen light blankets, eight heavy blankets, eight comfortables, eight spreads, one bath sponge, one bath brush, one wash boiler, twenty-five tin dippers, one ice water tank, six pails, three tables, one desk, thirteen settees, light boxes for night rig, four charges for chemical, two rein snaps, twenty-two rubber coats.

Six new hydrants have been set.

Hose wagon No. 2 has been repaired and a new set of wheels put under it, which makes a very serviceable wagon.

Hose reel No. 1 has had a new set of hind wheels, has been repaired and painted, and is in first class condition.

Chemical tanks on hose wagons 2 and 3, were old and weak; they have been replaced by new of the latest improved pattern.

Ladder truck No. 1 has been provided with a set of double runner sleds, to which the ladders on the truck are transferred in winter, making the service on the snow very much quicker.

Steamer No. 1 should be provided at once with a new set of wheels.

I also recommend that light extension ladders be placed on Hose No. 3, and two horses be provided.

It is very important that the city take some action in regard to the outside alarm, the whistle being discontinued by change in location of power house.

I would call the attention of the fire commissioners to the need of repairs on the Court street house.

Respectfully submitted,

D. D. MERRILL,

Chief Engineer.

RECORD OF FIRES.

Date	Time.	Box	Location.	Kind Of b'ld'g	Height of b'ld'g	Owner.
1898.						
Mar.	25 12.20 a. m.	92	Main St.	brick	3 story	
	26 1.30 p. m.	still	Elm St.			
	27 12 p. m.	91	Highland Ave.	wood	2 story	J. Damren
Apr.	5 6 p. m.	86	Turner St.	wood	2 story	D. T. French
May	10 7.25 a. m.	92	Miller St.	wood	3 story	George Roak
	29 12.25 p. m.	97	Sixth St.	wood	2 story	McCarthy
June	1 8.45 p. m.	221	Turner St.	wood	1 story	H. Hartwell
July	2 2.15 p. m.	89	Forest Ave.	wood	2 story	
	2 8.30 p. m.	still	End Court St. bridge.			
	8 12.10 p. m.	still	Spring St.	wood	2 story	J. W. Mitchell
	8 3 p. m.	still	Turner St.			
	30 8.30 p. m.	81	Court St.	wood	1 story	C. E. Libby
Aug.	18 9.20 a. m.	87	Center St.	wood	1 story	E. Ranks
Sept.	15 7.30 p. m.	82	Union St.	wood	3 story	Prescott
	10 11.05 a. m.		Livermore Falls.			
	20 5.40 p. m.	still	High St.	wood	2 story	Geo. Roak
	22 6.15 p. m.	still	West Pitch.			
Oct.	20 3.30 p. m.	still	Spring St.	wood	2 story	D. Verrill
	21 8.15 a. m.	223	Lake St.	wood	1 story	W. H. Ellis
	28 4.30 p. m.	96	Mill St.	wood	2 story	Daniel Neal
Nov.	1 12.45 p. m.	96	Third St.	wood	3 story	Edward Lane
	2 2.30 p. m.	91	Hampshire St.	wood	2 story	Littlefield heirs
	4 12.40 p. m.	still	Perryville.			
	27 6.30 a. m.	96	Pulsifer St.			
	27 5.20 p. m.	96	Third St.	wood	3 story	F. M. Jordan
Dec.	14 7.30 p. m.	still	Pulsifer St.	wood	3 story	Z. Ruggles
	18 10 a. m.	still	Turner St.	wood	2 story	P. Allen
	20 6 a. m.	81	Main St.	brick	3 story	Reynolds heirs
1899.						
Jan.	20 2.50 p. m.	123	Washington St.	wood		F. R. Conant
	28 5.20 p. m.	still	James St.			
Feb.	11 1.10 a. m.	still	South Main St.			
	27 3.50 p. m.	still	Main St.	wood	4 story	Geo. C. Wing

REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Auburn:

In accordance with the requirements of law, I submit the following report:

No actions have been begun against the City of Auburn during the past year. Of the old cases, one, that of John Bolton, for damages, has been settled by the entry of "neither party," upon the payment by the City of the sum of ten dollars.

There remain the following cases:

1. Eben J. Pulsifer vs. Auburn.
2. George A. Pulsifer vs. Auburn.
3. Nellie M. Pulsifer vs. Auburn.
4. Nathan L. Roberts vs. Auburn.
5. Same vs. Same.

which have been continued for the same reason as for last year,—that the firm of Savage & Oakes had formerly been engaged as counsel for plaintiffs in all the cases, and that consequently I could not act.

There are no claims now pending against the City directly, besides those above named, that I am aware of.

A claim is made by the Grand Trunk Railway for reimbursement by way of allowance on the rent due under its lease of the Lewiston and Auburn Railroad, to reimburse it for taxes which it claims have been improperly collected of it in the past.

The matter has been considered by the City Solicitors of Lewiston and Auburn, in consultation with the Mayors. It seemed evident that the claim presented was not in a shape sufficiently definite to be acted upon, and the Grand Trunk Railway was requested to furnish a more definite statement. This has not yet been received, and the matter remains for further consideration.

Many matters have been brought to my attention by the Mayor and the different officers of the City, and I have given them such advice and assistance as seemed necessary.

At the request of the Mayor, I have appeared before the legislative committee at Augusta, in the matter of the Lewiston water charter.

I have occasionally, at the request of the officers, given them assistance in the trial of cases at the Municipal Court.

The City, as in the preceding year, has been very fortunate in the absence of litigation, a condition which I most sincerely hope will continue.

Respectfully,

HENRY W. OAKES,
City Solicitor.

REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

*To the Honorable Mayor and the Board of Aldermen
of the City of Auburn:*

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with the prescribed duties of the City Marshal, I have the honor to submit my third annual report of the operations of the Police Department, for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1899.

ROSTER OF THE FORCE.

City Marshal,	JOHN A. TURNER
Deputy Marshal,	WILLARD B. JENKINS

NIGHT PATROLMEN.

Henry C. Benson,	Chas. H. Small
Fred L. Austin,	George Byron

SUNDAY OFFICER.

For New Auburn,	Samuel E. Ratcliff
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SPECIAL OFFICERS.

Carl Darenberg,	Geo. L. Seavey
	Harry M. Rowe.

For Oak Hill Cemetery,	Alphonse Freve
POLICE MATRON,	Mrs. Maria Swett

Officer Guy A. Wilkins who had been on the Force for nearly four years, having become incapacitated from ill health for further duty, resigned January 16, 1899, and George Byron was appointed to fill the vacancy.

DISCIPLINE, ETC.

The discipline of the Department has continued good, and the work of the Department very satisfactory. Good order has been maintained, the law and ordinances enforced, and persons and property well protected. When it is taken into consideration that

each officer has on an average, the homes and places of business of about 1800 people to look after and protect, while in the larger cities it is considered necessary to have one policeman to every 550 or 600 inhabitants, the very small per cent. of crime undetected and small lost of property from this cause reflects great credit on our City and the vigilance and fidelity of its Police Force.

By direction of the Mayor and Committee on Police, I have used special officers at such times as seemed necessary, particularly since the outbreak of small-pox in our City, the infected places having been guarded continuously night and day until relieved by the Board of Health.

ARRESTS FOR THE YEAR.

For Assault and battery,	15
Attempt to rape,	2
Bastardy,	1
Breaking and entering and larceny,	9
Breaking and entering R. R. car,	4
Common seller of intoxicating liquors,	2
Cheating by false pretenses,	2
Common drunkard,	2
Concealing mortgaged property,	2
Disturbing school teacher,	1
Embezzlement,	1
Forgery,	2
Getting on moving R. R. train,	4
Intoxication,	104
Intoxication and disturbance,	5
Keeping tippling shop,	1
Keeping dangerous dog,	1
Larceny,	21
Larceny and receiving stolen goods,	3
Malicious mischief,	3
Nuisance,	2
Other officers,	2
Riding bicycle on sidewalk,	1
Search and seizure,	2

REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

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For Selling diseased hog,	1
Selling mortgaged property,	1
Single sale of intoxicating liquors,	1
Truancy,	1
Threatening to kill,	1
Threatening to do violence,	2
Vagrancy,	13
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Total,	212

HOW DISPOSED OF.

Appealed,	11
Bound over,	22
Committed on sentence,	16
Committed for non-payment of fines,	64
Committed to reform school,	1
Continued for sentence,	8
Discharged,	9
Delivered to other officers,	2
Gave bonds to complainant,	1
Mittimus withheld,	1
Nol prossed by order of court,	7
Nol prossed on payment of costs,	2
Paid and discharged,	60
Sentence suspended,	8
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Total,	212
Lodgers for the year,	78

NATIONALITY OF THOSE ARRESTED.

American,	120
English,	11
French,	54
German,	1
Irish,	19
Nova Scotian,	2
Russian,	1
Scotch,	3
Welch,	1
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Total,	212

Of the 212 arrests made but 73 were residents of Auburn.

There have been 11 seizures of 48 packages of intoxicating liquors at stations and in transit, libelled.

AMOUNT SEIZED.

Whiskey, 101 gallons.

Beer and ale, 532 gallons.

I have received for empty liquor vessels sold and paid to county treasurer as per receipts, \$36.00.

CARRIAGE LICENSES.

There have been 25 hacks and carriages licensed under the old ordinance for which I have received and paid over to the city treasurer, \$25.00.

There have been five carriages licensed under the new ordinance for which I have received and paid to the city clerk,

5 00

Less fees of supt. of hacks and clerk,

2 50

2 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Doors found open and secured,	43
Lost children found and returned,	5
Bicycles found and returned,	6
Goods found outside stores (times)	16
Stray and lost teams found,	8
Fires put out without alarms,	2
Fire alarms turned,	2
Still alarms,	1

There has been one boy taken to the Reform School and four patients to the insane asylum.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

Amount of appropriation, \$4,400 00

Received from John A. Turner:

Fees from municipal court,	\$ 77 23	
Fees from county,	462 15	
For bicycle sold,	2 00	
For keys old lockup sold,	30	
	<hr/>	\$541 68

Received from Willard B. Jenkins:

Fees from municipal court,	\$ 19 78	
Fees from county,	156 33	
	<hr/>	\$176 11

Received from H. C. Benson:

Fees from municipal court,	\$ 2 90	
Fees from county,	21 44	
	<hr/>	\$24 34

Received from C. H. Small:

Fees from municipal court,	\$1 74	
Fees from county,	1 74	
	<hr/>	\$3 48

Received from F. L. Austin:

Fees from municipal court,	\$1 74	
Fees from county,	6 52	
	<hr/>	\$8 26

Received from Guy A. Wilkins:

Fees from municipal court,	\$ 1 16	
Fees from county, .	12 86	
	<hr/>	\$14 02

Received from S. E. Ratcliff:

Fees from municipal court,	\$1 74	
Fees from county,	3 98	
	<hr/>	\$5 72

Received from Carl Darenberg:

Fees from county,	2 16	
Amount overdrawn,	49 63	
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\$5,225 40

EXPENDITURES.

Certified to John A. Turner, salary, \$840 00

W. B. Jenkins,	"	775 00
H. C. Benson,	"	695 47
C. H. Small,	"	715 00
F. L. Austin,	"	713 07
Guy A. Wilkins,	"	539 71
Geo. Byron,	"	88 00
S. E. Ratcliff,	"	120 00
Carl Darenberg,	"	90 00
Mrs. M. Swett,	"	200 00
Alphonse Freve,	"	25 00
H. M. Rowe,	services,	9 00
Geo. L. Seavey,	"	6 75
Geo. Rivard,	"	3 00
W. E. Yeaton,	"	3 00
Chas. F. Davis,	"	1 50
Clark Mitchell,	"	1 50
M. E. Goss,	"	1 50
H. C. Amback,	"	1 50
Maine Investment Co.,		
rent of lockup,		85 00
L. & A. Electric Light Co.,		
(lights),		44 93
N. E. Telephone Co.,		22 08
Mrs. Harlow, desk,		23 00
Bradford & Conant, chairs,		10 75
Merrill & Webber, printing,		6 75
Hodgkins, Foss & Co, re-		
pairs,		1 91
L. W. Haskell & Co, re-		
pairs,		4 13
Elms & Hall, locks for new		
lockup,		1 50
R. S. Bradbury, team hire,		4 00
F. L. Austin,	"	4 00
C. Thomas,	"	1 00
Jenkins & Curtis	"	3 00
W. B. Jenkins, sundry ex-		
penses,		64 92
John A. Turner,	"	119 43

 \$5,225 40

Since my last report the room formerly occupied by the treasurer and tax collector has been fitted up for the marshal's office, adding very much to the comfort and convenience of the department.

The old lockup at New Auburn has been abandoned and a new one secured with two cells and modern conveniences, making the accommodations sufficient for several years.

CONCLUSION.

In concluding this, my third annual report, I desire to again express my thanks to his Honor the Mayor, to your Honorable Board and to the Committee on Police for courtesies received. To the City Solicitor, to the Judge and Clerk of the Municipal Court, I am under many obligations for advice and counsel in the discharge of my duties. To the officers of the force I am deeply grateful for their co-operation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. TURNER,
City Marshal.

AUBURN, MARCH 1, 1899.

ARRESTS.

NAME OF OFFICER

From March 1st, 1898 to March 1st, 1899. Offence Charged.	Turner	Jenkins	Benson	Small	Austin	Wilkins	Ratliff	Seavey	Total
Assault & Battery,	11	2			1	1			15
Attempt to Rape,	2								2
Bastardy,						1			1
Breaking & Entering & Larceny,	8		1						9
Breaking & Entering R. R. Car,	4								4
Cheating by False Pretenses,	2								2
Common Seller of Intox. Liquor,	2								2
Common Drunkard,	1	1							2
Concealing Mortgaged Property,	1	1							2
Disturbing School Teacher,	1								1
Embezzlement,	1								1
For Other Offenses,	2								2
Forgery,	2								2
Getting on Moving R. R. Train,	3				1				4
Intoxication,	21	17	24	5	19	6	11	1	104
Intoxication & Disturbance,	1	1	2				1		5
Keeping Dangerous Dog,	1								1
Keeping Drinking House,	1								1
Larceny,	18	3							21
Larceny & Receiving Stolen Goods,	3								3
Malicious Mischief,	1						2		3
Nuisance,	2								2
Riding Bicycle on Sidewalk,	1								1
Search & Seizure,	2								2
Selling Diseased Hog,	1								1
Single Sale Intoxicating Liquor,	1								1
Selling Mortgaged Property,		1							1
Truancy,		1							1
Threatening to Kill,	2								2
Threatening to do Violence,		1							1
Vagrancy,	6		3	3			1		13
	101	28	30	8	21	8	15	1	212

**ARRESTS BY MONTHS FROM MARCH 1, 1898, TO
FEBRUARY 28, 1899.**

Officers.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
Turner, John A.,	5	12	17	4	7	11	8	16	8	6	3	4	101
Jenkins, W. B.,			1	4	4	6	8		3		2		28
Benson, H. C.,	3	1	4	1	2	1	6	4	6	2			30
Small, C. H.,			2	1	1		1	2			1		8
Austin, F. L.,	1		1	1		1		2	1	3	4	7	21
Wilkins, Guy A.,		3		3	1	1							8
Ratcliff, S. E.,	1		5		2	1	1		2	1	1	1	15
Seavey, Geo. L.,							1						1
Totals,	10	16	30	14	17	21	25	24	20	12	11	12	212

**COMPARATIVE TABLE OF ARRESTS IN AUBURN
FOR SEVEN YEARS.**

For the Year	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Intoxication,	151	293	217	177	136	159	104
Vagrancy,	25	112	92	87	48	22	13
Larceny, & Breaking & En-							
tering & Larceny,	7	19	16	28	18	21	34
All other Offenses,	24	90	77	69	72	56	61
Total,	207	514	402	361	264	258	212

POLICE MATRON'S REPORT.

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

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit to you an account of my labors for the past year. The work has been, to a considerable extent, upon the same lines as the preceding years, varying only as new claimants presented themselves to my attention. There have been many cases of sickness among the poor the past year and several deaths. One case, that of a little French girl eleven years old, in New Auburn, was especially heart-rending. In lighting the kitchen fire with kerosene her clothing took fire and she was most dreadfully burned. The poor child lived nearly four months suffering terribly at times, particularly when her burns were dressed. Many rolls of soft linen bandages were given me by the kind ladies of our city to dress her wounds. I visited her nearly every day, until death ended her suffering.

At Thanksgiving and Christmas our poor people were most generously remembered with bountiful dinners, the former day by the churches and the latter day by the order of Free Masons. Many contributions of food were also received from private citizens. A Christmas tree was provided for the poor children by the L. Y. L. in the W. C. T. U. Hall. The tree was loaded with useful and appropriate gifts and the Hall crowded with eager and expectant little ones. That this Christmas tree was a success is to be inferred as everyone went away happy. 130 gifts were distributed to those who did not attend the festivities at the hall. These gifts were sent to me from all over the city, and served once more to illustrate the kind and tender thoughtfulness of our more favored citizens towards those less fortunate than themselves.

Notwithstanding this has been a long and cold winter, I have but seldom called upon the city for as-

sistance. Very many cases of need have been relieved by the Associated Charities, the members meeting one afternoon each week to sew for the poor. The garments when completed have been given me for distribution to those in need. I have also received from this society a large amount of wood, coal, groceries, shoes and rubbers and medicine for the sick. The benevolent people of our city have also contributed generously towards alleviating the distress of the sick and suffering ones in our midst. To all those societies and individuals who have furnished me with the means of carrying comfort to those in need I return my most heartfelt thanks. A large amount of food has been given me, left from suppers and banquets, which I have distributed to those in need and I will here say that I am always extremely grateful for these donations.

Along the lines of moral reform I have done my best to advance the cause of truth and purity. In this work I have been greatly aided by the W. C. T. U. and the Woman's Reform League. For their sympathy and financial support I am very thankful.

During the year I have made 2712 calls. I have distributed 3109 articles of clothing including bedding. Have secured employment for 85 women and girls. Have found temporary homes for 7 children. Have written 138 business letters. Took one unfortunate young woman to the Temporary Home at Deering, the expenses of which were met by the W. C. T. U. and Woman's Reform League.

Not the least of my work has been to see that the pupils in the various sections of the city have been supplied with suitable clothing, shoes and rubbers, the teachers always promptly notifying me when there has been any lack.

In conclusion, I will say that I have endeavored to perform all the duties devolving upon me conscientiously, always having in mind the best interests of our city.

Respectfully submitted,

Feb. 28, 1899.

MARIA M. SWETT.

REPORT OF LIQUOR AGENT.

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Government:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report as Liquor Agent for the year ending February 28, 1899.

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By liquors on hand March 1, 1899,	\$1,226 23
Cash paid Treasurer, for liquor sold,	7,755 41
Cash paid Treasurer, for kegs sold,	33 00
	<hr/> \$9,014 64

DR.

To Liquors on hand March 1, 1898,	\$1,727 00
Liquors purchased during the year,	5,547 60
Salary of Agent,	390 00
Rent of rooms,	76 67
Insurance,	17 75
Electric lights,	5 75
U. S. License,	25 00
Freight and trucking,	31 31
Record book,	5 50
Supplies, sundries, etc.,	12 07
	<hr/> \$7,838 65

Net profit to the City,	\$1,175 99
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Respectfully submitted,

T. S. WHITMAN,
Agent.

AUBURN, Feb. 28, 1899.

REPORT OF CITY PHYSICIAN.

*To the Honorable City Government of the City of
Auburn:*

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my annual report as City Physician for the year ending February 28, 1899.

During the past year I have made thirty-five calls at the City farm, and given medical treatment to eleven of the inmates. There have been five deaths at the farm during the year.

I have made two hundred and forty-one calls on the poor in and about the City, and also received five office calls from this class of people. I cannot speak too highly of the assistance Mr. and Mrs. Rollins have given me in caring for my patients at the farm.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE C. PEASLEE,
City Physician.

FEB. 28, 1899.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

To the Honorable City Council of the City of Auburn:

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Health submit to you their annual report for the year ending February 28, 1899.

During the past year there has been a larger amount of sickness than usual, especially in the winter months. La grippe prevailed quite generally from the middle of December to the first of February. Pneumonia, bronchitis and tonsilitis have been quite prevalent. There was no epidemic during the summer months. There have been nineteen cases of typhoid fever reported, with one death. Seventy-eight cases of scarlet fever, with no deaths. Twenty-eight cases of diphtheria, with six deaths. Anti-toxin was used in only one case where death occurred. No epidemic in any particular school or neighborhood. We have had three cases of small-pox, with no deaths. Twelve deaths from phthisis pulmonaris have been reported to the Board.

The number of complaints made,	20
Number of visits made on account of contagious diseases,	109
Number of cess-pools ordered cleaned,	2
Number of swine ordered removed,	10
Number of cellars found in bad condition,	3
Number of vaults found in bad condition,	6
Number of water closets in bad condition,	5
Number of filthy yards and premises,	9

NUISANCES.

It is gratifying to record that only exceptionally has your Board found any unwilling to abolish nuisances offensive to their tenants or neighbors. Indeed it is evident that our people are coming more and more to realize that anything unsightly, unsavory or un-

sanitary about city premises not only depreciates their value and that of surrounding property, but such offenses to sight and smell and sense of safety lower those responsible for them in public esteem; they are taken as indexes of a character wanting in sense of decency, fair play and moral obligation. There is a sort of neutral ground, however, a kind of disputed territory just over the lines of well defined powers and duties of Health Boards where persons of such character disport themselves and make faces and twirl their fingers at authority and outraged neighbors, because they believe they cannot be brought to book. A line fence, ugly or high, pushed out or up so as to cut off light and view, or a homely outbuilding obviously placed so as to give most annoyance within the limits of the law, to the owner or occupants of contiguous houses, stable manures fuming and festering right under the eyes and noses of those rooming not a rod distant, are illustrations in point and reveal a disposition dominated by selfishness and often by envy and revenge. Now, whatever may be the difficulties in limiting one's rights on his own land as to buildings and line fences, persons keeping horses, no less than cattle, should be legally bound to keep their droppings from sight of neighbors, and from smell also as far as practicable, either in a well and high ventilated stable cellar, or in the building itself, or a properly constructed lean-to outside. If our powers are not now adequate to abate and regulate such exasperating nuisances, we earnestly hope they may be given the Board by the incoming City Government.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

In holding in check contagious diseases, your Board have tried to do their duty. It has taken much time and many miles of travel, both in season and out of season, to do the work. But in spite of fumigations and quarantine, pathogenic microbes have often eluded our vigilance and wrought much discomfort, though fortunately but little mortality. And here the Board would

bear their testimony to the great efficacy of anti-toxin employed early in diphtheria in preventing in otherwise hopeless cases a fatal termination. In the cases of small-pox we have been especially fortunate. If it had been practical and possible—as it is not—to put the same safe-guards around other contagions, as the whole community demanded should be put around our small-pox cases, our statistics would have been much more flattering. Our City can congratulate itself on the alertness of all concerned in shutting off all possible avenues for the incoming of new cases of this disease amongst us before it could become epidemic. Since none have died, nor as we learn, been much disfigured, of the three cases put under quarantine, it may be asked has not their loss been the City's gain? In other words, has not this brief and comparatively harmless visitation of this loathsome and deadly disease been worth many times over all it has cost us? Has it not been a blessing in disguise? For as compensation for sore arms and suffering from vaccine disease we now have a community, with few exceptions, "efficiently, sufficiently and thoroughly" vaccinated and protected, many of them for life against small-pox and nearly all of them from it at all, except in its mildest form. Where there is so much travel far and near as to-day, and so many chances in the lifetime of so many as compose our community to take and spread this disease, if they had remained unvaccinated, who can tell what dire disasters to health, life and property in many families and in many places may have been averted by this general and almost universal vaccination? If this scare results in requiring that every year all children entering our schools for the first time must bring a certificate of successful vaccination, subject in case of question to the decision of the Health Board, while it will thus forestall the senseless charge and suspicion and self-irritation, on the part of many, that doctors can conspire to make chicken-pox and "Cuban itch"—whatever that may be—parade as small-pox in our midst, in order to make money out of the people, it will do

something of vastly greater importance than this by keeping nearly all our people constantly protected against this disease.

PLUMBING.

The plumbing ordinances lately passed were much needed, and in scope and thoroughness leave little to be desired. Like prohibitory laws, to be efficient they must be enforced. Of course an inspector of plumbing will be appointed by our incoming government to oversee this work. This officer might be a member of the Board of Health, but as his duties are specialistic we would respectfully suggest that it would cost the city no more and be less embarrassing to him in his work if not a member but rather a very important attache of the Board on which he could shift the responsibility of carrying out his orders when otherwise not fully heeded.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW M. PEABLES, *Secretary*,
EMERY BAILEY, *President*,
JOSHUA W. BEEDE, *Health Officer*.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

To the Citizens of Auburn:

In accordance with an annual custom, the Superintending School Committee herewith presents a report for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1899. We regard it as the province of this report to give to the citizens interested, information with reference to the management and condition of the schools, together with suggestions concerning the needs of the near future. More detailed information may be secured from the accompanying reports of the special teachers and of the Superintendent.

In every prosperous and growing community the demands of the schools are ever increasing. It is not merely the duty of your Committee to maintain the present standard. We should and do aim to better the condition, from year to year. We are attempting, gradually, to raise the standing of the schools. This is done by frequent modifications of the course of study. The amount of work which must be accomplished in the elementary grades, depends, to a great extent, upon the requirements for admission to college. All high schools find these requirements growing, constantly, more complex and difficult. It is not to be expected that the entire amount of additional work required, shall be done in the high school. That pupils more adequately prepared for college, may be graduated from our high school, better preparation for admission to high school is demanded. This means not simply more work for grammar grades, but work along somewhat different lines. The time devoted to those branches of study, which were formerly regarded as the most legitimate subjects for grammar grades, has been considerably abridged by the elimination of non-essentials and by the adoption of new and better text-books. We have thus been en-

abled to introduce into these grades the elements of Algebra, Physiology and Physical Geography, and are now considering the advisability of offering Latin in the 9th grade, as an optional study for those who intend to elect a classical course, after entering the high school.

SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS.

The school population of Auburn consists of all persons between the ages of 4 and 21. Within the last three or four years, there has been a large increase, the number reported by the Assessors in 1895 being 3490, and in 1898, 4304, an increase of over 800. The number of pupils in actual attendance at school has also increased. For the accommodation of these pupils, nine new rooms have been opened, and nine additional teachers have been employed, viz:—Two at the Webster school, two at Park Hill, two at New Auburn, two at the Washburn school, and one at East Auburn. In three of the primary buildings, assistant teachers are also required. There is not at the present time, a single unoccupied school-room in the city. The recently erected Lincoln school, has thus far proved equal to existing necessities, although two of the rooms are overcrowded, the second grade enrolling 66 pupils, far too many for one teacher to manage, advantageously. With the beginning of another school year, it will probably be imperative that one or two new schools be started in that section of the city. Provision must also be made for another grammar grade at the Webster school. We would suggest, as the most practicable solution of this difficulty, that the two-room building on Fourth street be thoroughly renovated, and that the boundaries of the districts be rearranged in such a way, as to require pupils residing on Main street, south of Academy street, to attend school there.

The heating apparatus at the Park Hill school and at the Washburn school has this year, as in former years, been found insufficient to keep the rooms at the proper temperature. An attempt was made at the

latter school to remedy the defect by the use of double windows, but no appreciable improvement resulted. As matters of this nature are not within the jurisdiction of this Committee, our duty is to call the attention of the City Council to such defects, with a recommendation that early action be taken.

TEACHERS.

There have been comparatively few changes in the teaching force of the city schools. In order that the discipline and general efficiency of the Lincoln school might be improved, a male principal was appointed. The choice of the Committee was Mr. A. M. Smith, a teacher of experience, and a graduate of the Farmington Normal school. His work has been eminently satisfactory. Mr. Rand, principal of the Webster school, resigned in October, having accepted a similar position in the schools of Melrose, Mass. His successor has not yet been appointed, the Superintendent acting in a double capacity. This necessarily lessens the time and attention devoted to rural schools.

Miss Foss, in charge of one of the eighth grades of the Webster school, has recently received and accepted a call to a position in Belmont, Mass. Miss Roak, for several years a successful teacher, for personal reasons, has tendered her resignation. No permanent assignment to either of these schools, has yet been made. Miss Crawshaw has been transferred from the Washburn to the Franklin school, and Miss Pettengill from the Franklin school to the grade formerly taught by Miss Crawshaw.

In the Edward Little High School, six of the nine teachers resigned in June. The new appointments, here, are as follows:—F. D. Lambert, Ph. D., to the Scientific Department; Miss Kelley, and later Mr. H. R. Eaton, German and History; Miss Williams, Mathematics; Miss Smith, Latin and English; Miss Chase, Greek and English; Miss Percival, English and History. It was feared that a material interruption of the work might follow so many changes, but under the leader-

ship of Principal Moody, the school was soon running without serious interruption and with a minimum of friction.

RURAL SCHOOLS.

This Committee, like all former committees, favors the consolidation of our small ungraded schools. Attention has been called to the desirability of such action, and attempts have been made to bring it about. In the localities which would be affected, opposition to the plan has usually developed. The advantages which would accrue, have been enumerated too often to need repetition in this report. We can, however, appreciate the unwillingness of the parents of young children to allow them to attend school at a considerable distance from home. This seems to be the strongest argument against consolidation and transportation. The law of the State, however, leaves the Committee no alternative. It is incumbent upon them to close all schools which do not maintain an average attendance of at least eight pupils, unless otherwise directed by the City Government. From a purely educational standpoint, no school of eight pupils, even, can be successful, and we do not believe, in the consideration of this question, that local pride and local prejudices should be allowed to overcome what is so plainly for the best interests of all who are concerned.

With few exceptions, the ungraded schools are in a satisfactory condition. The same text-books and similar methods of teaching are used. Vertical writing and music have been introduced, but, as yet, no systematic instruction in drawing has been possible. We hope, during the coming year, to arrange for occasional visits from the special teachers in drawing and in physical culture.

PRESENT, PAST AND FUTURE.

It is not the duty of the public schools to provide special training for any line of life work. They were

not established for the purpose of teaching a pupil arithmetic in such a way as to produce an expert accountant, however desirable that may be. It is not their mission to teach reading with the idea of graduating trained elocutionists. It is not the design to teach grammar and rhetoric so that, in years to come, only chaste and elegant language may be used. Our schools simply aspire to train the boys and girls who attend them for the manifold duties of American citizenship. They have for their mission the accomplishment of a great end, the consummation of a noble purpose. As a medium for the creation and the fulfillment of high ideals of life and character, they are unsurpassed. In no small degree, they appear to be usurping the function of the home. The school should act as the refinery of the intellect, while the home is, at once, a source of purity and of prosperity.

No matter in what sphere of life a man's chosen work may take him, the better his education, the more successful he will be, and the more successful he is, the better citizen he will become. An acknowledgment of this fact is a tacit acknowledgement of the fact that money spent for educational purposes is money wisely invested. Returns come back to us in the form of better citizens; of a more enlightened public sentiment. It has been said that the perpetuation of a republican form of government depends upon the results achieved in the public schools. Certain it is, that upon the physical, intellectual and moral education of the children, the future of American civilization depends. These considerations operate to give the school, more and more, a position of commanding prominence.

To meet the demands placed upon the school system of today, with its constantly broadening curriculum, and to keep in the van of educational progress, are the aims of your Committee. To do this, teachers with a thorough knowledge of modern methods of teaching are required; special teachers must be employed; the most approved text-books must be purchased; improvement and innovations must be intro-

duced. We know that the citizens of Auburn, in common with the members of this Committee, desire excellent schools. For the establishment and the maintenance of these schools, they must expect to pay a sum equivalent to what other cities of this State pay. It would be manifestly unfair to compare Auburn's expenditures with the expenditures of the wealthy cities of other States. It would be equally unfair to use the poorest towns of our own State as a basis for comparison. For the purpose of showing the cost of instruction based upon the average membership, in the schools of the cities of Maine, having a population of 10,000 or over, the following tabular statement has been prepared. It is made up from the amount expended in both the High and the Common schools, for the reason that in other cities appropriations are made for the school system in its entirety. These statistics are taken from the last annual report of the State Superintendent of schools. As the year covered by these statistics is from April to April, while the financial year of the cities begins March 1st and ends with the last day of February, there will be variations, but all cities will be similarly affected.

	Average cost per pupil.
Portland,	\$28.87
Biddeford,	23.86
Lewiston,	21.26
Augusta,	18.88
Auburn,	18.46
Bangor,	16.11

In looking over the reports of a decade ago, and comparing the expenditures with those of the present time, one will readily see that they have largely increased. A careful investigation, however, will show that this increase is nearly proportionate to the increase in the number of pupils attending school. For the year 1888-89, the average expense per pupil was \$18.26, and this was prior to the time that books and supplies were furnished in the High school. At this time, too, the city had no special teachers, and such articles as

pencils, drawing paper, etc., were purchased by individual pupils, not by the City. Such books and supplies as were furnished by the City, cost according to the Committee's report in 1888, \$2,015.18.

The facts cited above are not mentioned in a spirit of criticism of former Committees. They are not cited as a justification of the expenditures of the present Committee. They are given for the purpose of affording facilities for a comparison by those who are without the opportunity which makes a comparison possible.

The question naturally arises as to the reason for the increase of expenditures. The answer was stated broadly at the beginning of this report. We repeat it here especially: it is due to the yearly increase in salaries, provided for by the *rules of the Committee, and to an unavoidable increase in the number of teachers employed. In proof of this we quote from the reports of 1894 and 1898.

	1894.	1898.	Increase.
Expenditures,	\$24,248.57	\$29,015.28	\$4,765.71
Paid teachers			
and janitors,	19,205 40	23,627.25	4,421.85

To put in words the information conveyed by this table: from 1894 to 1898, the expenditures in the Common school department were increased \$4,765.71, and of this amount \$4,421.85 was spent on the salaries of teachers and janitors, leaving an excess of only \$343.86, in all lines of equipment, purchased from the school appropriation. Your Committee cannot think that any citizen of this City believes that we now have too many teachers and janitors, or that the remuneration which they receive is too high.

CONCLUSION.

We have discussed at some length the matter of school expenditures and the reasons which have made

*In June, 1894, the Committee adopted a rule giving to each teacher a yearly increase of salary of \$18.00, until the maximum of \$9.00 per week in primary grades and \$10.00 per week in grammar grades should be reached.

an increase imperative within recent years. We have done this that every citizen might have in his power an opportunity to learn that this increase is not a product of extravagance or of mismanagement, but that it is one of those things inevitably incident to the development of a growing city.

As far as the observation of your Committee extends, our schools are now in a highly prosperous condition. It is the testimony of the Colleges to which graduates of the Edward Little High school go, that each year shows a perceptible improvement in preparation. It is the testimony of the teaching force of that school, that each entering class is found to excel the preceding in the extent and quality of preparation for High school work. These conditions afford substantial evidence that the people of this City appreciate the educational advantages open to their children, and that the teachers are progressive in spirit and faithful to the great trust committed to their care.

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN W. HARRIS, *Chairman*,
A. C. RICH,
D. B. HOLMES,
E. H. HUTCHINS,
F. E. MILLETT,
H. W. OAKES,
J. WALTER STETSON,
A. M. PENLEY,
E. C. TRUE,
W. E. CUTLER,
WILLIAM HAYES.

Superintending School Committee.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Committee:

I submit herewith my fourth annual report, together with the reports of the Supervisors of music and drawing. As no marked changes of policy have taken place, there are no features of school work calling for special or extended mention.

FINANCIAL.

The receipts and expenditures for the year were as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Receipts:

Appropriation,	\$8,000 00	
Received from State,	250 00	
Received from tuition and sale of books,	338 55	
Total,		\$8,588 55

Expenditures:

For teaching,	\$5,899 37	
Janitors,	500 00	
Water rates,	50 00	
Books and supplies,	1,469 85	
Fuel,	248 02	
Sundry expenses,	160 05	
Insurance,	135 00	
Total,		\$8,462 29

Balance unexpended,	\$126 26
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COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Receipts:

Appropriation,	\$20,500 00
Received from State,	10,573 11
Received from sale of books, etc.,	39 90

Total Receipts, \$31,113 01

Expenditures:

For teaching,	\$22,190 30
Janitors and fuel,	4,004 94
Water rates and insurance,	583 72
Text-books, pencils, paper, pens, ink, furniture and general supplies,	2,933 69
Printing, cleaning, trucking, express, charts, minor re- pairs, transportation of pupils, etc.,	1,385 19

Total Expenditures, \$31,097 84

Unexpended balance, \$15 17

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Your attention has been called, from time to time, to the necessity for the establishment of an evening school in New Auburn. Last year it was suggested that the matter be brought before the finance committee of the City Council, in the hope that an appropriation for that purpose might be made. As no appropriation was made, no steps were taken to start a school. In October, a petition was presented to the School Board, asking that an evening school be started, and although the condition of the school appropriation did not seem to warrant such action at that time, the petition had been signed so generally and the petitioners were so obviously in earnest, that a school was opened. The cost of the same was about \$300.00. for a term of eight weeks. Mr. Smith of the Lincoln

school, where the sessions were held, was principal. The attendance was excellent and surprisingly regular, the enrollment exceeding one hundred. The custom which obtains in other cities, of requiring a money deposit as a guarantee of good faith, was followed.

To make a success of a school in which those who attend range in age from 10 to 50, and who vary still more in mental attainments, instruction must be chiefly individual. This makes it impossible for a teacher to manage more than ten or fifteen scholars to advantage, a fact which makes the expense large in comparison with the number in attendance. As has been stated previously, there is in New Auburn, according to the school census, nearly forty per cent. of the school population of the entire City. Of this number less than one-third attends the day schools. The attendance is very irregular for various reasons, chief of which is the fact that many of the pupils are obliged to leave school at an early age to begin work. The law relating to the employment of minors is not rigidly enforced. This is unfortunate, both for the pupils and for the City.

A large proportion of those who left school early in life, did not, while in attendance, make the most of their opportunities, because they did not at that time appreciate, as they should, how much the lack of an education would handicap them in years to come. Many of them are of school age and therefore draw school money from the State. They will not attend the day schools now, because, although older, they would be so much behind those with whom they would be classified. Not a few of them are contributing materially, by their earnings, to the support of families.

I again suggest that the Committee recommend to the City Council that an appropriation be made for the support of evening schools.

GENERAL REMARKS.

With the beginning of the September term, the plan previously outlined for a more flexible method of pro-

motions, was put in operation. It is in most respects similar to the plan in use in other cities, and here as elsewhere satisfactory results have followed. A further sub-division of classes is recommended by which pupils of the same grade shall be in four divisions instead of two. As a direct result of the reclassification, the class entering the High school this year will be unusually large, as about one hundred and ten pupils will graduate from the Webster school and twenty from the Lincoln school.

The work of the schools has been considerably interrupted during the year by the prevalence of contagious diseases. At no other time in recent years has the attendance of pupils been so irregular. There have been many instances of absence among the teachers, but no material injury has resulted, as a corps of satisfactory substitutes is always available.

Respectfully submitted,

A. P. WAGG,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING.

Supt. A. P. Wagg,
Auburn, Me.,

DEAR SIR:—Art Education in the public schools demands and receives more attention at the present day than ever before. It has progressed rapidly and the study is closely correlated with the others.

One of the new features of the present year has been the life work. The pupils have made very interesting sketches of pupils posing in different positions, and the work has been of great value to them.

The city has very kindly furnished the two grammar schools with sets of water-colors and the study of color has been introduced in the eighth and ninth grades. This will be very useful in the Spring, for at best a pencil drawing is a very poor representation of nature's beautifully colored forms.

The pupils have made a study of some of the master-pieces in art by the aid of the penny Perry Pictures.

This has been correlated with the language work, and some of the best work in that study has been in the description of pictures.

The Prang Elementary Art Books have been used chiefly as text-books, but the larger part of the work has been on separate sheets of drawing paper. Each pupil's work is kept separately in an envelope and the drawings at the beginning of the year can be easily compared with those at the close of the year.

The general plan of the work is formed according to subjects, for instance, September, nature work; October, nature work; November, still-life work; December, drawing from life; January, historic ornaments; February, mechanical drawing; March, mechanical drawing; April, design; May, object drawing; June,

nature work and sketching.

The pupils do wonderfully good work when we consider that only one hour a week is given to the work. This time is too limited for the subject, and I would recommend that the time be lengthened to two hours a week. This is the usual time devoted to it in other cities, although many devote two and a half to three hours a week to it.

Excellent work is being done in the High school in the classes of pen and ink, life-work, charcoal and mechanical drawing, although we are very much crippled by lack of materials with which to work.

A large number of pictures have been added to the schools during the past year, through the efforts of the school children and the club women. The walls of the Park Hill school have been tinted and it is hoped that all the schools will be beautifully decorated in the near future.

Let me quote to you from France A. Waterhouse: "Surround young people during school hours with pictures and statuary, set off by tinted walls and ceilings, and the silent beauty irradiating therefrom will quicken and purify the taste, without encroaching upon school time, or in any way interfering with school work" You know what Carlyle says, "We cannot look however imperfectly upon a great man without gaining something by him."

The teachers have organized an Auburn Teachers' Art Club for the purpose of studying the different schools of painting. The meetings are held in the evening bi-weekly, and are of great value to the teachers, and indirectly to the pupils.

The pupils are doing more advanced work than ever before, and with the cordial support of my co-laborers we may look for better results in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN L. TEW.

REPORT OF DIRECTOR OF MUSIC.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

MR. WAGG:—It is again my privilege to submit to you a report of the music in the public schools of Auburn. Music is now being taught as a regular study in all of the schools, except four or five of the smaller rurals.

The High school and thirty-six rooms in the city proper are visited every week, fifteen of the rural schools every two weeks.

I am glad to report that the music in the High school is more satisfactory than last year, better work is being done and more interest taken as is shown by the forming of a boys' Glee Club, a girls' Glee Club and a Mandolin Club.

The work in singing has been, to a certain degree, optional, but those not singing are required to give what would be an equal amount of time to the study of musical theory and history. Those who take theory are ranked according to their written work as in other studies; those who sing are ranked, not according to their musical ability, but according to the care, thought and attention which they give to the work. While this method of ranking may not be wholly satisfactory, still it seems best for the present.

In the grammar and primary grades there is a tendency toward individual work in music as in other studies. Something has been accomplished in this line, and there is no doubt but what this is one of the best ways to keep the work of each pupil up to grade; the only question is lack of time.

Music, like anything else, when we come to study it, becomes work, and, as there are people, so there are pupils, who do not care to work if they can get along without it. When anything is done in concert, as music

is, there is an opportunity for such to let some one else do the thinking, and perhaps most of the singing.

This is something which requires careful attention on the part of the teacher, and a little individual work will show at once who can read and who are slow.

In music the quality of tone is the first to receive attention; the reading is secondary to that. A child may learn to read music without a teacher, but he cannot learn to produce correct tones without help. This is the reason why so much time is given to tone production.

It is with a sense of satisfaction that I note a constant improvement in this direction.

The Natural Music Primer has been in use for two years and has proved so well adapted to the lower grades that I would advise using the Natural First Reader in the next higher grade.

I regret that we have no piano, permanently, in any of the schools, except the High school.

I also regret that so few parents and citizens have visited the schools to see what is being done in music. If any one who doubts as to the advisability of having music in the public schools, will take pains to visit them and listen to the singing, they will not only see that the boys and girls are better and nobler for the songs they sing, but they themselves will be happier for having listened, and surprised to think how little they knew of the uplifting influence of music in the public schools.

Respectfully submitted,

N. L. MOWER,

Director of Music.

TABULAR STATEMENT. — SPRING TERM, 1898.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	Whole Number of Pupils.	Average Number of Pupils.	Length of Term in Weeks.	Salary per Week.
Edward Little High School.	John F. Moody, Prin.....	286	281	12	*\$1700.00
"	Charles E. Merritt.....				*650.00
"	Laura E. McIntire.....				*600.00
"	Augusta Prescott.....				*600.00
"	Margaret Greene.....				*550.00
"	Effie L. Joselyn.....				*500.00
"	Mabel Bailey.....				*500.00
"	Emilie Emerson.....				*450.00
"	Gertrude Wood.....				*450.00
Webster Grammar School.	Herbert L. Rand, Prin....			12	*700.00
"	Josie L. Cobb.....	42	38	12	12.00
"	May E. Paul.....	36	34	12	12.00
"	Louise Foss.....	43	40	12	10.00
"	Margaret Wilson.....	42	40	12	10.00
"	May E. Brown.....	48	45	12	10.00
"	Millie M. Young.....	50	43	12	10.00
"	Ada G. Stevens.....	33	31	12	10.00
"	Mary E. Rideout.....	36	34	12	10.00
"	Sadie B. Long.....	32	29	12	10.00
"	Agnes A. Fitz.....	38	34	12	10.00
"	Thirsa Merrill.....	36	32	12	10.00
"	Addie A. Dow.....	36	33	12	10.00
Lincoln School.....	R. Belle Roak.....	33	31	12	10.00
"	Flora Bunker.....	36	33	12	11.00
"	Albia White.....	43	40	12	11.00
"	Mamie Carroll.....	39	38	12	9.00
"	Flora Lunt.....	42	33	12	7.00
"	Daisy Smith.....	41	32	12	9.00
"	Maude Latham.....	39	36	12	9.00
"	Maude Bridgham.....	37	30	12	8.50
"	Abbie A. Buckley.....				4.00
"	Mabel Osgood.....	23	18	12	7.00
Merrill Hill School.....	Mildred Davis.....	42	41	12	8.00
"	Alice Merrill.....	36	34	12	9.00
Chamberlain School.....	Mary H. Paine.....	27	25	12	9.50
"	Mame Penley.....	22	21	12	8.50
"	Bertha M. Brown.....	30	28	12	9.00
"	Hattie C. Reynolds.....	51	45	12	9.50
Franklin School.....	Sarah Ingersoll.....	43	39	12	15.00
"	Etta Bearce.....	44	40	12	9.00
"	Caroline Little.....	52	45	12	8.50
"	Stella M. Pettengill.....	49	45	12	7.50
Washburn School.....	Ida R. Smith.....	28	26	12	9.50
"	Laura Cummings.....	31	27	12	9.00
"	Helena Packard.....	28	25	12	8.50
"	Mary Crawshaw.....	39	31	12	8.50
Park Hill.....	Ella Bonney.....	27	25	12	7.00
"	Grace Ingersoll.....	36	33	12	8.50
East Auburn.....	Hattie M. Field.....	14	12	12	8.50
"	Edna Alden.....	23	20	12	7.50
North Auburn Primary.	Grace E. Gerrish.....	18	16	12	7.50
N. and W. Auburn Grammar	Lena M. Gilbert.....	14	11	12	11.50
"	Annie Johnson.....	22	20	12	9.00
West Auburn Primary.....	Lucy D. Crafts.....	22	20	12	9.00
Auburn Plains.....	Harold Goddard.....	13	12	12	8.00
Woodman.....	Grace Lowell.....	12	9	12	7.00
Penley's Corner.....	Ella Dagneau.....	15	13	12	8.00
Rowe's.....	Margaret Turner.....	32	25	12	9.00
Danville Junction.....	Margaret Small.....	29	27	12	9.00
Danville Corner.....	Laura E. Pulsifer.....	21	16	12	8.50
Littlefield's.....	Nellie M. Libby.....	24	19	12	8.00
Stevens' Mills.....	Mary H. Pulsifer.....	20	16	12	9.00
Hotel Road.....	Lottie Small.....	17	15	12	8.00
Eveleth.....	Elizabeth Ham.....	18	12	12	9.00
Plummer.....	Marion Horr.....	13	8	12	7.50
Haskell's Corner.....	Daisy D. Hall.....	14	10	12	8.00
Young's Corner.....	Sadie E. Miller.....	13	11	12	7.00
Marston's.....	Gertrude Elwell.....	12	9	12	6.50
Jordan.....	Susie Fitz.....	17	13	12	8.00
Gowall's.....	Charles Perry.....	18	16	12	8.00
Perkins Ridge.....	C. W. Johnson.....	19	15	12	7.50

*Per Year.

TABULAR STATEMENT. — FALL TERM, 1898.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	Whole Number of Pupils.	Average Number of Pupils.	Length of Term in Weeks.	Salary per Week.
Edward Little High School.	John F. Moody, Prin.....	290	285	14	*\$1700.00
"	F. D. Lambert.....				*800.00
"	Laura E. McIntire.....				*600.00
"	Augusta Prescott.....				*600.00
"	Ethel E. Williams.....				*550.00
"	Susan A. Kelley.....				*450.00
"	Mary Percival.....				*450.00
"	Laura Smith.....				*450.00
"	Emma V. Chase.....				*450.00
Webster Grammar School..	Josie L. Cobb.....	45	42	12	12.00
"	May E. Paul.....	43	41	12	12.00
"	Louise Foss.....	32	28	12	10.00
"	Margaret Wilson.....	32	30	12	10.00
"	May E. Brown.....	46	43	12	10.00
"	Milhe M. Young.....	46	42	12	10.00
"	Ada G. Stevens.....	46	43	12	10.00
"	Mary E. Rideout.....	49	48	12	10.00
"	Sadie B. Long.....	34	29	12	10.00
"	Agnes A. Fitz.....	38	35	12	10.00
"	Thirsa Merrill.....	46	41	12	10.00
"	Addie A. Dow.....	39	37	12	10.00
Lincoln School.....	A. M. Smith.....	36	31	12	*600.00
"	Flora R. Bunker.....	51	47	12	11.00
"	Albia White.....	30	28	12	11.00
"	R. Belle Roak.....	42	37	12	10.00
"	Mamie Carroll.....	48	39	12	9.50
"	Daisy Smith.....	35	28	12	9.00
"	Viola Bartlett.....	67	57	12	7.00
"	Maude Latham.....	30	25	12	9.00
Merrill Hill School.....	Hattie Maxwell.....	50	46	12	10.00
"	Alice Merrill.....	32	29	12	9.50
Chamberlain School.....	Mary H. Paine.....	31	27	12	9.50
"	Mame Penley.....	34	31	12	9.00
"	Bertha M. Brown.....	31	29	12	9.00
"	Hattie C. Reynolds.....	37	31	12	10.00
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Washburn School.....	Ida R. Smith.....	23	22	12	10.00
"	Laura Cummings.....	32	30	12	9.00
"	Helena Packard.....	25	23	12	9.00
"	Mary Crawshaw.....	24	21	12	9.00
"	M. Ella Bonney.....	42	37	12	6.00
Park Hill.....	Mildred Davis.....	26	25	12	8.00
"	Grace Ingersoll.....	32	30	12	9.00
East Auburn.....	Charles Perry.....	18	18	12	9.00
"	Edna Alden.....	24	19	12	8.00
N. and W. Auburn Grammar	Lena M. Gilbert.....	15	13	12	11.50
"	Annie Johnson.....	21	20	12	9.50
North Auburn Primary.....	Grace E. Gerrish.....	18	17	12	8.00
West Auburn Primary.....	Lucy Crafts.....	18	15	12	9.00
Gowells.....	Susie Fitz.....	17	15	12	8.50
Penley's Corner.....	Ella Dagueau.....	19	16	12	8.50
Perkins Ridge.....	Clarence Johnson.....	18	14	12	8.00
Auburn Plains.....	Della Merrill.....	9	8	12	7.00
Stevens' Mills.....	Daisy D. Hall.....	22	18	12	8.50
Haskell's Corner.....	Gertrude Elwell.....	14	11	12	7.50
Littlefield's.....	Nellie M. Libby.....	23	18	12	8.50
Marston's.....	Mertie Alderich.....	13	11	12	8.50
Hotel Road.....	Belle Young.....	21	18	12	8.50
Dahville Junction.....	Margaret Small.....	28	18	12	9.00
Danville Corner.....	Laura E. Pulsifer.....	13	8	12	8.50
Rowe's.....	M. C. Turner.....	36	28	12	10.00
Plummer.....	Marion Herr.....	12	8	12	8.00
Jordan.....	Gertrude Cummings.....	15	13	12	8.00
Woodman.....	Grace Lowell.....	6	5	12	7.50
Eveleth.....	A. C. Martin.....	19	15	12	7.00
Young's Corner.....	Sadie R. Miller.....	10	8	12	7.50

*Per Year.

TABULAR STATEMENT. — WINTER TERM, 1899.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	Whole Number of Pupils.	Average Number of Pupils.	Length of Term in Weeks.	Salary per Week.
Edward Little High School.	John F. Moody, Prin.....	287	281	12	*\$1700.00
"	F. D. Lambert.....				*800.00
"	H. R. Eaton.....				*450.00
"	Laura E. McIntire.....				*600.00
"	Augusta Prescott.....				*600.00
"	Ethel E. Williams.....				*550.00
"	Mary Percival.....				*450.00
"	Laura Smith.....				*450.00
"	Emma V. Chase.....				*450.00
Webster Grammar School..	Josie L. Cobb.....	42	39	12	12.00
"	May E. Paul.....	41	39	12	13.00
"	Louise Foss.....	32	30	12	10.00
"	Margaret Wilson.....	35	32	12	11.00
"	Mary E. Rideout.....	48	45	12	10.00
"	Ada G. Stevens.....	46	41	12	10.00
"	Millie M. Young.....	46	42	12	10.00
"	May E. Brown.....	44	41	12	10.00
"	Sadie B. Long.....	34	30	12	10.00
"	Thirsa Merrill.....	44	41	12	10.00
"	Agnes A. Fitz.....	40	34	12	10.00
"	Addie A. Dow.....	40	36	12	10.00
Lincoln School.....	A. M. Smith, Prin.....	35	28	12	*600.00
"	R. Belle Roak.....	42	37	12	10.00
"	Flora R. Bunker.....	53	43	12	11.00
"	Albia White.....	31	26	12	11.00
"	Mamie Carroll.....	49	40	12	9.50
"	Daisy M. Smith.....	30	23	12	9.00
"	Maude Latham.....	29	20	12	9.00
"	Flora R. Lunt.....	66	48	12	7.50
"	Mary H. Pulsifer, Asst.....				6.00
Chamberlain School.....	Mary H. Paine, Prin.....	34	28	12	9.50
"	Mamie Penley.....	31	28	12	9.00
"	Bertha M. Brown.....	30	27	12	9.00
"	Hattie C. Reynolds.....	34	25	12	10.00
"	Lizzie Small, Asst.....				1.50
Franklin School.....	Sarah Ingersoll.....	42	37	12	10.00
"	Etta Bearce.....	29	25	12	9.00
"	Caroline Little.....	42	32	12	9.00
"	Mary Crawshaw.....	32	27	12	9.00
"	Annie E. Turner, Asst.....				3.00
Washburn School.....	Ida R. Smith, Prin.....	24	22	12	10.00
"	Laura Cummings.....	31	28	12	9.00
"	Helena Packard.....	25	22	12	9.00
"	Stella M. Pettengill.....	25	22	12	8.50
"	M. Ella Bonney.....	43	35	12	6.00
Merrill Hill School.....	Hattie Maxwell.....	50	45	12	10.00
"	Alice Merrill.....	29	25	12	9.50
Park Hill.....	Mildred Davis.....	25	23	12	8.00
"	Grace Ingersoll.....	33	26	12	9.50
North Auburn Primary.....	Grace E. Gerrish.....	17	16	12	8.00
N. and W. Auburn Grammar	Lena M. Gilbert, Prin.....	13	10	12	11.50
"	Annie S. Johnson.....	23	19	12	9.50
East Auburn.....	Charles Perry.....	16	15	12	9.00
"	Edna C. Alden.....	24	20	12	8.00
West Auburn Primary.....	Lucy D. Crafts.....	15	11	12	9.00
Auburn Plains.....	Della Merrill.....	9	7	12	7.00
Woodman.....	Marion Chase.....	6	5	12	7.00
Penley's Corner.....	Ella Dagneau.....	16	10	12	8.50
Rowe's Corner.....	Margaret C. Turner.....	33	24	12	10.00
Danville Junction.....	Margaret J. Small.....	24	19	12	9.00
Danville Corner.....	Laura E. Pulsifer.....	13	9	12	8.50
Littlefield's.....	Nellie M. Libby.....	21	18	12	8.50
Stevens' Mills.....	Daisy D. Hall.....	17	15	12	8.50
Hotel Road.....	I. Belle Young.....	17	14	12	8.50
Eveleth.....	Mary Harrington.....	20	15	12	8.50
Plummer.....	Marion Herr.....	7	5	12	8.00
Haskell's Corner.....	Gertrude Elwell.....	8	7	12	7.50
Young's Corner.....	Grace Lowell.....	8	7	12	7.50
Marston's.....	Mertie M. Alderich.....	10	7	12	8.50
Jordan.....	Gertrude Cummings.....	14	12	12	8.00
Gowell's.....	Susie Fitz.....	18	16	12	8.50
Perkins Ridge.....	Clarence W. Johnson.....	15	10.2	12	8.00

*Per Year.

GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF AUBURN.
1899.

MAYOR.

WILLIAM H. WIGGIN.

CITY CLERK.

GEO. E. McCANN.

ALDERMEN.

CHAS. F. BURR, *President*.

WARD 1.—FRANK H. LYFORD.

2.—CHAS. F. BURR.

3.—MURRAY B. WATSON.

4.—GEO. B. SMITH.

5.—RALPH W. PULSIFER.

COMMON COUNCIL.

FRED L. BRIGGS, *Clerk*.

MURRAY B. WATSON, *President*.

WARD 1.—D. A. WHITMAN,
BERT D. VERRILL,
MELVILLE E. GOSS.

WARD 2.—JAMES F. LARRABEE,
CHARLES V. MARTIN,
HORATIO B. SAWYER.

WARD 3.—WILLARD CARVER,
ALTON O'BRIEN,
WINSLOW S. WALKER.

WARD 4.—E. N. HUTCHINS,
ALFRED C. FRANK,
JOHN H. CHASE.

WARD 5.—FRANK J. BONNEY,
E. J. ANDERSON,
NAPOLEON RICHARD.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

FINANCE.

The Mayor.		<i>Councilmen.</i>
		Frank,
<i>Alderman.</i>		Martin,
Watson.		Bonney.

ACCOUNTS.

	<i>Alderman.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Smith.		O'Brien,
		Chase.

PUBLIC PROPERTY.

	<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Watson,		Chase,
Pulsifer.		Bonney,
		Sawyer.

STREETS AND BRIDGES.

The Mayor.		<i>Councilmen.</i>
		Frank,
<i>Alderman.</i>		Martin,
Burr.		Bonney.

SEWERS.

The Mayor,		<i>Councilmen.</i>
		Larrabee,
<i>Alderman.</i>		Anderson,
Lyford.		Walker.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

	<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Lyford,		Hutchins,
Watson.		Whitman,
		Goss.

SCHOOLS.

<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Smith, Pulsifer.	Carver, Whitman, Sawyer.

STREET LIGHTS.

<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Burr, Pulsifer.	Larrabee, Verrill, Richard.

ENGROSSED BILLS AND ORDINANCES.

<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Pulsifer, Watson.	Richard, Walker, Verrill.

WATER WORKS.

<i>Aldermen.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Burr, Lyford.	Carver, Hutchins, Goss.

PRINTING.

<i>Alderman.</i>	<i>Councilmen.</i>
Smith.	O'Brion, Anderson.

STANDING COMMITTEES

OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

Police.—The Mayor, Watson, Smith.

Licenses.—Burr, Pulsifer, Lyford.

Elections.—Smith, Burr, Watson.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF COMMON COUNCIL.

Election Returns.—Anderson, Sawyer, O'Brion.

Contingent Expenses.—Hutchins, Goss, Richard.

CITY OFFICERS.

City Treasurer.—Eben G. Eveleth.

Auditor.—William M. Greenleaf.

Collector.—John A. Turner.

Solicitor.—H. Percival Carver.

Physician.—C. C. Peaslee, M. D.

Assessors.—John N. Foster, S. B. Smith, S. R. Robinson.

Overseers of the Poor.—A. A. Garcelon, J. M. Stevens, H. O. Whitman.

Street Commissioner.—Frank F. Goss.

Board of Health.—Emery Bailey, President; A. M. Peables, M. D., Secretary; J. W. Beede, M. D., Health officer.

City Marshal.—A. A. Garcelon.

Deputy Marshal.—W. B. Jenkins.

Policemen.—Fred L. Austin, Chas. H. Small, Geo. Byron, Harry W. Rowe.

Police Matron.—Maria M. Swett.

Board of Fire Commissioners.—Forrest E. Bisbee, Frank L. Bartlett, A. F. Warren.

Chief Engineer.—D. D. Merrill.

Assistant Engineers.—J. H. Bradbury, Freeman G. Davis, A. W. Miller, Martin J. Lamey.

Pound Keeper.—J. W. Peables.

Inspector of Vinegar.—O. W. Jones.

Sealer of Leather.—Seth P. Miller.

Sealer of Weights and Measurers.—A. L. Robinson.

Inspector of Milk.—A. L. Robinson.

Culler of Staves.—D. P. Field.

Inspector of Buildings.—Chas. E. Greenleaf.

City Engineer.—Rodney A. Swift.

City Electrician.—William A. Ray, Jr.

Superintending School Committee.—The Mayor, *ex-officio*. Amos C. Rich, Dana B. Holmes, Eliphalet H. Hutchins, B. G. W. Cushman, M. D., J. Walter Stetson, Henry W. Oakes, Albert M. Penley, Alvin W. Fowles, Willie E. Cutler, William Hayes.

Superintendent of Schools.—A. P. Wagg.

Board of Water Commissioners.—H. G. Foss (1 yr.), Frank Bartlett (2 yrs.), A. M. Pulsifer (3 yrs.), Chas. H. Briggs (4 yrs.), R. M. Mason (5 yrs.), E. S. Paul, (6 yrs.)

Superintendent.—F. E. Bisbee.

Clerk.—A. W. P. Cobb.

Engineer Pumping Station.—L. L. Rand.

Fence Viewers.—A. C. Frank, F. H. Lyford, F. C. Farnham.

Undertakers.—A. M. Roak, Chas. W. Harris, Prince J. Doe, F. X. Marcotte.

Weighers of Coal.—J. E. Nye, Geo. B. Smith, C. L. Turgeon, Geo. I. Brown, Henry A. Torsey, N. S. Coan, Norris S. Tibbetts, A. L. Gatchell, H. P. Hoyt, J. L. Frost, Fred C. Gray, J. M. Henderson, D. R. Hastings, L. O. Morse.

Weighers.—J. E. Nye, Geo. B. Smith, C. L. Turgeon, Geo. I. Brown, H. A. Torsey, N. S. Coan, Norris S. Tibbetts, A. L. Gatchell, H. P. Hoyt, J. L. Frost, Fred C. Gray, J. M. Henderson, D. R. Hastings, S. M. Atwood, L. O. Morse.

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—Chas. Dunn, Geo. I. Brown, J. E. Nye, Geo. B. Smith, N. C. Estes, P. M. Austin, H. A. Torsey, Horace V. Whitcomb, C. L. Turgeon, N. S. Coan, Frank Martin, J. C. Emerton, Robert J. Farrington, D. R. Hastings, C. H. Briggs, Henry E. Johnson, E. H. Soper, T. A. Bailey, L. O. Morse, Albert L. Packard.

Measurers of Logs.—C. C. Wilson, E. H. Soper, Seth P. Miller, Edward N. Hutchins, Robert J. Farrington, H. W. Hutchins, E. W. Hutchins.

Measurers of Lumber.—C. E. Greenleaf, E. H. Soper, W. E. Whitman, John Colman, C. C. Wilson, C. L. Turgeon, S. K. Ballard, E. H. Parker, W. H. Jones, F. R. Conant, Henry A. Torsey, Albert H. Conant, Horace V. Whitcomb, Rufus B. Parker, H. W. Hutchins, E. W. Hutchins.

Constables.—John A. Turner, W. B. Jenkins, H. C.

Benson, Chas. H. Small, Fred L. Austin, Geo. Byron, Carl Darenberg, M. E. Goss, G. A. Allen, Fred M. Taylor, Willard E. Yeaton, A. A. Garcelon, J. F. Larrabee, Geo. Rivard, James H. Ratcliffe, Samuel E. Ratcliffe, Harry W. Rowe, E. D. Bailey, Clarence F. Jenkins, F. R. Jordan, Jr., Frank Libby, Chas. F. Davis, Fred Rollins, E. C. Douglass, Chas. Ruggles, Walter L. Foss, W. A. Bubier, S. H. Bonney, Chas. H. Amback, Llewellyn Maxwell, Edward H. Sawyer, John F. Mullaney, S. M. Wyman, J. H. Bradbury, Geo. L. Seavey, N. B. Lord, J. C. Whitney, S. S. Ashworth, J. C. Emerton, Clark Mitchell, Walter G. Stephens, Stephen Hayes, Chas. E. Greenleaf, Thomas Vosmus, Geo. W. McFadden, A. B. Crafts, C. K. Sturtevant, David Shaw, Frank Martin, Sidney S. Merrill, Peleg L. Rankin, Solomon Larrabee, Winfield S. Larrabee, Seward F. Penley, John P. Garcelon, Geo. Rock, S. P. Merrill, Varney B. Taylor, H. C. Church, E. G. Eveleth, S. H. Lovejoy, Chas. O. Hodgdon, A. E. Newell, W. E. Dawes, J. J. McCarthy, L. O. Brackett, James E. Coombs, James W. Cross, Pierre Lamontagne, Alfred Legendre, Alphonse Freve, M. S. Leonard, W. L. Clark, Pearl L. Warren, Archille Boisvert, Archie Gagne, Zoel Cloutier, A. S. Doughty, John W. Robbins, Edmond Breton, Hyman Savage, Max Mendelson, M. Lempert, W. S. Hunnewell, Chas. Wright, Adolph Richard, Wm. H. Bailey, F. F. Goss, A. C. Frank, Charles H. Reed, F. C. Farnham, James Wood, Alfred Bowers, J. E. Shields, W. W. Skillings, Geo. E. Sleeper, Geo. R. Sleeper, A. M. Penley.

CITY GOVERNMENTS, 1869-1899.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1869.

MAYOR.—Thomas Littlefield.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, William H. Keith. Ward 2, Prentiss M. Woodman. Ward 3, Daniel P. Atwood. Ward 4, Jeremiah Dingley, Jr. Ward 5, Daniel Field.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, William B. Merrill; *Clerk*, William M. Harris. Ward 1, E. P. Crafts, Alex. Stinson, H. C. Briggs. Ward 2, Silas Sprague, Nathan Briggs, E. Eveleth. Ward 3, Wm. B. Merrill, S. P. Miller, O. B. Morse. Ward 4, E. T. Luce, William S. Young, John F. Cobb. Ward 5, A. C. Pray, Geo. W. Bailey, A. J. Verrill.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1870.

MAYOR.—Seth P. Miller.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Hiram B. Briggs. Ward 2, Prentiss M. Woodman. Ward 3, John W. Perkins. Ward 4, James Wagg. Ward 5, Almon C. Pray.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, William B. Merrill; *Clerk*, William M. Harris. Ward 1, John M. Perry, Benjamin Conant, Alvan Waterman. Ward 2, Ezekiel Eveleth, Charles S. Emerson, James White. Ward 3, William B. Merrill, Albert Young, Oren B. Morse. Ward 4, Oren S. Libby, Hannibal R. Smith, Increase B. Kimball. Ward 5, Charles Dunn, Nathaniel G. Sturgis, Andrew G. Haskell.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1871.

MAYOR.—Thomas Littlefield.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Oscar D. Bailey. Ward 2, Silas Sprague. Ward 3, John W. Perkins. Ward 4, James S. Robbins. Ward 5, Almon C. Pray.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Charles Dunn; *Clerk*, William M. Harris. Ward 1, Alonzo Crafts, Benjamin Conant, Harrison O. Whitman. Ward 2, Josiah Penley, Silvester Oakes, Frank Bartlett. Ward 3, Oren B. Morse, Ansel L. Lombard, William M. Chamberlain. Ward 4, J. W. Peables, Rufus Penley, Frank E. Young. Ward 5, Charles Dunn, Samuel Emerson, Charles O. Martin.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1872.

MAYOR.—Thomas Littlefield.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, John M. Perry. Ward 2, Hannibal R. Smith. Ward 3, Oren B. Morse. Ward 4, James Dingley. Ward 5, Charles Dunn.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Richard Dresser; *Clerk*, Wm. M. Harris. Ward 1, Zibeon Crafts, George H. Dillingham, Ira T. Waterman. Ward 2, Frank Bartlett, Edward W. Gross, Benj. F. Sturgis. Ward 3, Ansel L. Lombard, William B. Merrill, William M. Chamberlain. Ward 4, James Wagg, Wm. S. Young, Richard Dresser. Ward 5, George W. Bailey, James L. Martin, Alden J. Verrill.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1873.

MAYOR.—Thomas Littlefield.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, John M. Perry. Ward 2, Frank Bartlett. Ward 3, Seth P. Miller. Ward 4, Francis M. Jordan. Ward 5, Charles Dunn.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Benj. F. Sturgis; *Clerk*, Murray B. Watson. Ward 1, Zibeon Crafts, George H. Dillingham, Alvan Waterman. Ward 2, Edward W. Gross, Benj. F. Sturgis, A. J. Coburn. Ward 3, Ansel L. Lombard, James O. Foss, William M. Chamberlain. Ward 4, Benjamin F. Briggs, Wm. S. Young, Oren T. Libby. Ward 5, Thomas J. Freeman, William D. Adams, Wm. D. Brewster.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1874.

MAYOR.—Thomas Littlefield.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Oscar D. Bailey. Ward 2, Joseph Littlefield. Ward 3, Seth P. Miller. Ward 4, Francis M. Jordan. Ward 5, Charles Dunn.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Wm. H. Keith; *Clerk*, Murray B. Watson. Ward 1, Alvan Waterman, William H. Keith, Joseph Q. Edmunds. Ward 2, A. J. Coburn, Ezekiel Eveleth, John Rolfe. Ward 3, John C. Symmes, B. C. Keene, Ellery F. Goss. Ward 4, Edward A. Little, W. S. Rogers, Jacob Larrabee. Ward 5, Thomas J. Freeman, George W. Bailey, Dexter W. Verrill.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1875.

MAYOR.—James Dingley.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Fred A. Allen. Ward 2, Hannibal R. Smith. Ward 3, Seth P. Miller. Ward 4, John F. Cobb. Ward 5, Dexter W. Verrill.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, William P. Bearce;
Clerk, Murray B. Watson. Ward 1, Charles K. Packard,
Richard Hutchinson, S. H. Stockman. Ward 2, Wm.
P. Bearce, Dana Goff, Samuel F. Merrill. Ward 3, Ellery
F. Goss, B. C. Keene, Abram Atwood. Ward 4, Isaac
Haskell, Andrew M. Peables, Rufus Penley. Ward 5,
Geo. E. Strout, Leonard Hicks, Benjamin A. Rideout.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1876.

MAYOR.—James Dingley.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Fred A. Allen. Ward 2,
William P. Bearce. Ward 3, Ellery F. Goss. Ward 4,
William W. Bolster. Ward 5, Ether S. Paul.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, George E. Strout,
Clerk, Murray B. Watson. Ward 1, Alden B. Crafts,
George H. A. Bradbury, Milburn Furbish. Ward 2,
Almon L. Goss, Benj. F. Sturgis, Charles S. Emerson.
Ward 3, Abram Atwood, B. C. Keene, John B. Jordan.
Ward 4, J. Dingley, Jr., Jacob Larrabee, Everett W.
Burgess. Ward 5, Leonard Hicks, Geo. E. Strout, Ben-
jamin A. Rideout.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1877.

MAYOR.—Hannibal R. Smith.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Oscar D. Bailey. Ward 2,
Benj. F. Sturgis. Ward 3, Ellery F. Goss. Ward 4,
Wm. W. Bolster. Ward 5, Freedom Haskell.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, John B. Jordan;
Clerk, Murray B. Watson. Ward 1, Chas. A. Kinsley,
Geo. H. A. Bradbury, H. O. Whitman. Ward 2, Almon

L. Goss, Thomas Littlefield, Wm. P. Bearce. Ward 3, John B. Jordan, Jabez H. Merrill, Charles E. Smith. Ward 4, J. Dingley, Jr., Jacob Larrabee, Everett W. Burgess. Ward 5, N. H. Woodbury, Dexter W. Verrill, Charles Flagg.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1878.

MAYOR.—Hannibal R. Smith.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Oscar D. Bailey. Ward 2, Ezekiel Eveleth. Ward 3, Seth P. Miller. Ward 4, Nathaniel I. Jordan. Ward 5, George W. Wagg.

CITY CLERK.—George S. Woodman.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Augustus M. Pulsifer; *Clerk*, Murray B. Watson. Ward 1, Charles H. Record, Joseph E. Metcalf, Herbert S. Whitman. Ward 2, Thomas Littlefield, Joshua W. Beede, Daniel Lara. Ward 3, Jabez H. Merrill, John Pickard, Wallace K. Oakes. Ward 4, Calvin S. Libby, James W. Peables, Augustus M. Pulsifer. Ward 5, N. H. Woodbury, Charles C. Rowe, David S. Whitehouse.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1879.

MAYOR.—Thomas Littlefield.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Seth P. Miller. Ward 1, Charles H. Record. Ward 2, Ezekiel Eveleth. Ward 3, Seth P. Miller. Ward 4, Nathaniel I. Jordan. Ward 5, George W. Wagg.

CITY CLERK.—Henry M. Sprague.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Wallace K. Oakes; *Clerk*, Murray B. Watson. Ward 1, Royal J. Bradbury, Edward W. Bird, Herbert S. Whitman. Ward 2, Daniel Lara, John Stimson, H. R. Bisbee. Ward 3, John Pickard, Wallace K. Oakes, Henry Willis. Ward 4, James W. Peables, Isaac Haskell, J. T. W. Stinchfield. Ward 5, Charles Thurston, George W. Woodbury, David S. Whitehouse.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1880.

MAYOR.—Thomas Littlefield.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Edwin T. Gile. Ward 1, J. E. Metcalf. Ward 2, Edwin T. Gile. Ward 3, Jabez H. Merrill. Ward 4, Benjamin F. Briggs. Ward 5, Moses Crafts.

CITY CLERK.—Henry M. Sprague.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Ebenezer Jordan; *Clerk*, Alton J. Shaw. Ward 1, E. W. Bird, Charles B. Record, W. F. Munroe. Ward 2, H. R. Bisbee, H. B. Sawyer, Joseph Goss. Ward 3, William A. Robinson, John F. Clifford, Nathan W. Harris. Ward 4, Albert M. Penley, Horatio B. Pulsifer, Ebenezer Jordan. Ward 5, Charles Thurston, Daniel H. Rendall, Samuel Farnham.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1881.

MAYOR.—George S. Woodman.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Horatio B. Pulsifer. Ward 1, Lucius C. Dunham. Ward 2, Joseph Goss. Ward 3, Jabez H. Merrill. Ward 4, Horatio B. Pulsifer. Ward 5, John Stimson.

CITY CLERK.—J. W. Mitchell.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Nathan W. Harris; *Clerk*, Alton J. Shaw. Ward 1, Joseph Q. Edmunds, J. P. Garcelon, Francis Packard. Ward 2, David P. Field, Horatio B. Sawyer, Edwin O. Wells. Ward 3, William A. Robinson, John F. Clifford, Nathan W. Harris. Ward 4, John W. May, Edson G. Spofford, Winfield S. Larrabee. Ward 5, Algernon M. Roak, George W. Wagg, Isaiah V. McKenney.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1882.

MAYOR.—George S. Woodman.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, George W. Wagg. Ward 1, W. F. Munroe. Ward 2, Daniel Lara. Ward 3, N. W. Harris. Ward 4, E. G. Spofford. Ward 5, George W. Wagg.

CITY CLERK.—J. W. Mitchell.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, William A. Robinson; *Clerk*, Fred O. Watson. Ward 1, Francis Packard, J. P. Garcelon, William H. Briggs. Ward 2, David P. Field, Edwin O. Wells, Charles W. Campbell. Ward 3, William A. Robinson, B. F. Teague, Edmund Libby. Ward 4, A. M. Penley, L. W. Haskell, John T. W. Stinchfield. Ward 5, D. W. Kinsley, S. R. Robinson, S. S. Merrill.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1883.

MAYOR.—George S. Woodman.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Nathan W. Harris. Ward 1, Harrison O. Whitman. Ward 2, David P. Field. Ward 3, Nathan W. Harris. Ward 4, Lewis W. Haskell. Ward 5, George W. Wagg.

CITY CLERK.—J. W. Mitchell.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1884.

MAYOR.—Benjamin F. Sturgis.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, David P. Field. Ward 1, Harrison O. Whitman. Ward 2, David P. Field. Ward 3, Edmund Libby. Ward 4, Albert M. Penley. Ward 5, Samuel R. Robinson.

CITY CLERK.—J. W. Mitchell.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Ansel Briggs; *Clerk*, Fred O. Watson. Ward 1, Seth Briggs, Fred W. Hutchinson, Ansel Briggs. Ward 2, George W. Curtis, Benjamin F. Beals, Horace Goff. Ward 3, Henry W. Oakes, N. M. Neal, John N. Foster. Ward 4, Henry Lowell, Frank A. Haskell, Charles A. Jordan. Ward 5, Charles E. Marvel, Stephen S. Merrill, Delance Young.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1885.

MAYOR.—L. W. Haskell.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Ansel Briggs. Ward 1, Ansel Briggs. Ward 2, George W. Curtis. Ward 3, A. P. Lamb. Ward 4, C. A. Jordan. Ward 5, Albert A. Young.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1886.

MAYOR.—L. W. Haskell.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, A. P. Lamb. Ward 1, Ansel Briggs. Ward 2, Isaac W. Harris. Ward 3, A. P. Lamb. Ward 4, G. M. Atkins. Ward 5, Albert A. Young.

CITY CLERK.—Rodney F. Foss.

COMMON COUNCIL.—*President*, Charles S. Yeaton; *Clerk*, C. C. Jordan. Ward 1, H. N. Johnson, J. W. Ricker, Stafford B. Jones. Ward 2, John T. Hale, Charles S. Yeaton, Charles H. Parker. Ward 3, Charles E. Libby, Geo. E. Bisbee, P. M. Bickford. Ward 4, S.

K. Ballard, A. W. Miller, W. S. Larrabee. Ward 5,
Josiah W. Littlefield, V. P. Buck, P. M. Austin.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1887.

MAYOR.—A. M. Penley.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, John N. Foster. Ward 1, J. W. Ricker. Ward 2, B. F. Sturgis. Ward 3, John N. Foster. Ward 4, H. C. Day. Ward 5, James L. Martin.

CITY CLERK.—J. W. Mitchell.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1888.

MAYOR.—Albert M. Penley.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Horace N. Johnson. Ward 2, Benjamin F. Sturgis. Ward 3, John N. Foster. Ward 4, Horace C. Day. Ward 5, James L. Martin.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1889.

MAYOR.—Albert R. Savage.

ALDERMEN.—Ward 1, Stafford B. Jones. Ward 2,

Benjamin F. Sturgis. Ward 3, John E. Tibbetts. Ward 4, P. H. Kelleher. Ward 5, Harry L. Haskell.

CITY CLERK.—J. W. Mitchell.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1890.

MAYOR.—Albert R. Savage.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, T. E. Eustis. Ward 1, Dana B. Holmes. Ward 2, Winchester G. Lowell. Ward 3, T. Everett Eustis. Ward 4, I. N. Haskell. Ward 5, Harry L. Haskell.

CITY CLERK.—George G. Gifford.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1891.

MAYOR.—Albert R. Savage.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, T. E. Eustis. Ward 1, Daniel W. Kinsley. Ward 2, Winchester G. Lowell. Ward 3, T. Everett Eustis. Ward 4, I. N. Haskell. Ward 5, Samuel B. Smith.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1892.

MAYOR.—Winchester G. Lowell.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Samuel B. Smith. Ward 1, Charles F. Curtis. Ward 2, Geo. E. Davis. Ward 3, J. P. Hutchinson. Ward 4, Eldreth Arnold. Ward 5, Samuel B. Smith.

CITY CLERK.—George G. Gifford.

COMMON COUNCIL. *President*,—Henry W. Oakes; *Clerk*, J. H. Neal. Ward 1, W. D. Curtis, John A. Turner, E. C. Douglass. Ward 2, Hillman Smith, Fred M. Taylor, W. D. Brewster. Ward 3, E. H. Hutchins, Henry W. Oakes, C. W. Locke. Ward 4, A. A. Garcelon, W. W. Pollister, John C. Woodrow. Ward 5, Charles E. Marvel, S. S. Ashworth, E. Robinson.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1893.

MAYOR.—W. W. Bolster.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Hillman Smith. Ward 1, W. D. Curtis. Ward 2, Hillman Smith. Ward 3, Willard Linscott. Ward 4, A. A. Garcelon. Ward 5, V. P. Buck.

CITY CLERK.—William E. Ludden.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1894.

MAYOR.—Hillman Smith.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, W. D. Curtis. Ward 1, W. D. Curtis. Ward 2, Chas. H. Briggs. Ward 3, Fred M. Taylor. Ward 4, Algernon M. Roak. Ward 5, John C. Woodrow.

CITY CLERK.—Forest E. Ludden.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1895.

MAYOR.—Hillman Smith.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Fred M. Taylor. Ward 1, Justus P. Garcelon. Ward 2, Chas. H. Briggs. Ward 3, Fred M. Taylor. Ward 4, Chas. S. Emerson. Ward 5, Jeremiah C. Brackett.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1896.

MAYOR.—Nathan W. Harris.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Justus P. Garcelon. Ward 1, Justus P. Garcelon. Ward 2, Herbert L. Foss. Ward 3, Frank L. Bartlett. Ward 4, William H. Wiggin. Ward 5, Jeremiah C. Brackett.

CITY CLERK.—Geo. E. McCann.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1897.

MAYOR.—Nathan W. Harris.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, W. H. Wiggin. Ward 1, Geo. F. Oliver. Ward 2, Herbert L. Foss. Ward 3, Frank L. Bartlett. Ward 4, William H. Wiggin. Ward 5, George Byron.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1898.

MAYOR.—Nathan W. Harris.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, W. H. Wiggin. Ward 1, Geo. F. Oliver. Ward 2, Charles F. Burr. Ward 3, Frank L. Bartlett. Ward 4, William H. Wiggin. Ward 5, George Byron.

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CITY GOVERNMENT, 1899.

MAYOR.—William H. Wiggin.

ALDERMEN.—*President*, Chas. F. Burr. Ward 1, Frank H. Lyford. Ward 2, Chas. F. Burr. Ward 3, Murray B. Watson. Ward 4, Geo. B. Smith. Ward 5, Ralph W. Pulsifer.

CITY CLERK.—Geo. E. McCann.

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	MAYOR.	CITY CLERK.	TREASURER.	STREET COMMISSIONER.	CHIEF ENGINEER.	COLLECTOR OF TAXES.
1869	Thomas Littlefield	Geo. S. Woodman	Geo. S. Woodman	O. D. Bailey	J. A. Whitman	Calvin G. Skinner
1870	Seth P. Miller	Geo. S. Woodman	Geo. S. Woodman	Charles R. Jordan	Seth P. Miller	Geo. S. Woodman
1871	Thomas Littlefield	Geo. S. Woodman	Geo. S. Woodman	Thomas Littlefield	Seth P. Miller	Calvin G. Skinner
1872	Thomas Littlefield	Geo. S. Woodman	Geo. S. Woodman	O. D. Bailey	Almon C. Pray	James Dingley
1873	Thomas Littlefield	Geo. S. Woodman	Geo. S. Woodman	David T. French	James White	D. W. Verrill
1874	Thomas Littlefield	Geo. S. Woodman	Geo. S. Woodman	David T. French	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1875	James Dingley	Geo. S. Woodman	J. R. Learned	Joseph Goss	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1876	James Dingley	Geo. S. Woodman	J. R. Learned	Joseph Goss	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1877	Hannibal R. Smith	Geo. S. Woodman	D. W. Verrill	Joseph Goss	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1878	Hannibal R. Smith	Geo. S. Woodman	D. W. Verrill	James S. Nash	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1879	Thomas Littlefield	Henry M. Sprague	D. W. Verrill	James S. Nash	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1880	Thomas Littlefield	Henry M. Sprague	D. W. Verrill	David T. French	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1881	Geo. S. Woodman	J. W. Mitchell	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1882	Geo. S. Woodman	J. W. Mitchell	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1883	Geo. S. Woodman	J. W. Mitchell	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	A. A. Miller	D. W. Verrill
1884	Benj. F. Sturgis	J. W. Mitchell	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	Fred H. Storah	D. W. Verrill
1885	L. W. Haskell	J. W. Mitchell	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	Fred H. Storah	B. F. Teague
1886	L. W. Haskell	Rodney F. Foss	Geo. B. Attwood	L. W. Haskell	C. A. Jordan	D. W. Kinsley
1887	A. M. Penley	J. W. Mitchell	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	A. A. Miller	Thomas Littlefield
1888	A. M. Penley	J. W. Mitchell	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	A. A. Miller	Eben G. Eveleth
1889	Albert R. Savage	J. W. Mitchell	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	A. A. Miller	Eben G. Eveleth
1890	Albert R. Savage	Geo. G. Gifford	D. W. Verrill	Frank F. Goss	Fred H. Storah	Eben G. Eveleth
1891	Albert R. Savage	Geo. G. Gifford	Geo. E. McCann	H. L. Haskell	Fred H. Storah	Eben G. Eveleth
1892	W. G. Lowell	Geo. G. Gifford	Geo. E. McCann	H. L. Haskell	Fred H. Storah	Eben G. Eveleth
1893	W. W. Bolster	William E. Ludden	Eben G. Eveleth	David P. Field	L. W. Haskell	D. W. Kinsley
1894	Hillman Smith	Forest E. Ludden	Eben G. Eveleth	David P. Field	Arthur B. King	D. W. Kinsley
1895	Hillman Smith	Forest E. Ludden	Eben G. Eveleth	Frank F. Goss	D. D. Merrill	D. W. Kinsley
1896	Nathan W. Harris	Geo. E. McCann	Eben G. Eveleth	Frank F. Goss	D. D. Merrill	D. W. Kinsley
1897	Nathan W. Harris	Geo. E. McCann	Eben G. Eveleth	Frank F. Goss	D. D. Merrill	D. W. Kinsley
1898	Nathan W. Harris	Geo. E. McCann	Eben G. Eveleth	Frank F. Goss	D. D. Merrill	D. W. Kinsley
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