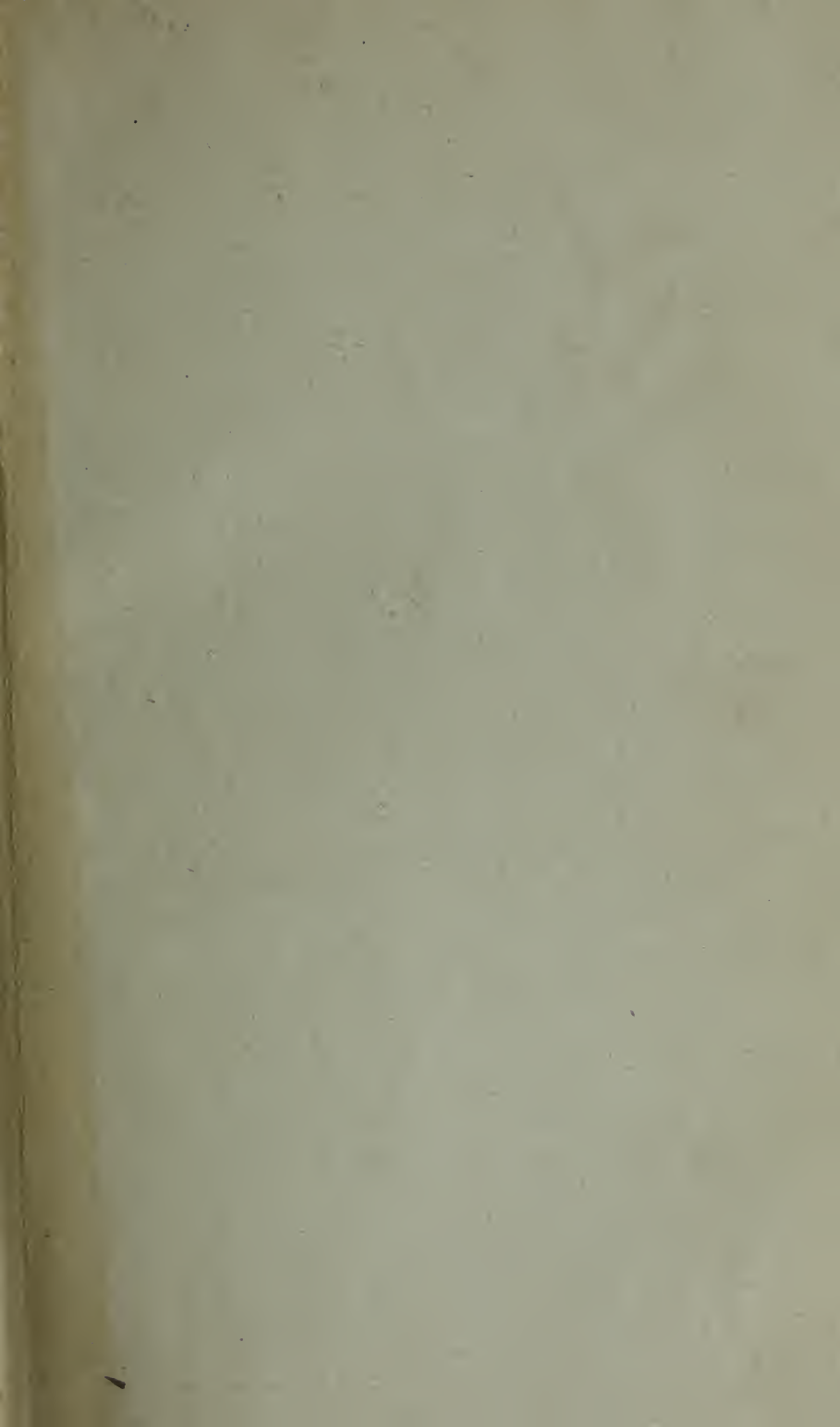




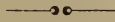
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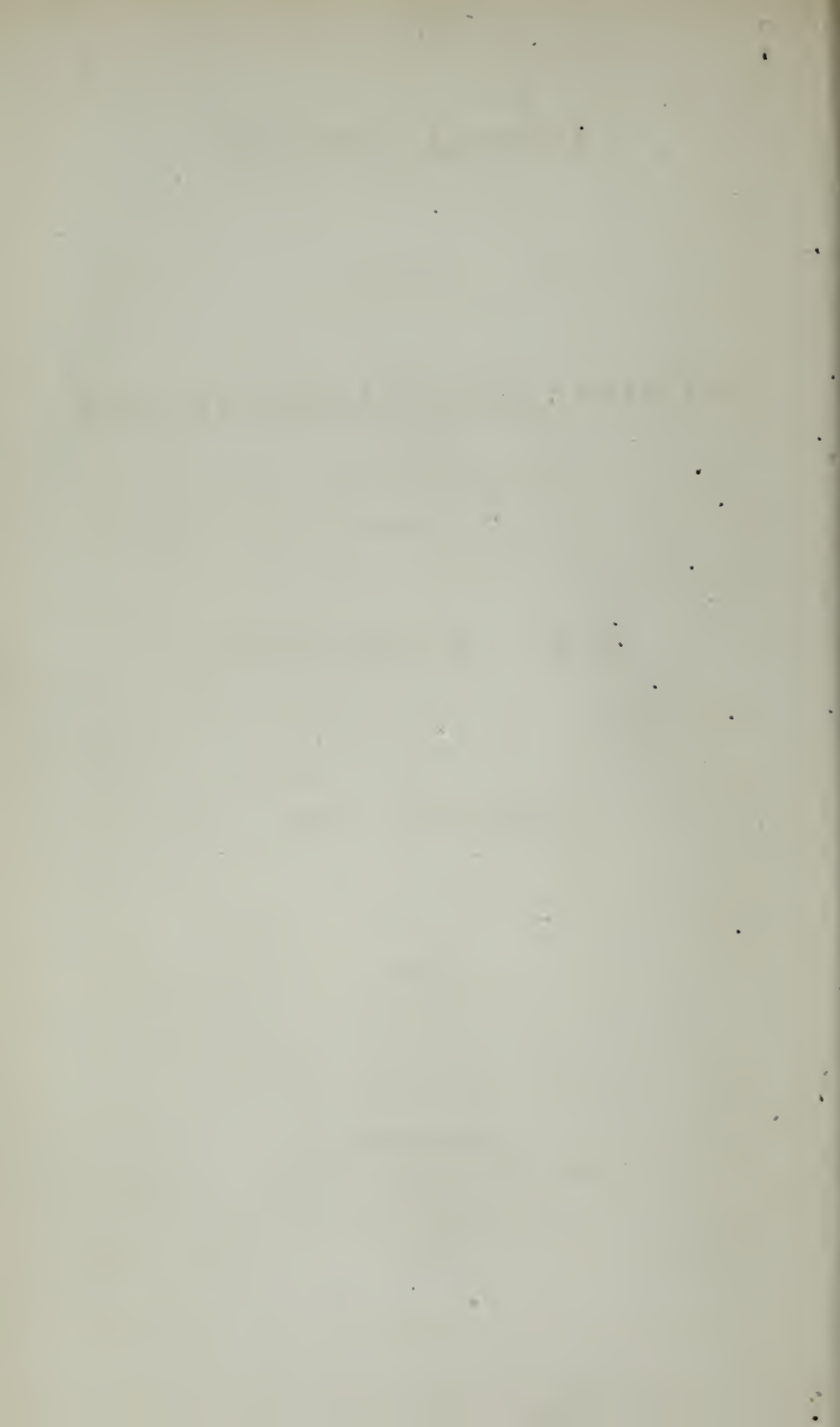


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REPORT.

THE Committee chosen to examine and audit the Town Treasurer's accounts have attended to their duty, and beg leave to submit the following Report.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
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| Amount received from C. Heard, Collector of Taxes for 1842, | \$ 529 74 |
| Amount received from C. Warren, Collector of Taxes for 1844, | 800 00 |
| Amount received from C. Warren, Collector of Taxes for 1845, | 4,200 00 |
| Amount received from S. D. Ruggles, Collector of Taxes for 1843, | 96 00 |
| Amount received for support of State Paupers, 1844, | 30 59 |
| “ borrowed of the Bank of Brighton, | 1,200 00 |
| “ received from Fish Wardens of Charles River for 1844, | 135 30 |
| Amount received for Rent of Town Farm three quarters, | 75 00 |
| Amount received from R. Hunting, for Land sold to C. Brackett, | 149 71 |
| Amount received from C. Heard, for use of Hay Scales for 1844, | 46 00 |
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| Total, | \$ 7,262 34 |

EXPENDITURES.

*Schools.**Amount paid*

| | |
|--|-----------|
| J. Ruggles, as Instructor in Male Department of High School, | \$ 652 27 |
| Miss S. W. Davis, Female Department of do., | 233 00 |
| Miss C. Hastings, as Teacher of Centre District School, | 171 50 |
| Miss L. A. Hall, as Teacher in East District School, 17 weeks, at \$ 4, | 68 00 |
| Miss F. Peabody, as Teacher in East District School, 23 weeks, at \$ 4, | 92 00 |
| Miss N. B. White, as Teacher in District No. 4 School, 10½ weeks, at \$ 4, | 42 00 |
| Miss S. S. Stone, as Teacher in West District School, 26 weeks, at \$ 4, | 104 00 |
| Miss S. L. Holbrook, as Teacher in West District School, 13 weeks, at \$ 4, | 52 00 |
| Miss N. B. Wyman, as Teacher in North District School, 37 weeks, at \$ 4, | 148 00 |
| Abel Rice, as Teacher in North District School, Fuel, &c., for 1844, | 177 31 |
| Rev. J. R. Adams, General School Committee, | 30 00 |
| Rev. F. A. Whitney, " " " | 30 00 |
| A. Rice, Prudential Committee, | 10 00 |
| W. R. Champney, " " " | 10 00 |
| J. M. Pierce, " " " | 10 00 |
| J. Gordon, " " " | 10 00 |
| W. Fletcher, making fires for High School, &c., | 13 12 |
| W. R. Champney, " Fuel, &c., West School, | 15 24 |
| J. M. Pierce, " " Centre " | 15 83 |
| A. Rice, " " North " | 6 25 |
| J. Gordon, Sundries for East School, | 11 96 |
| A. Rice, " North " | 6 96 |
| For Fuel for Schools, | 59 71 |

Total,

\$ 1,969 15

*Support of Poor.**Amount paid*

| | |
|--|-----------|
| E. Whitney, Bill of Board, &c., | \$ 189 80 |
| J. Shackford, Bill of Board, | 13 57 |
| E. C. Sparhawk, for amount paid, sundry Bills, | 120 30 |
| N. Worcester's Bill, | 4 00 |
| G. Jackson's Bill, | 6 71 |
| W. Fletcher's Bill, Funeral Expenses, | 17 75 |
| T. W. Herrick, for amount paid, sundry Bills, | 29 25 |
| Kelly & Spring, Bill of Clothing, &c., | 23 14 |
| G. R. Hichborn, Bill of Clothing, &c., | 13 78 |
| J. M. Whittemore's Bill, | 20 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total, | \$ 438 30 |

*Fire Department.**Amount paid*

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| Members of Engine Company No. 1, Poll Tax, | \$ 49 50 |
| W. Fletcher, care of Engine No. 1, | 18 00 |
| C. Warren, Refreshments, &c., | 14 00 |
| D. Tucker's Bill for Leather Preservative, | 7 00 |
| Members of Engine Company No. 2, Poll Tax, | 18 00 |
| H. Darling's Bill of Repairs on No. 2, | 17 18 |
| H. Barker's Bill, Oil, &c., | 13 45 |
| J. Boyd & Sons, Bill of Repairs on No. 2, | 43 33 |
| R. H. Bent, for Horses, No. 2, | 12 00 |
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| Total, | \$ 192 46 |

*Town Officers.**Amount paid*

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| W. R. Champney, Assessor, 23 days, | \$ 46 00 |
| E. Wheeler, " 20 " | 40 00 |
| A. Everett, " 20 " | 40 00 |
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| Total, | \$ 126 00 |

*Miscellaneous.**Amount paid*

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| Treasurer, Balance due April 8, 1845, | \$ 847 88 |
| C. Heard, Abatement of Taxes, 1842, | 66 80 |
| “ Non-resident Taxes, | 15 50 |
| “ Premium and Discount, 1842, | 421 75 |
| R. Gove, 2 Bills for Hoisting Draw, | 96 50 |
| J. Keating's Bill for Stone Work, | 15 00 |
| A. Brown, for Rent, 1844, | 40 00 |
| W. B. Dudley's Bill for Guide-board, | 3 00 |
| W. R. Champney, for Labor on South Street, | 20 63 |
| Mrs. A. Winship, for Rent, | 20 00 |
| E. Wheeler's Bill, | 5 00 |
| E. B. Bogle's Bill for Ladders, Painting, &c. | 9 50 |
| Cattle-Fair Hotel Corporation, for Land, | 225 00 |
| Bank of Brighton, Note and Interest, | 1,238 72 |
| J. Prescott's Bill, Making Fence on Cambridge Street, | 25 13 |
| W. Warren, for Land on Rockland Street, | 20 00 |
| “ Postage, | 1 62 |
| “ Recording Births and Deaths, | 6 72 |
| First Parish, Ringing Bell, | 28 50 |
| T. Munroe's Bill for Stone Work, | 25 06 |
| Z. L. Raymond, 2 Bills of Cash paid out for Town, | 42 50 |
| H. H. Larnard, Non-resident Taxes, | 14 00 |
| W. B. Dudley's Bill, Labor, | 10 33 |
| J. Stone, Non-resident Taxes, | 15 22 |
| Smith & Gooch, Lumber, | 28 84 |
| J. Huse, 1 Cylinder Stove, | 6 00 |
| C. D. Hardy, for Land, | 10 00 |
| T. W. Herrick's Bill, for Lumber, | 52 09 |
| E. Sparhawk, for Gravel, | 5 81 |
| Metcalf & Co., for Printing, | 42 50 |
| Adams & Hammond, for 1 Safe, | 155 20 |
| C. White, 2 Bills, | 22 04 |
| E. F. Woodard's Bill, for Surveying, | 1 50 |
| Ellis & Dearborn's Bill, Painting, | 5 79 |

 Amount carried forward,

\$ 3,544 13

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| Amount brought forward, | \$ 3,544 13 |
| State Tax, | 120 75 |
| A. Brown, for Rent, 1845, | 40 00 |
| N. Wentworth's Bill, | 2 00 |
| J. Osborn's Bill, Setting Glass, | 11 13 |
| H. H. Larnard's Bill, for Posts, | 3 16 |
| C. Heard's Bill, | 5 75 |
| W. Warren, Stationery, | 6 11 |
| J. Munroe's Bill, Book, &c., | 3 42 |
| W. Warren's Bill, Medicine, | 8 23 |
| T. W. Herrick's Bill, for Lumber, &c., | 17 15 |
| Town of Cambridge, for Repairs on Bridges, | 283 09 |
| B. Holton, Gravel, | 10 70 |
| G. R. Hichborn's Bill, | 3 50 |
| A. Richards, Non-resident Taxes, | 14 00 |
| " Gravel, and extra Work on Highway, | 36 80 |
| W. Warren, Non-resident Taxes, | 14 00 |
| T. Munroe's Bill for Stone Work on Rockland Street, | 10 00 |
| C. Brackett's Bill, for Fuel for Town House, | 48 57 |
| R. H. Bent, for Teaming, | 8 00 |
| Interest upon Notes, | 702 00 |
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| Total, | \$ 4,892 49 |

Town Debt, February 25, 1846.

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| Two Notes, S. H. Bennett, | \$ 4,000 00 |
| " S. S. Larnard, | 1,500 00 |
| One Note, H. Pierce, | 1,000 00 |
| " E. Kendall, | 1,000 00 |
| " S. Kendall, | 1,000 00 |
| " L. A. Pratt, | 500 00 |
| " C. Blodgett, | 200 00 |
| " Mrs. Hastings, | 500 00 |
| Two Notes, G. H. Brooks, | 1,500 00 |
| One Note, Mrs. Blodgett, | 500 00 |
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| Total, | \$ 11,700 00 |

Recapitulation.

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| Total amount of Expenditures, | \$ 7,618 40 |
| “ “ Receipts, | 7,262 34 |
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| Balance due Treasurer, February 25, 1846, | \$ 356 06 |
| “ “ Sundry Notes against Town, | 11,700 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 12,056 06 |
| Balance due the Town from C. Warren, exclusive of Abatements and Premiums, 1845, | \$ 1,303 41 |
| Balance due the Town from C. Warren, 1844, | 368 88 |
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| | \$ 1,672 29 |
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| Total Amount of Town Debt, February 25, 1846, | \$ 10,383 77 |
| Amount of Town Debt, April 8, 1845, | \$ 11,569 00 |
| “ “ February 25, 1846, | 10,383 77 |
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| Reduction of Debt the last year, | \$ 1,185 23 |

Your Committee find the Accounts of the Treasurer correctly kept, and proper vouchers in his hands for all expenditures the past year; and in their opinion the Treasurer has discharged the duties of his office in a manner that is highly honorable to himself, and to the credit of the town.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. BROOKS, }
JESSE OSBORN, } *Auditors.*

Brighton, February 25, 1846.

