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# THIRTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

# TOWN OF DORCHESTER,

WITH REPORTS OF THE

# SELECTMEN, AND OTHER TOWN OFFICERS,

FOR THE

Year ending January 31, 1869.



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# REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

The Thirty-First Annual Report of the receipts and expenditures of the Town of Dorchester, being for the year ending January 31st, 1869, is herewith presented.

# Schools.

The expenditures by order of the School

Committee have been,	•	•	•	\$49,108	15
Appropriations for the same,	•			47,000	00
Income from School Funds,	•		•	1,658	88

# POOR IN ALMSHOUSE.

The provision made for the support of its inmates are creditable to the town. The keeper, Mr. Spear, and his wife, the matron, have earned the hearty approval of the Board by their faithful and successful endeavors in discharge of the varied duties that from time to time have devolved upon them. Good order and a thorough discipline have uniformly prevailed, while those under their charge have been kindly dealt with and cared for. Twenty persons have been admitted during the year, ten discharged, and six deceased; present number of inmates, seventeen, including one who, for several years, has been at the Insane Hospital in Boston, whose removal was advised by its superintendent. Permits have been given to three hundred and ninety-six transient comers for meals and lodgings.

# POOR OUT OF THE ALMSHOUSE.

The amount expended during the year has been \$3,150.64; of this amount \$250 is due from other towns.

# INSANE AT HOSPITALS.

The number of persons supported by the town the past year is seven, viz.: at Taunton, four; at Worcester, two; at Northampton, one.

# HIGHWAYS.

At the beginning of the municipal year, the duty of superintending the repairs on all the streets in town was assigned to Mr. Ruggles, who has given to it a large amount of time and attention. This order has been strictly adhered to except at Port Norfolk and Neponset. Considerable attention has been given to the making and repair of sidewalks, and much more is needed. A large outlay has been required in rebuilding old culverts and building new ones. The disposal of surface-water, which is of the first importance, is growing to be more and more difficult, for as streets become thickly built upon, old outlets are closed and new ones must be provided; hence the necessity of under-drainage. Bird Street, extending from Columbia to Myrtle Street, has been widened, as by vote of the town authorizing the same, the abutters for the most part giving the land, and but little work is now required for its completion. The widening and extension of Crescent Avenue, Plain and Chickataubut Streets have been adjudged necessary, the abutters, with but a trivial exception, giving the land, all of which will be reported upon at a future time, with their proper boundaries.

Important widenings have been ordered by the County Commissioners. That on Hancock Street has been commenced; also on the corner of Commercial Street near Pleasant Street. The widening on Cottage Street has been adjudged necessary, but as yet no report has been made. The laying out of Quincy Street from Bellevue Street to the Boston line is decided upon; an agreement has been made with the Boston, Hartford & Erie Railroad Company to build a new bridge and furnish sufficient means of drainage to enable the town to complete the work the coming season. Adams Street, from Lower Mills to Minot Street, has been widened, and a portion of its location entirely changed, so as to make desirable addition of ground to the new cemetery. Minot Street has been widened its entire length, and work on the same commenced. Arrangements have been made with the Old Colony and Newport Railway Company to have gates placed at the crossings of all principal streets, and also for the same thing with the Boston, Hartford & Erie Railroad Company, together with the rebuilding and widening of the bridges on Harvard and Norfolk Streets.

## CEMETERIES.

By the laying out of walks, and other work done, their general appearance has been improved. At the North Cemetery iron gates have been placed at each entrance. Thirty-seven lots have been laid out and prepared, twelve of which have been taken. A new tight board fence has been built on the southerly line.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The department has been improved during the year by the addition of a Hook and Ladder Truck, located on Meeting-House Hill. Seven hundred feet of leading hose have been purchased and distributed among the different companies. The chief engineer reports the department in good condition.

# LIGHTING STREETS.

We have expended for lighting streets the past year \$5,217.90. The number of lamps now lighted is 151. An arrangement has been made with the gas company to burn the lamps until twelve o'clock.

## STATE AID.

The amount expended by the Treasurer the past year is \$4,439.00. Under the present law payments are made only to pensioners.

# TAXES.

The collector has been as prompt in collecting and paying over as in former years. Of the amount raised this year, \$192,176.92, the town of Hyde Park has paid \$2,425.32, being their proportion of the State and County tax; of the balance, \$189,751.60, Mr. Hebard has collected a large proportion and promptly paid over to the Treasurer.

# POLICE AND WATCH.

The usual Sunday police has been placed along or near the Dorchester and Boston line, extending from Harvard Street to Savin Hill, a portion of the year, and at other points where considered necessary the entire year. A night-watch is required at several points in the town for two nights in the week all the year through, and occasionally oftener. Early in the autumn, when several burglaries were committed by breaking into houses in the night time, at the request of citizens the watch was enlarged and kept on every night for a time, but discontinued as soon as was deemed expedient. The commitments to the lock-up in the year have been one hundred and twenty-two, most of which have been for disorderly conduct and disturbing the peace.

## EXTRAORDINARY EXPENSES.

The repairs and alterations on Neponset Bridge and Avenue have been unavoidable; the latter is now filled out to the commissioners' line and safely fenced. The bridge has required considerable repair to make it safe for the heavy travel that passes over it. High and Water Streets, at Port Norfolk, have been considerably improved by cutting down, and a portion of the material thus obtained has been used to good advantage by the raising of Tenean Road, which had been badly exposed to the wash of high tides. It has been planked on each side below the filling, and a good fence built. The new road leading from Commercial Point to Mill Street, was also in bad condition from the same cause. Over two thousand loads of gravel were required to bring it to proper height, at a cost of from seven to eight hundred dollars for labor and material. These roads, or a portion of them, are built on salt marsh, and liable in several places to settle for some time to come; consequently care should be taken that they are kept at proper level, for the flowage of even one tide would be likely to make breaches costly to repair. The rocks projecting into the street at the southerly end of Dorchester Avenue have been removed, by blasting, back to the line, and a suitable wall built, the whole cost estimated at \$1,200. A large culvert has been built from Dorchester Avenue, near Linden Street, to the tidewater at Commercial Street. The whole cost of stone and labor for the same was \$1,200. The expenditures on Richmond Street above the appropriation were occasioned by the great amount of rock which required blasting, more than was anticipated when commenced. The filling of the pond on Pond Street is estimated to have cost, for material and labor, \$700. The Town House has been newly shingled, and other ways improved, and a new furnace set; the whole cost of improvements, \$1,084.56.

#### POND STREET.

The stagnant pond of water on this street has, by request, been filled nearly to a level with the street, and making something more than 9,000 feet of land which the abutters would like to purchase, and as it is not wanted by the town, and will probably bring more than the cost of filling, we recommend that it be sold.

#### RESERVOIRS.

Four brick and stone reservoirs have been built in a most thorough and substantial manner; one on Sumner Street, near the junction of Stoughton Street, one at Field's Corner, which was not quite completed on account of the wet season, one at Neponset, and one at Port Norfolk, holding about 30,000 gallons each; also two wooden tanks, one in the brook at Cottage Street, and one in Roxbury Brook, at the extreme north-westerly section of the town. There are other sections where they seem needed.

#### HYDE PARK LINE.

By an Act of the Legislature, passed in April last, portions of the towns of Dorchester, Milton and Dedham were set off and the town of Hyde Park established. The boundary line between the towns of Hyde Park and Dorchester has been established and run, a survey and plan of the same made and placed on file, and stone posts erected at several points thereon.

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## GRAVEL LAND.

A lot of land has been purchased near Ashmont Street for the gravel, on favorable terms; less than it will be likely to sell for after the gravel is removed.

#### FLAGSTAFF.

A new flagstaff has been erected on Meeting-House Hill, in accordance with the vote of the town, in place of the one presented by the late Enoch Train, which was destroyed by lightning some two years since.

## Engine-House No. 3.

This building has always stood on leased land, and being obliged to remove it a lot was purchased on Harvard Street, where it now stands. The cost of land, removal and repairs amount to \$1,773.68. A good building lot on the street can be disposed of without injury to the remainder.

## LAND AND ENGINE-HOUSE AT LOWER MILLS.

A lot of land was bought on Dorchester Avenue at a cost of \$550; grading the same, \$200; but being able soon after to procure another lot more central, this was sold for what it cost, \$750, and the lot on the corner of River and Temple Streets purchased for \$977. A brick engine-house is being built thereon.

## HOOK AND LADDER HOUSE.

A good hook and ladder house has been erected on land belonging to the town, on Meeting-House Hill, at a cost of \$2,680.15. A more full account of the receipts and expenditures for the current year is herewith annexed.

Respectfully submitted.

JNO. H. ROBINSON, E. H. R. RUGGLES, CHARLES HUNT, Selectmen of Dorchester.

DORCHESTER, February 1, 1869.

# RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

# SCHOOLS.

HIGH SCHOOL-GIBSON STREET.

Paid	Elbridge Smith, for teaching, .				\$2,250	00
	Mary W. Hall, " " .				833	33
	C. A. Raymond, " " .		•		833	33
	M. A. Bailey, instructing in drawing,				350	00
	E. Smith, books for desk,				10	40
	E. Smith, " pupils,				10	37
	E. Smith, chemicals,				31	17
	E. Smith, books for library,				10	15
	Lee & Shepard, books for library,				21	15
	Little, Brown & Co., books for library	γ,			60	40
	N. H. Bird, care of house,	•			147	92
	N. H. Bird, repairing desks,				52	00
	N. H. Bird, extra work,				37	54
	J. D. Robinson, wood and coal, .				171	87
	W. O. Haskell, desks,				748	65
	T. Groom & Co., ink wells, .				20	19
	H. Howe, repairs,				5	50
	J. F. Hewins & Co., brushes and mat	s,			5	25
	H. Wilde, use and tuning piano, .				9	00
	E. Clapp, crayons, ink, &c., .				12	01
	J. Pratt, carriages,				6	00
	E. L. Day, cards,				4	30
	Smith & Porter, printing,				15	50
	J. G. Albright, labor and stock, .				74	30
	E. Merrill, Jr., " " .				18	67
	C. P. Tolman, repairs,					63
	E. P. Dutton & Co., books for library	,.		•	9	60
	J. H. Means, " "				6	30
	Freeman & McIntire, plastering, .				10	00
	J. P. Tolman, furnace, appendages an	d rep	airs,		280	19
						70

\$6,045 72

EVERETT	SCHOOL-SUMNER	STREET.
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Paid R. F. Alger,	for t	teachin	1g.					\$1,533	33
M. W. Brooks,	"	66	8,					500	
M. C. Jacobs,	"	"						500	
M. A. Jenkins,	"	٤٢						- 483	32
F. L. Etheridge,	"	66						482	84
E. A. Fitch,	"	"						. 416	66
E. J. Parker,	"	"						235	90
E. M. Brooks,	"	"						187	50
E. W. Bird,	"	"					•	42	28
M. G. Jacobs,	"	"						30	28
M. E. Drake,	"	"						15	38
R. F. Alger, rep	orts,	&c.,						3	75
M. C. Jacobs, ru	bbers	\$,						1	00
M. W. Brooks, r	eport	s and	merit	ts,				2	00
J. H. Upham &	Co., 1	books	for d	esk,					55
J. H. Upham &	Со.,	"	p	upils,				6	98
J. H. Upham &	Co.,	crayon	s, du	sters,	ink,	&c.,		15	69
H. Wilde, books	for o	lesk,	•					<b>2</b>	80
H. Wilde,	" ]	oupils,				•		3	20
H. Wilde, tuning	g pia	no,					•	3	00
L. Connor, care	of ho	use,		•		•		162	50
L. Connor, clean	ing s	and rep	oairs,	•	•		•	52	30
L. Connor, extra	wor	k,			•		•	36	49
J. D. Robinson,					•			388	74
E. P. Dutton &	Со.,	diction	nary,	•	•	•	•		00
J. B. Graham, g	lazing	<b>,</b>		•	•			1	55
D. C. Hazen, rep		0	ks,	•	•	• '	•	3	50
Geo. Fowler, va		-	•	•	•	•	•	9	00
C. Bird & Co., r				е,	•	•	•		45
J. G. Albright, l	abor		ock,	•	•	•	•		37
J. H. Bird,	"	66		•	•	•	•	11	00
N. F. Smalley, 1						•	•	52	60
E. McKechnie, r	-	s on re	oof a	nd de	sks,	•	•	25	
J. L. Ross, sette		•	•	•	•	•	•		00
L. Titus & Co.,	labor	and s	tock,	•	•	•	•	17	00
								\$5,324	96
MATHER	SCH	00LI	HEET	ING-H	OUSE	HILL			
Paid Daniel B. Hubb								\$1,600	00
R. V. Humphre		"	ع در	5 <b>7</b>				500	
-							• -		
Amount carried	forw	ard,	•	•	•	•	•	· \$2,100	00

Amount brought forward,	\$2,100 00
Paid E. S. Jones, for teaching,	500 00
M. P. Pronk, " "	500 00
I. Bonney, " "	416 67
E. L. Howe, " "	416 67
A. L. Jenkins, " "	356 09
M. E. Drake, " "	$133 \ 33$
A. L. Bowker, " "	$54 \ 44$
M. W. Childs, " "	$38 \ 45$
D. B. Hubbard, books for desk,	10 75
D. B. Hubbard, " pupils,	41 00
E. S. Jones, ""	<b>1</b> 35
E. S. Jones, merits,	1 44
A. L. Bowker, merits,	1 00
H. Wilde, books for pupils,	41 80
H. Wilde, " desk,	80
B. C. Bird, care of house,	187 50
B. C. Bird, steps and repairs,	$4 \ 00$
Mrs. Heubener, cleaning,	$37 \ 00$
J. D. Robinson, wood and coal,	386 57
I. Foster, mats, dusters, pails, &c.,	27  10
J. H. Upham & Co., mats, dusters, pails, &c.,	15 94
J. H. Upham & Co., books for pupils, .	$14 \ 98$
J. H. Upham & Co., " desks,	5 85
E. McKechnie, labor and stock,	$50 \ 50$
<b>T.</b> Kenney, labor,	$11 \ 60$
W. H. H. Young, cleaning vaults,	$30 \ 00$
J. W. Howe, glazing,	$10 \ 96$
W. Jones, repairs,	$5\ 25$
J. P. Tolman, repairs on furnace,	28 80
	05 400 P4
	\$5,429 84
ADAMS SCHOOL-ADAMS STREET.	
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Paid E. T. Horn,	for	teaching,				\$1,600	00
A. Tolman,	"	"				500	00
M. E. Noyes,	"	"				500	00
A. M. Gilbert,	"	"				500	00
S. E. Hearsey,	"	"				500	00
M. C. Weymouth,	"	66				333	33
M. A. Emery,	"	"	•	•	•	333	32
Amount carried for	nna	rd.				\$4.266	65

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Amount brought forward,	• •	•	•	•	\$4,266	
M. Foster, for teaching,	•	•			250	00
M. W. Childs, "					133	33
E. T. Horn, bell and eraser,					2	75
E. T. Horn, books for desk,			-		1	90
E. T. Horn, " pupils	š, .				2	<b>1</b> 4
A. Tolman, " "	· .				5	55
A. Tolman, " desk,						35
M. E. Noyes, " "						65
M. E. Noyes, " pupils					4	50
S. E. Hearsey, "	, .	•	· ·	•		90
M. A. Emery, "	•	•	•	•	-	35
A. M. Gilbert, " desk,	•	•	•	•	1	00
M. C. Weymouth, books for	doalz	•	•	•	1	60
	desk,	•	•	•	960	
H. Howe, care of house,	• •	•	•	•	268	
H. Howe, extra work,	• •	•	•	•		00
H. Howe, labor and stock,		•	•	•		80
J. D. Robinson, wood and c	oal, .	•	•	•	486	
H. Wilde, tuning piano,	••	•	•	•		00
Nichols & Studley, labor,	•••	•	•	•		25
Snow, Boyden & Knight, in		•	•	•		50
E. Merrill, Jr., repairs on pu	mp, .	•	•	•		50
E. Clapp, ink, crayons, &c.,	•	•	•	•		29
J. P. Tolman, repairs on fur	nace, fi	unnel, e	¢с.,	•	150	79
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					\$5,715	24
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GIBSON SCHOOL-		L STRE	ET.			
Paid W. E. Endicott, for teaching	с <b>,</b> •	•	•	•	\$1,533	
M. J. Homer, ""	•	•	•	•	500	
M. E. Tolman, ""	•	•	•	•	500	
					E 0.0	00
F. E. Harding, ""	•	•	•	•	500	
E. L. Howe, " "	•	•	•	•	466	66
E. L. Howe, " " M. Foster, " "	•	• • •	• • •	•	$\begin{array}{c} 466 \\ 250 \end{array}$	66 00
E. L. Howe, " " M. Foster, " " E. Whittridge, " "	•	• • •	• • •	• • •	466 250 133	66 00 33
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E. L. Howe, "" M. Foster, "" E. Whittridge, "" W. E. Endicott, ink, crayon W. E. Endicott, books for d W. E. Endicott, "p E. L. Howe, " M. Foster, "	esk, . upils, "	•	· · · · · · · · · ·	· · · ·	466 250 133 4 4 2 17 1	66 00 33 49 19 35 71 20 00

Amount brought forward,	\$3,914 26
Paid E. Whittridge, books for desk,	70
E. Whittridge, " pupils,	1 33
H. Wilde, " "	23 20
H. Clarkson, care of house and cleaning, .	180 50
J. D. Robinson, wood and coal,	$275 \ 25$
J. C. Hewins, repairs,	4 50
J. S. Caswell, glazing,	9 00
J. F. Hewins, brushes and mats,	3 70
J. J. Beals & Co., repairs on clock,	13 50
Thos. Payson, labor and stone,	83 50
Wm. Withington, repairs,	60 87
W. H. H. Young, cleaning vaults,	60 00
Beal & Hooper, chairs,	15 00
C. P. Tolman, repairs on furnace, funnel, &c.,	$33 \ 45$
G. Ewell, labor and stock,	162 90

\$4,841 66

WINTHROP SCHOOL-RIVER STREET.

Paid Isaac Swan,	for	teaching	<b>,</b> .					\$1,533	33
E. J. Stetson,	"	"	•					500	
E. M. Durell,	"	"						500	00
H. E. Pratt,	"	"						500	00
S. L. Pope,	"	"						425	00
M. T. French,	"	"						266	67
R. E. Robie,	"	"	•		•			160	25
B. A. Worsley	, "	"						133	33
E. W. Nason,	"	"	• •					228	81
A. E. Church,	"	"						103	88
Isaac Swan, be	ooks	s for desk	·, •					7	68
Isaac Swan, be	ooka	s for pup	ils,		•			8	77
Isaac Swan, in	k, e	erayons, b	$\operatorname{orush}$	es, d	ec.,			18	48
H. Wilde, boo	ks f	or pupils	, •				•	13	40
H. Wilde, tun	ing	piano,	•					2	25
M. Taylor, car	e o	f house,						175	00
M. Taylor, rep	airs	·, ·						12	03
M. Taylor, ext	tra v	work,						49	53
J. D. Robinson	n, w	ood and	coal,		•			362	09
J. C. Talbot, r	nats	, dusters,	, shor	vels,	&c.,	•		<b>1</b> 6	09
P. Follen, clea	nin	g vaults,				•		9	00
							-		
Amount carrie	d f d	prward,	•	•	•		•	\$5,025	59

Amount brought forward, .		•	\$5,025 59
Paid Potter, Drake & Co., repairing clock,			3.00
			26 97
J. J. Beals & Co., clock,			15 00
H. Crane, repairing lightning rod,			2 00
C. Tileston, brushes, dippers, &c.,			18 56
E. P. Dutton & Co., books,			9 17

\$5,100 29

NORFOLK SCHOOL-NORFOLK STREET.

Paid H. Wardwell, for teaching, .					\$1,533	33
M. A. Baker, " " .					500	00
C. E. Cook, " " .		•			500	00
H. Wardwell, care of house,					38	33
H. Wardwell, ink, brushes, &	з., .		•		1	15
H. Wardwell, books for pupils	3, .	•	•		8	<b>22</b>
H. Wardwell, " desk,	•	•	•		6	63
C. E. Cook, " "	•	•	•	•	1	60
H. Wilde, " pupils	s, .	•		•	<b>2</b>	40
J. Bascom, care of house, .	•		•	•	11	25
William Clark, making fires a	nd care	of	house,	•	75	00
William Clark, repairs,	•		• •	•	21	50
J. D. Robinson, wood and coa	ıl, .	•		•	85	50
T. W. Capen, repairs on clock	ς, .	•		•	3	00
C. P. Tolman, repairs, linings	, &c.,	•	•	•	14	75
C. Tileston, repairs,	•	•	•	•	4	00

# \$2,806 66

WASHINGTON SCHOOL-WALNUT STREET.

Paid J. T. Ward, Jr.,	for	teaching,					\$1,533	33
A. L. B. Deans,	"	"	•			•	500	00
J. M. Seaverns,	"	66					500	00
M. A. Robinson,	"	"					500	00
F. E. Hildreth,	"	"					500	00
I. F. P. Emery,	"	٠٠					466	66
L. B. Thomson,	"	66					304	53
J. S. Burchsted,	"	"					106	00
J. T. Ward, Jr.,	rubl	bers, inkwe	lls, d	¢с.,			43	27
J. T. Ward, Jr.,	ink,	crayons, &	бС.,	•	•	•	5	57
Amount carried	fori	card, .				-	\$4,459	36

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Amount brought forward,			\$4,459	36
Paid J. T. Ward, Jr., books for desk,	•		7	72
J. T. Ward, Jr., " pupils, .			11	36
H. Wilde, ""···			32	60
A. L. B. Deans, " "			2	50
M. A. Robinson, ""			<b>2</b>	80
L. B. Thomson, merits,			1	00
L. B. Thomson, expenses visiting schools,			3	00
I. F. P. Emery, " " "			8	00
J. D. Hill, care of house,			175	00
J. D. Hill, extra work and cleaning, .			41	78
J. D. Robinson, wood and coal,			361	42
E. A. Perkins, labor and stock,			1,590	27
G. G. Dennison, labor and stock, .			232	98
J. L. Ross, furniture,			278	50
Beal & Hooper, chairs and sinks,			63	50
E. F. Field, galvanized pipe, and labor,			146	19
G. W. Perry, repairs on pump and fence,			39	50
E. Preston, mats, dusters, brushes, &c.,	•		33	80
J. J. Beals & Co., clocks,			45	00
J. J. Beals & Co., repairs,			2	50
H. Wilde, tuning piano,			5	25
E. Merrill, Jr., repairing pump,			3	00
H. W. Blanchard, repairs,			14	90
Pratt & Hartshorn, expressage,			7	50
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\$7,569 43

BOWDOIN SCHOOL-COLUMBIA STREET.

Paid	I Jane E. Upham, for teaching,			\$478	82
	E. S. Wales, " "			377	<b>1</b> 4
	C. E. Baldwin, " "			103	85
	J. E. Upham, care of house,		•	47	50
	J. E. Upham, books for desk,			- 3	18
	J. E. Upham, " pupils,			8	75
	J. E. Upham, ink, crayons, &c.,			1	60
	C. E. Baldwin, books for desk,				68
	C. E. Baldwin, " pupils,			1	78
	E. S. Wales, care of house, .			20	00
	J. D. Robinson, wood and coal,			53	30
	J. S. Caswell, glazing,	•		6	62
	Amount carried forward,		. 4	\$1,103	22

Amount brought forward,		\$1,103 22
Paid J. F. Hewins, mats, dusters, brushes, &c.,		14 85
W. Withington, repairs,		3 89
J. H. Alden, "		2 50
C. P. Tolman, grates, and repairs,		21 75
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\$1,146 21

### STOUGHTON SCHOOL-CODMAN STREET.

Paid Mary J. Pope, for teaching, .				\$500	00
Mary J. Pope, books for pupils,				4	35
Mary J. Pope, " desk,				1	50
Mary J. Pope, ink, crayons, &c.,				3	30
Milton James, care of house,				80	00
Milton James, extra work,				8	13
J. D. Robinson, fuel,				40	25
G. G. Dennison, painting, .				<b>2</b>	86
C. P. Tolman, repairing and clean	ning	stove	s,	7	25
	Ŭ				
				\$647	64

HYDE PARK SCHOOL-HYDE PARK AVENUE.

Paid E. M. Lancaster,	for teacl	hing, .		\$461 54
M. H. Payson,	_ " "	· · ·		153 85
E. H. Page,	"	۰. ۱		153 85
S. M. Vose,	"	٠    .		138 46
C. P. R. Nightingale	,	· .		58 25
A. M. Gilpatrick,		۰. ۱		56 41
M. E. Noble, books f	or pupils,			12 17
S. M. Vose, "	<b>.</b>			2 90
E. M. Lancaster, "	"			2 50
E. M. Lancaster, "	desk,			3 00
E. M. Lancaster, ink,				2 00
G. W. Rollins, care o	f house,			45 00
H. Wilde, books for	pupils, .			7 20
S. P. Blodgett, fuel,	• •			40 00
B. C. Vose, furniture				18 00
Crimmett's Express,	expressag	;e,		1 25
G. C. Angell, glazing				10 50
B. Swan, carting,				4 00
E. Clapp, ink, crayon	is, &c., .			85
H. Wilde, tuning pia				3 00

\$1,174 73

# GENERAL EXPENSES OF SCHOOLS.

Paid H Wilde instructing in music

Paid H. Wilde, instructing in music, .	•	•	•	\$1,066	66
W. G. H. Smart, instructing in writin	g,			1,200	00
H. Wilde, use of piano,	•			6	00
B. W. Barrows, services as secretary,				75	00
B. W. Barrows, examining schools,				49	00
B. W. Barrows, stationery and postag	e,			9	00
J. S. Greene, " " "	•			1	30
J. S. Greene, services as secretary,				50	00
W. Withington, services on Finance (	Comn	aitte	e,	150	00
O. Ditson & Co., charts,				80	00
J. Wilson & Son, printing annual repo	ort			146	42
D. Clapp & Son, printing,		•		21	75
Dorchester Gas Co., gas,				3	00
W. Withington, expressage, .				2	00
Finnley's Express, "				3	25
Beal's Express, "				11	60
H. A. Clapp, examining schools, .				21	00
Wm. Pope, expense of festival, .		•		291	29
Henry Crane, carriages for festival,				12	00
A. P. Wheelock, """"			•	15	00
F. Holden, """.				23	00
Bird Brothers, collation for candidates	3,			10	00
Proprietors Lyceum Hall, rent, .				15	00
E. Clapp, dictionaries,				21	00
Woodman & Hammett, slates, .				22	50
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				\$3,305	11
Total expenditures,	•	•	•	\$49,108	15
CREDIT.					
By appropriation,	\$47,	000	00		
By income Gibson School Fund,		860			
" " Stoughton " "		308	00		
" " State " "		488	66		
Received of C. Hill, for clock,		2	00		
Exceeds appropriation,		<b>4</b> 49	27		
				\$49,108	15

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Schools.	Salaries.	Fuel and care of house.	Stationery and Books for desks.	Books for In- digent Pu- pils.	Incidental.	Total.
High,	\$4,266 66	\$357 33	\$10 40	\$10 37	\$1,400 96	\$6,045 72
Everett,	4,427 49	603 54	8 35	10 18	275 40	5,324 96
Mather,	4,515 65	611 07	11 55	84 15	207 42	5,429 84
Adams,	4,650 08	755 44	8 50	17 09	284 13	5,715 24
Gibson,	3,883 32	455 75	5 89	45 79	450 91	4,841 66
Winthrop,	4,351 27	586 62	7 68	22 17	132 55	5,100 29
Norfolk,	2,533 33	210 08	8 23	10 62	44 40	2,806 66
Washington, .	4,410 52	578 20	7 72	49 26	2,523 73	7,569 43
Bowdoin,	959 81	120 80	3 86	10 53	• 51 21	1,146 21
Stoughton,	500 00	128 38	1 50	4 35	13 41	647 64
Hyde Park,	1,022 36	85 00	3 00	14 59	49 78	1,174 73
General Expenses,	2,266 66	-	-	-	1,039 11	3,305 77
Totals,	\$37,787 15	\$4,492 21	\$76 68	\$279 10	\$6,473 01	\$49,108 15

RECAPITULATION OF SCHOOL EXPENSES.

# POOR IN THE ALMSHOUSE.

Charles Spear and matron, servi	ices,					\$500 00
Charles Spear, provisions and su	uppli	ies,			•	$226 \ 36$
G. H. Richards, clothing, .		•				82 00
Eldridge & Co., boots and shoes	s, .					64 50
J. D. Whorf, provisions, .	•					157 84
TT TT TD. 1. //						136 64
E. Holden & Son, "						236 59
G. Glover, "						70 66
Bird Brothers, "						162 49
J. H. Upham & Co., groceries,						291 66
E. Preston, "						263 00
T. Payson, "						210 39
F. Farrington, "						122 45
Harding & Wilbar, "				į		177 57
I. Foster, "				į		178 02
C. Cunningham, labor, .			÷			55 16
J. Sanborn, medicines,			÷		•	28 73
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Amount carried forward	',		•			\$2,964 06

Amount brought forward, .				\$2,964	06
Metcalf & Co., medicines,				3	65
C. E. Stedman, professional service	s, .			118	00
C. Wesselhoeft, " "				14	00
S. W. Leonard, boots and shoes,				41	20
J. D. Robinson, coal,				230	47
Gas Co., gas,				43	90
A. Polson, fish,				8	10
Mary Dole, labor,				33	00
C. A. Moore, "				99	00
C. Power, "				52	00
J. T. Howe, stock,				<b>2</b>	00
Markham & Merrill, repairs,				3	50
H. G. Brigham, ice,				30	30
T. White, services,				5	00
R. C. Humphreys, Treasurer, rent,				25	00
O. Baird, pumps and labor,				72	46
D. Hart, pigs,				25	06
B. Swan, "				12	00
M. Dill, clothing,				2	25
J. W. Lawler, oil,				1	00
W. & A. Bacon, dry goods,				91	36
H. N. Holt, potatoes,				52	50
H. N. Stone, repairs,	Ο.			$^{2}$	75
E. Bird, funeral expenses of inmate	es, .			69	00
C. Spear, paid nurse,	· .			10	00
King & Nason, ice,				15	00
E. H. R. Ruggles, hay,				10	45
O. Carten, butter,				29	15
Goss, Doe & Co., butter,		-		26	75
C. P. Tolman, stove, tinware, and	repairs,			149	72
P. Collins, killing swine,	•			8	00
A. C. Southworth, medicines.				11	12
A. P. Bent, fish,				16	00
J. Shepard, bread,				18	91
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				\$4,296	
Unexpended	•	•	•	630	21
				\$4,926	81
				\$1,020	01

By appro	opriation,				•				\$4,000	00
Cash	received	for	board	,					271	00
"	66	for	milk,				•		246	33
"	"	for	pastu	rage,				•	66	48
""	"	for	lock-u	p fee	s,				59	00
"	"	for	old ju	ink,					34	00
"	"	for	meals	to lo	dge	rs,			250	00
									\$4.00C	0.1
									\$4,926	01

# POOR OUT OF THE ALMSHOUSE.

Paid	town of Holliston, su	**	•		•	\$135	00
	" " North Bridg	gewate	r, support	t of sund	ry		
`	persons,	•	• •	• •	•		00
	" " Quincy, sup				•	14	
	" " Wrentham,		66	"	•	78	00
	City of Charlestown,		"	۰۵ .		33	00
	State Reform School,	"	"	"	•	90	71
	" Nautical "	"	"	٠		55	14
	" Industrial "	"	"			59	21
	Infant Asylum,	"	"	۰۰ .		40	00
	J. D. Robinson, wood	l and c	cal to sun	dry persor	18,	492	00
	Todd & Gannett, "	"	"			148	38
	R. Gleason, rent of p	oor pei	son, .			93	75
	J. H. Upham & Co.,			persons,		33	85
	H. F. Park,	<i>"</i>	ແ	<b>~</b> "		6	75
	F. Farrington,	"	"	"		156	75
	I. Foster,	"	"	"		3	00
	Harding & Wilbar,	"	"	دد		10	03
	J. E. Hall,	"	"	"		63	00
	J. F. Hewins & Co.,	"	"	"		9	00
	H. Park, Jr.,	"	"	"		· · · · ·	25
	E. Preston.	"	"	"	÷	-	15
	J. C. Talbot,	دد	"	"	÷	10	
	W. A. Bonney,	"	"	"	÷		02
	S. P. Blodgett,	"	"	"	Ċ		62
	C. Spear, provisions t	.0	"	"	•	53	
	F. W. K. Nye, medic		66	"	•		40
	W. H. Swan, cash to	mes to	"	° 66	•		00
	TT. II. Dwain, Cash to				•.	0	
	Amount carried for	rward, .	•		•	\$1,668	57

	Amount brought forward,		\$1,668	57			
	W. Pope, cash to sundry persons,			00			
	W. Tolman, support of sundry persons,		39				
	E. A. Rich, """".		100				
	S. Williams, " " "		156				
	E. Southwick, " " "		30				
	J. H. Robinson, """"	÷	90				
	T. F. Temple, " " " .		39				
	E. H. R. Ruggles, support of sundry persons,		134				
	H. Tolman, care of sundry persons,		24				
	B. S. Hawes, " " "		7				
	C. B. Hill, " "		78				
	C. Balcom, " " "		25	00			
	W. B. Ellis, " " "			00			
	C. Hunt, cash to sundry persons,		8	00			
	C. Tewkesbury, cash to sundry persons, .		25	00			
	N. Tolman, rent,		25	00			
	S. H. Hebard, supplies to sundry persons, .		12	25			
	T. E. Moseley, support of """.		32	50			
	E. Bird, funeral expenses of """.		42	50			
	S. Gleason, " " " "		37	75			
	R. French, " " " "		40	00			
	C. C. Holmes, professional services,		90	00			
	W. C. B. Fifield, " "		20	00			
	C. Wesselhoeft, " "		33	00			
	H. Blanchard, ""····		' 16	00			
	D. D. Gilbert, " "		4	00			
	J. S. Greene, ""····		25	00			
	E. Jarvis, ""····		4	00			
	R. T. Glidden, expenses to Taunton,		14	00			
	J. E. Jones, " to Bridgewater, .		5	00			
	F. Holden, use of carriages removing persons		20	00			
	A. Goss, " " " "		11	00			
	Almshouse, meals to lodgers,		250	00			
			\$3,150	64			
	Unexpended,		368				
	• · ·		02 51	205			
\$3,518 Credit.							
Br	appropriation,		\$3,500	00			
Dy	Cash received of town of Milton,		÷5,000 5				
	" " of D. Ferguson interest,			20			

\$3,518 95

# INSANE AT HOSPITALS.

Paid Taunton Asylum, board of insane,		\$572	86	
Worcester " " "		303	84	
Northampton Asylum, board of insan	ie,	-190	73	
City of Boston, " "		121	00	
	-			
	\$	1,188	43	
Unexpended,		311	57	
				\$1,500 00
CREDIT.				
By appropriation,	•	•	•	\$1,500 00

# HIGHWAYS.

Paid I	abor of	men,	Februar	у, .					\$1,154	97
	"	٤٥	March,						765	60
	"	"	and tean	ns, Aj	oril,				839	73
	"	"	"		ay,				1,865	69
	"	"	66		ne,				2,414	63
	"	"	٤٢		ıly,				2,689	90
	"	"	٤٢	A	ugus	t,			2,150	18
	66	"	٠٠			nber,			1,529	00
	"	"	"		ctobe				1,085	21
	"	66	ډډ	N	oven	aber,			1,101	15
	N. T. R	obinse	on, grain,	, · · ·					2,170	54
			powder		ise,				121	18
	R. Cum	ningh	am, blac	ksmitł	ing,				206	27
	Henry (	Crane,		٤٢	0.				194	65
	J. C. O'	Callih	an,	"					127	96
	J. Hagg	erty,		"					133	80
	Jordan		mon,	66					144	10
	J. C. He	ewins,		۵۵					66	35
	G. W. I	Berry,		٥٥					73	49
•	N. J. TI	homs,		"					31	48
	J. C. Re	obinso	m,	"					19	45
	M. F. V	Veema	an,	"					14	89
	A. Felti	is,	·	"					5	00
	J. D. R	obinso	on, coal f	or cru	sher.	, <b>.</b>			160	96
	Todd &				"	•			18	63
	Page &	Co., 1	belting,	•	•	•	•	•	39	21
	Amou	ent car	ried for	ward,				•	\$19,124	02

Amount brought forward,	. \$19,124	02
Paid Cook, Rymes & Co., repairs on crusher, .	. 54	
Blake Bros., " " .	. 114	
Boston & Albany R. R. Co., freight,		14
G. O. Merriam, wheelwright work,	. 66	57
C. A. Upham, """	. 42	74
J. T. Murphy, harness "	. 89	58
C. W. Washburn, """.	. 4	00
Ames Plow Co., shovels, picks, &c., .	. 98	70
Whittemore, Belcher & Co, shovels, picks, &	ic., . 24	45
Dodge, Gilbert & Co., hubs and axles,	. 21	70
O. Davenport, tools,	. 3	40
A. McAvoy, picks,	. 15	60
Butler, Sise & Co., tools,	. 36	00
May & Co., hammers,	. 10	31
Anderson, Cook & Co., steel,	. 9	32
C. A. Shepard & Frost, lime,	. 1	50
I. Foster, spikes and oil;	. 3	70
J. H. Upham & Co., oil,	. 16	90
Southworth & Hayden, shovels, spikes, &c.,	. 15	07
O. Baird, zinc,	. 2	16
E. Maclean, repairs,		60
N. Tolman, hay,	. 15	38
G. Jones, "	. 8	07
G. W. White, "	. 12	<b>4</b> 6
T. Curtis, "	. 6	40
L. N. Curtis, "and straw,	. 29	03
D. Curtis, "	. 20	64
W. Walker, cutting and carting salt hay, .	. 20	50
A. B. Wilton, services,	. 18	50
· · ·		
	\$19,895	15
CREDIT.		
By appropriation,	. \$15,000	00
labor on Dorchester Avenue,	. 1,200	
" on Culvert, Linden Street,	. 700	
" on Pond Street,	. 700	
cash received for oxen,	. 331	
" " for use of engine,	. 105	
" " for gravel and stone,	. 48	
" " of James Swan,	. 30	
Exc_?s appropriation,	. 1,780	
11,00		
	\$19,895	15

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

#### FOUNTAIN ENGINE NO. 1-LOWER MILLS.

Paid	J. A. Hutchinson, serv	vices	of	compar	ny,		\$90 00
	J. A. Hutchinson,	"	as	clerk,			$10 \ 00$
	C. F. Hall,	"	as	stewar	d,		18 75
	F. W. Schreider,	"		"			$56\ 25$
	Todd & Gannett, coal	,					22 50
	S. G. Cheever, repairs	,					16 $25$
	C. Tileston, oil, lanter	ns, &	.,				13 08
	J. E. Hall, refreshmen	ts,					8 22
	H. Crane, canvass,						9 75
	H. Crane, use of horse	es,					3 00

\$247 80

## STEAM FIRE ENGINE NO. 2-MEETING-HOUSE HILL.

Paid	T. J. Hatch, services of company,	\$90	00
	T. J. Hatch, " as clerk,	10	00
	T. J. Hatch, stationery,	3	00
	C. C. Lane, services as engineers,	150	00
	C. C. Lane, extra work,	12	75
	N. H. Bird, services as steward and fireman,	300	00
	N. H. Bird, extra work and sundries,	10	00
	P. Freeman, services as driver,	30	00
	P. Rourke, " "	10	00
	J. D. Robinson, coal,	90	00
	Gas Co., gas,	26	50
	Hunneman & Co., repairs,	441	80
	S. G. Cheever, "	53	13
	W. Jones, oil, lanterns, &c.,	22	15
	F. Holden, horses,	41	00
	J. McIntosh, repairs,	20	59
	J. McIntosh, harnesses,	80	00
	J. T. Murphy, repairs,	25	33
	J. P. Curtis, wood,	5	00
	W. Hall, keys,	13	45
	J. Daniels, repairs,	2	00
	F. Farrington, brushes, &c.,	2	00
	H. M. Holt & Co., soap,	1	00
	Bird Bros., use of wagon,	15	00
	Amount carried forward, \$1	1,454	70

Amount brought forward,					\$1,454	70
I. Foster, refreshments,	•				2	47
G. O. Merriam, repairs,	•	•		•	1	25
J. E. Finnley, expressage,		•			4	75
A. B. Wilton, services,			•		8	00

\$1,471 17

## TORRENT ENGINE NO. 3-UPPER ROAD.

Paid J. F. Hewins, services of company,	\$90	00
W. Love, " as steward,	18	75
G. L. Pitman, "	56	25
G. L. Pitman, " as clerk,	10	00
S. G. Cheever, hose,	600	00
Hunneman & Co., hats,	30	00
H. Fobes, horses,	3	00
H. Fobes, removing snow,	6	00
J. F. Hewins & Co., refreshments,	15	85
J. F. Hewins & Co., repairs,	22	68
J. F. Hewins & Co., oil, lanterns, brushes, &c.,	28	40
C. P. Tolman, repairs,	3	50
H. Clark, rent of land,	<b>12</b>	50
Moody Express, expressage,	1	50
	\$898	43
ALERT ENGINE NO. 4-MATTAPAN.		·
Paid J. H. McKendry, services of company,	\$90	
J. H. McKendry, " as clerk,	10	
E. F. Hopkins, " as steward,	75	
S. G. Cheever, hose,	200	
S. G. Cheever, repairs,	15	
T. Russell, refreshments, oil, wicks, brushes, &c., .	30	
C. E. Stephenson, refreshments,		89
M. F. Weeman, horses,	12	
G. Haynes & Son, repairs,		55
C. Tileston, repairs and lanterns,	11	
	<b>—</b>	
Tileston & Hollingsworth, coal,		98
Tileston & Hollingsworth, coal,Todd & Gannett, coal,		98 00
Tileston & Hollingsworth, coal,Todd & Gannett, coal,H. & R. Rich, well,	$4\\34$	00 00
Tileston & Hollingsworth, coal,Todd & Gannett, coal,	$4\\34$	00

Amount brought forward,				\$507	51
Paid Grant's Express, expressag	ge,			1	75
G. F. Fenno, "	•				75
J. H. Burt & Co., labor,				10	90
G. H. Bird, "				1	50
W. H. Gilbert, "				<b>2</b>	25
D. M. Scannell, repairs,				4	25

\$528 91

## INDEPENDENCE ENGINE NO. 5-NEPONSET.

Paid Geo. G. Dennison, services	of con	mpan	у,			\$90	00
W. G. Blanchard, "	as cle	rk,	•			10	00
F. H. Bronsdon, "	as ste	ward	,			75	00
S. G. Cheever, hose,						600	00
Hunneman & Co., hats,						30	00
Copp and Pear, window sh						30	40
0 0	. '					7	00
H. N. Hooper & Co., castir						5	00
J. Pratt, horses,	<b>U</b> .					8	00
Harding & Wilbur, refresh		_				12	70
J. T. Murphy, sponges, &c.		,				1	25
G. G. Dennison, labor,						_	70
E. F. Field, funnel &c.,		•	•	•		18	•••
1. 1. Field, fumier de.,	•	•	•	•	•	10	20

\$896 25

# TIGER ENGINE NO. 6-UPHAM'S CORNER.

Paid A. P. Ford, services of company,		\$90 00
A. P. Ford, " as clerk,		10 00
O. Davenport, " as steward,		75 00
J. D. Robinson, fuel,		24 50
A. P. Wheelock, horses,		41 50
O. Davenport, repairs and extra work,	•	7 75
J. B. Graham, painting house,	•	87 90
J. H. Upham & Co., oil, brushes, lamps, &c.,		29 06
C. Bird, funnel,		3 00
S. G. Cheever, repairs,		8 50
H. Davenport, labor,		4 00

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MATTAPAN HOOK AND LADDER	NO.	1	LOWEI	R MIL	LS.	
Paid S. Bridget, services as steward,					\$25	00
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II. Orano, ao	•	•	•	•	11	
H. Crane, horses and repairs,	•	•	•	•	8	50
					*00	-
					\$63	50
EVERETT HOOK AND LADDER NO.	o .		TTT T			
						00
Paid W. Jones, furnace, &c., tinware, l	kettle	e, Ian	nps, æ	c.,	\$210	
W. G. Shattuck, furniture, .	•	•	•	•		10
J. D. Robinson, fuel,	•	•	•	•		25
E. Fruean, services as steward a	nd la	abor,	•	•		50
S. Fruean, stationery, .	•	•	•	• (	3	05
					\$314	78
HOSE COMPANY NO. 1-	-LOW	VER 1	MILLS			
Paid E. Piper, services as steward,		۰.			\$25	00
S. O. Hebard, "				. 1	20	00
J. A. Tucker, straps, belts, &c.,					24	38
S. G. Cheever, badges,					25	75
G. Haynes & Son, lanterns, .		·		•		60
C. Tileston, lamps, cups, spoons,	80	•	•	•		38
J. E. E. Goward, jack,	. we.	, •	•	•	_	50
	•	•	•	•		50
H. Crane, supplies,					9	90
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-	·	·	·	·	\$133	11

## GENERAL EXPENSES OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid S. H. Hebard, servi	ices	as chief eng	inee	r,		\$175	00
J. T. Oliver,	"	assist't	"	•		75	00
H. Fobes,	۴۴	66	"			75	00
Est. N. Withington,	"	66	"			75	00
T. Hersey,	"	66	"		•	75	00
G. G. Dennison,	"	66	66			75	00
<sup>()</sup> <sup>∂</sup> <sup>∂</sup> G. G. Dennison,	66	secretary,				20	00
J. T. Oliver,	"	ass't eng'r to	No	v. 1, '	68.	37	50
Amount carried fo	rroa	urd,	•			\$607	50

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Amount brought forward,					\$607	50
Paid Bragdon, Hassard, & Co.,	oil,				45	50
A. F. Allen, wrenches,					18	00
J. Pope, labor,	•				8	65
J. McGlone, labor,					6	00
A. B. Wilton, services,					30	87
Brock & Crane, horse, .	•				1	00
Est. of J. Babcock, refresh	ments	for I	Miltor	1 Co.,	9	82
A. V. Goward, fire police,					2	00
A. V. Goward, removing s	now,		•		1	00
J. Pratt, teams,					9	75
D. Mahoney, fire police,		•			3	00
Campbell & Shehan, labor,	•		•		10	00
Whall's Express, expressag	ge,				15	25
M. Thayer, rent,					11	00
H. Crane, carriages, .					5	25

\$784 59

RECAPITULATION OF EXPENSES OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fountain 1	Engine	No.	1,					\$247	80
Steam Fire	Engin	e No	. 2,					1,471	17
Torrent No.	). 3, .	,						898	43
Alert No. 4	1, .							528	91
Independen	nce No.	5,	•					896	25
Tiger No.	6, .							381	21
Mattapan I	Hook a	nd L	adder	No.	1,			63	50
Everett	66		"	No.	2,			314	78
Hose No. 1	<b>.</b> .				•			133	11
General Ex	penses	,				•		784	59
	•						_		
Tota	al,							\$5,719	75
Unexpende	ed,							280	25
								\$6,000	00

## CREDIT.

By appropriation, .

## VOLUNTEER COMPANIES.

Paid	Volunteer	Company	Engine	No. 1,	for services,		\$150 00
	"	"	"	No. 2,	"		150 00
	"	"	"	No. 3,	"		$150 \ 00$
	٤٢	"	"	No. 4,	٠٠		$150 \ 00$
	"	"	۲۲	No. 5,	"		150 00
	"	"	"	No. 6,	"	•	150 00
							\$900 00
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By appropriation, .

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# TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid James H. Upham, for	services	as selectma	n, over-		
seer of the poor a				\$500	00
William Pope, for ser					
of the poor and s				500	00
William Henry Swar	-				
overseer of the po				500	00
Thomas F. Temple, fo	or services	as clerk fo	r select-		
men and preparir				500	00
Thomas F. Temple,		es as treasu	rer, .	500	00
Thomas F. Temple,	"	as town		200	00
Sylvester H. Hebard,	"	as collect	tor, .	1,000	00
Oliver Hall,	دد	as assess	or, .	350	00
Nathaniel W. Tilesto	n, "	"		350	00
Sylvester H. Hebard,	٤٢	"		350	00
Joseph T. Swan,	"	"		350	00
S. H. Hebard, for ex	tra servic	es as assess	or, 1867,	30	00
J. T. Swan,	"	"	1867,	30	00
S. A. Bradbury,	"	"	1867,	30	00
H. W. Blanchard,	"	"	1867,	30	00
				\$5,220	00
Unexpended,	• •			780	
				\$6,000	00
	CREDI	т.			
By appropriation, .				\$6,000	00

## CEMETERIES.

#### NORTH CEMETERY.

NORTH CEMETERI.	•			
Paid George Fowler, labor and loam, .	\$543	75		
G. W. and F. Smith, gates,	250	00		
Eben Bird, granite posts,	117	50		
Eben Bird, labor,	21	75		
Shepard & Frost, lumber,	68	44		
D. G. Corliss & Co., gate post,	39	00		
H. and R. Rich, well,	65	00		
G. K. Paul, pump,	12	00		
H. W. Blanchard, labor,	2	15		
Ira Foster, nails, &c.,	8	05		
G. Fowler, painting fence and house,	51	40		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			\$1,179	04
SOUTH CEMETERY.				
Paid George Angiel, labor,	\$38	50		
J. McGlone, "	31			
John Stacey, "	12	50		
R. French, "		00		
E. H. R. Ruggles, "	13			
J. C. Talbot, tools,		50		
			103	13
			\$1,282	17
Compare				
Credit.				
By appropriation,	\$1,000	00		
cash received for grading lots at North				
Cemetery,	255			
Exceeds appropriation,	27	17		
		-	\$1,282	17

# INSTALMENTS AND INTEREST.

Paid Treasurer's Notes to sundry	perso	ns,			\$78,416	00
George Woodman, trustee, n	lote,	•	\$5,000	00		
F. S. Carruth, notes,			4,000	00		
Robert Vose, Ex., note, .	•	•	2,000	00		
Amounts carried forward,	•	•	\$11,000	00	\$78,416	00

Amounts brought forward	·. ·			\$78,416 00
Paid Jonathan Kimball, note, .		2,000	00	
Provident Institution for	Savings,			
note,		1,000	00	
S. Tappan, trustee, note, .		1,000	00	
Sarah Tolman, note,	• •	1,000	00	
Blue Hill National Bank, no	ote, .	1,000	00	
J. McKendry, (due Jan. 1s	t, 1869,)			
note,	• •	1,000	00	
				18,000 00
Paid F. S. Carruth, interest, .		\$850	00	
Provident Institution for	Savings,			
interest,		810	00	
Harrison Loring, interest,		550	00	
Blue Hill National Bank,	interest.	550		
Samuel Swan, trustee,	"	385		
Jonathan Kimball,		460	00	
Carlton heirs,	٠٠ .	357	50	
S. Tappan, trustee,	"	357		
S. Torrey,	"	275	00	
Thomas Tolman,	"	220	00	
Geo. Woodman, trustee,	"	315	00	
John G. Wood,	"	140	00	
Robert Pierce,	"	120	00	
Mary Jones,	"	120	00	
Dorchester Savings Bank,	"	110		
Robert G. Living, trustee,	"	110		
James Tucker, Jr.,	"		00	
Geo. Holden,	"	90	00	
Charles Carruth,		70		
Sarah Tolman,	66	60		
Robert Vose, Ex.,	"	60		
Oliver Hall,	"	55		
J. E. Salter,	"	55		
Joseph Carew,	"	36		
Second Church,	"	27		
John McKendry,	"	60		
				6,333 50
				0,000 00

\$102,749 50

#### CREDIT.

By appropriation for notes and interest,					\$15,000	00		
cash re	eceived for Tre	easure	er's no	tes,	78,416	00		
* "	66	"	"		7,000	00		
Exceeds a	appropriation,				2,333	50		
							\$102,749	50

INTEREST ON MONEY BORROWED IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES.

Paid sundry persons f	`or int	terest	,					\$2,609	00	
Unexpended, .		•	•	•	•	•	•	4,035	<b>22</b>	
								\$6,644	22	
CREDIT.										
By appropriation,						\$5,000	00			
cash received of s	S. H.	Heb	ard, i	nteres	st					
on taxes, .						1,644	22			
								\$6,644	22	

## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Paid S. H. Hebard,	abaten	ient	$\mathbf{on}$	taxes,	1867,			\$857	70	
S. H. Hebard,	"			"	1868	, .		2,264	00	
Unexpended, .	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1,068	50	
\$4,190 20 Credit.										
By appropriation,	•		•			\$4,000	00			
additional taxes,	1867,	•	•	•	•	190	20	\$4,190	20	

## STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

Paid Jacob H. Loud, Treasurer, for State Tax, . C. C. Churchill, Treasurer, for County Tax,	$$23,880 \\ 10,101$	
	\$33,981	52

\* The appropriation of \$15,000 was for notes due in 1868, \$10,000. Interest, \$5,000. No appropriation was made for the demand notes for \$7,000, due February 1, 1868, as shown by last year's report. Those have been taken up, and new notes on time given instead.

### CREDIT.

By appropriation for State Tax, .		. \$23,880 00	
appropriation for County Tax,	•	. 10,101 52	
			52

## LIGHTING STREETS.

Paid Dorchester Gas Lig	ght Co.,	for gas and	d ligh	ting,		\$4,636 0	0
William Tolman, f	or oil ar	nd lighting,				20 00	0
Richard Harrison,	for light	ting, .	•			79 23	5
A. B. Wheeler, for	oil and	lighting,				43 0	0
E. G. McElroy,	"	"	•			25 1	D
M. F. Weeman,	"	"	•	•		16 0	0
W.H.Nightingale,	"	"				384 0	0
G. Haynes & Son,	"	"				14 5	5
						\$5,217 90	0
Unexpended,	•				•	782 10	)
						\$6,000 00	)
	CI	REDIT.					
By appropriation, .	•		•	•	•	\$6,000 00	)

# POLICE AND WATCH.

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Paid	B. F. Taylor, serv	vices as r	ight watel	h,			\$471	00
	S. Gleason,		"				185	00
	H. N. Stimpson,	"	"				166	00
	M. C. Whitehouse,	"	- "	•			150	00
	W. D. C. Curtis,	"	"				136	00
	R. T. Glidden,	"	"				108	00
	W. Stanley,	"	"				87	00
	J. F. Williams,	"	"				69	00
•	J. H. Ray,	"	police,				54	00
	W. Moulton,	"		•			75	00
	J. E. Jones,	"	"				56	00
	R. R. Homer,	"	"				44	00
	Wm. Gordon,	"	"				36	00
	C. E. French,	"	"	•	•	•	20	00
	Amount carried	forward,				. \$	1,657	00

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Amount brought	forwa	urd, .				\$1,657	00
Paid S. H. Hebard, se	ervices	as police,				15	00
A. B. Hibbard,	66					10	00
C. W. Hebard,	"	٤٤				6	00
J. J. Coffey,	"	"				6	00
E. Merrill, Jr.,	"	66				6	00
John Stacey,	66	"				63	00
B. P. Eldridge,	"	"				33	80
0.							
						\$1,796	80
		CREDIT.					
By appropriation, .			. 4	\$1,500	00		
Exceeds appropriation,				296	5 80		
						\$1,796	80

# INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Paid O. C. Orne, re	turning	births,					\$44	00
H. Blanchard,	"	"					10	00
J. S. Greene,	"	66					3	00
E. Bird,	"	deaths,					3	90
R. French,	"	"					4	30
Shepard & Fro	ost, lum	ber for t	own hal	ll,			261	84
Greenwood &	Jenkin	s, labor a	and stock	k, tov	vn ha	11,	144	75
G. Ewell, labo	r and s	tock, tow	m hall,	•			141	91
C. P. Tolman,	furnac	e and rep	pairs tov	vn ha	11,		353	58
Labor of men	and tea	ams, tow	n hall,				93	43
H. Howe, repa	airs, tov	vn hall, .	•				9	00
T. Payson, lab	oor,	"					15	25
S. Tileston, la	bor and	l stock, t	own hal	1,			73	05
T.F. Temple,	ecordin	ig births,	marriag	esand	l deat	hs,		
and returnin	ig same	to Secr	etary of	State	е,		. 90	75
Town of Milto	n, half	repairs o	n Fairm	ount	Bridg	ge,	71	72
66 66	tax,	• •					8	80
Town of Quin	icy, tax	,					12	00
Todd & Gann	ett, coa	l for lock	<b>u</b> p,				7	50
"	"	for arm	ory,				12	00
A. P. Baker, o	ulvert	Washing	ton St.,				25	00
J. Nute, repair	rs on pi	ump and	well,				9	00
M. Keegan, la	bor,						8	00
T. W. Capen,	repairs	on clock	and gla	azing,	, .		5	25
Amount carr	ried for	manard					\$1,408	03

Amount brought forward,	1,408	03
Paid S. H. Hebard, food for lodgers at lock-up,	11	
H. Crane, repair on pump,		50
L. Moulton, land on Richmond St.	75	
Auditor's services,	10	
C. Regan, labor,	14	
Boston papers, advertising,	12	
J. Sanborn, sundries,		36
J. H. Upham, "	12	
Estate E. King, rent of armory,	250	
Z. Kenney, rent of armory,	150	
B. S. Hawes, care of Norfolk Bridge,	200	
G. W. Berry, repairs ""	13	
C. Tileston, oil and lamps " "	10	
J. Q. A. Spear, repairs " "	12	
J. D. Robinson, coal for rooms,	38	
H. G. Brigham, ice,		50
King & Nason, ice,		00
J. Glavin, care of Neponset Bridge,	200	
" repairs " "		00
Shepard & Frost, plank " "		76
G. W. Berry, repairs,		75
T. Groom & Co., stationery, books, &c.,		00
Fred. Rogers, blanks, circulars, &c.,	149	
J. H. Robinson, rent of rooms,	262	
Gas Co., gas for armory,		50
" " for rooms,		51
" labor on High, Water and Minot Sts.,		50
" " on Sumner and Minot Sts., .		55
W. Lynch, paper,		00
P. O'Riley, labor,		00
G. F. Pierce, expressage,		00
G. W. Beal, "		75
Whall's Express, "	-	80
Bird Brothers, meals for assessors,	112	
" " for town officers,		00
S. W. Leonard, care of rooms,	125	
" " repairs,		00
M. Sheehan, stone for culverts,	586	87
A. P.Wheelock, carriages for selectmen and Co. com'rs,	88	
J. Pratt, " " "	54	00
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Amount carried forward, \$	4,190	82

Amount brought forward,	\$4,190 82
Paid A. Goss, carriages for selectmen and County comm'rs,	
N. Holbrook, meals, """"	57 00
M. Thayer, " " " "	19 50
Wright & Potter, warrants and annual report,	395 16
I. Foster, sundries,	2 00
A. C. Southworth, liquor agent,	50 00
" " postage,	3 39
T. F. Temple, stamps,	5 00
J. W. Howe, glazing,	2 00
Assessors, returning children, dogs, &c.,	$223 \ 08$
James Foord, recording deeds,	25 75
" " labor for assessors,	65 00
E. Clapp, books and blanks for assessors,	80 62
D. Clapp, printing for assessors,	83 50
S. H. Hebard, distributing reports and warrants, .	34 50
Theo. Hersey, " " " .	39 00
M. Garritty, stone,	169 50
W. Curtis, "	20 00
A. P. Wheelock, "	15 00
D. G. Corliss & Co., stone,	37 50
" " moving crusher,	16 00
" " stone for Hyde Park line, .	18 00
E. H. R. Ruggles, setting same,	7 75
Mitchell Granite Co., stone,	22 50
C. F. Billings, "	2 50
H. Humphreys, gravel,	13 87
S. Baker, "	143 75
S. W. Dearborn, "	57 00
D. W. Baker, "	45 60
J. Minchin, "	100 37
John Robie, food for lodgers at lock-up,	5 13
" " services at town meetings,	6 00
J. E. Jones, " "	2 00
W. Withington, """"	5 00
O. Warner, copy of cemetery act,	1 75
C. Hunt, drain on Walnut Street,	46 54
" labor on drains and sidewalks,	168 26
" " on High and Water Streets,	491 00
" " on Tenean Road,	299 07
" " on Neponset Avenue,	730 29
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Amount carried forward,	\$7,741 20

Amount brought forward,	\$7 741 90
Paid Pratt & Co., lumber for Walnut Street,	\$7,741 20
	89 31
for traingansett street,	18 48
for renear bridge,	3 30
ior Granice Diluge,	5 28
101 041/0105,	51 26
for reponses rivenue, .	91 37
. Ior High Street,	9 56
for Asimont Street,	62 80
plank for relicant road,	386 79
J. H. McKendry, sidewalk Brush Hill Avenue, .	150 67
O. Baird, pump, pipe and labor,	69 29 01 00
R. T. Glidden, labor,	21 80
P. Hines, labor,	50 94
E. H. R. Ruggles, use of horse and sleigh,	5 00
Narragansett Fire Ins. Co., insurance,	$45 \ 00$
S. G. Cheever, bag,	7 00
T. Dolan, blasting rock,	$20 \ 10$
Brown & Co., spikes,	$22 \ 63$
Alex. Vose, damage to property,	7 50
G. Ewell, repairs on Harvard St. Bridge,	13 03
H. W. Blanchard, fence on Water Street,	12 30
Shepard & Frost, damage to wagon,	22  15
Pratt & Hartshorn, teaming,	11 25
C. S. Dodge, bookcase,	$35 \ 00$
R. Vose, Jr., examining title,	5 00
J. H. Robinson, repairs at rooms,	44 76
James Tucker, repairs on culverts,	30 00
Day & Collins, drain pipe,	63 00
J. Preston, gravel and labor on Preston Road, .	197 00
A. Churchill, services,	10 00
L. H. Howe, guide boards,	15 10
J. Q. A. Spear, labor of self and men on fences and	
culverts,	470 17
J. Sanborn, postage,	13.00
C. P. Tolman, repairs on watering trough Wash-	
ington Street,	4 00
E. F. Field, repairs on watering trough Adams St.,	19 25
A. U. Shepard, penny post,	5 47
B. P. Eldridge, labor on Plain Street,	20 00
Southworth & Hayden, nails,	15 18
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Amount carried forward,	\$9,864 94

Amount brought forward,				\$9,864 94
Paid H. F. Fobes, labor,				15 50
Chas. Breck, damage to wood lot,				10 00
W. Pope, expenses to Dedham, .				9 00
L. Briggs, surveys and plans,				250 00
Haynes & Son, labor and repairs, .	•			33 28
H. Shepard, damage to house, .				22 50
O. Hall, boards for assessors' lists,				13 00
Anderson, Cook & Co., steel,		•	•	9 88

#### CREDIT.

By appropriation, . . \$9,000 00 . . . . cash received from Town of Milton, 116 25 66 " for licenses, 40 00 ۰. from Co. of Norfolk, one-half 66 66 of licenses, . . 150 00 . 66 66 one-half tax for sales of liquor, 32 6266 " from C. P. Tolman, rent of town house lot, . 8 00 from T. Payson, one-third 66 " expense of culvert, 45 50stone for culvert Dorchester Avenue. 500 00 Exceeds appropriation, . 335 73 . . .

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## ADDITIONAL PROTECTION IN CASE OF FIRE-LOWER MILLS.

Paid Hunneman & C	Co. foi	r hose	e carri	age,				\$518	00
S. G. Shelton, I	hose a	and p	ipes,	•				2,040	Ó0
H. Crane, span	ners,	chain	s, &c.	<b>,</b> •	•	•	•	8	38
								\$2,566	38
Expended in 1867,	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	2,194	67
								\$4,761	05
Unexpended, .	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	238	95
								\$5,000	00
		C	REDIT						
By appropriation, 6	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	\$5,000	00

## NEW ROAD AT HYDE PARK.

Paid B. Swan balan	ice due	on c	ontra	.ct,	•	•	•	\$1,500	00
By appropriation,	•		REDI					\$1,500	00

## RICHMOND STREET—LOWER MILLS.

Paid for labor men and teams,		•	•			\$2,213	53
E. Merrill, Jr., removing p	ump,	•	•	•	•	3	00
						\$2,216	53
Expended in 1867,	•	•	•	•	•	667	50
						\$2,884	03
Сн	REDIT.						
By appropriation,			. \$1,	500	00		
Exceeds appropriation, .			. 1,	384	03		

## CEMETERY LAND.

\$2,884 03

Paid Preston heirs for land, .				\$1,774 67
Mrs. Richardson, for land,				451 55
Mrs. Seaverns, for land,			•	1,000 00
A. C. Clark, services, .		•	•	58 30
				\$3,284 52
Ст	REDIJ	r <b>.</b>		
By Treasurer's notes.				\$3.284 52

## GRAVEL LAND.

Paid John M. Newhall, for land,					\$723	56
John S. Craig, for land,	•	•	•		451	82
					\$1,175	38

Labor of men and teams, . .

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#### WIDENING OF BIRD STREET.

Paid Campbell & Sheehan,	$\mathbf{on}$	accou	nt,			\$2,000	00
James Baker, for land,						250	00
E. Merrill, fencing,					•	97	<b>22</b>
						\$2,347	22

#### HOOK AND LADDER HOUSE-MEETING-HOUSE HILL.

Paid R. T. Glidden, labor	and	stoc	k, .				\$2,320	00
" " gradin	ıg, a	and p	latfor	m,	•		62	00
H. & R. Rich, labor,	•	•	•	•		•	174	02
Greenwood & Jenkins	, lab	or,	•	•		•	84	13
H. Davenport, plans,	•	•				•	25	00
C. Hunt, expenses,	•	•	•	•		•	15	00
					•		\$2,680	15
	C	REDI	<b>T.</b>					
By appropriation, .	•	•	•	• •	\$2,500	00		
Exceeds appropriation,	•	•	•	•	180	15		
							\$2,680	15

#### HOOK AND LADDER TRUCK AND EQUIPMENTS.

Paid Jucket & Fre	eman,	truck,					•	\$722 50
Unexpended, .	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	77 50
		C	REDI	T				\$800 00
-		. · ·	1012101	T.				
By appropriation,	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	\$800 00

# NEW CEMETERY.

 Paid cemetery commissioners,
 .
 .
 \$10,000 00

 CREDIT.

 By appropriation,
 .
 .
 .
 \$10,000 00

## RESERVOIRS.

Paid	Charles Hunt, for labor of men and teams, .		\$2,063	35
	" " for use of steamer, repairs, &c.,		<b>1</b> 60	00
	" " for tanks and labor,		114	16
	" " for services and sundries, .		90	03
	Fred. L. Pierce, on account of brick reservoirs,		1,500	00
	" " for covering stone "		240	50
	" " mason work,		20	32
	J. Garrity, for stone,		449	00
	" for labor,		166	00
	J. Pratt, horses and expressage,		51	50
	G. G. Dennison, for services and expenses, .		106	95
	Jordan & Damon, blacksmithing,		34	87
	J. D. Robinson, lime and cement,		123	37
	C. F. Billings, stone,		16	24
	S. H. Hebard, expenses,		2	50
	E. Merrill, Jr., pump and labor,		18	00
	Harding & Wilbar, tools,		26	53
	F. H. Bronsdon, labor,		4	50
	N. Holbrook, refreshments,		28	25
	G. W. Berry, blacksmithing,		41	62
	H. F. Fobes, wheelbarrow and labor,		15	00
	A. T. Stearns, fuel,		9	50
	J. Q. A. Spear, labor,		42	71
	H. Jones, carting,		7	00
	H. Ellis, "		• 9	50
	N. H. Bird, labor,		62	50
	C. C. Lane, "		43	50
	Pratt & Co., lumber,		45	51
	O. Baird, pipe, tube, &c.,	•	6	00
	W. G. Swan, labor,		7	30
	H. W. Blanchard, labor,	•	20	89
	E. F. Field, lanterns,	•	2	75

Paid J. Donovan, blacksm	ithin	g					\$3	81
Southworth & Hayd			ure.				12	16
J. Pillsbury, labor,	,		,				1	25
E. A. Perkins, labor	and	stock.		-			7	61
C. A. Upham, covers							5	75
J. Lally, "							19	60
I. Foster, pails, lante	rns, (	oil, &	3				14	76
Jucket & Freeman, 1		•		aer.			44	24
E. McLean, iron wor							4	60
Fulton Iron Foundry	•	ainers					3	23
P. Freeman, labor,	· .		´ .		. 0		18	33
W. M. Albro, "							5	00
A. Glover, Jr., "							5	00
F. B. Leeds, "							3	00
A. F. Lake, "							3	00
O. Davenport, "							17	38
T. Hersey, "							8	00
C. C. Bailey, "							4	50
W. L. Tucker, "							4	50
J. H. Upham & Co.,	sund	ries,					4	67
		· ·						
							\$5,720	
Unexpended,	•	•	•	•	•	•	279	76
							\$6,000	00
	C	REDIT	,				φ0,000	00
Pro commenciation	° O	wr Di i	•				<b>\$6 000</b>	00
By appropriation, .	•	•.	•	•	•	•	\$6,000	00
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# MILITIA PAY.

Paid Dorchester I	Rifles for services	in 1868,.	• •	\$646 00
c	CREDI	ст.		

By amount received from State for services in 1867, '68, \$1,379 00

# REMOVING SNOW.

Paid Charles Hunt for labor of men in March,		\$116 75
E. H. R. Ruggles, " " "		69 99
Amount carried forward,		\$186 74

Amount brought	forwa	ard,				\$186	<b>74</b>
Paid M. Keegan, for l	labor,					26	00
B. Swan,	"	•				37	16
Brock & Crane,	"					11	00
T. Gleason,	66					4	37
R. N. Marshall,	"					15	00
					-	#000	07
						\$280	21

# LAND AND ENGINE HOUSE AT LOWER MILLS.

Paid H. Temple, for land,	_	_					\$550	00
S. McCann, grading,	·	•	•	•			200	
	•	•	•	•	•	•		
P. Fallen, land, .	•	•	•	•	•	•	560	
C. Brewer, " .	•	•	•	•	•	•	417	00
H. B. Dennison, plans	,	•	•	•		•	115	00
Labor of men and tea	ms,						655	89
J. K. Stone, stone wo	rk,						98	52
F. M. Severance, on a	ccou	nt of	build	ing,	•	•	4,000	00
							\$6,596	41
Unexpended,	•		•				1,153	
							\$7,750	
	Cr	REDIT.					\$1,100	00
	U	EDIT.						
By appropriation, .			•	. \$7,	000	00		
cash received for land,					750	00		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·							\$7,750	00

## WIDENING OF HANCOCK AND COMMERCIAL STR'TS.

Paid County of Norfolk one-	half	of	dam	age to	o Wh	ite		
estate,		,	•				\$565	00
Labor of men and team	ıs, ´.						824	62
							\$1,389	62

#### MINOT STREET.

Paid labor of men and teams,		\$1,152 38
Peter Hines, labor of self and teams,		357 00
O. Baird, lanterns, oil, &c., .		6 37
		\$1,515 75

## NEPONSET BRIDGE.

Paid Stetson & Pope, for lumber,				\$218 10
Pratt & Co., " "				176 48
A. T. Stearns, ""			-	29 60
G. W. Berry, iron work, .				172 73
W. H. Gray, lumber, .		•		$20 \ 00$
J. Q. A. Spear, labor of men,				362 86
C. Hunt, " "				28 25
J. Pratt, carting,				6 00
O. Baird, lanterns and repairs,				5 30
Whitney & Nash, lanterns, .	•			2 00
				\$1,021 32

LAND AND REMOVING ENGINE HOUSE No. 3.

Paid E. P. Tileston, for land, .				\$1,022 00
M. Drennan, moving house,			•	250 00
Shepard & Frost, lumber, .		•		43 67
R. M. Lapham, labor and stock,				354 51
J. S. Caswell, repairs, .				19 50
" " painting, .	•		۰	54 50
H. Fobes, labor,	• .	•	۰	29 50
				*1 550 00
				\$1,773 68

#### FLAGSTAFF-MEETING-HOUSE HILL.

Paid J. Caldwell, staff and labor, .			\$352 0	0
G. H. & J. G. Leman, iron work,		•	142 5	8
G. O. Merriam, labor, .			18 0	0
J. W. Howe, painting, .			49 8	0
			\$562 3	8

## FENCE FOR SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

Paid Fulton Iron Foundry	Co.,	casti	ings,			\$468	39
S. F. Pratt, patterns,					•	375	00
J. A. Fox, designs,	•	•		•		70	00
Amount carried for	ward	<i>ī</i> , .				\$913	39

Amount brought forward, Paid G. Williams, painting,	•	•	•	•	•	\$913 55	
Unexpended,						\$968 231	
						\$1,200	00
By appropriation,	REDI.	r.				\$1,200	00

#### DORCHESTER AVENUE.

Paid highway account for labor, blasting and widening at junction of Adams Street, . . . . \$1,200 00

## CULVERT ON AVENUE.

Paid Highway account for labor on c	ulver	t fro	m D	or-		
chester Avenue to tide-water,		•			\$700	00
Incidental account for stone,	•	•	•		500	00
					\$1,200	00

#### POND STREET.

Paid highway account for labor filling pond, . . \$700 00

# AMOUNT DUE FOR TAXES, STATE AID, &c.

Due from	State, balance of corporation tax, .		\$1,599 93
"	" " of State aid, 1867, .		3,339 00
٠٠	- " for State aid to January 1, 1869,		4,170 50
"	" " to February 1, 1869	Э, .	$436 \ 00$
"	" " paupers,	•	$40 \ 00$
"	towns for support of poor,		250 00
"	S. H. Hebard, tax 1868,	•	18,244 78

\$28,080 21

#### AID FOR FAMILIES OF VOLUNTEERS.

# DEBT OF THE TOWN, FEBRUARY 1, 1869, AND WHEN DUE.

1869,	•		•	•	•	•	\$18,000 00
1870,		•					28,200 00
1871,							11,000 00
1872,							13,000 00
1873,						•	15,000 00
1874,				•			16,000 00
1875,							11,000 00
1876,							12,000 00
1877,	•			•			5,000 00
1878,							7,000 00
1879,				•		• .	8,000 00
1880,	•					./	3,500 00

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Debt of the town February 1, 1868,				
Reduced during the year,	•	18,000	00	
		\$92,000	00	
Increase by notes for new Norfolk school	ol-			
house,		26,200	00	
Increase by notes for engine-house an		· ·		
land,		7,000	00	
Increase by notes for cemetery land,*		16,500	00	
" for reservoir, .		6,000	00	
			\$147,700	00

\* Of the notes given in 1867 for cemetery land, (\$14,000,) \$10,000 was paid in 1868. The total amount borrowed for payment of cemetery land, \$21,500.

## GIBSON SCHOOL FUND.

C. M. Vinson's,	note and m	ortg	age,			\$1,000 00
H. W. Blanchard's,	"	"	•	•		1,000 00
W. S. Watson's,	"	"				1,006 07
Sarah Hill's,	"	"				
H. and R. Rich's,	"	"				503 00
Charles Hunt's,	"	"				$428 \ 12$
United States 6 per	cent. loan,					
" " $7\frac{3}{10}$ ]	per cent. loa	m,				<b>X</b> 0.00
					-	

\$12,937 19

## STOUGHTON SCHOOL FUND.

Sixteen shares State National Bank stock, par value,	
\$100,	\$1,600 00
Nine shares Tremont National Bank stock, par value,	
\$100,	900 00
Four shares Blue Hill National Bank stock, par value,	
\$100,	$400 \ 00$
Five shares Boston and Albany Railroad, par value,	
\$100,	$500 \ 00$
Donald Ferguson's note and mortgage,	$440\ 00$

\$3,840 00

## POOR FUND.

Donald Fer	guson's note ar	d mortgage,	•			\$842	06
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#### TAXES.

The amount of tax is as follows :---

State tax, .								\$23,880 00	
County tax,								10,101 52	
Town tax, .								155,262 67	
	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	5,932 73	
Total,							. \$	192,176 92	

Total, . . . . Rate of taxes, \$12 per \$1,000.

## VALUATION OF THE REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE OF THE TOWN FOR 1868.

Value of personal estate,	•					\$6,03	5,100 00
Value of real estate, .	•	•	•	• -	•	9,29	1,200 00
Total,	•		•	•	•	\$15,32	6,300 00
Number of polls,							2,918
							$4,532_{\frac{3}{4}}$
Number of inhabitants, Ma	ay 1,	, 1865,					10,900
Number of dwelling-house	es, M	lay 1, 1	868,	•			1,830
Number of horses, .	•	•	•	•	•		932
Number of cows,.		•	•		•		589

THOMAS F. TEMPLE, Town Treasurer, in account current, from Feb. 1, 1868, to Feb. 1, 1869, with Town or

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#### AUDITOR'S REPORT.

The undersigned hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Thomas F. Temple, Treasurer, and find the same correctly cast, and all expenditures and payments are sustained by the necessary vouchers.

There has been received by the Treasurer, from all sources, the past year, including the balance on hand February 1st, 1868, three hundred ninety-four thousand seven hundred ninety-six and  $\frac{7.6}{10.0}$  dollars, and there has been paid from the treasury, during the same time, three hundred eleven thousand seven hundred eighty-four and  $\frac{5.6}{10.0}$  dollars, leaving in the treasury, February 1st, 1869, eighty-three thousand eleven and  $\frac{2.0}{10.0}$  dollars, as shown by the foregoing account.

# W. F. TEMPLE, GEORGE HAYNES, Auditors.

DORCHESTER, February 1st, 1869.

## REPORT OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER.

#### To the Selectmen of Dorchester:

GENTLEMEN,—The Twentieth Annual Report of the state of the fire department of this town is herewith respectfully presented, together with an account of the expenditures made under the direction of the Board of Engineers, and also a table record of the fires and alarms the past year.

The department, I think, is in as good condition, and as prompt and united as ever before. Fortunately, the occasions calling for the services of the department in extinguishing fires have been few. The rapidly increasing number and the close proximity of buildings (almost wholly of wood) being erected in this town, calls for a larger and more accessible supply of water for use in cases of fires.

Four reservoirs have been built the past year. One in front of the building owned by the Dorchester Mutual Fire Insurance Company, at Port Norfolk; one in front of the building at Field's Corner, in which are the town offices; one on Sumner Street, near the Baptist Church; and one in Narragansett Street, Neponset. I recommend the building of at least as many more the coming year. The engine house No. 1, at the Lower Mills village, Adams Street, having been burned May 19 last, the town have bought a lot of land, corner of River and Temple Streets, and built a new house thereon. From the time of the burning of the house until quite lately, the Engine No. 1 was necessarily left out of doors. The machine is unfit for the use of the town at the locality where situated, and I again recommend the purchase of a light steam fire engine in its place. The present engine is in charge of a good company, who will, in case of necessity, do all that can be done with it.

Engine No. 2, steamer, is in good condition, and the company in charge competent and prompt.

Engine No. 3 is a Hunneman hand engine, in good order, and in charge of a good company. The engine house occupied for the storage of this machine has been moved from its former location on "Coffee Court," to a lot of land on Harvard Street, which has been bought by the town for the purpose. This change was necessary on account of the land on "Coffee Court" having been sold.

Engine No. 4, at Mattapan village, and the house in which it is kept, are both in first-rate order, and in charge of a good company.

Engine No. 5, at Neponset, is in good order, in charge of an efficient company.

Engine No. 6, on Boston Street, near Upham's Corner, is in charge of a first-rate company. The engine and engine-house are well taken care of.

A new hook and ladder carriage has been purchased, with all the necessary appurtenances, and a new house has been built on High Street, Meeting-house Hill. This carriage, called the "Everett," is in charge of thirteen firemen.

The Mattapan hook and ladder truck at the Lower Mills, is in charge of two firemen.

Hose Company No. 1, at the Lower Mills, is in charge of fifteen firemen.

I feel that the citizens of Dorchester are under obligations to the firemen of their town, for their ready and willing services. The good order and harmony of the members of the department are worthy of commendation.

The	$\operatorname{amount}$	appro	opriate	d by	the	town	for	$\operatorname{the}$	fire	department
exj	penses, w	ras	•			•				\$6,000 00
The	amount e	xper	ed has	beer	ı					5,719 75

The department is organized as follows :---

#### SYLVESTER H. HEBARD, Chief Engineer.

Assistant Engineers :

JAMES F. WHITE, HENRY FOBES, GEORGE F. FENNO, GEORGE G. DENNISON, THEODORE HERSEY.

There are now six engine companies, one hose company, and one hook and ladder company in commission, viz.:—

Fountain, No. 1, .		33  mer	mbers,	$\operatorname{John}$	Huchinson,	Foreman.
S. F. Engine, No. 2,		25	"	Edwa	ard Merrill,	"
Torrent, No. 3, .	•	34	"	S. F.	Hewins,	"
Alert, No. 4, .	•	45	"	$\mathbf{John}$	H. Burt,	"
Independence, No. 5,	•	36	"	T. F.	Temple,	<b>66</b>
Tiger, No. 6,		38	"	J. B.	Graham,	۰۵
Hose Co. No. 1, .	•	15	"	J. E.	E. Goward,	۰۵
Everett H. & L. No. 2	2,	13	"	H. D	avenport,	دد
Mattapan H. & L.	No	. 1, in	charg	ge of	two persons	. Samuel
Bridget, Steward.					-	

RECORD OF FIRES AND ALARMS, From February 1, 1868, to February 1, 1869.

Date.	Time.	Location.	Owner or occupant.	Loss.	Ins.	Cause.
1868. April 6,	-	Stoughton Street.	Thomas M. Bird.	\$200	\$200	Accident.
May 11,	-	Cotton Mill, Com- mercial Street.		-	-	-
" 19,	11 P.M.	Adams Street.	Fonntain Engine	-	-	Incendiary.
July 15,	9 P.M.	Mt. Bowdoin.	House. Willow Cottage.	Slight.	-	Fluid lamp.
" 28,	81 P. M.	Two bridges near Hyde Park.	B. H & E. R. R.	\$6,000.	-	Incendiary.
Aug. 12,		Mattapan.		Slight.	-	Kerosene lamp.
Sept. 7,	-	Alms House.		-	-	*
1869. Jan. 5,	10 A. M.	Bowdoi Street.	Wm. Withington.	Slight.	-	[chimney. Defect in

\* The clothing of a female inmate taking fire.

Respectfully submitted.

S. H. HEBARD, Chief Engineer.

DORCHESTER, February 1, 1869.

## DOG LICENSES.

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C. C. CHURCHILL, County Treasurer.

DEDHAM, November 30, 1868.

## NEPONSET BRIDGE FUND.

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By balance unexpended in 1867,						\$152	60
interest on \$8,000 one year,	•	•	•	•	•	480	00
						\$632	60
Balance,	•	•	•	•	•	657	23
						\$1,289	83
D	R.						
Paid John Glavin for hoisting dra	ıw,	&c.,		\$200	00		
John Glavin, repairs,				2	00		
Shepard & Frost, plank,				58	76		
G. W. Berry,				7	75		
Amount charged to Neponset Brid	lge	accoun	ıt,	1,021	32		

1	 	-,		
			 \$1,289	83

# LIQUOR LICENSES AND SALES.

Received from county treasur	er 1/2	of	license	fees,	•		\$150	00
for tax on sales,		•	•	•	•	•	65	24
							\$215	24

Credit	C	R	E	D	1	т
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Paid State treasurer $\frac{1}{2}$ of tax received on sales,			\$32 62
Balance to credit of incidental account, .	•	•	$182\ \ 62$

\$215 24

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ACCOUNTS.	Appropriation.	Receipts.	Total.	Expenditures.
chools,	\$47,000 00	\$1,658 88	\$48,658 88	\$49,108 15
oor in Almshouse,	4,000 00	926 81	4,926 81	4,296 60
Poor out of Almshouse,	3,500 00	18 95	3,518 95	3,150 64
Alphanet Hospitals,	1,500 00 15,000 00	514 66	1,500 00	1,188 43
lighways,	6,000 00	514 00	$15,514 66 \\ 6,000 00$	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$
Volunteer Companies,	900 00	_	900 00	900 00
Fown Officers,	6,000 00	-	6,000 00	5,220 00
Cemeteries,	1,000 00	255 00	1,255 00	1,282 17
nstalments and interest,	15,000 00	-	15,000 00	17,333 50
nterest in anticipation of Taxes,	5,000 00	1,644 22	6,644 22	2,609 00
batement of Taxes,	4,000 00	190 20	4,190 20	3,121 70
State and County Tax,	$\begin{array}{c} 33,981 52 \\ 6,000 00 \end{array}$	-	33,981 52 6,000 00	$33,981 52 \\5,217 90$
Police and Watch,	1,500 00		1,500 00	1,796 80
ncidental,	9,000 00	392 37	9,392 37	10,228 10
tate Aid,	-	11,500 00	11,500 00	4,439 00
New Road at Hyde Park,	1,500 00	-	1,500 00	1,500 00
Pipe at Lower Mills,	2,805 33	-	2,805 33	2,566 38
Iilitia Pay,	-	1,379 00	1,379 00	646 00
Cemetery Land,	3,284 52	-	3,284 52	3,284 52 280 27
Removing Snow, school-house and land, Mattapan,	25,000 00	53 00	25,053 00	8,913 01
Hook and Ladder Truck,	800 00		800 00	722 00
look and Ladder House,	2,500 00	-	2,500 00	2,680 15
Vew Cemetery,	10,000 00	-	10,000 00	10,000 00
Richmond Street,	832 50	-	832 50	2 216 53
leservoirs,	6,000 00	-	6,000 00	5,720 74
Veponset Bridge,	-	-		1,021 32
linot Street,	-	_	-	1,515 75 1,175 38
Removing House No 3, and land,	_	_	_	1,773 68
lagstaff,	_	-	_	562 38
ence for Soldiers' Monument, .	1,200 00		1,200 00	968 79
Iancock Street,	-		· -	1,389 62
Engine House and land, Lower				
Mills,	7,000 00	750 00	7,750 00	6,596 41
Bird Street,	-	85,416 00	85,416 00	2,347 22 85,416 00
reasurer's Notes,	_	13,798 52	13,798 52	00,410 00
filitary Account,	_	100 00	100 00	
	\$220,303 87	\$118,597 61	\$338,901 48	\$310,784 56

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Appropriations, Receipts and Expenditures, 1868.

\* Balance of appropriation unexpended February 1, 1868.

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# TOWN PROPERTY.

High School-House,	land and	personal	property,		\$8,000 00
Everett School-House,	ů	"	"		13,000 00
Mather School-House,	"	"	"		13,000 00
Adams School-House,	"	دد	"	÷	17,000 00
Gibson School-House,	"	<b>`</b> ((	"	÷	15,000 00
Winthrop School-Hous	e. "	66	"	÷	15,000 00
Norfolk School-House,	"	ςς	"		3,000 00
Washington School-Ho	use. "	"	"		13,000 00
Bowdoin School-House		"	"		1,700 00
Stoughton School-Hous		"			3,000 00
Land and advance on n		l-house a	nt Mattapar	1	8,913 01
Engine No. 1, land and			~		,
		-	~ •		7,500 00
Engine-House No. 2, E				op-	
erty,	-			٠.	12,500 00
Engine-House No. 3, la				nal	
property,					3,500 00
Engine-House No. 4, E	Ingine and	l other j	ersonal pr	op-	
erty,				<b>^</b> .	3,500 00
Engine-House No. 5, la	und, Engi	ne, and c	other perso	nal	
property,					3,000 00
Engine-House No. 6, la			other perso	nal	
property,					2,500 00
Hook and Ladder Ho	use No.	2, carria	ge and ot	her	
personal property, .			• •		$3,200\ 00$
Hook and Ladder Carri	iage No. 1	1, and a	oparatus,		150 00
Hose Carriage No. 1, at	nd hose,				2,000 00
Almshouse establishme	nt, .			•	11,000 00
New Barn and stock th	ierein,				10,000 00
Personal property at A					3,000 00
Town Hall, land and pe	ersonal pi	operty,		•	$4,500\ 00$
Buildings at cemeteries					700 00
One-half lock-up buildin	ng and per	sonal pro	operty there	ein,	700 00
Gravel land, .	• •			•	4,000 00
School pasture, .		• •		•	11,000 00
Salt Marsh,	•	• •	• •	•	600 00
Gibson School Fund, .		• •		•	12,937 19
Stoughton School Fund	l, .		• •	•	3,840 00
Poor Fund,	• •		• •	•	$842 \ 06$
Land at Milton,	• •	• •			1,100 00
Land on Meeting-House	e Hill,	• •		•	10,000 00

Baker's Lodge,						. \$6,000_00
Stone Crusher, Engine and	She	ed,		•	•	. 2,500 00
Water-Pipe at Lower Mills	,	•	• •	•		. 1,000 00
Personal property at rooms	at	Field's	Corr	ıer,	•	. 5,000 00
						\$237,182 26
Town Debt,						. \$147,700 00
Cash on hand and due,		•	•	•	•	. 111,092 41
Actual debt of the To	wn,	•	•	•		. \$36,607 59

## TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1868.

Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor and Surveyors of Highways— John H. Robinson, Edward H. R. Ruggles and Charles Hunt.

Assessors-Oliver Hall, Sylvester H. Hebard, Nathaniel W. Tileston and Joseph T. Swan.

Town Clerk—Thomas F. Temple. Town Treasurer—Thomas F. Temple. Collector—Sylvester H. Hebard. Representatives—Henry J. Nazro and William T. Adams.

# VITAL STATISTICS 1868.

#### BIRTHS REGISTERED DURING THE YEAR.

Males, 150; Females, 139. Whole number, 289. Of these there were three pairs of twins.

	N A	TI	VITY	ΟF	PAR	ENT	s.		Fathers.	Mothers.
Dorchester,									21	30
Other town		the	United	St	ates.				112	113
<b>T 1 1</b>			•					.	115	112
British Pro									11	14
England,								.	13	8
Germany,								.	12	7
Sweden.									1	1
Scotland,									1	4
Prussia,									1	-
Not stated,									2	_
, , ,										
									289	289

Males	BIRTHPLACE OF FEMALES.									
BIRTHPLACE.		Total.	Dorchester.	United States.	Ireland.	Br. Provinces.	England.	Germany.	Total Females.	
Dorchester, .	•	12	3	7	-	-	1	1	12	
United States, .		55	21	30	1	2	1	-	55	
Ireland,	•	30	-	1	27	2	-	-	30	
British Provinces,		5	-	1	1	2	1	-	5	
England,	•	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	
Norway,		1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	
Total Males, .	•	105	24	40	30	7	3	1	105	

# INTENTION OF MARRIAGES, 1868.

## MARRIAGES, 1868.

Males	BIRTHPLACE OF FEMALES.									
BIRTHPLACE.		Total.	Dorchester.	United States.	Ireland.	Br. Provinces.	England.	Germany.	Total Females.	
Dorchester, .		11	2	8	-	_	-	1	11	
United States, .	•	58	20	36	-	1	1	-	58	
Ireland,		29	-	1	25	3	-	-	29	
British Provinces,	•	5		-	1	4	-	-	5	
England,		6	-	3	1	-	2	-	6	
Total Males, .	•	109	22	48	27	8	3	1	109	

### DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1868.

Whole number of Deaths, 200. Males, 93: Females, 107.

Date of	NAMES.		AGE		Place of Birth.	Disease, or cause
Death.		r.	м.	D.		of Death.
Jan. 7,	Harriet E. Woodard, .	.   1	3	17	Dorchester.	Consumption.
8, 13,	Timothy Sullivan, Mary Frances Nichols,	32	2	8 24	Randolph, Vt.	Infantile. Scarlet Fever.
15,	Mary Nichols.	. 67	10	24	Dorchester.	Erysipelas.
15,	Maria Howland,	58	3	15	Saratoga, N. Y.	Consumption.
20, 21,	Jane C. Beeman, Robert E. Cushing,	$  \frac{61}{2}$	3	6	Hallowell, Me. Dorchester.	Disease of Brain. Scarlet Fever.
28.	Roswell Cutler.	50	6	10	Holliston, Mass.	Consumption.
29,	Willie Roswell Cutler,	4		14	Boston,	Searlet Fever.
29,	Elijah Pope Balkam, . Charles N. Freieze, .	. 59	1	01	Dorchester.	Pleurisy Fever. Diphtheria.
30, Feb. 1,	Alice Elizabeth Spear,		4 10	21 10	Quincy.	Pneumonia.
5,	Enos Tolman,	84		10	Dorchester.	Old Age.
8,	Kate McGoveran,	1		23	"	Disease of Lungs.
9, 10,	Andrew, Charles K. Nickerson,	•	6	$\frac{3}{23}$		Congest'n of Lungs
10,	Oliver Glover,	90	8	23	"	Consumption. Old Age.
13.	Peter McGowan, .	1	8	15	"	Measles.
17, 18,	Josephine F. Freize, .	4	5	4	"	Scarlet Fever.
18,	Alvah Herbert Harris, Iuez Baldwin Pitman,	13	6	12 10	"	Malignant Pustule.
22, 24, 24,	Ida M. Dwelley.	6	5 6 2 1	10	"	Scarlet Fever.
24,	Ida M. Dwelley, . Frank P. Eberle, Sarah F. Harding,	2	6		"	Lung Fever.
25,	Sarah F. Harding, .	68	1		-	Pneumonia.
27,	Josephine Withington,	23	2	8	Boston.	Consumption. Scarlet Fever.
Mar. 2,	Franklin D. Merrill, James Henry Brigham,	27	2 8 7	Ť	"	Consumption.
Mar. 2, 3, 3,	Abner M. Fiske, Edmund B. Hallett, .	$\tilde{43}$	1	6	Wells, Me.	"
3,	Edmund B. Hallett, .		7		Dorchester.	Scarlet Fever.
4,	Mary Cochrain,	25	9	9	Ireland. Munroe Co., N.Y.	Consumption.
4, 5, 5, 6, 8,	Robert Ball Hughes.		0	9	London, Eng.	Asthma.
6,	George A. Barker, . Mary P. Withington, . Edith O. Hibbard,	55	11		London, Eng. Waterville, Me.	Cancer.
8,	Mary P. Withington, .	85	8 8	14	Dorchester.	Old Age.
12, 15,	Mary Wheeler	970			Newburyport.	Apoplexy. Hemorrhage.
25,	Mary Wheeler, John F. Cook, Carrie T. Bellows,	44	5		newburyport.	Heart Disease.
26,	Carrie T. Bellows, .		55	17	Dorchester.	
26,	Gracie Hatch.			12	**	Cong. of Lungs.
31, 31, 31,	John P. Whitney, . Louisa Hannum, .	20	11	24 2	Boston.	Accidental. Cancer.
31,	Patty Baker,	75	2	18	Dorchester	Consumption.
April 1, 3,	Susan C. Griggs.	74	8		66	Dropsy.
3,	Thomas H. Willey,	37	10	ļ	u Destar	Consumption.
4, 5,	Frances Abby Bird, . George Henry Dinter,	37	4		Boston.	Inflam. of Bowels. Scarlet Fever.
	Mary J. Fabian,		2	20	Dorchester.	Lung Fever.
7,	Mary Danforth Aiken,	1	10	2	"	Disease of Spine.
10,	Ellen Archibald,	40			Ireland.	Consumption.
10, 12,	Nathaniel Withington, Elizabeth H. Knox,	45	10	12	Dorchester. Duxbury.	Heart Disease.
13,	Isaac Shephard	28	10	1~	Pawtucket, R. I.	Typhoid Fever.
13,	John Connelly,	.	1		Dorchester.	Cong. of Lungs.
14, 15,	Hannah Whorf, . Frances E Williams,	$\begin{array}{c c} & 61 \\ & 24 \end{array}$	7	25	Truro. Boston.	Brain Fever.
19,	Amy Trainer.	$ ^{24}_{24}$	5	20	Lowell.	Convulsions.
20,	Amy Trainer, Jonathan T. Williams,	63		21	Roxbury.	Consumption.
30,	Mary Donovan,			4		Jaundice.
May 4, 8,	James Drummond, . Elizabeth F. Moss, .	$  68 \\   3$		15	England. Dorchester.	Paralysis. Scarlet Fever.
0,	Linzabelli P. Bross, .	10		10	Dorenester.	Scarlet rever.

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## DEATHS—Continued.

Date of	f NAMES.		AGE		Place of Birth.	Disease, or canse	
Death.		Y.	M.	D.		of Death.	
May 11, 12, 17, 20, 28, 29,	Peter Hannan, Sarah M. Sloan, Mary T. Brennen, William Tucker, Cornelius Toomey, Edward Haynes,	$     \begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$		14 9 22	Ireland. Braintree. Providence, R. I. Canton. Ireland. Dorchester.	Consumption. Apoplexy of Brain. Lung Fever. Consumption.	
June 6, 10, 12, 14, 19,	Samuel Hood, Andrew Follen, Edwin A. Smith, Mary H. Wilcox,	82 75 58 73	8 10 6	12 21	England. Ireland. Medfield. Boston. Dorchester.	Old Age. Consumption. Disease of Brain. Teething. Old Age.	
20, 24, 27, 30, 30,	Mary G. W. Aldrich,	19 42 3		8 19	South Boston. Newport. Boston. Dorchester.	Disease of Kidneys Pneumonia. Searlet Fever. Inflam. of Lungs. Cholera Infantum.	
July 1, 6, 12, 15, 22,	Lydia E. Fairfield, Fannie E. Lamb, Charles Melvin Seavey, .	$     \begin{array}{r}       45 \\       29 \\       25 \\       16     \end{array} $	9 1 9	5 3 10	Boston. Ireland. Kennebunk, Me. Dorchester. Perry, Me. North Quincy.	Sunstroke. Consumption. Disease of Kidneys Accidental.	
23, 25, 25, 27, 27,	Frederick Baine, Ellen Dunn, Sarah A. Pearce, John B. Rumery, Mary Ann McDonald, .	43 42 74	5 4 5 7	$     \begin{array}{c}       14 \\       25 \\       6 \\       10     \end{array} $	Dorchester. Cambridge.	Cholera Infantum. Whooping Cough. Scrofula. Inflam. of Bowels. Int. Rupture.	
27, [28, 29, 29, 31, Aug. 2,	Abagail Howe, Jane Smyth, Ella Florence Burgess, . Engene Hilton, .	74 33 2	11 6 3 3 3 3	3 22 19 18	Dorchester. Ireland, Dorchester. Boston.	Paralysis. Cholera Infantum. Lung Disease. Cholera Infantum.	
1 ug. ~, 3, 3, 4, 6, 6,	E. Walter Brodwick, Thomas Purcell, Thomas B. McDermott, . Margaret Rodman, Louisa Kennedy, Franklin Hall,	16 45	3 5 11	2 21 28 29	New York. Roxbury.	Accidental. Cholera Infantum. Asthma. Congenital Syphilis	
8, 8, 8, 9,	Irving H. Buzzell, Charles Edward Jones, . George W. Cooper, May Atwood Ward,	40	$     \begin{array}{c}       11 \\       10 \\       6 \\       3 \\       10     \end{array} $	$     \begin{array}{r}       4 \\       14 \\       10 \\       13     \end{array} $	Cambridge. Dorchester. " Boston. New York. Dorchester.	Consumption. Canker. Cholera Infantum. Congenital Syphilis Diphtheria.	
9, 9, 10, 10, 10, 11, 11, 10, 10	Johanna Burns, Caroline B. Eager, Freddie E. Johnson,	2	5 6 5	$     \begin{array}{c}       14 \\       14 \\       3 \\       23     \end{array} $	Dorchester. " N. Berwick, Me. Dorchester.	Canker. Cholera Infantum, Scarlet Fever. Cholera Infantum, """"	
11, 11, 11, 11, 12, 12, 12	Mary Buckley, William C. McCarthy, Ellen Elizabeth Colbert, William Allen, Albert Heubener.		7 4 4	18 11 1	" Malden. Dorchester.	" " Whooping Cough, Cholera Infantum, Mortification.	
12, 13, 15, 15, 15, 15, 15, 15, 15, 15, 15, 15	Ellen E. Corbett Jane Reid, Elizabeth O. Sullivan, . Alice Frances Bird, . Hanora Quinn,	66 4 65	8 11 4	18 3 23	Scotland. Dorchester. Ireland.	Whooping Cough, Dropsy of Chest. Scarlet Fever. Cholera Infantum. Dysentery.	
$     15, \\     17, \\     18, \\     18, \\     18,   $	Margaret Sheehan, Unknown Child, Nina Baker Merriam, . Daniel Carroll,	2	7 13 10	6	Dorchester. Boston. Dorchester.	Dysentery. Cholera Infantum. Drowned. Cholera Infantum.	
18, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20	Catherine Flannagan, John Buckley, Herbert Colurn Shepard, Gertrude E. Hill, Charles W. Grundy, Freddie Keyes Boynton, Harriet Ann Kyle, New Flue Freeman		10 9 5 5 7 8 8	26	" " Boston. Dorchester.	Convulsions. Cholera Infantum. Diarrhœa. " Teething.	
21, 21, 21, 24, 26, 26, 26	Bridget Dacey	1 26	4	18	" " Ireland.	Diarrhœa. Cholera Infantum. Consumption.	
$\begin{array}{c} 26, \\ 28, \\ ept. 1, \\ 2, \\ 3, \\ \end{array}$	Micah Humphrey, Charles H. Perkins, Mary Cossell, Lillie Cora Leonard,	76 82 14	10 7 2 7	$     \begin{array}{r}       18 \\       3 \\       24 \\       26     \end{array} $	Cohasset. Boston. Lunenburg. Boston.	Heart Disease. Consumption. Paralysis. Rheumatism.	

Date of			AGE.			Discoss or organ
Death.	NAMES.				Place of Birth.	Disease, or cause
Doutin		r.	м.	D.		of Death.
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Sept. 3,	Anna Peterson,		7		Boston.	Cholera Infantum.
4, 5,	Andrew H. Cromer, Katie Leonard,	i i	45	4 19	Dorchester. Roxbury.	Diarrhœa. Cholera Infantum.
6,	Margaret R. Dillon,	29	U U	10	Prince Edw's Isle.	Childbirth.
11,	Joseph F. Farrell,	5		27	Dorchester.	Scarlet Fever.
11.	Alford Dyer Winslow,		6	25	"	Diarrhœa.
12,	Joseph Jordan,	1	4	8	Boston.	Congenital Syphilis.
13, 16, 16,	James B. Gilligan, Annie Mills,	1	4	16	Dorchester.	Convulsions. Cholera Infantum.
17, 17, 17,	William Henry Scrymgeour, Richard T. Dillion, Mary Ella Riley, Lura R. Bradshaw, Francis F. Spring, Fred M. Williams,	1	11	2	South Boston.	ci ii
17,	Richard T. Dillion,	2	3 7 1	10	Dorchester.	Diarrhœa.
17, 19,	Mary Ella Riley,	38	1	10 2	Boston.	Congenital Syphilis. Heart Disease.
20,	Francis F. Spring.	50	-	~	Putney, Vt. Ireland.	(i
21.	Fred M. Williams,	11	8	4	Fitchburg.	Scarlet Fever.
21. 1	Grace Simes, .		2	7	Boston.	Asthma.
23, 23,	Helen Robinson,	36	9 10	16		Consumption.
23,	Mary L. Hood,	78		2 <del>1</del>	Amesbury.	Old Age.
25,	Charles H. Thayer,		8 1		Boston.	Cholera Infantum.
27.	John Hogan,		4 3 7		Bridgewater.	Syphilis. Whooping Cough
27, 28,	Mary Ryan, . Charlie Dean Ellis,	1	3	3	Dorchester. Boston.	Teething.
29,	Anne Hunt,		9	3	Dorchester.	Abscess.
Oct. 2,	Annie Claffy, Thomas Havey,	1		5	"	Disease of Brain.
2,	Thomas Havey,	25			Ireland.	Consumption.
Oct. 2, 2, 3, 3,	Sarah Manning,	$\frac{1}{54}$	1	27	Dorchester.	Diarrhœa. Tumors.
3, 4, 6	Adeline Clapp,	94	10	~1	Boston. Dorchester.	Teething.
0, 1	Thomas Donahoe,		5		44	Diarrhœa.
6,	Henry Bird, Emily J. Curtis,		~	17	East Boston.	Consumption.
8,	Emily J. Curtis,	3 39	7	10	Dorchester. Lincolnville, Me.	Croup. Typhoid Fever.
$     12, \\     12, \\     12, \\     $	Emily J. Curtis,	73		17	Boothbay, Me.	Accidental.
12,	Clarissa Nute,	70			Boothbay, Me. Greenland, N. H.	Pneumonia.
12, 13,	Minnie S. Spaulding,	2	4	8	Boston.	Croup.
14, 15,	Lizzie Webster,	1	1	$\frac{12}{22}$	Dorchester.	Bronchitis. Croup.
16,	Sarah W. Eddy.	51		~~	Hingham.	Paralysis.
18.	Carrie E. Lyon,	33	1	18	Newton.	Consumption.
23,		22	7 1	12	St. George, Me.	Typhoid Fever.
Nov. 1,	Haynes M. Smart, Joseph Dunlay,	56 97	1	23	Hanover, N. H. Ireland.	Paralysis. Old Age.
1,	John Holleran,	1	7 6		Boston.	Marasmus.
2, 3,	Ellon Logry	21	6		Ireland.	Consumption.
4.	James A. Donnelly,		1	10	Dorchester.	Canker.
4, 8,	Annes A. Jonnelly, Rebecca Cole, Mary Ann Tucker, Margaret Havey,	48	i	10	England.	Infantile. Consumption.
9.1	Mary Ann Brennan,	23			Ireland.	"
9.	Margaret Havey,	3	1		Dorchester.	Measles.
12.1	Garren Darry,	50		6	Ireland.	Typhoid Fever. Intantile.
14, 17,	Paddon, Lucretia Smith,	76	11	8	Dorchester. Watertown.	infantuc.
24,	Bridget Munier,	32	9	Ũ	Ireland.	Consumption.
24,	Elizabeth Howe,	86	22	10	Dorchester.	Paralysis.
28,	Clarence Baxter,	27 32	2	10	Medford. Ireland.	Childbirth.
Dec. 3, 10,	Ellen Bradley,	32 1	6		Dorchester.	Disease of Throat.
10, 12,	Ellen Wholly,	37			Ireland.	Consumption.
13, [	William Lawrence, Ellen Wholly, William H. Korb,	1	10	01	Dorchester.	Croup.
15,	Annie Lucretia Smith, .	68	10	21	Boston.	Cholera Infantum. Meningitis.
$     16, \\     18,      $	Stephen Powers, Angenette Korb,	2	10		Newbury, Vt. New York.	Inflam. of Lungs.
20,	Angelet Thayer,	68	7	12	Dedham.	Apoplexy.
25.	Catherine Boderic,	23			Ireland.	Consumption.
25,	Edwin H. Stoughton, .	30	6	$\frac{9}{3}$	Chester, Vt. Scotland.	
26, 30,	Mary A. Reeve,	26 68	9	19	Middleboro, Vt.	Disease of Bladder.
31,	John Larry,		10	15	Dorchester.	Cholera Infantum.
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## CLASSIFICATION OF CAUSES, &c.

The diseases were-

Asthma, .					4	Fever, Pleurisy,				1
Abecess					1	Scarlet, . Typhoid,				14
Accidental,					6	Typhoid			•	4
Apoplexy,		•		•	$\overset{\circ}{2}$	Hemorrhage,	, ,			ī
Propiexy,	•	•	•	•	ĩ	Infontilo	•	•	•	
Bronchitis,	•	•	•	•		Infantile, Inflammation of	· · ·	· ·		3
Cancer, .	•	•	•	•	<b>2</b>	Inflammation of	Bowels,	•		2
Canker, .					3	Jaundice,				1
Childbirth, Cholera Infan					- 3	Marasmus.				1
Cholera Infan	tum				25	Measles, Meningitis,				2
Consumption,	curry,	•	•	•	34	Moningitie			•	1
Consulationa	•	•	•	•		Mentification	•	•	•	1
Convulsions, Croup, . Diarrhœa, . Diphtheria,	•	•	•	•	3	Mortification,	• •	•	•	
Croup, .	•	•	•	•	4	Old Age,	•	•	٠	7
Diarrhœa, .				•	8	Paralysis, . Pneumonia, . Pustule, .		•		7
Diphtheria,					2	Pneumonia.				3
Disease of Bla	dder.				1	Pustule.	· · •			1
of Bra	in	•	•	•	5	Rhoumatism			•	ī
	<i>и</i> ц,	•	•	•		Rheumatism, .	•	•	•	1
of He	art,	•	•	•	5	Rupture, .	•	•	•	
of Kid	lneys	, .	•	•	2	Scrofula, .	•	•	•	1
of Lu	los.				8	Rupture, . Scrofula, . Syphilis, (Conge	enital,)	•		5
of Spi of Th	ne.				1	Teething, Tumor,				4
of Th	roat				1	Tumor				1
Duongu	(Oal)	•	•	•	$\frac{1}{2}$	Whooning Cours	.h		•	4
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## FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

#### OF THE

# CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

OF THE

## TOWN OF DORCHESTER,

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1869.

## REPORT.

### To the Town of Dorchester and its Board of Selectmen :--

The Board of Commissioners for the care, superintendence and management of the Cemetery situated between Adams Street and Neponset River, in submitting the First Annual Report thereon, desire to acknowledge their sense of the liberality which has characterized the action of the town towards this enterprise, and the courtesy they have received in the discharge of their duties from various officers and citizens of the town.

Its liberal action has impressed the Commissioners with a sense of the determination of the town to make this such a cemetery as shall be adequate to the needs and congenial to the tastes of the citizens of Dorchester.

The Act of the legislature under which the Board is constituted was approved by the governor March 16th, 1868; accepted and the present Commissioners chosen April 6th, 1868. They held their first meeting and organized on the fourteenth of the same month; and at that meeting they took the preliminary steps for the laying out of the cemetery upon a plan of such design that the grounds might retain their attractive natural features, and yet be developed, as future wants should require, symmetrically and with economy. Such a plan has been completed, and it is proposed to commence work in accordance with it as early as the season will permit. The completion of this plan was delayed, however, by the fact that the Board became very early aware that the County Commissioners contemplated changing the width, and, perhaps, the location of Adams Street, on which the cemetery, for upwards of one thousand feet has its principal front; and the Board judged it better to await the definite location of Adams Street, than to expend labor where it might be rendered in a great degree useless, if the change of location of the street should be made as was then proposed. In October last the County Commissioners decided to make such change, and a strip of land was thereby left between the cemetery grounds and the new location of Adams Street, about one thousand feet in length, of varying width, containing 131,650 square feet, including the land in the new location of Adams Street. This strip comprised two parcels, held by different ownerships, the smaller parcel having two more owners than the larger one; and of this smaller parcel it was found impracticable at that time, or since, to obtain a title to more than five undivided sevenths.

The Board felt compelled, however, in order to preserve its frontage upon Adams Street, to secure what could then be had of this strip, and accordingly purchased the whole of the larger parcel and the five-sevenths of the smaller one, having together an area of upwards of three acres, at the cost of, \$1,774 67

Other additions of land have been made, as follows :---

From the Seaverns estate, about two acres, at the								
cost of,	\$1,000 00							
From the Richardson estate, (upland and marsh),								
nearly three acres, at the cost of	\$446 00							

making (including the parcel of which two-sevenths are still outstanding,) about eight acres added during the year, to the thirty-two acres previously purchased and set apart for the cemetery.

All said additions are well adapted to the purpose for which they have been acquired, and the Commissioners judge that the prices paid therefor are reasonable, and that no attempt has been made by the vendors to take undue advantage of the needs of the town.

In conformity with the plan for laying out the cemetery, its principal entrance will be at the corner of Adams and Milton Streets, and its name, as adopted by the Board, is "CEDAR GROVE CEMETERY."

The Commissioners report the following receipts :---

Cash appropriated by the town, A	April 6,	1868,		\$10,000	00
received as interest on same	э, .			400	00
received for rent, .			•	75	00
received for grass sold,		•	•	-25	00
Total receipts,				\$10,500	00

All which is now loaned upon interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum and United States bonds to the amount of eleven thousand dollars are held as collateral security therefor. No bills have been presented for payment. It is believed that no further appropriation by the town need ever be asked.

It is proposed, with the opening of the spring, to commence active operations upon the improvement of the grounds, the construction of avenues and grading of lots in portions of the Cemetery; and, with this view, the Board has contracted for carts and harnesses, has adopted measures for securing a proper person as superintendent, and it is believed, that at an early day, improvements will so far have been made, that these grounds can be used in accordance with the purposes of the town, as an appropriate and attractive resting-place for its dead.

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN CARRUTH, WM. POPE, H. J. NAZRO, HENRY L. PIERCE, ALBE C. CLARK, Commissioners.

DORCHESTER, February 10, 1869.

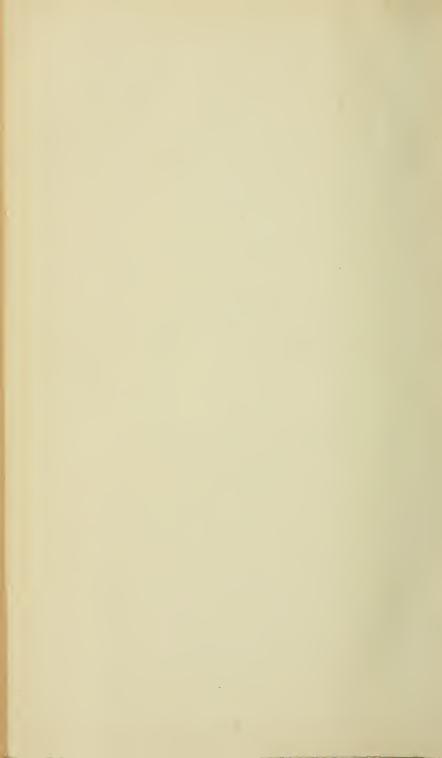
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THOMAS F. TEMPLE, Treasurer, in account with Cemetery Funds.	By amount invested by order of Commissioners, . balance on hand February 1, 1869,		ect.	W. F. TEMPLE, GEORGE HAVNES.	Audiors.		
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DR. THOMAS F. TEMPLE, '	To amount of appropriation,		We have examined the above account and find the same correct.			DORCHESTER, February 1, 1869.	
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