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OF THE
Receipts and Expenditures,

FOR THE

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ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1862,

TOGETHER WITH THE

SCHOOL REPORT,

AND OTHER REPORTS AND PAPERS RELATING TO THE AFFAIRS
OF THE CITY.

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MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

Gentlemen of the City Council:

The government of the city for the ensuing year being now organized, it becomes my duty to offer you some suggestions relative to the more important matters which will claim attention in the year before us. We are not unmindful of the fact that we are entering upon office at a time when the principles of the government are being put to a severe test, and the strain is brought to bear at a point which had not before been fully tried. The ability of a free republican government to achieve its independence was shown in the success which attended the Revolution. Its adaptedness to promote the highest good of a people has been manifest in the unexampled prosperity of this nation for three quarters of a century, and its ability to repel aggressions by other powers was shown in the last war with Great Britain as well as by all our diplomatic intercourse with the old world; but its power to sustain itself amid the throes and convulsions of internal dissensions and rebellion, is the terrible ordeal through which it is now passing. God grant it may be found equal to the emergency. If so, a bright and prosperous future is before us, and the bow of hope and promise to the down trodden millions of other lands will assume a new and unwonted lustre. But should it fail! The consequences are too appalling to be contemplated. There are those who seem to think that though a popular government may prove too weak for a nation, it will, nevertheless be found strong enough for state and lesser governments. This is an error. The same essential principles underlie all free government, and if they are not suited for a nation they will be found

wholly inadequate for all other governments. For what obligation or motive ever can bind an individual that will not by right bind a community, and if a state can defy the authority of a nation at pleasure, why may not an individual cut loose from the restraints which lesser governments impose, when these happen to conflict with his wishes or supposed interests. If the government of the United States cannot after a fair and full opportunity, establish its authority and maintain its right to control in their national character all the states in the Union, then the policy of our civil institutions is at an end, and will at no distant day give place to some new order of things. A Democratic government will come to be looked upon as an exploded theory, the offspring of a bewildered fancy, the creation of idle dreamers. But the reproachful epithets of our enemies do not disturb our confidence in a government which for three fourths of a century has been the admiration of unprejudiced men all over the world. And we are reminded by these reflections that a firm cordial support of the national administration is the plain path which duty marks out for us in the year to come, no less in our official, than in our private capacity.

FINANCES.

The Finances will claim special attention. Before entering upon the discussion of this topic, it is proper to remark that recent events with which you are familiar compel me to examine this subject more in detail than I might otherwise have deemed admissible in this address. I shall endeavor however to be as brief as a clear and full explanation of the subject will admit. If some points should seem unduly protracted, I trust that the light which will be incidentally thrown upon our duties the coming year will atone for any seeming digression. The successful prosecution of our mutual labors, you will readily perceive, demands that the minds of all should be disabused of any false impressions which are likely to impair the confidence which ought to exist between the different branches of the government.

The permanent loan at the close of 1861 was \$134,100,

and I am not aware that it has been increased or diminished during the past year. The unfunded or floating debt is quite distinct from this in its history and in its character, and is not perhaps generally as well understood as it should be. In order to set this subject in as clear a light as I am able, I shall go back to the year 1855, at which time my acquaintance with its history began. It is necessary here to observe that up to the year 1856 the municipal year ended in March instead of January, and the financial year ended the last day of February instead of the last day of December, as it now does. By this change the municipal year of 1856 was shortened two months, and the financial year one month. This shortening of the official year prevented the government for 1856 from accomplishing an important matter, namely, the payment of this floating debt, with the hope that no subsequent administration would allow another to be created. It is perhaps unnecessary for me to point out the evils of such a debt. No well regulated private corporation will tolerate one, and all regard such debts with jealous caution, but their pernicious tendencies in a city where the management of affairs is liable at each succeeding year to fall into new and sometimes not overscrupulous hands, and where such a debt is liable to be made a kind of financial cesspool into which all deficits in the treasury may be easily swept to be occasionally relieved of its superabundant load by a permanent loan, is too apparent to need elucidation. According to the annual report for 1854, there was a balance in the treasury at the close of that year of \$9,880.95, but the unpaid bills were in excess of this sum, as appears from the fact that the first two drafts for February and March amount to \$10,684.60. Other bills came in during the year; one for \$1000 to complete the Amoskeag Falls bridge. This contract was made and the material procured in 1854, and the government of 1855 had nothing to do with it but to pay the bills. There was also a note overdue at the commencement of the year of \$640, interest and principal, and still another due in the early part of the year 1855 for \$2,040. The only means left in the treasury to meet these demands was \$2,896.53, paid into the treasury by the collector for 1854, leaving a balance of \$1,587.12 to be pro-

vided for by the administration for 1855. The financial committee for 1856 examined this floating debt and decided that it ought to be paid that year, and that without increasing the permanent loan ; and the appropriations for the year were made up accordingly.

The sum of \$7,738.11 was paid on the old notes during that summer. At the close of the year, December 1st, this debt stood as follows : Unpaid bills in the treasurer's office, \$11,818.46. The amount of the Goffstown claim was not then ascertained, but afterwards was found to be \$1,500. Then there were bills contracted in 1855 and 1856 which had not been passed by the committee on accounts, which were paid in 1857, amounting to \$3,812.26, and the unpaid balance of old notes, \$4,492.57, amounting altogether to \$21,623.29. To meet this sum there were means as follows : Cash in treasury, January 1st, 1857, \$4,611.21 ; taxes for 1856 paid in during 1857, \$18,875 ; collected on notes given for taxes in 1856, \$1,848.77 ; amounting in all to \$25,334.98—\$3,711.69 more than enough to pay every dollar the city owed at that time except the permanent loan.

Thus we see this floating debt might have been paid in 1857, and would have been paid in 1856, had not the official year been shortened as before stated. Was this debt paid in 1857 ? I will read from the report for that year, see page 82 : "The debt has been decreased this year by the payment of \$500 on J. G. Eveleth's note." That is all. By a careful inspection of the annual reports it will be seen that all the expenses incurred in 1855 and 1856, were paid, or the means provided for that purpose, and \$10,419 of the old debt was paid, and \$25,334.98 of means were left to be disposed of by the administration of 1857. Let us see what was done by the administration of those two years, that should have increased the expenditures above other years. First, the great number of fires which occurred raised the expenses of the fire department to \$27,844.48 ; the purchase of engine No. 7—house and equipments, \$3,000 ; Pine Grove Cemetery, \$5,389 ; three new school houses, \$13,000 ; repairs of school houses in District No. 2, in 1855, \$3,000 ; survey of the city, maps, &c., \$2,000 ; digging and stoning well, aqueduct, carrying water to

house and barn, painting barn, &c., on City Farm, \$676 ; cost of bringing water from Hanover Square to Elm Street, stone troughs, &c., \$1,400 ; horses, carts, harnesses, &c., \$1,400 ; City Library—extra on account of loss by fire, \$500 ; cost of new barn over and above insurance, \$2,725 ; reservoirs, \$800 ; to complete Amoskeag Falls bridge, \$1,333 ; planking Granite bridge and bridge over canal, \$1,200 ; new highways (\$4,337 of which were paid for land damages) \$11,313 ; 7,000 feet of sewerage, 28 brick cess pools, \$3,117 ; amounting to \$78,699.48. It will be borne in mind that this amount of work was done and the purchases made, in compliance with orders passed by the city council, after full and careful reflection upon the propriety, and in many cases the necessity of each item.

Six years have passed by, and experience ought to show whether the City Council for those years acted wisely or not in passing these orders. I think a careful examination of them will show that they acted with as much prudence and forecast as have marked the proceedings of other years, and perhaps a little more. It is at least incumbent on those who make so much ado, to point out the particular object which ought to have been omitted. This has not been done perhaps for the reason that it was not desirable to present the objection and show its fallacy at the same time. Except the sum for new school houses, over which the city government has no control, that for new highways is much the largest item. Now do the inhabitants living on Beech Amherst, Manchester, Union, Myrtle, Harrison and some other streets in the heart of the city, complain that their streets were made too soon? They were not built till nearly all the houses now standing on them were erected. I do not know that the people in Piscataquog have ever considered that the fire engine purchased for that neighborhood was a useless expense, or that the purchase was premature.

The reasons which induced the city council to order the purchase of the grounds for Pine Grove Cemetery, were that the lots in the Valley Cemetery were nearly all taken up. The grounds appropriated for public use especially, were occupied, and in case an epidemic should prevail in the city, there would be no place to bury the dead, except

for those families who have been fortunate enough to have secured lots in the old cemetery.

THE COMMONS.

The Commons are a part of the valuable donation made by the Amoskeag Company to the city, in the first years of its settlement. They were given upon the express terms that they should be put in a condition to be not only useful but ornamental to the city. The selection of the ground for these commons, evinces no less the wisdom and forecast than the benevolence of the donor. They contain natural reservoirs which meet a necessity that could not have been supplied by the city without a heavy expenditure of money. As the management of these commons has so often been cited as a proof of mal-administration in 1855 and 1856, I propose to consider the matter at some length. Hanover Square had received less attention than some of the others; probably for the reason that the neighborhood had been more recently settled. The water coming down Beech and Walnut streets from the north, had carried large quantities of sand into the reservoir—the bank on the north side of which was badly washed, giving it a very dilapidated appearance. The south side was in a still worse condition; the water from Hanover street, coming in at the southeast corner, had washed deep gullies quite across from the reservoir to the street. The soil on this common was a light, sandy loam, too poor to support vegetation, disturbed by every high wind, and in its turn disturbing the neighborhood. There was no way to remedy the evil but to create a soil strong enough to sward over. To effect this object the usual means were employed—manure and deep ploughing.

A portion of Concord Square was in a similar condition, and was treated in a similar way. Both were benefitted by the process. The sand carried into the reservoir formed islands which rose above the surface of the water, making the water at the east end very shallow, which in warm weather became heated, filling the atmosphere with a very offensive odor, which might or might not be injurious to the health of the neighborhood. Large quantities of this sand

were removed from the reservoir. In the progress of this work I noticed that a large amount of pure water flowed in from the south bank. As there was no high ground in that vicinity from which this water could be supposed to proceed, it was difficult to account for the large quantity which the ground thereabouts evidently contained. The existence however of the pond, more than a hundred feet above the plane of the river, suggested the idea that there might be a substratum which the water could not easily penetrate, extensively underlying the surface in that vicinity. Subsequent examination confirmed this hypothesis, and showed that this stratum laid in the form of a trough, running from north to south; its eastern side extending to the high land on the east, and its western edge coming near the surface about at Pine street, and extending north till it met the ledge a little south of Bridge street. This trough is filled to an average depth of nine or ten feet, with loose, fine sand, and probably contains more than one hundred acres. The surface water upon this large tract filters through this sand, and hence its great purity, until it meets the hard pan alluded to. As it cannot descend through this to the level of the river, it flows off partly to the south into the cemetery brook, and partly north into the reservoir. These facts ascertained, and knowing that this water was sufficiently elevated to flow freely down to Elm street, the feasibility of carrying it there was a very natural deduction; and when it is recollected that a project for bringing water to the city from a long distance, at a cost of some half a million of dollars, was seriously entertained by many of our most prominent citizens, the outlay of \$1,400 for this object need not be regarded as an extravagant outlay.

THE SURVEY.

An order was passed in 1855, instructing the Mayor to procure a survey of the city, having for its object a system of drainage, and the grade of the streets. This work was undertaken in 1856, and James Slade, Esq., of Boston, was employed to superintend it. A survey was made of the territory east of Elm street to the Mammoth road, and

from the Cemetery Brook on the south to Brook street on the north. A plan was drawn of this territory, showing the streets as laid out, the sewers as proposed, its topography, profiles of all the streets, with levels taken at every 100 feet, the whole accompanied by an elaborate report. Mr. Slade has been for years Chief Engineer of the city of Boston. He is a gentleman of long and varied experience in this particular branch of Civil Engineering. Perhaps no man in the country is so well acquainted with all that pertains to the nature and construction of conduits, for the conveyance of water, as he is. It was thought that a report emanating from such authority would be considered a safe guide for future operations in this branch of the city's surface. But instead of this we hear this survey spoken of as a wasteful expenditure of money for an object which required only the exercise of a little common-sense judgment. But what is this common-sense judgment when employed to determine heights and grades, and the natural flow of water? Simply guess work; nothing more nor less. Now if common sense is to determine this matter, will not its decision be that guessing is a very unsatisfactory way of determining questions which require the certainty of careful measurement. We have had a good deal of this putting down sewers by guess. The expense amounts to about \$25,000. This sum, had it been expended upon a well matured plan, dictated by a careful survey, would have given the city an excellent working system of drainage; not all that is required to be sure, but useful as far as it went. But instead of such a plan for a guide, the following is a tolerable description of the manner in which our sewers have been brought into existence.

A petition is presented for a sewer. The committee on sewers examine the premises and become satisfied that one is needed; but how is it to be put down? A sewer must have a real, or at least a supposed outlet. It is at length ascertained that this sewer may be made to intersect with some other one already put down. But what is the capacity and the present condition of this old sewer? What is its grade, and what is the service already required of it? These are questions buried up eight feet under ground. The committee cannot unearth them; besides they are a

committee on sewers, not on resurrections ; the best they can do is to report in favor of the sewer. The report is made, the order passed, and the sewer put down, and what are the consequences ? Very likely the old sewer is unequal to half the service before required of it, and the result is that the new sewer, having no proper outlet, soon fills up with filth ; this generates gases, which find their way to the surface in the form of a deadly miasma, and men think all is well because they have obtained the sewer.

I opened some of these sewers in 1856, and found them filled with the most loathsome filth. The sewer on Elm street, at its southerly end, is about three feet in diameter ; a few inches higher than it is wide. It holds the same size as far north as Central street, when it is diminished to about one foot, eight inches in diameter ; from there it extends to Bridge street varying in size, where it ends. It has a fall from Bridge to Amherst streets of about ten inches to the 100 feet—one inch in ten feet. From Amherst to Merri-mack st. it has a fall of only four inches to the 100 feet. Into this sewer, averaging from Bridge to Central street, about 22 inches in diameter, lying almost level, all the sewers east of Elm street, except two, empty their contents, or rather they are supposed to do so. The territory supposed to be drained by these sewers is six hundred and twenty acres. Here we have a case where common sense and common experience are fully competent to decide. It is this that the surface water alone upon this large tract of land, does not and cannot be made to pass through the small sewer, lying as it does almost on a dead level. But this territory contains nearly all the buildings in this part of the city, except those on the corporations. What is the inevitable conclusion but that all the vast amounts of matter created by these buildings and out-buildings, except what is carried away in carts, remain from year to year but little removed from the spot where it originated ? The City Council for 1855, in view of these facts, came to the conclusion that no more money ought to be spent in this way, but that the future expenditures should bear the impress of useful and permanent improvement, and therefore ordered the survey, and from it we learn that the ground on which the city is built is well adapted to a per-

fect system of drainage, and the report contained all the needful information required in its construction. We have not time to continue the examination of all these subjects. Enough has been said to show the frivolous character, to use no severer term, of the complaints which have been made concerning them.

THE EXPENSES OF 1855 AND 1856 COMPARED WITH 1857.

By a careful examination of the Treasurer's account I find the amount chargeable to the expense for 1855, was \$84,818.50, and that of 1856 was \$105,915.07, to this sum should be added \$3,812.26 for bills brought in and paid in 1857, making the average amount of these two years \$97,282.91. We will now see how this sum compares with the expenses of the following year, 1857.

From the Treasurer's report we find the amount paid in that year was \$77,333.23. Then by the report for the following 1858, we find that bills to the amount of \$10,699.75 were left unpaid, which added, made the whole amount for the year \$87,942.98. We have given in the preceding list, a class of expenses which are not of annual occurrence, or are liable to be largely varied in amount from year to year. The average yearly amount of these extra expenditures in 1855 and 1856 as already shown, was \$39,349.74, while the amount expended for similar objects in 1857 was \$28,026.19. Now if we subtract these different amounts from the gross expenses of those years respectively, we find that the ordinary expense for carrying on the government in 1857 exceeded the average expense of the two preceding years by \$1,993.62. With such a record the government of those years can well afford to bear a few groundless accusations, and though rather an indifferent reward for faithful public service, yet conscious of being in the right they may bear the wrong with patience, or treat it with silent contempt. But, the effect of such attacks upon the character and interests of the city will be evil and only evil.

THE FLOATING DEBT.

The unfunded debt on the 15th of last month was

\$59,800. \$25,289.33 of this sum had been expended in furnishing aid to families of the volunteer soldiers, and it is expected that that amount will be refunded by the state. If so, it will reduce the amount to \$34,510.67. Of this sum, \$23,585.01 has been paid in bounties to soldiers and other expenses on account of the war; the remainder, \$10,925.66 is a part of the original floating debt. \$12,000 of this debt was funded in 1861. If to these sums we add the balance of means at the close of the year 1856 over and above what was required to cancel this debt at that time, we find that the expenses of the city have exceeded the revenue in five years by \$26,638.35. Whether the past year has increased or diminished this sum we have at present no means of knowing.

The question which urges itself upon our attention now is, what shall be done with this debt? The state and county tax will no doubt be very large the present year. The tax of the general government will bear heavily upon a portion of the people; it would therefore seem to be necessary that the city tax should be as low as the unavoidable expenses of the city will allow; for my own part I see no way but to resort to a loan that will postpone the payment of this debt for a term of years.

THE POLICE.

The city charter originally placed the mayor at the head of the police, but subsequent amendments seem to place him nearer the foot, so the management of this important branch of the government is now substantially in the hands of the board of aldermen, and is perhaps as well there as anywhere. The value of a well organized effective police can hardly be over-estimated. There is a class of persons in the community who prefer the largest liberty, and they usually congregate in those towns and cities where the police is least likely to disturb their assumed right. A weak police is therefore an invitation to that class of persons to come among us. The principles which govern them are precisely the same as those which actuate the rebels who now seek to overthrow the nation, and if the latter can enforce obedience to law, then may the lesser government

hope to do the same. Very much will depend upon the man you select for marshal. I therefore recommend moderation and caution in the selection. All measures calculated to promote order and sobriety in the city will receive from me all the support I can give them.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The fire department I believe is in a very satisfactory condition. One suggestion, however, may be worth considering. The reservoirs on Elm street have their openings near the centre of the street and are a serious obstruction to the travel. It has occurred to me that wells three or four feet in diameter might be sunk, one on each side of the street, connected with the reservoirs by conduits at the bottom; the water could be taken from these wells and the openings in the centre of the street closed up. The opening of these wells being on the side of the street might be somewhat raised and thus lessen the trouble and expense of keeping them free from snow and ice.

REPAIRS OF HIGHWAYS.

The repairs of highways will claim your attention. In district No. 2, the material which has been used for a few years past, is utterly worthless for top-grading. It renders the streets in wet weather a complete mire, and in dry weather keeps the city enveloped in a cloud of dust. Some three thousand dollars is annually expended in repairing these streets, yet they are proverbially bad. This need not, and ought not to be. The city has an inexhaustible supply of gravel of the very best quality, I know of none in the state that will compare with it. That the city should avail itself of this important natural resource is obvious, and I recommend the subject to your attention.

THE LIBRARY.

The reading room connected with the city library has been closed for several months past, it is said, on account of the inadequacy of the appropriation for that object. It is

for you to consider whether it would not be well to increase the appropriation so as to enable the Trustees to open that favorite resort, the coming year, to the public.

Some suggestions relating to the city farm, and some other matters, I must postpone to a future communication.

In conclusion, gentlemen, I would say that we cannot now foresee what may occur to embarrass our official course in the year to come, but if we would be true to the trust committed to us, and leave behind us a record we are willing should be read of all men, we must defer to the indications of that over-ruling Providence which has so manifestly taken the destinies of this nation into his own hands.

THEODORE T. ABBOT.

January 1, 1863.

CITY OF MANCHESTER.

IN BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL.

AN ORDER authorizing the Printing of the Seventeenth Annual Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of the City of Manchester.

ORDERED, if the Board of Aldermen concur, That the Joint Standing Committee on Finance be, and they are hereby authorized to cause two thousand copies of the Seventeenth Annual Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of the City of Manchester, including the Reports of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, the Overseers of the Poor, the Committee on the City Farm, the Trustees, Librarian and Treasurer of the City Library, the School Committee and the Superintendent of Public Instruction, to be printed for the use of the inhabitants of said City, and that the expense thereof be charged to the appropriation for Printing and Stationery.

JANUARY 5, 1863, IN BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL,

Passed, E. G. WOODMAN, PRESIDENT.

JANUARY 5, 1863, IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN,

Passed, D. A. BUNTON, MAYOR.

ACCOUNT OF
HENRY R. CHAMBERLIN,
CITY TREASURER, FROM
JANUARY 1, 1862, TO JANUARY 1, 1863.

DR. *City of Manchester in account current with H. R. Chamberlin,*

To Unpaid Drafts, January 1, 1862,	- - - - -	\$10,653 47
City Farm,	- - - - -	2,240 86
Paupers off the Farm, 1,117 70, County Paupers, 146 86	- - - - -	1,264 56
Highway District No. 1,	- - - - -	88 47
Dist. No. 2, \$2,931 99	Dist. No. 8, 198 60	3,130 59
“ “ 3, 359 50	“ “ 9, 133 09	492 59
“ “ 4, 99 34	“ “ 10, 668 16	767 50
“ “ 5, 187 14	“ “ 11, 618 24	805 38
“ “ 6, 399 13	“ “ 12, 471 53	870 66
“ “ 7, 268 79	“ “ 13, 106 71	375 50
New Highways,	- - - - -	518 43
Amoskeag Falls Bridge, 26 58, Granite Bridge, 469 68	- - - - -	496 26
Piscataquog Bridge,	- - - - -	3,040 08
School District No. 1,	- - - - -	240 00
Dist. No. 2, \$16,559 00	Dist. No. 7, 225 00	16,784 00
“ “ 3, 275 00	“ “ 8, 220 00	495 00
“ “ 4, 230 00	“ “ 9, 240 00	470 00
“ “ 5, 200 00	“ “ 10, 1,255 00	1455 00
“ “ 6, 245 00	“ “ 11, 600 00	845 00
City Library,	- - - - -	1,898 11
Commons, 159 59, Pine Grove Cemetery, 209 54	- - - - -	369 13
Sewers and Drains, 423 80, Reservoirs, 906 90	- - - - -	1,390 70
Fire Department,	- - - - -	5,667 80
Lighting Streets,	- - - - -	1,818 65
Militia,	- - - - -	368 51
City Police,	- - - - -	5,950 78
City Hall Building,	- - - - -	686 86
City Officers,	- - - - -	4,535 36
Printing and Stationery,	- - - - -	997 36
Incidental Expenses,	- - - - -	1,872 11
Interest, (Coupons 7,590 00)	- - - - -	10,395 94
City Debt,	- - - - -	22,500 00
Abatement of Taxes,	- - - - -	386 12
City Teams,	- - - - -	1,962 50
Temporary Loan,	- - - - -	16,000 00
Watering Streets, 211 08, Paving Streets, 1,140 80	- - - - -	1,351 88
Discount on Taxes,	- - - - -	505 50
Soldiers' Relief Fund,	- - - - -	52,012 58
Soldiers' Bounty,	- - - - -	17,350 00
State Tax,	- - - - -	6,149 60
County Tax,	- - - - -	11,992 96
Reserved Fund,	- - - - -	500 00
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		211,695 80
Cash in the Treasury, January 1, 1863,		5,120 79
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		216,816 59

City Treasurer, (one year, ending December 31, 1862.)

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By Cash in the Treasury, January 1, 1862,	- - - - -	14,477	21
City Stock issued July 1, 1862,	- - - - -	22,500	00
Temporary Loan,	- - - - -	40,800	00
Taxes collected 1862,	- - - - -	69,541	54
“ “ 1861,	- - - - -	12,172	21
“ “ 1860,	- - - - -	393	23
“ “ 1858,	- - - - -	3	18
“ “ 1857,	- - - - -	24	50
Rail Road Dividend,	- - - - -	3,809	57
Literary Fund,	- - - - -	947	43
County of Hillsborough,	- - - - -	264	08
Rent of City Hall and Stores,	- - - - -	1,400	25
Police Court—Cost and Fines,	- - - - -	1,692	46
City Farm,	- - - - -	1,434	83
State of New Hampshire—Relief Fund,	- - - - -	30,697	74
Premium on City Stock sold,	- - - - -	1,125	00
City Teams,	- - - - -	589	23
City Scales,	- - - - -	167	71
City Aqueduct,	- - - - -	117	00
Other towns for support of Paupers,	- - - - -	393	10
Circus Licenses,	- - - - -	40	00
Sewer Licenses,	- - - - -	227	50
Dog Licenses,	- - - - -	59	00
Interest on Taxes,	- - - - -	330	87
Overdrawn on several appropriations,	- - - - -	41	16
Fire Department—Engine sold,	- - - - -	425	00
Pine Grove Cemetery,	- - - - -	166	41
John Campbell—note and interest,	- - - - -	128	80
City Teams—Horse sold,	- - - - -	200	00
Cost on non-resident Taxes,	- - - - -	71	14
E. McQueston—Gravel &c.,	- - - - -	47	50
J. O. Adams—Edge Stone,	- - - - -	10	95
School Committee—Interest,	- - - - -	60	00
Town of Bedford—Bounty and Relief Fund,	- - - - -	62	00
Commons—for Grass,	- - - - -	32	25
J. Knowlton—from S. Bridge,	- - - - -	3	00
J. Knowlton—for Gravel,	- - - - -	2	00
J. Johnson—for Pick,	- - - - -	1	00

204,458 85

Unpaid Drafts, January 1, 1863,

12,357 74

216,816 59

HENRY R. CHAMBERLIN, TREASURER.

Manchester, January 1, 1863.

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

CITY OF MANCHESTER, JANUARY 3, 1863.

The undersigned Committee on Finance, in pursuance of the fourteenth section of Chapter Three of the Revised Ordinances, certify that we have examined the foregoing account of Henry R. Chamberlin, City Treasurer, and find the same correctly cast, and all payments and expenditures therein charged against the City properly vouched.

We find that there has been received into the Treasury during the year ending December 31, 1862, including the balance on hand January 1, 1862, the sum of Two Hundred Four Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-Eight Dollars Eighty-Five cents, (204,458.85) and that there has been paid from the Treasury, during the same time, the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand, Three Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars Six cents, (\$199,338.06) leaving in the Treasury January 1, 1863, Five Thousand One Hundred Twenty Dollars, Seventy-Nine cents (\$5,120.79).

EZRA KIMBALL,	} JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.
NATH'L W. CUMNER,	
D. A. BUNTON,	
E. G. HAYNES,	

Appropriations and Expenditures.

COUNTY PAUPERS.

By Cash of the County of Hillsboro',	\$264 08	
“ Balance to New Account, -	45 65	
		<hr/> \$309 73

EXPENDITURES.

Amount from old account, - - - -	\$96 76	
“ “ Paupers off the farm acc't	66 11	
Paid N. Hampshire Asylum for the Insane	36 20	
Straw & Prince, - - - -	6 75	
Adams & Andrews, - - - -	1 42	
George W. Adams, - - - -	24 10	
Peter Edwards, - - - -	4 19	
E. Parmenter, - - - -	17 82	
Jeremiah Abbott, - - - -	2 00	
J. W. Hoffman, - - - -	2 50	
D. Wilson & Co., - - - -	1 25	
A. N. Clapp & Co., - - - -	6 00	
S. S. Moulton, - - - -	2 00	
E. G. Woodman, - - - -	10 00	
Calvin Clement, - - - -	1 13	
Bean & Smith, - - - -	4 00	
W. H. H. Crawford, - - - -	1 50	
J. M. Rowell, - - - -	9 00	
Mrs. Martha Morrill, - - - -	6 00	
B. P. Runnels, - - - -	8 00	
John Lee, - - - -	3 00	
		<hr/> \$309 73

PAUPERS OFF THE FARM.

By Cash of other Towns - - -	\$393 10
“ Appropriation, - - - -	1,000 00
“ Amount from County Pauper acc’t entered there by mistake, - -	66 11
	<hr/> \$1,459 21

EXPENDITURES.

Paid M. O. Farrar for groceries, -	\$34 01
Spencer & Son, “ - -	15 94
George W. Adams, “ - -	57 07
Bean & Smith, “ - -	23 12
A. N. Clapp & Co., “ - -	67 59
Wm. M. Plumer, “ - -	2 25
G. W. Gardner, “ - -	40 09
John S. Folsom, “ - -	15 00
Ezekiel Jacobs, “ - -	1 50
Kidder & Chandler, “ - -	4 20
Thos. S. Montgomery, “ - -	20 00
Wiley & Locke, “ - -	8 92
George H. Hoyt, “ - -	2 64
Wm. F. Sleeper, “ - -	58
J. Rowley & Co., “ - -	8 00
L. W. Hall, “ - -	1 50
John Bartlett, for wood, - -	2 38
Isaac Webster, “ - -	2 25
E. Parmenter, “ - -	55 56
Levi Woodman, “ - -	2 50
J. D. Palmer, “ - -	13 00
H. C. Dickey, “ - -	2 50
L. W. Hall, “ - -	4 87
Dan’l B. Eastman, “ - -	2 50
Calvin Clement, “ - -	30 03
Harvey & Young, “ - -	4 75
Solomon Toby, “ - -	2 00
Gilman Harvey, “ - -	2 08
J. Allen Tebbetts, for medicine, -	12 77
S. S. Moulton, “ -	1 00

Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 440 60
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Amount brought forward,	440	60
Paid W. H. H. Crawford, boots and shoes,	1	37
James Mitchell, " " "		85
George W. Weeks, " " "	1	00
S. S. Moulton, for assistance, - - -	2	50
Jeremiah Abbott, " - - -	13	37
Mrs. F. N. Lougee, " - - -	3	00
Julia Duplissa, " - - -	7	00
W. H. H. Crawford, " - - -	2	00
Charles H. Hurlburt, for railroad tickets, - - - - -	6	55
Maria Combs, for labor taking care of the sick, - - -	17	50
Mrs. Elizabeth Harvey, for labor taking care of the sick,	26	50
S. S. Moulton, for making report,	5	25
Mrs. Elizabeth T. Aiken, for board,	52	85
Aurilla Fairbanks, " "	44	25
William Brown, " "	58	50
N. H. Asylum for the Insane, " "	188	56
House of Reformation, " "	89	72
Aaron Young, " "	30	00
Mrs. Robinson, " "	7	50
Kidder & Chandler, for dry goods,	14	53
Straw & Prince, for coffins and other funeral expenses, - - -	27	00
Samuel D. Sherburne, for coach to funerals, - - - - -	3	00
O. Barton & Co., for dry goods, - - -	6	44
Jackson & Kimball, " " - - -	5	04
H. R. Chamberlin, " " - - -	1	00
Eben Ferren, " " - - -	12	66
S. S. Moulton, for stationery, - - -	3	59
John Kittridge, for house rent, - - -	5	00
Joseph Bean, " " - - -	8	33
David Allen, for milk, - - - - -	2	31
J. L. Flint, " - - - - -	1	50
W. H. H. Crawford, expense to Londonderry, - - - - -	1	50
Amount carried forward,	1,090	77

Amount brought forward,	1,090 77	
Paid S. S. Moulton, expense to sundry towns, - - - - -	24 93	
Dodge & James, for use of horse and carriage, - - - - -	1 50	
Hill & James, use of horse and carriage - - - - -	50	
Balance to new account, -	341 51	
	<u> </u>	\$1,459 21

CITY FARM.

By Balance from old account, -	\$4,563 18	
“ Amount of sales of Produce, &c., from Farm, - - - - -	1,446 32	
	<u> </u>	\$6,009 50

EXPENDITURES.

Paid H. P. Wilson, for medicine, -	50	
A. F. Perry, “ -	9 82	
Baron S. Hoyt, for manure, -	6 00	
A. D. Burgess, “ -	23 00	
J. S. Little, “ - -	6 67	
H. J. Dow, “ - -	8 33	
John Huse, “ - -	16 25	
J. G. Colt, “ - -	10 00	
Ezra Kimball, boots and shoes, -	28 27	
Hiram Simpson, “ -	55	
J. A. Davis, “ - -	1 25	
T. L. Hastings, “ -	6 30	
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Amount carried forward,	116 94	

Amount Brought forward,	116 94
Paid P. K. Chandler, boots and shoes,	1 32
S. G. Hoyt, " - -	2 50
N. W. Cumner, clothing, - -	32 87
Chas. G. Clement, " - -	19 40
George A. Barnes, hats, - -	1 43
Henry C. Merrill, groceries, -	169 83
Hiram Simpson, " - -	7 78
Page & Wilson, " - -	143 18
Ezekiel Jacobs, " - -	13 83
Kidder & Chandler, " -	4 00
T. R. Hubbard, making water box,	5 50
L. A. & H. Drown, repairing car- riages, - - - -	5 00
Chandler Eastman, do., do., -	21 00
Wm. G. Hoyt & Co., chair, -	1 75
D. B. Wilson & Co., ashes, -	20 31
H. S. Whitney, repairing pumps and pipe, - - - -	4 72
Willard P. Stratton, do., do., -	4 00
Adams & Andrews, crockery, -	8 53
Robert Gilchrist, " -	2 86
Noyes Farmer, exchange of bulls,	17 50
Abraham Dolloff, bull, - -	18 00
Manchester Scale Works, scales,	12 80
Wm. H. Elliott, spectacles, -	1 50
Hiram Simpson, currant bushes,	2 25
Hiram Simpson, blacksmith work,	1 35
Charles Bunton, " "	10 19
C. & L. Gage, " "	46 80
Daniels & Co., hardware, - -	50 43
Hiram Simpson, " - -	3 00
Hartshorn & Pike, " - -	5 95
Jeremiah L. Fogg, oxen, -	110 00
George Hodgman, " - -	120 00
Abraham Dolloff, " - -	110 00
William Mills, pigs, - - - -	6 00
J. P. Felt, " - - - -	8 00
Joseph Cate, " - - - -	6 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>1,116 52</u>

Amount brought forward,	1,116 52
Paid Robert Stevens, pigs, - -	4 00
Abraham Dolloff, heifers, - -	54 00
Hiram Simpson, Supt., labor,	375 00
S. S. Moulton, " -	2 25
Noyes Farmer, " -	2 50
M. L. Morrison, " -	22 75
Charles B. Simpson, " -	74 11
W. S. Palmer, " -	17 00
Benton Bullock, " -	27 00
Mary Lovering, " -	60 50
William E. Hardy, " -	17 50
Mary S. Morrill, " -	8 75
James Ramsey, " -	52 00
Benjamin Currier, repairing tools,	1 10
H. R. Chamberlin, mittens, -	1 00
Jeremiah Abbott & Co., rye meal,	8 50
Jeremiah Abbott & Co., wheat,	15 00
Jeremiah Abbott & Co., flour, -	7 75
Jeremiah Abbott & Co., lime, -	90
H. & H. R. Pettee, rye meal, -	8 70
H. & H. R. Pettee, flour, -	27 50
James Eaton, wheat, - -	5 25
R. Mitchell, rye, - - -	14 00
Eben Ferren, dry goods, - -	21 47
Kidder & Chandler, dry goods,	28 41
Barton & Co., " " -	49 90
D. M. Lamprey, pie plant, -	4 00
Hiram Simpson, board, - -	38 00
Hiram Simpson, carpenter work,	17
Hiram Simpson, cider, - -	5 00
Hiram Simpson, wagon, - -	60 00
J. S. Little, crackers, - -	2 88
Hartshorn & Pike, stove and pipe,	17 07
D. C. Gould, sawdust, - -	2 00
Jeremiah L. Fogg, beef, - -	42 11
William Boyd, " - -	4 75
Nathan Chandler, pasturing, -	6 44
James Eaton, " - -	5 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>2,210 78</u>

Amount brought forward,	2,210 78
Paid City Bank, pasturing,	- 1 50
Wm. H. Fisk, books and stationery	4 12
Alpheus Branch, repairing harnesses,	1 88
Gilman Clough, sawing logs,	- 1 00
George Riddle, making cider,	- 8 00
E. P. Johnson & Co., coal,	- 13 58
Balance to new account,	- 3,768 64
	<u>\$6,009 50</u>

RECAPITULATION.

For 1225 weeks board of Paupers and Prisoners, (average 23 1-2 persons, a 1 50 per week,	- - 1,837 50
“ Clothing for Prisoners and Paupers,	196 83
“ Improvements,	- - - 245 00
“ Excess of Stock on hand over last year,	- - - - 641 86
“ Produce and other sales from Farm,	1,446 32
	<u>\$4,367 51</u>

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For Expenditures,	- - - 2,240 86
“ Interest on Farm,	- - - 1,000 00
“ Balance to profit and loss,	- 1,126 65
	<u>\$4,367 51</u>

CITY TEAM.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$222 01
“ Amount of labor on highways, re- servoirs, paving, &c., - - -	590 94
“ Amount received for one horse sold,	200 00
“ “ of Appropriation, - - -	300 00
“ “ carried to Fire Department,	981 00
	<hr/> \$2,293 95

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Joseph A. Weeks, labor, - - -	\$372 25
Hugh Ramsey, “ - - -	331 80
S. S. Moulton, “ - - -	1 50
S. J. Patten, “ - - -	51 25
Alfred Jones, for hay, - - -	7 40
E. P. Johnson, “ - - -	1 71
Franklin Mudgett, “ - - -	10 39
S. Hill, “ - - -	14 32
Peter Butterfield, “ - - -	5 02
J. Abbott & Co., “ - - -	21 72
H. L. Flanders, “ - - -	6 62
T. R. Cochran, “ - - -	7 59
City Farm, “ - - -	138 57
N. K. Root, “ - - -	7 62
Edward Langdell, “ - - -	22 08
Jeremiah Abbott, & Co., grain, -	51 03
Hall & Perkins, “ - - -	11 60
City Farm, “ - - -	58 35
H. & H. R. Pettec, “ - - -	98 14
Hall & Eastman, “ - - -	92 82
City Farm, straw, - - -	32 29
Daniels & Company, hardware, -	11 61
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 1,355 68

Amount brought forward,	1,355	68
Paid John B. Varick, hardware, -	1	80
Charles Bunton, blacksmith work and shocing, - - - -	45	76
J. F. Woodbury, blacksmith work and shoeing, - - - -	30	99
John C. Head, blacksmith work and shoeing, - - - -	25	00
C. Shannessy, blacksmith work, -	1	12
John D. Abbott, blacksmith work	1	88
Z. F. Campbell, Medicine, -	19	21
Kidder & Chandler, oil, - -	1	40
J. Butterfield, doctoring horse, -	3	00
Joseph A. Weeks, washing bed clothes,	7	80
Hugh Ramsey, " " "	4	80
John Campbell, horse labor, - -	43	75
Oliver Greeley, repairing harnesses,	27	97
P. J. Handley, " "	9	55
Alpheus Branch, " "	6	00
Ale Winship, horse, - -	300	00
D. W. Fling, traveling expenses,	59	05
Patrick Dowd, sawing wood, - -	2	50
William M. Plumer, salt, - -		58
William M. Plumer, fluid, - -		38
William M. Plumer, matches, - -		54
William M. Plumer, lard, - -		54
William M. Plumer, soap, - -		20
E. Branch, blankets, - - -	13	00
Balance to new account, -	331	45
	<hr/>	\$2,293 95

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 1.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$43 24	
“ Appropriation, - - - -	150 00	
	\$193 24	\$193 24

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Samuel Hall, Surveyor, for labor,	33 96	
Thomas Quimby, “	1 00	
Joseph M. Rowell, “	9 01	
Nehemiah Preston, “	3 25	
George W. Dustin, “	19 00	
George Clarke, “	14 25	
Joseph E. Rowell, “	2 00	
John W. Ray “	5 00	
Peter Kimball, “	1 00	
Balance to new account	104 77	
	\$193 24	\$193 24

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 2.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$711 76	
“ Appropriation, - - - -	3,300 00	
“ Gravel sold, - - - -	49 50	
“ Transferred from reserved fund, -	250 00	
	\$4,311 26	\$4,311 26

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Edward McQueston, Superinten-	\$383 50	
dent, - - - -		
H. C. Merrill, for water pail, -	27	
Daniels & Company, hardware,	20 10	
	403 87	
Amount carried forward,		403 87

Amount brought forward,	403 87
Paid A. G. Fairbanks, hardware -	6 50
John B. Varick, " -	2 25
Manchester Print Works, lumber,	60
Joseph Dunlap, " 54 00	
Neal & Holbrook, " 1 30	
Neal & Holbrook, scoop handle,	1 00
Charles Bunton, blacksmith work,	22 89
C. & L. Gage " "	38
Woodbury & Nichols, " "	2 29
Manchester Gas Light Co., cinders,	14 37
W. W. Hubbard, harrow, - -	7 50
City team, team labor, - -	558 54
A. Walker & Co., stone for culvert,	227 50
James Nutt, " " " "	90
C. R. Colley, painting, - -	1 27
Benj. Currier, repairing cart, -	2 75
Geo. W. Merriam, " " - -	4 75
James A. Weston, engineering, -	19 50
Robert Castello, labor, - -	4 75
Charles Roberts, " - - -	2 50
Hugh Ramsey, " - - -	63 50
Joseph A. Weeks, " - - -	84 25
James Carn, " - - -	294 00
H. C. Merrill, " - - -	251 25
John Larkin, " - - -	136 26
J. N. Heath, " - - -	6 00
Jacob Ring, " - - -	1 50
Charles Cutting, " - - -	1 00
D. O. Sullivan, " - - -	7 75
D. W. Clark, " - - -	5 75
Thomas Howe, " - - -	24 50
John Cole, " - - -	2 00
John Carr, " - - -	6 00
Thomas Tuck, " - - -	2 75
Michael Howe, " - - -	7 75
Patrick O'Brien, " - - -	2 00
Solomon Hodgman, " - - -	3 50
David O'Leary, " - - -	8 00
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 2,247 17

Amount brought forward,		2,247	17
Paid Peter Scanlin, labor,	- - -	5	50
Edward Donahoe, “	- - -	2	50
John Collins, “	- - -		75
Michael Welch, “	- - -	1	50
Thos. Fitz Simmons, labor,	-	1	25
Benjamin Stevens, “	- - -	4	50
Fuller & Robinson, “	- - -	76	25
Lucius Thurber, “	- - -	4	50
James Marr, “	- - -	1	00
John Lougee, “	- - -	2	50
G. W. Glines, “	- - -	4	75
Joseph Lafayette, “	- - -	3	00
William Conner, “	- - -	3	92
James Silk, “	- - -		50
Luther Campbell, “	- - -		50
James Dolan, “	- - -	2	00
Timothy Bresnehan, “	- - -	1	50
Farady Conawy, “	- - -	5	50
Patrick Sheehan, “	- - -	4	00
Lawrence McCartee, “	- - -	10	25
Kidder & Chandler, “	- - -	11	75
Francis Smiley, “	- - -	6	25
Eustis Cutting, “	- - -	8	00
Nathaniel Corning, “	- - -	16	00
Eben Knowlton, “	- - -	11	00
Uriah H. Foss, “	- - -	12	50
Thomas Spencer, “	- - -	5	83
Lyman Raymond, “	- - -	6	67
Daniel Dowd, “	- - -	7	29
Wm. E. Eastman & Son, “	- - -	41	50
G. W. Gardner, “	- - -	6	88
Timothy O’Conner, “	- - -	86	04
John Coughlin, “	- - -	27	09
William Chase, “	- - -	16	83
Michael Scanlin, “	- - -	20	25
William Griffin, “	- - -	18	33
Timothy Sullivan, “	- - -	72	00
Lawrence Conner, “	- - -	2	92
Amount carried forward,		2,760	38

Amount brought forward,		2,760	47
John Madden, labor,	-	1	67
John Connell,	" -	2	50
Jeremiah Sullivan,	" - -	17	50
Daniel Conner,	" -		83
Joseph Nichols,	" - -	42	75
T. S. Southwork,	" -	7	00
E. W. Laughlin,	" - -	21	75
Daniel Mahanna,	" -	47	75
Cornelius Hastings,	" - -	1	75
Patrick Green,	" -	1	00
John Patten,	" - -	9	25
John Scully,	" -	2	00
John Peacock,	" - -	1	50
Henry Bamford,	" -	3	00
E. R. Coburn, culvert stone,	-	5	00
Hartshorn & Pike, water dippers			
chain, &c.,	- - -	6	27
Balance to new account,		\$1,379	27
		<u> </u>	\$1,311 26

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 3.

By Balance from old account,	-	146	39
" Appropriation,	- - -	\$250	00
		<u> </u>	\$396 39

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Oliver Gould, Surveyor, labor,		16	25
B. F. Mitchell,	"	10	75
E. C. Howlett,	"	6	25
Frederick Lougee,	"	1	00
		<u> </u>	
Amount carried forward,		34	25

Amount brought forward,		34 25
John Calef,	labor,	4 50
David Webster,	"	6 50
C. Webster,	"	1 00
N. Webster,	"	50
Benjamin Mitchell,	"	75
Ebenezer Ross,	"	1 00
D. F. Miller,	"	24 25
Groves Brown,	"	10 50
John Butler,	"	5 50
James Hall, 2d,	"	50
Leland C. Dow,	"	2 00
Levi Woodman,	"	12 50
James Nutt,	"	59
William Chase,	"	4 50
Albert Simpson,	"	54 25
C. P. Simpson,	"	22 00
J. B. Chase,	"	65 00
Charles N. Baker,	"	18 00
George Woodman,	"	14 50
M. Riley,	"	5 00
Jeremiah Sullivan,	"	4 00
T. O. Neal,	"	3 00
W. M. Chase,	"	4 00
Henry Pollard,	"	14 00
Samuel Hatch,	"	1 00
T. Haselton,	"	10 00
David Young,	"	10 00
James A. Weston,	"	1 00
James Nutt, gravel,		5 20
Oliver Gould, powder,		55
S. C. Forsaith, blacksmith work,		2 34
J. T. P. Hunt, cinders,		7 82
James Smith, labor,		2 00
C. Haselton, "		2 00
Peter Mitchell, "		5 00
Balance to new account,		36 89

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 4.

By Balance from old account,	-	\$56 75	
“ Appropriation,	- - -	\$125 00	
		<u> </u>	181 75

EXPENDITURES.

Paid John P. Moore, labor,	-	40 75	
John Emerson, Jr.,	“ - -	7 00	
Ira W. Moore,	“ - -	5 25	
Nathaniel Moore,	“ - -	3 00	
Isaac Whittemore,	“ - -	1 00	
R. P. Whittemore,	“ - -	2 00	
John Calef,	“ - -	6 00	
David Webster,	“ - -	4 50	
John Emerson,	“ - -	4 50	
B. B. Allen,	“ - -	2 00	
John P. Moore, plank,	- -	23 34	
Balance to new account,	-	82 41	
		<u> </u>	\$181 75

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 5.

By Balance from old account,	-	\$40 78	
“ Appropriation,	- - -	150 00	
“ Transferred from Reserved Fund,		30 00	
		<u> </u>	\$220 78

EXPENDITURES.

Paid James Emerson, Surveyor, labor,		31 00	
Jonas Harvey, Jr., labor,	-	24 35	
Gilman Harvey,	“ - -	15 75	
Ephraim S. Harvey,	“ - -	9 00	
John Young,	“ - -	14 95	
Andrew J. Young,	“ - -	1 00	
John Dickey,	“ - -	11 55	
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Amount carried forward,			107 60

Amount brought forward;		107	60
W. W. Dickey, labor,	-	3	75
Rodnia Nutt,	" - -	13	00
F. Kimball,	" - -	17	81
S. B. Hill,	" - -	1	00
Elbridge Roby,	" - -	5	50
William P. Merrill,	" - -	27	07
David Nutt,	" - -	3	16
James McQueston,	" - -	2	00
James M. Young,	" - -	5	00
Mr. Coburn,	" - -		50
C. R. Clark,	" - -		75
Balance to new account,	-	33	64
			<u>\$220 78</u>

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 6.

By balance from old account,	-	\$50	00
" Appropriation,	- - -	125	00
" Transferred from Reserved Fund,		250	00
			<u>\$425 00</u>

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Ignatius T. Webster, Surveyor, labor,		29	68
Amos Webster, labor,	-	16	25
Amos C. Webster,	" - -	13	75
James M. Webster,	" - -	34	02
David Dickey, 1st,	" - -	12	12
Henry C. Dickey,	" - -	8	50
James G. Chase,	" - -	4	75
James Wiley,	" - -	2	75
Moses Tracy,	" - -	2	50
William Hoyt,	" - -	2	75
Nahum Curtis,	" - -	6	50
Samuel Gamble,	" - -	44	00
James F. McIntire,	" - -	5	00
David Dickey, Jr.,	" - -	1	50

Amount carried forward,		184	07
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Amount brought forward,	184 07
Amos & J.F. Webster, labor,	7 00
Horace Hunt,	1 75
Gilman Clough,	31 00
John Johnson,	36 75
Daniel H. Dickey,	7 75
Abel Cushman,	3 00
William Griffin,	3 00
John H. Maynard,	25 73
Gilman Clough, timber for do.,	99 08
Balance to new account,	25 87
	<hr/> \$425 00

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 7.

By balance from old account,	\$16 65
“ Appropriation,	150 00
“ Paid by John Johnson,	1 00
“ Transferred from reserved fund,	125 00
	<hr/> \$292 65

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Charles A. Hall, Surveyor, labor,	\$42 37
Nathan Johnson,	31 33
Joseph Marsh, Jr.,	9 50
Joseph Pierce,	1 00
James Hall, 2d,	4 25
J. B. Daniels,	4 00
Mr. Baleh,	5 00
J. B. Eastman,	1 00
Mr. Baker,	50
John Leavitt,	1 00
George Emerson,	4 25
Charles Hall,	1 50
McGregor Hall,	23 50
Isaac Huse,	50 00
George Porter,	15 25
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Amount carried forward,	194 45

Amount brought forward,		194 45	
L. W. Morse,	labor,	5 50	
David Young,	"	4 00	
Andrew J. Hall,	"	5 00	
Jeremiah L. Fogg,	"	14 25	
Israel Webster,	"	19 00	
George H. Goodhue,	"	1 00	
D. W. Reynolds,	"	1 00	
James A. Stearns,	"	2 75	
Horace Ford,	"	2 50	
S. W. Parsons,	"	4 00	
William Fogg,	"	3 00	
S. Tobie,	"	4 50	
M. Prout,	"	1 00	
Peter O. Woodman,	"	1 00	
John B. Varick, hardware,	-	2 34	
Joseph Marsh, blacksmith work,		3 50	
Balance to new account,	-	23 86	
		<hr/>	\$292 65

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 8.

By balance from old account,	- - -	\$43 14	
" Appropriation,	- - -	175 00	
		<hr/>	\$218 14

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Freeman Wilson, Surveyor, labor,		\$27 63
John H. Proctor,	"	16 50
Blanchard Young,	"	3 00
Peter Farmer,	"	11 88
James M. Crombie,	"	8 75
Amos Spofford,	"	3 50
Gilman B. Reed,	"	1 50
Noah B. Reed,	"	2 12
Phinehas Haselton,	"	1 00
Proctor Young,	"	4 00
Luther S. Proctor,	"	12 63
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Amount carried forward,		92 51

Amount Brought forward,		92 51
Augustus Proctor,	labor,	2 00
John W. Proctor,	"	2 50
William Stevens,	"	1 50
Daniel Dolan,	"	1 00
T. Collins,	"	1 00
Samuel Russel,	"	4 00
Edward Clough,	"	2 50
J. L. Fogg,	"	2 50
John P. Young,	"	48 49
Joseph B. Young,	"	2 00
Reuben Morgan,	"	4 75
Ephraim S. Young,	"	8 50
George M. Haselton,	"	2 50
Daniel McDonald,	"	1 00
William Young,	"	3 50
John Latueh,	"	3 50
Lyman A. Proctor,	"	50
Marcus Ayers,	"	50
Wm. T. Fogg,	"	1 25
Gilman Clough,	"	12 60
Balance to new account,	-	19 54
		<hr/> \$218 14

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 9.

By balance from old account,	- - -	\$57 82
" Appropriation,	- - -	175 00
		<hr/> \$232 82

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Harrison Corning, Surveyor, for		
labor,	- - - -	\$36 87
Caleb Haselton, labor,	- - -	1 00
Francis Manter,	" - -	1 00
Walter H. Noyes,	" - -	11 25
Albert N. Scott,	" - -	3 00
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Amount carried forward,		53 12

Amount brought forward,		53	12
Reuben Haselton, labor,	- - -	1	50
David Swett,	" - - -	3	50
Elijah Goodale,	" - - -	8	00
Stephen Haselton,	" - - -	2	00
John Morse,	" - - -	2	00
Sylvester Morse,	" - - -	3	50
Nathaniel Corning,	" - - -	5	00
B. W. Corning,	" - - -	2	00
A. P. Colby,	" - - -	9	75
Isaac H. Webster,	" - - -	3	00
E. A. Richards,	" - - -	1	50
D. O. Richards,	" - - -	1	00
George McQueston,	" - - -	1	00
James W. Webster,	" - - -	1	00
D. L. Corning,	" - - -	1	50
Charles B. Clark,	" - - -	6	00
J. Y. McQueston,	" - - -	2	00
William Boyce,	" - - -	1	25
G. W. Haselton,	" - - -		50
George McQueston,	" - - -	2	00
Gilman Clough, Plank,	- - -	18	47
Sherburn Corning	" - - -	3	50
Balance to new account,	-	99	73
		<u> </u>	\$232 82

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 10.

By balance from old account,	- - -	\$8	63
" Appropriation,	- - -	600	00
" Transferred from reserved fund,	-	100	00
		<u> </u>	\$708 63

EXPENDITURES.

Paid N. R. Tirrell, Surveyor, labor,		\$296	29
Charles Bartlett,	" -	63	98
Charles Bowker,	" -	72	55
John Brown,	" -	2	45
		<u> </u>	
Amount carried forward,		435	27

Amount brought forward,		435 27
Mr. Morse,	labor,	1 75
Foster McQueston,	" -	1 60
William M. Harville,	" -	3 75
Willard Truel,	" -	5 50
Michael Cochran,	" -	4 00
Columbus Wyman,	" -	2 25
Augustus Wyman,	" -	1 00
Robert Warren,	" -	5 25
Daniel Barnard,	" -	4 87
Charles Flanders,	" -	2 30
Daniel J. Worthley,	" -	17 50
W. Parker Worthley,	" -	1 00
H. J. Tirrell,	" -	74 42
Daniel McKean,	" -	2 25
W. M. Horrible,	" -	4 00
S. O. Welch,	" -	1 70
H. Fradd,	" -	1 60
Zebulon N. Doe,	" -	4 25
John Robie,	" -	40
Willard Truel,	" -	40
John Chapman,	" -	6 50
James Harville,	" -	2 52
Daniel Balch,	" -	42
Sylvanus Johnson,	" -	1 00
Patrick Commons,	" -	12 89
Patrick Bohan,	" -	12 50
James Bohan,	" -	1 00
Hugh Martin,	" -	1 00
Patrick Brannan,	" -	50
John Morris,	" -	3 50
Patrick Leach,	" -	1 68
G. S. Groombridge, blacksmith work,		2 28
A. N. Clapp & Co., nails,	- -	1 14
W. P. Riddle, 40 loads marl,	- -	5 00
Haines & Wallace, lumber,	- -	5 14
Lewis Simons,	" - -	33 00
Randlett & Brown, stone chips,	-	1 30
John B. Varick & Co., hardware,	-	1 73
Balance to new account,	-	40 47
		<hr/> \$708 63

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 11.

By balance from old account,	-	\$37 32	
“ Appropriation,	- - -	525 00	
“ Transferred from reserved fund,		100 00	
		<hr/>	\$662 32

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Daniel Farmer, Jr.,	labor, -	\$24 12
Elijah Stearns,	“ -	3 75
Thomas C. Stearns,	“ -	36 25
Amos H. Gerry,	“ -	75
George H. Colby,	“ -	46 00
Levi D. Heath,	“ -	21 75
Ezra B. Stearns,	“ -	1 25
Warren Stearns,	“ -	4 75
Thomas Frost,	“ -	24 50
Rodney Hardy,	“ -	5 75
Daniel A. Durgin,	“ -	1 25
Daniel Farmer,	“ -	38 05
Lyman Bachelder,	“ -	50
John Campbell,	“ -	4 00
Joseph Jones,	“ -	4 00
H. H. Fuller,	“ -	46 75
Fuller & Robinson,	“ -	79 25
S. B. Fuller,	“ -	4 50
Alpheus Bodwell,	“ -	116 12
Joseph Melvin,	“ -	1 50
Nicholas Parker,	“ -	13 00
Joseph Hucking,	“ -	7 00
George Powers,	“ -	6 00
Nicholas Carey,	“ -	7 12
Timothy Harrigan,	“ -	2 00
Owen Parker,	“ -	6 00
Michael Finn,	“ -	5 75
Gilman R. Stearns,	“ -	5 00
George Prescott,	“ -	15 00
F. Kimball,	“ -	50

Amount carried forward,	<hr/>	532 16
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Amount brought forward,	532 16	
D. J. Daniels & Co., hardware,	26 07	
J. F. Woodbury, blacksmith work,	3 66	
Fuller & Robinson, " "	9 32	
S. B. Fuller, lumber, - -	3 09	
Asenath Whipple, " - -	17 21	
Daniel Farmer, " - - -	6 98	
Haines & Wallace, " - -	2 75	
Boyd, Corey & Co., leather scraps,	6 00	
George Clark, use of drills, -	1 00	
Balance to new account, -	44 08	
	<hr/>	\$662 32

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 12.

By Balance from old account, -	35 97	
" Appropriation, - - - -	400 00	
" Transferred from Resrved Fund,	75 00	
	<hr/>	\$510 97

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Robert Stevens, for labor, -	\$33 00
Isaac Langley, " - -	4 00
Newell Tilton, " - -	8 00
Joseph Cate, " - -	14 00
James Hall, " - -	3 00
James Eaton, " - -	20 00
City Farm, " - -	301 34
Charles Stevens, " - -	5 00
Benton Bullock, " - -	10 00
F. C. Lougee, " - - -	6 00
S. H. Nutter, " - -	8 00
R. P. Silver, " - - -	2 00
Samuel Adams, " - -	30
Wm. Mills, " - - -	11 00
Aaron Crombie, " - -	4 00
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Amount carried forward,	429 64

Amount brought forward, *		429 64	
Michael Handley, labor,	- - -	4 00	
Wm. Sage,	" - -	2 00	
Alfred Wright,	" - -	2 00	
W. P. Feleh,	" - -	1 00	
John V. Gooden,	" - -	20 00	
J. M. & E. R. Coburn,	" - -	5 00	
C. & L. Gage, blacksmithing,		84	
Gilman Clough, sawing lumber,		7 05	
Balance to new account,	-	39 44	
		<hr/>	\$510 97

HIGHWAY DISTRICT NO. 13.

By Balance from old account,	-	39 12	
" Appropriation,	- - -	100 00	
		<hr/>	\$139 12

EXPENDITURES.

Paid J. D. Jones,	labor,	- - -	26 69
I. E. Kimball,	" - - -		24 63
George Cate,	" - - -		2 50
George Cate,	" - - -		11 63
John Holland,	" - - -		2 50
Wm. Campbell,	" - - -		9 63
J. C. Merrill,	" - - -		18 13
Mrs. Churchill,	" - - -		1 00
Jacob Jewell,	" - - -		1 50
Reuben Kimball,	" - - -		4 00
Luther Campbell,	" - - -		3 50
Alonzo Wieom,	" - - -		1 00
Balance to new account,	-	32 41	
		<hr/>	\$139 12

NEW HIGHWAYS.

By balance from old account, - - - \$875 38

EXPENDITURES.

Paid A. F. Hall, for team labor, -	\$19 83
S. D. Sherburne, coach hire, -	4 00
Hillsborough County Commissioners, expenses and surveying,	31 60
James A. Weston, engineering, -	27 00
Jacob F. James, " - -	2 00
Moses D. Stokes, stone posts, -	6 00
T. Rundlett, land damages, -	2 00
R. J. Miller, " " -	8 00
Daniel Mack, " " -	33 00
B. F. Wallace, " " -	1 00
Haines & Wallace, " " -	196 00
C. W. Stanley, " " -	3 00
McQueston's Heirs, " " -	15 00
T. F. Harvell, " " -	8 00
James Harvell, " " -	66 00
W. H. Harvell, " " -	96 00
Balance to new account, -	356 95
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	\$875 38

RECAPITULATION OF HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

HIGHWAY DISTRICTS.

No. 1,	By balance of old account,	\$13	24
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	150	00
" 2,	" Balance of old account, -	711	76
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	3,300	00
" "	" Cash received for gravel, -	49	59
" "	" From reserved fund, -	250	00
" 3,	" Balance from old account, -	146	39
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	250	00
" 4,	" Balance of old account, -	56	75
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	125	00
" 5,	" Balance of old account, -	40	78
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	150	00
" "	" From reserved fund, -	30	00
" 6,	" Balance of old account, -	50	00
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	125	00
" "	" From reserved fund, - -	250	00
" 7,	" Balance of old account,	16	65
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	150	00
" "	" Of John Johnson, -	1	00
" "	" From reserved fund, -	125	00
" 8,	" Balance of old account, -	43	14
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	175	00
" 9,	" Balance of old account, -	57	82
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	175	00
" 10,	" Balance of old account, -	8	63
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	600	00
" "	" From reserved fund, - -	100	00
" 11,	" Balance of old account, -	37	32
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	525	00
" "	" From reserved fund, - -	100	00
" 12,	" Balance of old account, -	35	97
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	400	00
" "	" From reserved fund, - -	75	00
" 13	" Balance of old account,	39	12
" "	" Appropriation, - - -	100	00
			\$8,493 07

EXPENDITURES.

No. 1,	-	-	-	-	\$88 47
" 2,	-	-	-	-	2,931 99
" 3,	-	-	-	-	359 50
" 4,	-	-	-	-	99 34
" 5,	-	-	-	-	187 14
" 6,	-	-	-	-	399 13
" 7,	-	-	-	-	268 79
" 8,	-	-	-	-	198 60
" 9,	-	-	-	-	133 09
" 10,	-	-	-	-	668 16
" 11,	-	-	-	-	618 24
" 12,	-	-	-	-	471 53
" 13,	-	-	-	-	106 71
Unexpended,	-	-	-	-	1,962 38
					<u>\$8,493 07</u>

PISCATAQUOG FLOATING BRIDGE.

Paid James Walker,	labor,	-	-	\$6 76
N. R. Tirrell,	"	-	-	32 25
Charles Cheney,	"	-	-	1 00
T. N. Doc,	"	-	-	2 25
Wm. Houghton,	"	-	-	2 25
S. D. Morse,	"	-	-	1 00
John Chapman,	"	-	-	2 75
Charles H. Bowker,	"	-	-	5 25
Otis Quimby,	"	-	-	2 00
W. H. Young,	"	-	-	2 25
Charles Flanders,	"	-	-	2 00
D. A. Quimby,	"	-	-	1 00
Richard Waycock,	"	-	-	2 00
David Mitchell,	"	-	-	2 00
Willard Truell,	"	-	-	1 50
John Stearns,	"	-	-	1 75
				<u>68 01</u>
Amount carried forward,				68 01

Amount brought forward,	68 01
Wm. P. Riddle, labor,	7 50
Wm. M. Howell, " - -	5 00
Daniel Gardner, " - -	5 68
Geo. W. Riddle, " - -	6 80
H. J. Tirrell, " - -	2 26
S. O. Welch, " - -	50
Jameston & Scoffield, " - -	13 00
John H. Maynard, " - -	25 00
James Walker, nails, - - -	72
J. B. Varick & Co., nails, - -	7 50
Haines & Wallace, timber, - -	49 05
James Walker, use of land, -	20 00
James Walker, surveying lumber,	1 00
James Walker, team labor,	5 87
Haines & Wallace, use of lumber,	40 00
John H. Maynard, use of ropes and damage to same, - -	53 00
A. N. Clapp, & Co., use of ropes &c.,	8 75
	<hr/> \$319 64

PISCATAQUOG IRON BRIDGE.

By transferred from reserved fund,	\$3,000 00
" Treasurer's receipt, - - -	3 00
	<hr/> \$3,003 00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Charles H. Bowker, for labor,	\$21 00
John Clayton, " -	2 25
John B. Chapman, " -	2 00
S. O. Welch, " -	5 50
James Bohan, " -	7 75
Patrick Bohan, " -	6 50
Wm. Houghton, " -	3 25
Hugh Martin, " -	3 75
Patrick Brannan, " -	5 25
Patrick Commons, " -	7 77
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Amount carried forward,	65 01

Amount carried forward,		65 01
John Morris,	labor, -	8 50
N. R. Tirrell,	" -	60 70
H. J. Tirrell,	" -	29 00
Patrick Leach,	" -	4 62
John H. Maynard,	" -	93 25
Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., Burn-		
netizing lumber, - - -		26 39
C. R. Colley, painting, - -		6 60
A. N. Clapp & Co., powder and fuse,		6 74
H. & H. R. Pettee, cement, -		1 60
J. S. Kidder & Co., " - -		1 50
G. C. Gilmore, services, - -		13 50
G. C. Gilmore, traveling expenses,		4 00
Lewis Simons, lumber, - -		131 45
Haines & Wallace, lumber, -		57 25
Kennard & Campbell, " -		38 09
Daniels & Company, hardware, -		15 61
Charles Bunton, blacksmith work,		12 50
J. H. Cole, " "		5 49
Moses D. Stokes, stone work, -		950 00
Moses D. Stokes, " " - -		40 00
James A. Weston, engineering,		29 75
M. & L. Railroad, freight, - -		20 26
Mosely Iron Bridge and Roof Co.,		
Iron Bridge, - - -		1,091 62
T. B. Hubbard, carting lumber,		8 00
Balance, - - - -		282 56
		<hr/> \$3,003 00

GRANITE BRIDGE.

By Balance from old account,	\$45 97	
“ Appropriation, - - - -	500 00	
	<hr/>	\$545 97

EXPENDITURES.

Paid S. S. Moulton, labor, - -	38	
Charles Bartlett, “ -	4 75	
Charles Bowker, “ -	1 25	
David Worthley, “ -	1 50	
Daniel Barnard, “ -	1 00	
M. Welch, “ -	1 25	
N. R. Terrill, “ -	6 50	
Christopher Wyman, “ - -	70	
Michael Cochran, “ -	50	
Daniels & Company, nails, -	22 50	
Neal & Holbrook, nails, -	33	
Neal & Holbrook, labor, - -	42 25	
Neal & Holbrook, blacksmith work,	2 00	
David Wells, nine thousand ft. plank,	121 50	
Haines & Wallace, 19,346 ft. plank,	263 27	
Balance to new account,	76 29	
	<hr/>	\$545 97

AMOSKEAG FALLS BRIDGE.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$57 56	
“ Appropriation, - - - -	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$157 56

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Daniels & Company, hardware, -	1 08	
E. McQueston, labor, snowing, -	10 50	
T. L. Quimby, “ shoveling snow,	4 00	
James E. Bailey, “ “ “	6 00	
T. L. Quimby, “ on repairs, -	5 00	
Balance to new account, -	130 98	
	<hr/>	\$157 56

SEWERS AND DRAINS.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$609 79
“ Appropriation, - - -	200 00
“ Treasurer’s receipts for amount received for entering sewers, -	227 87
	<u>\$1,037 66</u>

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Daniels & Company, for nails, -	\$2 09
Alfred Poor, lumber, - - -	46 31
Thomas R. Hubbard, lumber, -	32 00
William McPherson, cement pipe,	16 50
Temple McQueston, “ “	161 46
John Houston, blacksmith work, -	6 18
Daniels & Company, hardware, -	8 65
Jacob F. James, engineering, - -	8 25
Temple McQueston, mason work, -	3 85
Moses D. Stokes, cesspool stone,	13 00
Edward McQueston, labor, - -	10 50
Eben Knowlton, “ -	22 00
Fuller & Robinson, “ - -	3 00
Timothy Sullivan, “ - -	8 00
Lawrence Conner, “ - -	2 50
Henry C. Merrill, “ - -	18 00
John Larkin, “ - -	14 59
Timothy O’Conner, “ - -	16 17
David Allen, “ - -	1 00
Wm. E. Eastman & Son, “ - -	4 00
D. Mahanna, “ - -	6 00
Joseph Nichols, “ - -	5 00
E. McLaughlin, “ - -	8 00
Dougal Gibbon, “ - -	6 75
Balance to new account, -	613 86
	<u>\$1,037 66</u>

COMMONS.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$281 55	
“ Appropriation, - - - -	200 00	
“ Treasurer’s receipts for cash received for grass, - - - -	32 25	
		<u>\$513 80</u>

EXPENDITURES.

Paid William Brown, for labor, -	\$5 50	
H. F. Little, “ -	17 25	
Francis Smiley, “ -	17 50	
Patrick O’Brien, “ -	6 00	
Josiah Perry, “ -	2 50	
John H. Maynard, “ -	5 33	
E. S. Dickerman, “ -	9 13	
E. Parmenter, trees, - - -	2 00	
J. B. Varick, nails, - - -	5 20	
J. H. Maynard, lumber, - - -	4 44	
Wm. Craig, posting bills, - -	50	
E. McQueston, team labor, - -	12 00	
Daniels & Company, grass seed, -	15	
H. C. Merrill, “ “ -	1 00	
Haines & Wallace, chestnut posts,	15 40	
Haines & Wallace, pickets, - -	17 30	
Haines & Wallace, chestnut rails,	14 97	
Haines & Wallace, boards and joist,	9 07	
William Kimball, whitewashing, -	14 35	
Balance to new account, -	354 21	
		<u>\$513 80</u>

SCHOOLS.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1.

By appropriation, - - -	\$200 00	
Transferred from District No. 2,	40 00	
	<u> </u>	\$240 00

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - -	240 00	
	<u> </u>	240 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2.

By appropriations, - - -		14,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee - - -	13,850 00	
Transferred to other Districts,	150 00	
	<u> </u>	\$14,000 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3.

By appropriation, - - - -	275 00	
	<u> </u>	275 00

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - -	275 00	
	<u> </u>	\$275 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4.

By appropriation, - - - -	200 00	
Transferred from District No. 2,	30 00	
	<u> </u>	\$230 00

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	230 00	
	<u> </u>	\$230 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5.

By appropriation, - - - -	200 00	
	<u> </u>	\$200 00

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	200 00	
	<u> </u>	\$200 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 6.

By appropriation, - - - -	225 00	
Transferred from District No. 2,	20 00	
	<u> </u>	\$245 00

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	245 00	
	<u> </u>	\$245 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7.

By appropriation, - - - -	225 00	
	<u> </u>	\$225 00

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	225 00	
	<u> </u>	\$225 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8.

By appropriation, - - - -	200 00	
Transferred from District No. 2,	20 00	
	<u> </u>	\$220 00

EXPENDITURES.

To order on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	220 00	
	<u> </u>	\$220 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9.

By appropriation, - - - -	200 00	
Transferred from District No. 2,	40 00	
	<u> </u>	\$240 00

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	240 00	
	<u> </u>	\$240 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10.

By Appropriation, - - - -	975 00	
Transferred from Reserved Fund,	250 00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,225 00

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	1,225 00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,225 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 11.

By appropriation, - - - -	500 00	
	<u> </u>	\$500 00

EXPENDITURES.

To order on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	500 00	
	<u> </u>	\$500 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2.

BUILDING ACCOUNT.

By balance from old account, - - -	115 89	
School Committee's order on the Treasurer, - - -	60 00	
Amount raised by District, -	2,720 48	
	<u> </u>	\$2,896 37

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	2,709 00	
Balance to new account, - - - -	187 37	
	<u> </u>	2,896 37

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10.

BUILDING ACCOUNT.

By balance from old account, -	417 90	
Appropriation on amount raised by the District, - - - -	205 88	
	<u> </u>	\$623 78

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	30 00	
Balance to new account, - - - -	593 78	
	<u> </u>	\$623 78

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 11.

BUILDING ACCOUNT.

By amount appropriated by the District,	104 24	
	<u> </u>	\$104 24

EXPENDITURES.

To orders on Treasurer in favor School Committee, - - - -	100 00	
Balance to new account, - - - -	4 24	
	<u> </u>	\$104 24

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

By Appropriation, - - - -	\$3,000 00
“ Treasurer’s receipt for cash paid by weighers of hay and straw, -	169 43
“ Treasurer’s receipt for cash paid for use of aqueduct water, - -	117 00
“ Treasurer’s receipt for cash paid for circus license, - - - -	40 00
“ Treasurer’s receipt for cash paid for dog licenses, - - - -	59 00
	<hr/> \$3,385 43

EXPENDITURES.

To balance from old account, - -	\$332 78
Paid Manchester Locomotive Works, re- pairing bell, - - - -	8 01
Joseph Knowlton, making schedule of bills and accounts, - -	24 00
S. B. Fuller, making bier, - -	1 50
Manchester Gas Light Co., gas, -	1 50
S. S. Moulton, making repairs at city stable, - - - -	10 00
Hartshorn & Pike, making repairs,	2 33
J. P. Brock, “ “	5 50
H. M. Glines, “ “	1 75
Elbridge G. Haynes, mason work,	4 12
A. W. Sanborn, repairing hearse and house, - - - -	10 49
Straw & Prince, repairing hearse, -	2 00
Manchester Band, services, - -	10 00
Manchester Brigade Band, services,	29 00
Pinkerton, Abbott & Pettee, hall for ward meeting, - - - -	24 00
E. Clement, cleaning hall, - -	1 50
J. H. Haynes, cleaning ward room,	3 00
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Amount carried forward,	471 48

Amount brought forward,	471 48
Neal & Holbrook, repairing ward room, - - - - -	1 50
Henry Peacock, repairing ward room,	50
Gilman B. Fogg, revolvers, - - -	11 00
Daniels & Co., " - - -	112 50
Manchester Post Office, postage, -	19 47
Joseph Knowlton, " -	1 00
House of Reformation, board, cloth- ing, &c., - - - - -	60 00
John Houston, repairing water aq- educt, - - - - -	1 00
William Campbell, watering trough,	3 00
John Calef, " "	6 00
James Emerson, " "	3 00
Gilman H. Kimball, " "	12 00
John V. Gooden, " "	3 00
W. H. Noyes, " "	3 00
Joseph Knowlton, making Annual Report, - - - - -	100 00
James & Dodge, horse and carriage hire, - - - - -	3 50
Hersey & Tilton, school books for poor children, - - -	74 28
Charles W. Colby, labor, copying sundry papers, - - -	12 00
Gilman B. Fogg, keys and repairing locks, - - - - -	2 32
Uriah H. Foss, burying nuisances,	12 01
Dowd & Carn, " "	9 50
Patrick Doyle, " "	1 00
J. W. Abbott " "	3 00
Francis Smiley, " "	75
James Thompson, care and board of Mr. Dunham, small pox case,	39 00
George H. Chandler, advertising sale of non-resident land for taxes,	10 00
Cogswell & Wells, boxing trees, -	69 39
S. S. Moulton, repairing tree boxes,	5 73
Amount brought forward,	<u>1,050 93</u>

Amount brought forward,	1,050 93
William Brown, whitewashing tree boxes, - - - -	29 45
William Doran, loss of clothes at 'Squog fire, - - - -	15 00
Daniels & Company, powder, -	24 30
Nathan Estabrook, pruning trees,	6 00
Sylvanus Bunton, medical attendance in small pox case, - -	5 00
G. F. Boshier & Co., bedding, -	5 67
H. R. Chamberlin, expenses to Concord and Boston, - - -	2 25
H. R. Chamberlin, expenses to Concord and Boston, - - -	12 21
D. R. Prescott, paid for recording deed, - - - -	92
D. R. Prescott, paid for repairing flag,	2 25
D. R. Prescott, paid for matches, -	22
Geo. A. French, insurance, - -	38 50
Howard Insurance Co., insurance,	37 50
Ætna, Insurance Co., " "	147 25
Phoenix Insurance Co., " "	38 25
Isaac W. Smith, " "	35 00
Eagle Insurance Co., " "	2 47
Joseph Knowlton revenue stamps, -	25
D. R. Prescott, paid for labor, -	75
Joseph Knowlton, recording volunteer rolls, - - - -	10 00
Whiton & Brother, flag, - - -	12 25
John C. Young, labor on engine house, - - - -	2 68
Hill & Co., friction primers, -	2 63
Dorr & Hope, ice used about Smith's dead body, - - - -	50
Morrison, Stanley & Clark, legal services, - - - -	12 00
Goodwin, French & Foster, land for engine house and stable, -	561 05
Amount carried forward,	2,055 28

Amount carried forward,	2,055 28
Joseph Knowlton, recording births, deaths and marriages, - - -	65 19
Geo. C. Gilmore, attendance on Com- missioner on militia roll, -	5 00
Charles Hutchinson, repairing hay scales, - - - - -	6 00
John Houston, repairing aqueduct irons, - - - - -	3 42
William McPherson, repairing aque- duct, - - - - -	15 78
Bridget Campbell, washing treasur- er's office, - - - - -	1 50
Charles W. Colby, services in treas- urer's office, - - - - -	2 00
John Twombly, mason work, -	3 00
J. M. Coburn, assisting assessors, -	4 00
Boston Telegraph Co., dispatches	57
Joseph Knowlton, paid for recording deed of land, - - - - -	50
Joseph H. Haynes, fitting up ward room, - - - - -	1 50
John G. Colt, trees, - - - - -	8 00
Thomas R. Hubbard, lumber for boxing trees, - - - - -	2 40
Jacob F. James, perambulating lines,	30 75
Balance to new account, -	1,180 54
	<hr/> \$3,385 43

PINE GROVE CEMETERY.

By Appropriation, - - - - -	\$200 00
“ Treasurer's receipt for wood, -	166 41
Balance to new account, - - -	32 44
	<hr/> \$398 85

EXPENDITURES.

Balance from old account, - - -	\$189 31
Paid Jas. A. Weston, engineer services,	26 75
Jas. A. Weston, “ “	19 25
	<hr/> 235 31
Amount carried forward,	

Amount brought forward,	235 31
William W. Baker, labor, - - -	51 82
James F. Smith, " - - -	22 91
Kadmiel Haselton, " - - -	18 96
James A. Weston, " - - -	6 00
John G. Colt, " - - -	15 60
H. Leeds, " - - -	1 75
James A. Weston, horse hire, -	10 50
James A. Weston, breaking roads,	1 00
James A. Weston, making plan, -	35 00
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	\$398 85

RESERVOIRS.

By balance from old account - - -	296 17
" Appropriation, - - - -	500 00
" Transferred from reserved fund,	200 00
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	\$996 17

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Joseph A. Weeks, for labor, - - -	1 00
David H. Young " - - -	12 50
Lewis O. Brien, " - - -	1 25
William Finn, " - - -	2 50
John Loftis, " - - -	83
Frank Chille, " - - -	2 50
Daniel Green, " - - -	2 50
Daniel Conner, " - - -	2 50
J. W. Preston, " - - -	27 00
Hugh McIntire, " - - -	10 50
J. Hoadley, " - - -	1 00
J. McMan, " - - -	10 50
E. Wheeler, " - - -	7 28
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Amount carried forward,	81 86

Amount brought forward,				81	86
G. Wyman,	labor,	-	-	13	25
T. O. Conner,	"	-	-	10	00
E. McLaughlin,	"	-	-	9	00
Daniel Mann,	"	-	-	10	00
J. Holland,	"	-	-	8	25
H. Farrell,	"	-	-	9	25
N. Metcalf,	"	-	-	1	00
Michael Quadd,	"	-	-	3	75
Michael Kane,	"	-	-	2	00
Columbus Wyman,	"	-	-	1	56
H. C. Sullivan,	"	-	-	3	00
N. R. Tirrell,	"	-	-	4	08
Thomas Harvey,	"	-	-	2	30
Cornelius Hestan,	"	-	-	3	13
W. E. Eastman & Son,	for labor,	-		5	00
Fuller & Robinson,	"	-		5	75
Timothy O'Conner,	"	-		7	30
William Spencer,	"	-		1	67
John Kelly,	"	-		10	64
Timothy Sullivan,	"	-		4	75
John Logue,	"	-		4	00
Thomas Howe,	"	-		1	00
Eben Knowlton,	"	-		13	00
John Larkin,	"	-		16	68
S. S. Moulton,	"	-		3	25
N. R. Tirrell,	"	-		35	12
Patrick Commons,	"	-		4	62
H. J. Tirrell,	"	-		8	50
Charles Bowker,	"	-		3	00
John Morris,	"	-		12	00
S. O. Welch,	"	-		3	50
Patrick Leach,	"	-		4	41
William P. Riddle,	"	-			87
Hugh Martin,	"	-			50
Edwin McQueston,	"	-		24	00
James Carn,	"	-		15	00
William Griffin,	labor,	-	-	11	05
Sylvanus Donahoe,	"	-	-	6	47
Amount carried forward,				364	51

Amount brought forward,	364	51	
Patrick Murphy, labor, - - -	5	63	
Dennis Bonner, " - - -	3	97	
R. M. Richardson, " - - -	3	13	
E. McLaughlin, " - - -	8	55	
David H. Young, brick, - - -	6	00	
David H. Young, cement, - - -	9	60	
David H. Young, sand, - - -		66	
Willard P. Stratton, repairing tanks, -	3	80	
Moses D. Stokes, stone, - - -	260	00	
Daniel Mack, land, - - -	67	00	
City team, team labor, - - -	2	25	
N. R. Tirrell, team labor, - - -	10	00	
Daniels & Company, lead pipe, -	2	99	
H. M. Bailey & Son, picks, -	2	00	
Daniels & Company, shovels, -		83	
Charles Bunton, blacksmith work, -	8	25	
Temple McQueston, cement pipe, -	190	15	
William McFerson, " " -	6	55	
Daniels & Company, hardware, -	4	28	
S. S. Moulton, lumber, - - -	1	25	
A. N. Clapp & Co., spikes, - - -	5	50	
Balance to new account, -	29	27	
			<u>\$996 17</u>

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

By Appropriation, - - -	\$5,000	00	
" Treasurer's receipt for one hand engine sold, - - -	425	00	
" Treasurer's receipt for cash refunded, -	20	43	
Balance to new account, -	\$1,203	62	
			<u>\$6,649 05</u>

EXPENDITURES.

To Balance from old account, -	\$1,252	26	
Paid Eben Knowlton, labor on reservoirs, -	97	25	
Amount carried forward,	1,349	51	

Amount brought forward,	1,349 51
Paid C. P. Simpson, labor, - - -	1 25
S. G. Gilmore, " - - -	50
Plumer & Chandler, overalls, -	44 50
M. Lyons, jackets, - - -	4 50
Amoskeag Manufact'ing Co., repairs,	95 08
Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., hose and coupling, - - -	28 30
John Q. A. Sargent, repairs, -	38 88
J. N. Heath, " -	1 00
Manchester Gas Light Co., gas, -	60
John Ray, refreshments, - -	7 40
C. P. Simpson, removing hose, -	1 75
N. R. Tirrell, " " -	1 25
J. Stickney, sole leather, - -	1 50
Israel Dow, watchman at Dickey's fire, - - - -	1 50
C. H. G. Foss, examining stoves, -	39 00
D. W. Fling, " " -	39 00
Joseph A. Weeks, cleaning engines,	3 00
Boston Belting Co., hose, - -	495 00
John Clark, " -	92 00
C. F. Livingston, printing, - -	28 75
J. B. Bradley, repairing hose, -	9 00
H. S. Nichols, use of horse and car- riage, - - - -	2 25
H. M. Glines, repairing pipe, -	1 75
Kidder & Chandler, potash, -	18
Kidder & Chandler, oil, - -	8 30
John B. Varick, " - -	9 00
Boston Belting Co., flexible pipe, -	10 50
C. R. Colley, setting glass, - -	2 17
P. I. & W. H. Boyd, cotton cloth,	1 25
Israel Dow, salary as engineer, -	25 00
D. W. Fling, " " " -	90 00
C. H. G. Foss, " " " -	90 00
N. S. Bean, " " " -	25 00
E. Ferren, curtains, - - -	1 76
John B. Varick, spirits turpentine,	6 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>2,556 43</u>

Amount brought forward,	2,556	43
John B. Varick, tacks, - - -		16
City Team, team account, - - -	981	25
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	\$3,537	84
Merrimack Engine Co., -	\$142	00
Amoskeag Steamer, - - -	821	19
Fire King Steamer, -	1,452	55
E. W. Harrington Steamer,	609	76
Hook and Ladder, - - -	502	30
Pennacook Hose Co., - - -	840	67
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	\$7,906	31

Correction. The balance to new account under "Miscellaneous," should read 2,461.31; and the whole amount of appropriation, balance, &c., should be 7,906.31.

MERRIMACK ENGINE CO.

To Company's bill for six months' services, \$142 00

STEAM FIRE ENGINE AMOSKEAG.

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Manchester Gas Light Co., for gas,	\$36	74
William Sanborn, wood, - - -	5	50
Calvin Clement, " - - -	10	50
Kidder & Chandler, brooms, -		45
Amoskeag Manufacur'g Co., repairs,	317	98
John Q. A. Sargent, " "	1	28
J. C. Nichols, " "	2	58
Alpheus Bodwell, coal, - - -	7	71
John Saunders, repairs on hose,		4 50
J. B. Bradley, " " " -	11	65
Company's bills, services, - - -	350	00
John Loftis, sawing wood, - - -	3	75
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Amount carried forward,	752	64

Amount brought forward,	752 64	
Kidder & Chandler, oil, - - -	5 12	
Amoskeag Mf'g. Co., hydrants, -	5 00	
Amoskeag Mf'g. Co., fire grate, -	75	
Hartshorn & Pike, repairing stove,	4 47	
Daniels & Company, spirits turpentine,	2 00	
Kidder & Chandler, " " - -	2 38	
Kidder & Chandler, fluid, - - -	45	
Kidder & Chandler, wicking, - -	05	
E. P. Johnson, coal, - - -	48 33	
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FIRE KING STEAMER.

Paid W. Sanborn for Wood, - - -	11 50
Alpheus Bodwell, " - - -	5 75
Jonathan Young " - - -	11 63
Manchester Gas Light Co. for gas,	26 38
Patrick Dowd for sawing wood, -	4 63
John Loftis for " " - -	1 40
Daniels & Co. for oil, - - -	5 25
Kidder & Chandler for oil, - - -	1 25
H. C. Merrill " - - -	9 00
Alpheus Bodwell for coal, - - -	64 50
Edward Johnson " - - -	28 10
Kidder & Chandler for brooms, -	60
Amoskeag M'fg. Co. hose and coup- lings, - - -	214 00
Amoskeag M'fg. Co. for repairs,	317 00
M. O. Pearsons for carting coal, -	1 00
J. W. H. Hill, " " - -	50
Wilbur Fisk, " " - -	50
Daniels & Co. for rotten stone, -	58
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Amount carried forward,	703 57

Amount carried forward,	703 57
John Saunders, repairing hose,	14 50
J. Colbath & Co. " " -	75
Alpheus Branch, " " - -	5 75
H. C. Merrill, spirits turpentine, -	2 50
Company's bill for services, -	369 00
C. A. Luce for lanterns, - -	9 00
P. N. Finn, damage to vegetables,	2 00
Amoskeag Mfg. Co., for hydrants,	5 00
J. C. Ricker for hose, - -	18 00
Amoskeag Mfg. Co. for repairs,	322 48
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STEAM FIRE ENGINE "E. W. HARRINGTON."

Paid Manchester Gas Light Co. for gas,	11 14
Amoskeag Mfg. Co., repairs, -	76 75
Hartshorn & Pike, " - -	5 87
John Saunders, " - -	8 00
Willard P. Stratton, " - -	1 00
Darling & Varney, " - -	2 00
Company's bill for services, -	388 00
Badger & Healey, removing coal,	1 25
Hall & Noyes, wood, - - -	4 52
T. R. Hubbard, " - - -	4 50
Edward P. Johnson, coal, - -	47 95
Amoskeag Mfg. Co., two years land rent, - - - -	25 00
Daniels & Company, spirits turpen- tine, - - - -	4 00
Daniels & Company, oil, - - -	5 00
John B. Varick, oil - - - -	13 00
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Amount carried forward,	597 98

Amount brought forward,	597	98
Daniels & Company, matches,	-	15
“ “ brooms,	-	50
“ “ lamp filler,	-	25
“ “ water pot,	-	80
Hartshorn & Pike, stove grate,	-	62
John B. Varick & Co., vice,	-	7 33
“ “ “ fluid,	-	80
“ “ “ brushes,	-	91
“ “ “ emery cloth,		42
	<hr/>	\$609 76

HOOKE AND LADDER COMPANY.

Paid Company's bills for services,	-	485	00
James & Dodge for horse labor,		12	00
W. Sanborn for wood,	- - -	2	13
I. N. Heath, “	- - -		87
I. N. Heath, for repairs,	- - -	1	30
John Rogers, for truckage,	-	1	00
	<hr/>	\$502	30

PENACOOK HOSE COMPANY.

Paid Kidder & Chandler, for wicking,		18
Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., repair- ing hose carriage,	- -	43 36
Neal & Holbrook, repairing do., do.,		83
Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., 1 hose carriage,	- - -	250 00
H. T. Nichols, for horse to draw hose and carriage,	- -	3 00
John Saunders, repairing hose,		2 50
Companys' bills for services,	-	539 00
H. C. Merrill, for brooms,	- -	37
Kidder & Chandler, for potash,	-	18
John Rogers, for carting hose,	-	1 25
	<hr/>	\$840 67

CITY POLICE.

By Appropriation, - - -	\$4,500 00
“ Treasurer’s receipts for fines and cost, - - - -	1,692 46
Balance to new account, - -	374 81
	<hr/> \$6,567 27

EXPENDITURES.

To balance from old account, - -	\$616 49
Paid Samuel Upton, services as Police Justice, - - - -	500 00
A. B. Shattuck, services as Special Justice, - - - -	36 00
William B. Patten, services as City Marshal, - - - -	600 00
Benjamin C. Haynes, services as As- sistant Marshal, - - -	450 00
Henry Bennett, services as night watch, - - - -	442 12
Eben Carr, do., do., - - - -	465 75
Uriah H. Foss, do., do., - - -	64 92
E. P. Whidden, do., do., - - -	63 25
David Aiden, do., do., - - -	63 25
H. S. Burns, do., do., - - - -	58 62
Greenleaf Ambrose, do., do., -	75
Henry Clough, do., do., - - -	464 50
A. L. Wing, do., do., - - -	419 00
James Patten, do., do., - - -	402 50
Patrick Doyle, do., do., - - -	272 50
N. B. Taplin, do., do., - - -	465 75
Daniel R. Prescott, do., do., -	66 62
L. A. Ward, do., do., - - - -	17 49
C. M. Stevens, do. do., - - -	8 50
Joseph Smith, do., do., - - -	12 50
A. G. Fairbanks, do., do., - -	15 00
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Amount carried forward,	5,505 51

Amount brought forward,	5,505	56
Hugh Ramsey, do., do., - -	63	75
Joseph A. Weeks, do., do., - -		62
Aaron Waldron, do., do., - -	1	25
G. G. Gordon, do., do., - -	7	87
Ira A. Abbott, do., do., - -	1	50
James Patten, services as day police,	25	32
A. T. Wing, do., do., - - -	30	74
Eben Carr, do., do., - -	33	74
D. R. Prescott, do., do., - -	9	37
Henry Clough, do., do., - -	16	24
Henry Bennett, do., do., - -	21	12
Patrick Doyle, do., do., -	5	99
Joseph A. Weeks, do., do., -	1	25
Elbridge G. Woodman, do., do., -	10	00
Henry H. Fuller, do., do., -	10	00
James Stearns, do., do., - -	3	75
Charles Stearns, do., do., - -		62
Hugh Ramsey, do., do., - -	3	12
H. J. Tirrell, do., do., - - -		75
Joseph Carr, do., do., - - -		75
N. B. Taplin, do., do., - -	1	25
N. Baker, do., do., - - -	1	25
G. G. Gordon, do., do., - -	2	25
L. A. Ward, do., - - -	1	25
H. S. Barnes, do., do., - -	3	00
Uriah H. Foss, do., do., - -	1	25
Greenleaf Ambrose, do., do., -	2	00
E. P. Whidden, do., do., - - -	4	00
David Alden, do., do., - -		50
S. B. Hill, do., do., - - -	1	50
A. G. Fairbanks, do., do., - -	2	00
Ira S. Abbott, do., do., - - -		75
I. W. Abbott, do., do., - -	1	00
C. M. Stevens, do., do., - -	1	00
H. M. Bailey, do., do., - -	1	25
John D. Bean, bedding, - - -	21	50
E. P. Johnson, coal, - - -	58	69
David Wells, wood, - - -	21	90
Amount carried forward,	5,879	60

Amount brought forward,	5,875	60
H. J. Tirrell, wood, - - -	4	00
T. J. Wiggin, painting, wood, -	5	00
William B. Patten, provision for prisoners, - - - -	23	35
Benjamin C. Haynes, do., do., -	91	29
William B. Patten, postage and tel- egraph dispatches, - -	84	89
William B. Patten, conveying per- sons to County Farm, - -	3	00
Hartshorn & Pike, grate, - -	75	
H. C. Merrill, lantern and tube, -	1	00
C. F. Livingston, blank book, -	6	50
Gage & Farnsworth, printing blanks,	23	46
John B. Clarke, advertising, -	3	50
S. D. Farnsworth, " - -	11	00
Hersey & Tilton, stationery, - -	3	87
A. Quimby, " - -	3	00
William B. Patten, witnesses' fee,	128	18
Samuel Upton, office rent, -	50	00
William B. Patten, provision for soldiers, - - - -	6	45
Patten & Haynes, use of horse and carriage, - - - -	231	25
Hubbard & Williams, repairing stoves,	2	00
John Twombly, whitewashing, -	2	00
Benjamin Hutchinson, burying dead animals, - - - -	2	00
Hersey & Tilton, Pamphlet Laws, -	1	18
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CITY OFFICERS.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$884 13
“ Appropriation, - - -	5,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid D. A. Bunton, services as Mayor,	\$700 00
Joseph Knowlton, “ “ City Clerk,	500 00
James O. Adams, services as Superintendent of Schools, - -	700 00
H. R. Chamberlin, services as Collector, - - - -	600 00
H. R. Chamberlin, services as Treasurer, - - - -	200 00
Daniel R. Prescott, services as Messenger, - - - -	300 00
Sylvanus Bunton, services as, Health Officer, - - - -	50 00
Chas. W. Adams, services as Health Officer, - - - -	50 00
Orren C. Moore, services as Clerk of Common Council, - -	75 00
James O. Adams, services as Clerk <i>pro tem.</i> of Common Council,	6 00
D. R. Prescott, services as do., of Board of Mayor and Aldermen,	24 00
Dan'l W. Fling, services as Assessor,	128 00
Geo. F. Judkins, “ “ “	60 00
Geo. S. Neal, “ “ “	94 00
Thos. B. Brown, “ “ “	88 00
J. Q. A. Sargent, “ “ “	60 00
J. Y. McQueston, “ “ “	69 00
Jas. Walker, “ “ “	70 00
Benj. White, “ “ “	61 50
Joseph E. Bennett, “ “ Clerk of Assessors, - - - -	140 00
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> 3,975 50

Amount carried forward,	3,975 50
Hanson Tasker, services as Overseer of Poor, - - - -	20 00
S. S. Moulton, services as Overseer of Poor and Clerk, 2 years,	110 00
Jeremiah Abbott, services as Over- seer of Poor, - - -	35 00
W. H. H. Crawford, services as Over- seer of Poor, - - -	27 65
Thomas Stack, services as Overseer of Poor, - - - -	35 00
Ira Barr, services as Overseer of Poor,	20 00
Nahum Baldwin, services as Over- seer of Poor, - - -	25 00
George O. Clark, services as Over- seer of Poor, - - -	50 00
Joseph B. Sawyer, services assisting Assessors, - - - -	3 00
Geo. O. Clark, services as Selectman,	2 50
I. H. Russell, " " "	5 00
Michael Gillis, " " "	5 00
J. N. Farnham, " " "	5 00
Isaac Whittemore, " " "	5 00
Robert Heath, " " "	5 00
Isaac D. Palmer, " " "	5 00
John M. Caswell, " " "	5 00
A. J. Butterfield, " " "	5 00
Jeremiah Hayes, " " "	5 00
Thomas Howe, " " "	5 00
Aaron Young, " " "	5 00
Damon Y. Stearns, " " "	5 00
J. H. Haynes, " " "	5 00
John M. Caswell, " " "	5 00
Dan'l Farmer, Jr., " " "	5 00
C. C. Colby, " " "	5 00
Sullivan D. Hill, " " "	5 00
Joseph H. Haynes, " " "	5 00
John Gillis, " " "	5 00
Chas. W. Colby, " " "	5 00

Amount carried forward, 4,403 65

Amount brought forward,	4,403	65
Geo. O. Clarke, services as selectman,	5	00
John Field, " " "	5	00
James E. Bailey, " " "	5	00
J. T. Robinson, services as Ward Clerk,	5	90
J. P. Nute, " " " "	4	11
Orrin C. Moore, " " " "	4	00
Cornelius Healey, " " " "	3	00
J. D. Lyford, " " " "	10	50
Michael Howe, " " " "	1	00
D. K. Mack, " " " "	5	50
Wm. H. Hill, " " " "	3	00
D. H. Maxfield, " " " "	2	60
Cyrus Gile, " " " "	5	50
James Gilmore, " " " "	4	00
Wm. Reynolds, services as Moderator,	9	00
Daniel Balch, " " " "	3	00
T. S. Montgomery, " " " "	3	00
Isaac Huse, " " " "	3	00
John Smith, " " " "	3	00
B. F. Wallace, " " " "	1	50
Geo. H. Colby, " " " "	3	00
Charles W. Colby, services assisting		
Treasurer, - - - -	8	00
John Coughlin, School Committee,	10	00
John Coughlin, Truant Agent, -	25	00
Balance to new account, -	1,348	77
	—————	\$5,884 13

CITY HALL AND STORES.

By balance from old account	-	4,728	77
Treasurer's receipts for cash received for rent of stores,		1,308	00
Treasurer's receipts for cash received for rent of city hall,		93	08
Treasurer's receipts for cash received for stone,	- -	10	95
		-----	\$6,140 80

EXPENDITURES.

To paid D. R. Prescott for matches,	-	37	
William M. Plumer, & Co., matches,		13	
H. C. Merrill, matches, &c.	-	1	35
D. R. Prescott, brush and comb,		35	
C. R. Colley, repairing glass,	-	14	59
Colbath & Co., gas fixtures,	-	5	09
Daniels & Co., hard ware, &c.		16	79
John B. Varick, " " - -	- -	30	
David Wells, wood - - - -	- - - -	78	22
H. J. Tirrell, " - - - -	- - - -	4	00
E. P. Johnson, coal, - - - -	- - - -	91	51
Manchester Gas. Light Co., gas		225	33
Hartshorn & Pike, repairing stoves and pipe, - - - -	- - - -	37	32
D. R. Prescott, charcoal - - - -	- - - -	11	05
Manchester Print Works, charcoal,		2	00
D. R. Prescott, paid for sawing wood, &c. - - - -	- - - -	34	85
D. R. Prescott, fitting Hall for court,		16	78
H. C. Merrill, crockery, - - - -	- - - -	2	08
E. G. Haynes, mason work, - - - -	- - - -	50	
Wm. S. Palmer, " " - - - -	- - - -	1	75
J. D. Bean, looking glass, - - - -	- - - -	2	00
E. Branch, enameled cloth for table cover, - - - -	- - - -	2	25
Amount carried forward,		548	61

Amount brought forward,	548 61
F. S. Lynch, work in Treasurer's office, - - - -	3 75
Barton & Co., carpet, - - -	65 19
Hartshorn & Pike, stoves, - - -	5 47
D. R. Prescott, pitchwood, - -	50
Eastman & Son, brooms, - - -	42
H. M. Bailey, " - - - -	1 46
W. H. Elliott, repairing clock, - -	3 00
Bridgett Campbell, washing offices,	75
Wm. Wilder, set of steps, - -	3 58
Daniels & Co., feather duster, - -	1 76
S. S. Moulton, repairs, - - -	1 50
Wm. Rounsfell, painting, - - -	8 25
Neal & Holbrook, repairing stairs,	37 00
Charles W. Adams, paper hanger's steps, - - - -	1 75
James H. Stevens, repairing chim- ney, - - - -	2 00
Wm. M. Plumer, fluid, - - -	1 27
Hartshorn & Pike, work on stovepipe,	35
J. Q. A. Sargent, repairing gas fit- tings, - - - -	25
Balance to new account, - - -	5,453 94
	<hr/> \$6,140 80

I N T E R E S T .

By balance from old account, - - -	\$388 89
" Premium on City Stock, - - -	1,125 00
" Interest on taxes, - - - -	344 00
" Appropriation, - - - -	9,000 00
	<hr/> \$10,857 89

EXPENDITURES.

Paid sundry persons for interest, -	\$2,805 94
Sundry persons, for coupons, -	7,590 00
Balance to new account, -	461 95
	<hr/> \$10,857 89

CITY LIBRARY.

By appropriation, - - -	2,000 00
	<u> </u> \$2,000 00

EXPENDITURES.

To balance from old account, - -	36 72
F. B. Eaton, services as librarian,	375 00
Samuel N. Bell, rent of rooms,	229 20
Manchester Gas Light Co., for gas,	65 88
Manchester Post Office, postage,	2 62
J. Q. A. Sargent, gas fixtures, -	14 52
A. Bodwell, coal, - - -	32 46
E. P. Johnson, coal, - - -	19 50
Gage & Farnsworth, printing, -	17 50
John B. Clark, Daily Mirror, -	75
A. Quimby, newspapers, - - -	29 42
Samuel N. Bell, " - - -	1 00
D. F. Buckley " - - -	75
Neal & Holbrook, repairs, - - -	1 30
Haines & Wallace, boxes, - - -	13 33
L. B. Clough, insurance, - -	32 50
Phoenix Insurance Co., insurance,	18 75
Dudley & Parker, grate, - - -	1 06
Wm. Parker, Jr., repairing stoves,	1 08
Trustees for books, - - -	1,000 00
S. N. Bell, freight, - - -	9 63
B. H. Thayer, & Co., paper,	31 86
Balance to new account, - - -	65 17
	<u> </u> \$2,000 00

The librarian's bill for three month's salary and other bills amounting to \$159.86, were not received in season to be put into this account.

MILITIA.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$122 61	
“ Appropriation, - - - -	200 00	
“ Transferred from reserved fund, -	75 00	
		\$397 61

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Smith & Richardson, rent of armory,	\$75 00	
Amoskeag Veterans, “ “ “	150 00	
Geo. C. Gilmore, enrolling militia,	80 34	
Wm. A. Bunton, “ “	43 45	
I. W. Farmer, “ “	3 00	
Charles W. Colby, “ “	8 72	
Henry C. Merrill, “ “	5 00	
Gilman H. Kimball, “ “	3 00	
Balance to new account, -	29 10	
		\$397 61

WATERING STREETS.

By Appropriation, - - - -	\$200 00	
“ Transferred from reserved fund, -	11 08	
		\$211 08

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Willard P. Stratton, repairing water		
tank, - - - -	6 80	
John Saunders, repairing water tank,	50	
John H. Maynard, “ “ “	3 78	
John Campbell, wetting streets, -	200 00	
		\$211 08

PAVING STREETS.

By Appropriation, - - - - - \$1,500 00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Moses D. Stokes, blocks of granite,	\$751 07
J. F. Cross, paving stones, - -	12 30
City Team, team labor, - -	54 56
John Houston, blacksmith work, -	3 46
Charles Bunton, " " -	50
Kidder & Chandler, oil, - - -	4 00
Edward McQueston, labor, - -	49 50
Hugh Ramsey, " -	13 75
Joseph A. Weeks, " - -	10 50
Joseph Nichols, " - -	42 68
John Larkin, " - -	35 00
Timothy Sullivan, " - -	34 50
Wm. E. Eastman & Son, labor, -	69 12
John Morris, " -	14 50
Moses D. Stokes, " -	12 69
Robert Scott, " -	67
E. McLaughlin, " -	13 50
Jas. A. Weston, services engineering,	18 50
Balance to new account, -	359 20
	<hr/> \$1,500 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

By Appropriation,	- - -	\$1,000 00
“ Transferred from reserved fund,		200 00
		<u>\$1,200 00</u>

EXPENDITURES.

To the following Taxes abated, to wit:

On list of - 1861.

Francis Murray,	“ -	3 25
Oliver Bailey,	“ -	2 52
George Hardy,	“ -	2 52
Gustave Von Gerber,	“ -	2 52
L. O. Blanchard,	“ -	2 52
Paul Holt,	“ -	2 52
Ithamer Watson,	“ -	2 52
John Thom,	“ -	2 52
Wm. H. Dixon,	“ -	2 52
Wm A. Canfield,	“ -	2 52
Charles Daniels,	“ -	2 52
Charles Cross,	“ -	2 52
Michael Griffin,	“ -	2 52
Robert W. Hunton,	“ -	3 04
John Murphy,	“ -	2 52
Mary Jane Cameron,	“ -	6 64
Isaac C. Flanders,	“ -	9 43
Mary Smith,	“ -	90
Perley V. Evans,	“ -	3 07
James M. Colley,	“ -	2 52
Daniel Paige,	“ -	2 81
Edgar D. Keniston,	“ -	2 40
Charles J. Flanders,	“ -	3 07
Andrew J. Clough,	“ -	2 52
Delano Prescott,	“ -	2 52
Michael Hefferen,	“ -	2 52
Joshua Powers,	“ -	2 52
Michael Gillis,	“ -	3 07
P. Adams,	“ -	7 76

Amount carried forward,		<u>90 80</u>
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Amount brought forward,		90	80
Alfred F. Perry,	1861 -	10	48
Bisco & Denny,	" -	10	00
Geo. H. Hubbard,	" -	18	23
Nancy Poor,	" -	1	26
Rhoda Flanders,	" -	-	5 00
John Loftis,	1862 -	2	29
Daniel Gould,	" -	-	2 29
Merrimack River Bank,	" -	10	48
Eleazer Martin,	" -	-	2 29
William Dinsmore,	1861 -	2	52
Nathan Burpee,	" -	-	2 52
Edson P. Marshall,	" -	-	2 52
Charles Cummings,	" -	-	2 52
Morris Hollehan,	" -	-	2 52
Frank Morgan,	" -	-	2 52
William Harrison,	" -	-	2 52
Frederick Edgerly,	" -	-	2 50
John Flanders,	" -	4	05
Samuel Hall,	" -	-	3 14
John H. Judkins,	" -	-	2 52
Frederick D. Chase,	" -	-	3 07
Daniel Davis,	" -	-	2 52
James S. Cheney,	" -	-	26
John Aiken,	" -	-	2 52
H. J. Copp,	" -	-	2 52
Nath'l H. Morrill,	" -	-	2 52
William Dodge,	" -	-	2 52
George Downer,	" -	-	2 52
John Barker,	" -	-	2 52
John C. Walton,	" -	-	2 52
William P. Felch,	" -	-	60
Calvin Clement,	" -	6	48
A. C. Wallace,	" -	-	9 27
William Pherson,	" -	-	2 52
Anson C. Coult,	" -	-	2 52
James W. Darrah,	" -	5	83
Lot No. 35 Hanover St.,	" -	-	1 88
David Libbey,	1862 -	7	73
Amount carried forward,		243	29

Amount brought forward,			243	29
Ephraim Hodgman	1862	-	-	8 98
N. H. Bannister,	"	-		11 65
Charles G. Clark,	"	-		15 67
Nelson E. Fisk,	"	-		2 29
George W. Johnson,	"	-		2 29
Moses B. Hill,	"	-		2 25
Alonzo Cutter,	"	-		2 29
David Page,	"	-		2 29
Edward Goldbraith,	"	-		2 29
John Thornton,	"	-		2 29
Hiram Babbitt,	"	-		2 29
Ira W. Pennock,	"	-		12 60
Henry Johnson,	"	-		2 29
Dana D. Thresher,	"	-		2 29
Charles Bowers,	"	-		2 29
Ira Templeton,	"	-		2 29
Wallace N. Young,	"	-		5 82
John P. Young,	"	-		4 37
J. A. Chamberlin,	"	-		19
T. P. Webber,	"	-		10 32
Charles Shennessy,	"	-		2 29
Daniel H. Chase,	"	-		2 29
Thomas Lane,	"	-		2 29
Land on Prospect street adjoins J.				
Dodge on the east,	1862,	-		5 16
Peter C. Woodman,	"	-		2 16
Hazen Baker,	"	-		2 25
John W. Lane,	"	-		2 25
B. Spofford,	"	-		1 50
Henry C. Parker,	1861,			25 60
Balance to new account,		-		813 88
				<hr/> \$1,200 00

LIGHTING STREETS.

By balance from old account, - - -	\$249 86
“ Appropriation, - - - -	1,500 00
“ Balance overdrawn to new account, - - -	68 79
	<hr/> \$1,818 65

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Manchester Gas Light Co., gas,	\$1,298 16
Manchester Gas Light Co., light-	
ing lamps, - - - -	380 50
Manchester Gas Light Co., lamp posts,	32 19
Chas. R. Colley, repairing lanterns,	22 21
Hartshorn & Pike, “ “	18 08
Montgomery & Wilson, fluid, -	22 50
George W. Adams, “ -	8 34
T. L. Quimby, lighting bridge lamps,	36 67
	<hr/> \$1,818 65

TAXES FROM 1859 TO 1862.

1859, JOHN L. KELLY, Collector.

Amount uncollected Jan. 1, 1863, - - - \$9,615 43

1860, H. R. CHAMBERLIN, Collector.

Amount uncollected Jan 1, 1862, - - - 2,833 87

Amount paid into the Treasury and abatements, 393 23

Balance uncollected, - - - - \$2,440 64

1861, H. R. CHAMBERLIN, Collector.

Amount uncollected Jan. 1, 1862, - - - \$19,211 52

Amount paid into the Treasury and abatements, 12,172 21

Balance uncollected, - - - - \$7,039 31

1862, H. R. CHAMBERLIN, Collector.

Amount of tax list, - - - - \$84,827 45

Amount paid into the Treasury and abatements, 69,541 54

Balance uncollected, - - - - \$15,285 91

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

By Appropriation, - - - -	\$900 00
“ Transferred from reserved fund,	150 00
“ Amount refunded by sundry persons,	4 63
“ Amount of Treasurer’s receipt for cost on non-resident taxes,	71 14
	—————\$1,125 77

EXPENDITURES.

To balance from old account, - - -	\$11 60
Paid S. D. Farnsworth, advertising, -	66 67
Gage & Farnsworth, printing Annual Report, - - - -	435 50
Gage & Farnsworth, printing School Report, - - - -	42 00
Gage & Farnsworth, printing blanks, &c., - - - -	49 50
Fogg & Hadley, advertising non-resi- dent tax, - - - -	31 50
Campbell & Harriman, advertising and printing blanks, - - -	16 50
C. F. Livingston, printing blanks,	189 25
R. Estabrook, ink and pens, - - -	1 12
J. D. Watson, “ - - - -	63
Tewksbury & Bro., stationery, - -	2 88
E. B. Beman & Co., binding books,	2 00
O. C. Moore, stationery, - - - -	50
S. S. Moulton, “ - - - -	2 70
Geo. H. Barker, “ - - - -	2 50
Wm. H. Fisk, books, stationery and binding books, - - - -	127 31
Hersey & Tilton, books and stationery,	62
John B. Clarke, advertising and printing blanks, - - - -	23 37
O. Hardy, stationery, - - - -	56
D. S. Leonard, pens, - - - -	1 50
J. Bean, stationery, - - - -	75
Balance to new account, - - - -	116 81
	—————\$1,125 77

CITY DEBT.

Date of Notes.	To whom payable.	When payable.	Int. unpaid Jan. 1, 1863.	Principal.
Feb. 28, 1852	Nehemiah Hunt.	Feb. 28, 1872	108 00	3,600 00
July 1, 1847	Certif. of Stock.	July 1, 1867	600 00	20,000 00
July 1, 1857	“ “ “	July 1, 1872	600 00	20,000 00
July 1, 1854	“ “ “	July 1, 1874	600 00	20,000 00
July 1, 1856	“ “ “	Jan. 1, 1880	300 00	10,000 00
July 1, 1857	“ “ “	July 1, 1877	671 00	22,500 00
July 9, 1858	Nehemiah Hunt.	July 9, 1878	68 75	2,400 00
July 22, 1858	Nehemiah Hunt.	“ 22, 1878	29 15	1,100 00
Jan. 1, 1861	Certif. of Stock.	Jan. 1, 1866	180 00	6,000 00
Jan. 1, 1861	“ “ “	Jan. 1, 1871	180 00	6,000 00
July 1, 1862	“ “ “	July 1, 1882	671 00	22,500 00
Temporary Loan, - - -			1,488 00	
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Temporary Loan, - - - - -			5,495 90	134,100 00
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				193,800 00
Interest, - - - - -				5,495 90
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				\$199,295 90

VALUATION, TAXES, &C.

Year.	Valuation.	Taxes.	No. of polls.	Poll Tax.
1838	\$555,270 00	\$2,235 49	244	\$1 66
1839	604,963 00	3,029 84	427	2 14
1840	946,200 00	3,986 56	772	2 20
1841	1,229,054 00	9,563 74	892	3 49
1842	1,430,524 00	12,952 44	1,053	2 76
1843	1,598,826 00	13,764 32	1,053	2 60
1844	1,873,286 00	13,584 72	1,053	2 25
1845	2,544,780 00	19,246 27	1,561	2 30
1846	3,187,726 00	22,005 95	1,808	2 10
1847	4,488,550 00	24,963 54	2,056	1 68
1848	4,664,957 00	39,712 53	2,638	2 58
1849	5,560,049 00	44,979 92	2,518	2 47
1850	5,832,080 00	48,974 23	2,820	2 37
1851	6,906,462 00	51,798 47	2,910	2 25
1852	6,795,682 00	54,379 45	2,745	1 92
1853	6,995,528 00	61,545 81	2,907	1 82
1854	8,237,617 00	62,022 44	2,814	1 80
1855	8,883,248 00	71,952 09	3,725	1 94
1856	9,244,062 00	114,214 08	3,760	2 96
1857	9,983,862 00	84,862 98	3,695	2 04
1858	10,259,080 00	78,210 85	3,695	1 83
1859	9,853,310 00	81,368 01	3,495	1 92
1860	9,644,937 00	86,804 87	3,651	2 16
1861	9,343,254 00	99,104 96	3,974	2 40
1862	8,891,250 00	84,827 45	3,071	2 21

RELIEF TO SOLDIERS' FAMILIES.

The following sums have been paid to the families of volunteers, who have enlisted in the service of the United States, from August 1861 to December 31, 1862:

Ahern, John,	15 00	Allen, William	12 00
Adams, Ira J.	68 00	Abbott, Ira S.	36 00
Allen, Robert H.	76 00	Atwood, Chas. W.	32 00
Allen, George	68 00	Allen Wm. H.	48 00
Allen, Francis A.	184 00	Allen, Jeremiah C.	32 00
Annis, Zebina N.	64 00	Ambuda, A. C.	48 00
Austin, Joseph A.	62 00	Aldrich, Miles,	16 00
Annis, A. C.	115 00		
Buckman, C. N.	68 00	Burns, Patrick	144 00
Banfil, H. W.	54 00	Blake, George G.	147 00
Bowen, Edwin G.	11 00	Bly, Jeremiah W.	147 00
Blood, Albert	68 00	Burpee, Cyrus S.	63 00
Bartels, Jacob	51 00	Brown, Wm. E.	147 00
Byrns, Matthew	195 00	Brown, Ira A.	26 00
Baker, William	195 00	Bowman, E. M.	100 00
Booth, John	132 00	Bixby, A. H.	70 00
Bickford, Noah	20 00	Berry, Geo. W.	147 00
Bagley, Jona. R.	40 00	Brennan, Thos.	50 00
Batchelder C. L.	55 00	Burke, Patrick	147 00
Barker, Wm. L.	128 00	Broderick, M.	50 00
Bailey, Jos. W.	164 00	Blake, Thomas,	26 00
Bailey, Rufus	184 00	Bohan, Patrick	30 00
Burnes, Thos. S.	64 00	Buckminster, A. E.	46 00
Brown, Amos W.	128 00	Brandon, Philip,	88 00
Babbitt, Wm. L.	126 00	Bean, Amos L.	28 00
Bundy, Marcus H.	68 00	Brown, Asa	20 00
Buzzell, Elisha H.	98 00	Buckminster, A.	36 00
Bean, Lyman W.	63 00	Bailey, Joseph,	16 00
Brown, A. A.	174 00	Barrett, Wm. A.	16 00
Blackburn, W. H.	126 00	Barnes, Hiram S.	16 00
Bonner, Wm.	56 00	Baker, J. B. T.	48 00
Breshnahan, M.	184 00	Baldwin, J. J.	16 00
Broderick, P.	64 00	Blaine, J. C.	48 00

Brown, A.	184 00	Bartlett, W. A.	32 00
Bickford, H. N.	128 00	Baker, S. M.	48 00
Bynge, Thomas	171 00	Burnes, Oliver,	36 00
Boyd, Charles W.	63 00	Barry, John	16 00
Beaman, Eri B.	98 00	Butler, Eldad	48 00
Battles, H. W.	58 00	Bryson, John	45 00
Brandon, Philip	52 00	Bruce, John N.	12 00
Blanchard, F. F.	148 00		
Currier, Geo. D.	17 00	Colby, Matthew N.	118 00
Carr, James W.	120 00	Cram, Geo. T.	31 00
Colby, Harvey M.	13 00	Chub, John G.	135 00
Calef, William	71 00	Clark Geo. A.	74 00
Chase, B. F.	71 00	Clark, B. F.	94 00
Clark, R. F.	40 00	Cate, Virgil H.	84 00
Coty, Gideon	195 00	Clough, H. M.	126 00
Cummings, H. I.	136 00	Cilley, Anthony,	57 00
Chellis, R. A.	136 00	Caine, Charles,	72 00
Colby Daniel F.	27 00	Cogswell, E. P.	55 00
Chase, John N.	68 00	Clark, Charles A.	110 00
Copp, H. J.	72 00	Crombie, Robert	164 00
Cushing, John	68 00	Clogston, S.	147 00
Cole, M. S.	44 00	Colby, Robert N.	101 00
Connel, A. M.	136 00	Copp, John	53 00
Cole, John S.	36 00	Clement, Ezra	34 00
Cotton, Edward	101 00	Colby, Abner D.	151 00
Connelly, M. J.	185 00	Cole, John	50 00
Casey, Thomas	68 00	Casey, John	100 00
Casey, John	68 00	Conner, Charles	50 00
Caderath, Eugene	135 00	Crowley, Cornelius,	50 00
Cameron, James	195 00	Collins, John	147 00
Curran, John	44 00	Cressey, Thos. E.	49 00
Connally, Patrick	195 00	Chase, Wm. D.	45 00
Crosbie, A.	195 00	Carney, Michael	32 00
Castello, Brion	136 00	Currier, Geo. D.	8 00
Clayton, Robert	184 00	Cadereth, Eugene	72 00
Currier, Chas. M.	80 00	Cole, Micajah	24 00
Castles, Patrick	184 00	Canfield, W. A.	18 00
Cuddy, Michael	184 00	Chase, Moses L.	26 00
Cressy, Amos	184 00	Copp, H. J.	29 00
Cummings, J. M.	64 00	Clifford, John	16 00

Condict, Henry F.	53 00	Cross, Joseph E.	48 00
Cutler, Wm. G.	182 00	Clark, John F.	48 00
Clark, Henry W.	182 00	Conner, Geo. W.	32 00
Caswell, A. M.	182 00	Currier, H. H.	32 00
Chamberlin, W. N.	126 00	Clark, Geo. A.	16 00
Carpenter, J. P.	13 00	Cochran, John H.	16 00
Cheney, Thos. C.	182 00	Colby, A. P.	16 00
Campbell, H. A.	63 00	Conner, Jeremiah	32 00
Crockett, D. S.	63 00	Conner, Stillman P.	16 00
Cilley, Ezra D.	126 00	Carlton, Geo. W.	48 00
Carr, James	182 00	Crosbie, John	16 00
Chase, Melvin	126 00	Cronin, Daniel	8 00
Cannay, Patrick	64 00	Cole, John	30 00
Chapman, J. B.	64 00	Conway, Fred	36 00
Cheney, Samuel	165 00	Corcoran, Jeremiah	48 00
Cressy, Joseph P.	57 00	Caffey, Jeremiah L.	12 00
Clark, Geo. E.	118 00	Cahil, Francis	56 00
Davis, C. O. R.	136 00	Darrah, Clinton A.	50 00
Dow, R. C.	111 00	Dowd, Patrick	100 00
Davis, John B.	191 00	Driscoll, Patrick	147 00
Donahoe, Mich'l T.	107 00	Driscoll, Jeremiah	50 00
Dunn, William	195 00	Dowd, John	147 00
Dignam, Walter	112 00	Doyle, Edward	147 00
Dustin, Eliphalet	88 00	Dockham, O. S.	147 00
Davis, George F.	28 00	Darrah, Silas L.	41 00
Donnelly, Patrick	64 00	Donahoe, Jos. Jr.	8 00
Dillon, Edward J.	64 00	Dustin, Eliphalet	16 00
Demeritt, Frank E.	47 00	Dickey, James M.	24 00
Dickey, C. C.	126 00	Dugan, Peter	20 00
Dickey, John W.	126 00	Davis, Hilas D.	16 00
Doe, Charles A.	126 00	Doe, Andrew W.	32 00
Day, M. V. B.	126 00	Dubin, Francis	16 00
Dakin, Geo. K.	92 00	Dalton, Michael,	36 00
Dickey, James M.	40 00	Dunn, Andrew	36 00
Dunham, E. A.	59 00	Daran, Michael	12 00
Dow, Hezekiah	60 00	Davis, John W.	32 00
Downs, Frank F.	108 00	Daran, William	48 00
Davis, Henry D.	36 00	Drew, Chas. W.	48 00
Dodge, Hazen G.	55 00	Dickey, Henry C.	32 00
Darrah, James W.	35 00		

Doherty, James	108 00	Dickey, Daniel H.	48 00
Doherty, Peter	56 00	Duggan, Edmund,	16 00
Day, Patrick O.	161 00	Doherty, John	36 00
Davenport, C. L.	34 00		
Evans, John M.	143 00	Emerson, E. C.	16 00
Egan, John	68 00	Emery, Ira P.	48 00
Ely, Joseph	195 00	Emerson Orren F.	12 00
Elliott, Thomas F.	136 00	Esmire, Henry	48 00
Edgerly, A. J.	36 00	Earley, Michael	48 00
Edgell, Fred'k M.	35 00	Earley, Patrick	32 00
Eagan, Michael	68 00	Eastman, Friends F.	18 00
Emery, Samuel E.	68 00		
Flanders, H. J.	71 00	Farrington, M.	147 00
Fowler, Barnard E.	204 00	Fleming, John	147 00
Flanders, W. W.	68 00	Fitzgerald, M.	84 00
Foster, W. H.	78 00	Flaherty, Thomas	147 00
Farry, Bernard	195 00	Fitzgerald, Thos.	100 00
Foley, Stephen	68 00	Fox, Thomas	57 00
Farley, Daniel	145 00	Finucan Michael	50 00
Fitzgerald, David	64 00	Farnham, E. T.	32 00
Farnam, James A.	50 00	Furnald, T. O.	48 00
Flagg, Alpheus D.	184 00	Frye, A. J.	16 00
Flynn, Michael O.	36 00	Foss, Uriah H.	32 00
Foley, Maurice	184 00	Flynn, John O.	16 00
Frawley, Terance	184 00	Fish, Nelson C.	16 00
Field, Edward	64 00	Foss, Charles W.	32 00
Fogg, James M.	44 00	Finn, Michael P.	48 00
Farrar, Haward M.	126 00	Fleming James	48 00
French, Charles E.	63 00	Fenton, Dennis	15 00
Fallen, John	184 00	Fowler, Patrick	36 00
Ferren, Frank	34 00	Fenn, James	12 00
Freshall, Joseph	76 00	Fox, Patrick	12 00
Farnum, Calvin L.	56 00		
		Gone, Eben	126 00
Gumison, E. N.	17 00	Gracy, David	117 00
Griffin, W. H.	71 00	Glover, Noah	116 00
Gibson, C. O.	36 00	Gladden, Jerry E.	63 00
George, Samuel	14 00	Greenwood, Frank	54 00
George, Albert	195 00	Garfield, George	17 00
Garnan, Cyrus	68 00	Gannon, William J.	44 00
Gardner, Levi	5 00	Gibbons, John	100 00
Glanin, James	195 00	Gannon, Thomas	50 00
Glanin, Michael	68 00		

Gannon, James	192 00	Gleason, Patrick	50 00
Giles, Job R.	184 00	Gallaher, John	34 00
Goggin, John	40 00	Gallagher, Bernard	147 00
Geunnil, William	156 00	Gould, Loami	13 00
Gerry, Elbridge	40 00	Gilbert, Charles	24 00
Gardner, John	105 00	Gould, Luzerne B.	18 00
Garman, James	28 00	Glines, H. M.	48 00
Goodwin, John W.	126 00	Graves, George W.	8 00
Glines, George E.	68 00	Goggins, Thomas	16 00
Griswold, G W.	182 00	Gould, James P.	12 00
Gordon, Clark S.	126 00	Gallighez, Richard	33 00
Heath, T. P.	118 00	Hobart, John	84 00
Hubbard, J. A.	43 00	Howe, George E.	111 00
Holmes, William M.	71 00	Hubbard, W. E.	23 00
Hazewell, E. G.	71 00	Hadley, George W.	53 00
Hanneford, Obid	71 00	Hadley, Rodney	41 00
Hanson, George	71 00	Haines, Dennis	50 00
Hynes, J. R.	80 00	Hill, E. O.	50 00
Holmes, Andrew J.	88 00	Hall, Rufus	154 00
Hogan, John C.	68 00	Harriman, Sylvester	50 00
Hausman, John	123 00	Hennessy, James	147 00
Hodgman, W. S.	100 00	Harwood, John	147 00
Hopkins, H. F.	105 00	Hartshorn, Jonathan	139 00
Hill, W. H.	68 00	Hagerty, Daniel	139 00
Henderson, James	136 00	Healy, Michael	50 00
Hubbard, Oliver	195 00	Harrington, John	50 00
Hackett, Edmund	159 00	Hanlehan, Patrick	147 00
Hackett, Charles A.	128 00	Hartwell, John	147 00
Hackett, George W.	64 00	Hartley, Curtis B.	40 00
Hutchins, Melvin F.	64 00	Hoyt, John B.	28 00
Hume, Robert	140 00	Holmes Andrew Jr.	48 00
Hutchinson, F. B.	64 00	Hall Charles	36 00
Hackett, John	184 00	Hazenwell, Arthur W.	18 00
Hubbard, Cyrus W.	166 00	Hutchinson, Alex'r	48 00
Hurd, Charles W.	54 00	Hutchinson, Justin	48 00
Harvey, Enoch S.	136 00	Hartley, Henry	16 00
Hall, John D.	182 00	Hall, George H.	16 00
Hamblett, Albert T.	63 00	Hutchins James S.	48 00
Holt, Wesley E.	31 00	Hunton, Dexter L.	48 00
Hopkins, Oliver W.	63 00	Hall, R. B.	48 00
Hastings, Greely W.	63 00	Heath, William O.	32 00
Hopkins, Philander	13 00	Henry, William	32 00
Huchins, Moses A.	165 00	Hulm, William,	48 00
Harris, Hinckley D.	165 00	Haselton, William W.	16 00

Hill, Simon B.	117 00	Hastings, George Y.	48 00
Hanckett, George	171 00	Hanley, Michael,	48 00
Hart, William H.	171 00	Hogan, John	48 00
Hubbard, Henry P.	160 00	Healey Daniel D.	45 00
Hanson, Thomas	192 00	Henno, Israel	16 00
Heath, Charles B.	144 00	Healey, Michael	4 00
Healy, Timothy j	54 00	Heron, Lary,	4 00
Hatch, John	160 00		
Ingham, Ambrose			59 00
Johnson, Geo. C.	68 00	Jackson, Oliver	54 00
James, Lemuel H.	92 00	Jefts, Henry S.	36 00
Johnson James A.	18 00	Johnson, Chas. F.	32 00
Jennison, Chas. O.	36 00	Johnson, Eleazer A.	16 00
Jenness, Jas. B.	31 00	Jones, Edwin R.	32 00
Jones, John A.	87 00	Johnson, Chas., Jr.,	48 00
Johnson, Moses H.	33 00	Jenkins, Jas. K.	48 00
Jones, Calvin A.	45 00	Jones, Thomas	15 00
Jordon, James A.	44 00	Jones, John A.	4 00
Johnson, Jona. S.	80 00		
Kerran, Patrick	204 00	Keaf, William J.	50 00
Keniston, Edwin R.	136 00	Kearin, Timothy	147 00
Knowlton, Wm. H.	117 00	Kane, Thomas	147 00
Kingsbury, I. H.	68 00	Kenny, Michael	50 00
Kating, John	68 00	Kane, Charles A.	48 00
Kerby, Daniel	159 00	Kelly, Charles J.	48 00
Knowlton, Joseph H.	148 00	Knowlton, B. F.	12 00
Kelcher, Jeremiah,	148 00	Kelly, Thomas	36 00
Kennedy, Cornelius	40 00	Keniston, James	15 00
Kelly, Daniel	98 00	Kenny, Wm. B.	12 00
Kelly, Charles J.	80 00	Kelly, Albert	12 00
Knowlton, Wm. C.	81 00	Kearin, John	45 00
Kidder, Hiram D.	147 00	Kering, John	123 00
Lord, J. J.	134 00	Leavitt, Thos. M.	147 00
Leaf, Luke	68 00	Lyford, John C.	100 00
Libby, A. H.	40 00	Ladd, Joseph J.	23 00
Little, Samuel H.	68 00	Lowell, Henry G.	46 00
Langley, J. F.	80 00	Leaf, Joseph	50 00
Lamudge, Alex.	68 00	Lattimer, John	57 00
Leet, L. H.	132 00	Looney, Patrick	147 00
Lee, Patrick,	195 00	Lane, Dennis	50 00
Lougee, Fred. W.	184 00	Lyons, G. F. G.	147 00
Lewis, Henry	100 00	Langmaid, J. Israel	50 00

Leary, Dennis	50 00	Lathe, James W.	18 00
Lynch John L.	184 00	Lyford, Jere. D.	32 00
Livingston, C. C.	64 00	Lewis, George B.	32 00
Lawrence, Rich'd A.	59 00	Lewis Levi B.	8 00
Langley, O. H.	116 00		
Martin, H. B.	204 00	Markham, John G.	55 00
Marshall, Nath'l	136 00	McCabe, Geo. F.	50 00
McIntire, John	68 00	McKeon, Patrick	50 00
Moore, T. T.	136 00	Murphy, Thomas	50 00
McEvin, James	95 00	McCarty, Timothy	50 00
Maxwell, W. H.	40 00	McDermot, Hugh	50 00
McQueston, J. B.	151 00	Mullen, John	100 00
Metcalf, A. E.	68 00	Murray, Michael	100 00
Morgan, Charles,	68 00	Martin, James	147 00
Morrison, David	18 00	McMullon, Dan'l	18 00
Mordough, George	68 00	Murphy, John	50 00
McKinson, Geo. W.	68 00	McIntire, Hugh	26 00
McClemons, John	159 00	McMalley, James	147 00
Mayott, L. H.	68 00	Moriarty, C.	147 00
Mahoney, Patrick	112 00	Moriarty, B.	100 00
Moore, David	68 00	Mullen, Michael	100 00
Mayers, James	135 00	McCullough, Pat.	60 00
Murphy, James	136 00	Munroe, James S.	95 00
Murphy, Henry	96 00	Morrill, J. B.	48 00
Merrill, Lewis S.	54 00	Mayne, James	48 00
Mayne, Wm. W.	72 00	Moulton, Geo. W.	32 00
Merron, James	64 00	Mace, Chas. J.	20 00
Marsh, Charles	64 00	Marsh, John B.	32 00
McClaskey, James	64 00	Morrison, C. L.	32 00
McQueston, LeRoy	35 00	Murphy, John	16 00
Morrill, Thos. W.	126 00	Mitchell, Sam'l L.	32 00
Magoon, Chas. D.	63 00	Mahew, Chas. H.	16 00
Marshall, H. P.	172 00	Mara, Michael	48 00
Marcus, Sam'l D.	54 00	Manning, Rodney,	16 00
Morrill, Frank L.	136 00	Murphy, Hugh	48 00
Miller, Hugh	171 00	Mulligan, Patrick	15 00
Mason, G. P.	69 00	McCarty, Charles	30 00
Mulligan, Michael,	160 00	McCarty, Patrick,	30 00
McCarty, Eugene,	160 00	Mahony, Michael,	15 00
McDonald, Walter	164 00	McKenny, James	26 00
Miles, James	147 00	Martin, Chas. H.	8 00
Mitchell, John W.	110 00	Mulligan, Thomas	4 00
Mason, Dan'l W.	92 00		

Newell, T. L.	40 00	Norris, Cyrus B.	28 00
Newton, Chas. A.	64 00	Newton, David H.	4 00
Nelson, S. W.	64 00		
O'Neil, James	136 00	O'Brien, John	147 00
O'Connell, Patrick	194 00	O'Neal, Michael	87 00
O'Brien, Terrence	133 00	O'Neal, Phelix	144 00
O'Conner, Robert	63 00	O'Grady, Michael	42 00
O'Brien, John	50 00	O'Brien, Edward	54 00
O'Brien, Peter	64 00	Osgood, Joseph C.	32 00
Ogden, John E.	34 00	O'Brien, Daniel	48 00
Osgood, Henry C.	26 00	O'Melie, Joseph	16 00
O'Conner, Wm. D.	100 00	O'Brien, Patrick	30 00
Palmer, C. E.	21 00	Philips, Francis H.	118 00
Pillsbury, H. M.	142 00	Paige, John G.	131 00
Parrott, G. F.	204 00	Powers, Wm. C.	160 00
Pickup, George	71 00	Palmer, Wm. H.	171 00
Platt, J. H.	86 00	Putnam, Byron	48 00
Parker, C. M.	71 00	Pierce, Nelson	64 00
Perkins, D. M.	71 00	Perry, Geo. F.	62 00
Proudman, James D.	68 00	Philbrick, Preston	116 00
Pike, T. H.	10 00	Potter, Frank L.	64 00
Polkey, Peter	136 00	Pierce, Nathan H.	63 00
Parker, H. H.	128 00	Philbrick, B. F.	147 00
Perkins, Wm. H.	160 00	Plumer, Thomas A.	56 00
Pike, F. H.	142 00	Potter, Joseph	36 00
Paige, Fred. T.	50 00	Potter, Lewis	14 00
Paige, Harlan E.	64 00	Pettengill, Lafayette	48 00
Plumer, C. H.	100 00	Prescott, Deleno	32 00
Piper, John K.	55 00	Perkins, Joseph	48 00
Parker, Henry C.	63 00	Plunkett, Charles	24 00
Parrott, Geo. W.	182 00	Provencher, J. C.	12 00
Perkins, Wm. D.	5 00	Powers, Joshua	44 00
Piper, Sam'l S.	63 00	Parker, Geo. A. W.,	48 00
Peoples, Charles,	63 00	Paine, Patrick	4 00
Philbrick, Thos. P.	128 00	Phelps, J. L.	32 00
Parker, Frank W.	36 00	Peno, Joseph	48 00
Quimby, James M.	71 00	Quimby, Moody	59 00
Quinlan, Jeremiah	44 00	Quimby, Elisha T.	56 00
Quimby, Benj. F.	64 00	Quint, Isaac	16 00
Quinn, Frank	184 00	Quimby, Daniel A.	16 00
Quinn, James	120 00	Quinn, John	32 00
Quimby, Benj. K.	128 00		

Ray, Alex. H.	12 00	Russell, Warren J.	57 00
Robinson, A. B.	71 00	Robinson, Geo. W.	56 00
Roach, J. S.	195 00	Rowe, Andrew J.	55 00
Robertson, D. M.	46 00	Rollins, Henry T.	55 00
Richardson, M. V. B.	36 00	Riley, Michael,	164 00
Robinson, Wm. E.	124 00	Roby, Joseph,	164 00
Russell, D. S.	28 00	Rowe, Charles E.	128 00
Richardson, H. K.	184 00	Russell, B. B.	147 00
Reed, Chas. H.	64 00	Robinson, John	50 00
Riordon, Timothy	64 00	Reed, Elbridge	92 00
Randlett, Thomas	98 00	Rourke, Timothy	50 00
Roberts, Wm. W.	38 00	Regan, Patrick	147 00
Roberts, Isaac S.	182 00	Ridley, David S.	32 00
Rollins, D. W.	64 00	Ray, John	48 00
Richardson, C. C.	136 00	Riordon, John	16 00
Stark, Wm. G.	142 00	Smith, George E.	57 00
Swett, N. F.	142 00	Stearns, Hiram	171 00
Simons, A. R.	67 00	Summers, H. H.	168 00
Sturtevant, E.	8 00	Smith, George,	160 00
Shaler, Albert	95 00	Smith, James	56 00
Squires, H. C.	195 00	Sawtell, E. M.	56 00
Syme, R. S.	45 00	Shoughra, Timothy	156 00
Summers, Wm. 2d	195 00	Shearer, Chas. L.	50 00
Sargent, Geo. H.	68 00	Smith, John	147 00
Smith, Donald	195 00	Sullivan, Michael	60 00
Shirlock, Anthony	104 00	Smith, William	84 00
Sheehan, Edward	136 00	Shugnee, Philip,	36 00
Shearer, William	40 00	Shea, John	50 00
Stevens, Horatio	64 00	Sage, Thomas	111 00
Saabor, Wm. H.	128 00	Spear, Roberts	27 00
Spaulding, F. C.	128 00	Senter, Benj. L.	40 00
Stevens, Munroe	70 00	Sargent, Larkin	48 00
Seaver, R. A.	128 00	Sargent, Henry O.	28 00
Smith, C. H.	64 00	Sullivan, Patrick	20 00
Stewart, John	70 00	Sheehan, Jere. D.	36 00
Sargent, Larkin	88 00	Searlds, Loami	32 00
Snow, Joseph T.	46 00	Smith, Luther M.	48 00
Smith, John	128 00	Stevens, Benjamin	32 00
Stanton, Martin J.	54 00	Sargent, Albert F.	48 00
Sullivan, Cornelius	184 00	Sawyer, Zara	48 00
Stewart, Geo. H.	128 00	Sanders, Henry M.	16 00
Sollingham, F. W.	61 33	Stearns, Wm. K.	24 00
Sheppard, C. H.	126 00	Stokes, Septimus	32 00
Simpson, Alexander	126 00	Simons, A. G.	32 00
Stearns, Gilman	55 00	Smith, Edwin O.	16 00

Sylvester, L. G.	60 00	Sullivan, Owen	23 00
Stearns, Albert C.	126 00	Sargent, Charles E.	32 00
Sargent, James F.	116 00	Shoughree, Philip	14 00
Soughnasay, Mich'l	64 00	Sullivan, Michael	45 00
Sargent, Henry W.	64 00	Sullivan, John,	16 00
Stevens, Enoch C.	128 00	Stearns, Gilman	24 00
Todd, Wm.	195 00	Taffer, Matthew	147 00
Tompkins, Henry D.	128 00	Towne, James R. F.	44 00
Tehan, Dennis	64 00	Tester, Napoleon	56 00
Twitchell, Evi P.	182 00	Thornton, John	6 00
Tilton, Nathan B.	182 00	Tufts, Charles H.	48 00
Thompson, Chas. H.	13 00	Towns, Roswell	24 00
Thompson, H. L.	147 00	Tool, Martin	32 00
Untiel, Berman			48 00
Vogel, William	51 00	Vose, Thomas S.	136 00
Varnum, Geo. W.	88 00		
Wilkins, W. W.	120 00	Wallace, Edward	56 00
Weston, Franke	55 00	Whipple, Clarke B.	55 00
Woodbury, R. W.	136 00	Williams, Edson	32 00
White, Leander,	68 00	Welch, John	26 00
Wallace, J. H.	14 00	Welch, Patrick	50 00
Wing, H. B.	104 00	Wilson, Ebenezer	112 00
Woodburn, Geo. A.	136 00	Williams, Hanson T.	46 00
Welch, James	68 00	Whidden, William	87 00
Wright, Charles	71 00	Webster, Nath'l	42 00
Weed, Harvey M.	28 00	Wallace, J. H.	40 00
Wyman, George W.	184 00	Wescott, Augustine	20 00
Wyman, James	184 00	Wheeler, Alfred	32 00
Woods, Henry S.	14 00	Wasley, Fazer A.	16 00
Wyman, Woodbury	184 00	Worcester, John C.	16 00
Wyman, Edson	128 00	Wyman, George	32 00
Wadleigh, John	70 00	Wailey, Henry	32 00
Whittier, Samuel J.	182 00	Ward, John	16 00
Wallace, Luther E.	63 00	White, Barney	32 00
Worthen, Fred. S.	182 00	Welch, Patrick,	15 00
Webster, S. F.	182 00	Williams, Wm. P.	32 00
Wyman, Arnold	54 00	Wilson, Stephen M.	12 00
Webster, Joshua B.	64 00	Welpley, William	16 00
Wells, Clinton	57 00	Wall, William,	16 00
Weaver, James	160 00	Welch, John	8 00
Walker, David	8 00	Wallace, Silas R.	8 00
Wallace, Patrick	96 00		
Young, Morrill N.	126 00	Young, Charles E.	126 00

 \$61,451 00

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CEMETERIES.

To his Honor the Mayor and City Council of the City of Manchester :

The committee having in charge the "Valley" and "Pine Grove" Cemeteries beg leave to submit their annual report.

VALLEY CEMETERY.

During the past year the City Government have caused Pine Street at its crossing of the Cemetery brook to be widened, so as to form a side-walk of the usual width entirely across the valley at this point. Your Committee have built a substantial fence here, completely inclosing the Cemetery with a durable structure. Two iron gates have been erected at the foot entrances on Chestnut street, and wooden ones placed at the other foot walks, enabling the Superintendent of the Cemetery to exclude all persons from the grounds after sundown, or at such other times as may be deemed expedient.

A well has been sunk near the southwest part of the Cemetery for the accommodation of proprietors of lots in that vicinity.

Considerable attention has been paid to shaping and turfing the banks, where from the effects of rain and other causes, they presented an ill shaped and neglected appearance. In this way considerable improvement can still be made at a small outlay. The financial condition of the "Valley" is exhibited by the report of the Treasurer.

PINE GROVE CEMETERY.

The whole number of interments in this Cemetery to the 1st instant is 57. Four lots have been sold the past season, and the proceeds passed to the City Treasurer. Sev-

eral acres of land have been cleared of underbrush and objectionable trees, and such other improvements made as our limited means would allow. We believe the Pine Grove Cemetery is gradually receiving the favor of our citizens, and ere long will become an attractive resort for the living, as well as an appropriate resting place for the dead.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ELBRIDGE G. HAYNES,	}	COMMITTEE
WATERMAN SMITH,		
EDWARD R. WARREN,		
EPHRAIM S. PEABODY,		
D. J. DANIELS,		
S. N. BELL,		
NATHAN PARKER,		
H. C. MERRILL,		
E. W. HARRINGTON,		
THOMAS STACK,		
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		CEMETERIES.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Committee on the Valley Cemetery:

The Treasurer of the Committee on the Valley Cemetery makes the following report of receipts and expenditures for the year ending Jan. 1, 1863.

The funds of the Valley Cemetery Jan. 1, 1862, were:

Cash on hand,	- - - - -	620 22
Received for hay,	- - - - -	22 50
Wood,	- - - - -	40 00
Of J. B. Sawyer,	- - - - -	272 60
For Lots,	- - - - -	921 98
Interest,	- - - - -	43 57
		<hr/> \$1,920 87

EXPENDITURES.

The expenditures for the year have been as follows:

Paid T. P. Clough, labor, - - -	\$12 00
M. L. Perry, " - - -	1 00
Benj. Hutchinson, " - - -	1 00
William Doty, " - - -	24 21
Daniel W. Davis, gates, repairing fences, &c., - - - -	20 65
W. P. Stratton, repairing pump,	87
Benj. Stevens, labor, - - -	17 64
C. S. Annis, " - - - -	8 42
Hibbard Stevens, breaking roads,	31 25
Hibbard Stevens, team work, -	29 92
John Jacobs, painting gates, -	1 25
W. P. & T. H. Ford, iron gates,	28 00
John B. Clarke, printing, - - -	3 00
Hibbard Stevens, labor, - - -	130 83
William McPherson, sinking well,	23 00
D. W. Davis, building fence, - -	64 12
Hibbard Stevens, labor, - - -	71 17
Hibbard Stevens, team work, - -	51 90
James A. Weston, surveying, 1861,	11 50
James A. Weston, Treasurer, "	20 00
Balance in hands of Treasurer, 1,369 14	
	<hr/> \$1,920 87

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. WESTON,

TREAS. OF THE COM. ON THE VALLEY CEMETERY.

January 17, 1863.

We have examined the foregoing report and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WATERMAN SMITH,)	SUB-COMMITTEE ON THE VALLEY CEMETERY.
H. C. MERRILL,)	
NATHAN PARKER,)	

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, }
City of Manchester, Jan. 20, 1863. }

I hereby certify that I have examined the several items of receipts and expenditures embraced in the foregoing re-

port of the Treasurer of the Valley Cemetery and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOSEPH KNOWLTON, CITY AUDITOR.

Jan. 20, 1863. In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
Read and accepted.

JOSEPH KNOWLTON, CITY CLERK.

Jan. 20, 1863. In Board of Common Council,
Read by its title and accepted.

O. C. MOORE, CLERK.

RESERVED FUND.

By Appropriation, - - - - - \$6,632 44

EXPENDITURES.

Paid J. M. & E. R. Coburn for land on Hanover Street, - -	\$300 00
Transferred to Highway Dist. No. 2,	250 00
Paid C. F. Livingston, printing Library Catalogue, - - -	200 00
Transferred to School District No. 10,	250 00
“ “ Abatement of taxes, -	200 00
“ “ Highway District No. 5,	50 00
“ “ Highway District No. 6,	250 00
“ “ Highway District No. 7,	125 00
“ “ Highway District No. 10,	100 00
“ “ Highway District No. 11,	100 00
“ “ Highway District No. 12,	75 00
“ “ Reservoirs, - - -	200 00
“ “ Militia, - - -	75 00
“ “ Printing and stationery,	150 00
“ “ Watering streets, - -	11 00
“ “ Piscataquog Bridge,	3,000 00
Balance to new account, -	1,316 36
	<hr/> \$6,632 44

NOTES DUE THE CITY.

January 1, 1857, Henry G. Lowell and others, - - - - -	1,450 00	
Endorsement, - - - - -	337 91	
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April 1, 1857, Charles H. Brown, 2 notes, \$50 each, - - - - -		100 00
March 29, 1860, James Barrett, due in one year, - - - - -	250 00	
do. do. due in two years,	250 00	
do. do. due in three years,	250 00	
	<hr/>	750 00
Dec. 18, 1860, Jackson & Kimball, due in four months, - - - - -	260 00	
Endorsement, - - - - -	193 47	
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		\$2,028 62

CITY PROPERTY.

City Hall and Lot at Cost, - - -	\$35,815 00
City Farm and permanent improve- ments, - - - - -	17,980 00
Stock, Tools, Furniture and Provis- ions at City Farm, - - - - -	4,387 67
Engine Houses and Appropriations, as per Engineer's Report, - - -	31,525 22
Reservoirs at Cost, - - - - -	7,291 70
Hearses, Horses, Tomb and New Cem- etry at Cost, - - - - -	4,170 00
Court House Lot at Cost, - - -	9,514 56
Common Sewers at Cost, - - -	24,878 84
Safe, Furniture and Gas Fixtures	
City Hall, - - - - -	1,933 00
Street Lanterns, Posts, Pipes & Frames,	1,011 00
Cemetery, - - - - -	3,580 00
Water Works, - - - - -	1,500 00
Horses, Carts, Ploughs and Tools,	889 00
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	\$144,375 99

CITY SOLICITOR'S REPORT.

HILLSBOROUGH, SS. }
 City of Manchester. }

To the Hon. Board of Mayor and Aldermen and Common Council.

Report of the Solicitor for the year ending Dec. 31. 1862.

The City of Manchester has three actions upon the docket of the Supreme Judicial Court in said County, viz: Underhill vs. said City; Lahey vs. said City; and Dow vs. said City. All of which, are expected to be tried January Term, 1863.

Upon the session's docket there is one petition, viz; the petition of C. M. Hubbard and others for a new highway in said city. Said action has been referred to the County Commissioners, and no report has as yet been returned.

The Police records show the success that has attended that branch of the solicitor's business.

Many questions have arisen in other branches of the Government of the City, and have been attended to according to the request of the officers of said city.

The expense to said City for services under this branch of the Government, has been the sum of one hundred dollars.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. JOHNSON, Solicitor.

Manchester, Dec. 31, 1862.

Jan. 20, 1863. In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
 Read and accepted.

JOSEPH KNOWLTON, CITY CLERK.

Jan. 20, 1863. In Board of Common Council,
 Read and accepted,

O. C. MOORE, CLERK.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Manchester.

In compliance with the requirements of law the Overseers of the Poor of said City, herewith present their annual report.

Whole number of paupers assisted the past year, who had a settlement in the State, is 150, of which 104 have a settlement in this city, and 46 have a settlement in other towns in this State. There have died of the above number during the past year, 6, 4 belonging to this city, and 2 belonging to other towns in the State.

The greatest number of paupers at the City Almshouse during the past year, 36; average number, 17. There have been 2 deaths and 1 birth there during the year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

D. A. BUNTON, *Chairman.*

S. S. MOULTON,	}	OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.
JEREMIAH ABBOTT,		
GEO. O. CLARK,		
NAHUM BALDWIN,		
DENNIS CASSIDY,		
PATRICK SHEHAN,		

INVENTORY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AT CITY

ALMS-HOUSE, DEC. 25, 1862.

8 working oxen, - - - -	540 00
10 cows, - - - -	250 00
Three two-years old heifers, -	60 00
1 two-years old bull, - - -	20 00
1 calf, 7 months old, - - -	14 00
13 shoats, - - - -	125 00
20 tons No. 1 hay, - - -	300 00

Amount carried forward,	1,309 00
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Amount brought forward,	1,309 00
24 tons No. 2 hay, - - -	336 00
10 tons No. 3 hay, - - -	100 00
12 tons cornfodder and straw,	108 00
450 bushels corn, - - -	450 00
70 " wheat, - - -	140 00
36 " barley, - - -	45 00
12 " rye, - - -	12 00
75 " oats, - - -	45 00
16 " beans, - - -	48 00
3 " oil nuts, - - -	1 00
250 " potatoes, - - -	112 50
30 " beets, - - -	12 00
50 " carrots, - - -	25 00
1 " onions, - - -	1 00
2 " peas, - - -	2 00
2000 lbs salt pork, - - -	200 00
100 " " beef, - - -	6 00
12 barrels cider, - - -	24 00
3 " soap, - - -	9 00
1 " salt pickles, - - -	4 00
31 " apples, - - -	31 00
10 gals. molasses and cask, - -	5 00
50 lbs. sausage, - - -	6 00
480 " cheese, - - -	48 00
149 " butter, - - -	32 78
260 " lard, - - -	28 60
160 " fresh pork, - - -	11 20
50 " " beef, - - -	3 00
100 " soap grease - - -	6 00
1 " tobacco, - - -	75
200 " nails, - - -	6 00
77 " poultry, - - -	9 14
45 " sugar, - - -	5 85
200 " salt fish, - - -	9 00
380 " dried apples, - - -	19 00
28 " drills and wedges, - -	6 00
2 ox carts, - - -	100 00
3 ox sleds, - - -	45 00
Amount carried forward,	3,361 82

Amount brought forward,	3,361 82
1 hay wagon, - - - -	80 00
2 single wagons, - - - -	75 00
1 single sleigh, - - - -	15 00
2 buffalo robes, - - - -	5 00
1 single harness, - - - -	6 00
1 lead harness, - - - -	4 00
Curry combs, cards and brushes,	1 00
Bridle, halter and blankets, -	2 00
12 rakes, - - - -	2 00
11 hay forks, - - - -	5 00
6 sickles, - - - -	2 00
2 grain cradles, - - - -	4 00
15 Scythes, - - - -	5 00
10 scythe snathes, - - - -	5 00
1 cross cut saw, - - - -	5 00
1 string of bells, - - - -	1 25
1 corn sheller, - - - -	6 00
6 ox yokes and bows, - - - -	18 00
8 plows, - - - -	75 00
49 hens, - - - -	16 00
18 meal bags, - - - -	6 00
6 bushels ears pop corn, - - - -	6 00
2 " salt, - - - -	1 00
12 lbs. copperas, - - - -	50
6 baskets, - - - -	2 00
2 drags, - - - -	6 00
2 cultivators, - - - -	6 00
2 scalding tubs, - - - -	1 50
Rope and block, - - - -	3 00
Beetle and wedges, - - - -	1 00
Scales and steelyards, - - - -	14 00
1 winnowing mill, - - - -	8 00
1 hay cutter, - - - -	4 00
Tie bows and rings, - - - -	2 00
29 tie chains, - - - -	6 00
2 grind stones, - - - -	3 00
1 wheelbarrow, - - - -	2 50
1 hand sled, - - - -	1 00
Amount carried forward,	<u>3,767 57</u>

Amount brought forward,	3,767 57
5 wrenches, - - - -	1 50
3 mason trowels, - - - -	1 25
Oak timber, - - - -	10 00
Chest of tools, - - - -	15 00
2 wood saws, - - - -	1 00
2 traps, - - - -	50
1 shaving horse, - - - -	1 00
7 axes, - - - -	6 00
Vise and saw set, - - - -	2 50
5 ladders, - - - -	5 00
7 shovels, - - - -	5 00
2 spades, - - - -	1 00
6 manure forks, - - - -	3 00
5 bog hoes, - - - -	1 00
1 bush hook, - - - -	1 00
Cart spires, - - - -	8 00
2 harrows, - - - -	10 00
1000 ft. pine lumber, - - - -	10 00
12 chestnut posts, - - - -	1 50
2 gravel scrapers, - - - -	6 00
1 set measures, - - - -	1 00
Set of fetters, - - - -	7 00
Block and chains, - - - -	17 00
Hand-cuffs, - - - -	3 00
12 meat barrels, - - - -	6 00
17 cider " - - - -	17 00
40 lbs. candles, - - - -	5 00
Meat safe, - - - -	1 00
Cook and other stoves, - - - -	56 00
Iron furnace, - - - -	2 00
12 tables, - - - -	16 00
1 clock, - - - -	3 00
2 rocking chairs, - - - -	3 00
18 dining chairs, - - - -	4 50
18 common " - - - -	3 00
12 window curtains, - - - -	2 00
9 boxes, - - - -	75
6 looking glasses, - - - -	3 00
Amount carried forward,	4,008 07

Amount brought forward,	4,008 07
7 wash tubs, - - - - -	2 00
6 stone pots, - - - - -	4 00
20 earthen pots, - - - - -	2 00
10 pails, - - - - -	1 25
6 butter tubs, - - - - -	1 00
Milk cans and measures, - - - - -	50
5 milk pails, - - - - -	1 50
48 milk pans, - - - - -	6 00
6 sugar buckets, - - - - -	1 00
1 cream pot, - - - - -	75
2 cheese safes, - - - - -	5 00
1 pie cupboard, - - - - -	2 00
1 churn, - - - - -	5 00
Cheese press, - - - - -	3 00
Cheese tub, - - - - -	1 50
Cheese hoops, - - - - -	1 50
1 curd cutter, - - - - -	1 25
1 barrel flour, - - - - -	9 00
2 bushels corn and rye meal, - - - - -	2 00
20 gallons apple sauce and tub, - - - - -	6 00
Cheese tongs and basket, - - - - -	75
2 porcelain kettles, - - - - -	1 00
1 mixing trough, - - - - -	2 50
1 salt mortar, - - - - -	25
Coffee and tea pots, - - - - -	2 00
Caster, pepper box and salt dish, - - - - -	75
20 chambers and bed pans, - - - - -	3 00
Flatiron, shovel and tongs, - - - - -	2 50
Knives, forks, and spoons, - - - - -	7 00
Rolling pin and cake board, - - - - -	1 00
Dinner bell, - - - - -	75
4 light stands, - - - - -	2 00
Window brush, - - - - -	50
Clothes horses, - - - - -	2 00
1 Union cradle, - - - - -	1 50
1 bread trough, - - - - -	1 00
Wash benches and boards, - - - - -	1 50
25 towels, - - - - -	3 00

Amount carried forward, 4,097 32

Amount brought forward,	4,097 32
School and other books, - - -	3 00
New cloth on hand, - - - -	7 00
Table covers, - - - - -	2 50
Roller cloths, - - - - -	1 50
23 bedsteads and cords, - - -	23 00
Clothes lines and pins, - - -	1 00
Floor and other brushes, - - -	1 00
3 Russia iron bake pans, - - -	2 00
Butcher and carving knives, - - -	1 25
Tea tray and waiter, - - - -	1 50
8 jugs, - - - - -	1 00
3 dish pans, - - - - -	60
Knife tray and seive, - - - -	75
Flesh fork, - - - - -	25
Copper boiler, - - - - -	1 50
Candle sticks and snuffers, - - -	50
Candle molds, - - - - -	50
Lanterns and lamps, - - - - -	3 00
Dress table, - - - - -	50
Reel, swifts, and spinning wheel, -	1 00
2 chopping knives, - - - - -	25
1 bureau, - - - - -	3 00
2 chests of drawers, - - - - -	3 00
2 trunks, - - - - -	2 00
Dining set and other crockery ware,	15 00
Tin ware, - - - - -	6 00
Feather beds and bedding, - - -	120 00
2 hay racks, - - - - -	12 00
1 ton hard coal, - - - - -	10 00
6 bars soap, - - - - -	1 50
4 flails, - - - - -	1 00
4 muzzle baskets, - - - - -	75
Cops and pin, - - - - -	1 00
Thread, needles and yarn, - - -	4 00
20 bushels ashes, - - - - -	3 00
Meal chest, - - - - -	3 00
8 feed boxes, - - - - -	2 00
1 mixing box, - - - - -	1 50
Amount carried forward,	<u>4,339 67</u>

Amount brought forward,	4,339 67
Cask of lime, - - - - -	1 00
15 hoes, - - - - -	5 00
4 stone hammers, - - - - -	10 00
4 iron bars, - - - - -	4 00
2 picks, - - - - -	1 00
5 large chains, - - - - -	10 00
5 stake chains, - - - - -	2 50
1 whiffletree chain, - - - - -	50
The flag of our country, - - - - -	5 00
50 dry casks, - - - - -	6 00
4 gal. boiled cider, - - - - -	2 00
1 snow scraper, - - - - -	1 00
2 Grain cradles, - - - - -	4 06
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	4,391 73
Deduct error on first page, -	25
	<hr/> \$4,391 48

Jan. 20, 1863. In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
Read and accepted.

JOSEPH KNOWLTON, CITY CLERK.

Jan. 20, 1863. In Board of Common Council,
Read and accepted.

O. C. MOORE, CLERK.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CHIEF ENGINEER'S REPORT.

ENGINEERS' ROOM,
MANCHESTER, JAN. 31, 1863. }

*To His Honor, the Mayor,
and the City Council:*

The Annual Report of the Fire Department, which is required of the Chief Engineer, is herewith presented. As you will perceive, it covers the action of the Department for the past year, its present condition and its efficiency in every emergency which it has been required to meet. It embraces a list of the officers and members of each branch of the service, with their ages and residences; the location and condition of the several Houses, Machines and the Apparatus; a record of the reservoirs, cisterns and wells from which water may be drawn; an account of the fires within the past year, with the estimated amount of the various losses; and an appraisal of the property in the control of the Department.

The present force consists of a Chief Engineer with four assistants; three steam Engine Companies of 40 men; a Hose Company of 30 men, and a Hook and Ladder Company of 25 men,—making a force of only 95 men besides the Chief and his Staff of Assistants. This limited force, with the powerful aid of steam, does the required work more effectually than the seven hundred well organized and disciplined men of former years with hand machines, and at an economy that the tax-payer knows well how to appreciate.

The property belonging to the Department is now in good condition. The Engine Houses in actual use are three—

that on Vine street, arranged for the Fire King and the Amoskeag steamers, and the Hose Company—that at Piscataquog, on Main street, used for the E. W. Harrington steamer, and that on Manchester street appropriated to the use of the Hook and Ladder Company. These being in constant occupation are kept in proper repair. The house at Amoskeag, now unused except as a Ward Room, requires no expenditure for the present; that on Chestnut street is only used for the storage of the old hand machine, "A. C. Wallace," and until appropriated to some more active service will demand no appropriation for repairs. The upper room is occupied temporarily by the School Department for a primary school. The building is not now required by the Department and might be sold for a shop or tenement, or if the city should so determine, might be economically remodelled into a Ward Room for use of any ward now unprovided with proper rooms for holding ward meetings.

The machines and the entire fire apparatus are in excellent order, and are more valuable by a thousand dollars than at the commencement of the year covered by this report. A new and beautiful Hose Carriage has been added to the Department at a cost of \$535, and the hose has been increased by the addition of 750 feet, at an expense of about \$600.

A new Reservoir has been constructed on Clinton street in Ward 7, easy of access, with an abundant supply of water for any emergency. The reservoir on Pine street between Manchester and Merrimack streets, and that on Central street, at its junction with Pine, have been furnished with the means of a constant supply, by extending a cement pipe from the gate at the corner of Pine and Hanover streets through Pine street to Central.

During the year the Company at Amoskeag has been disbanded, and the machine, the old Merrimack, sold for the sum of \$125. There is now on hand and for sale the hand machine, formerly used in Ward 7, the "A. C. Wallace." It is housed on Chestnut street, and receives all proper care from the Chief Engineer. It is one of the best machines used by the city and an excellent one for any small town that may be in need.

The number of fires during the past year has not been so great as in many previous years, but several of them have been very destructive of property ; consequently the loss exceeds the average for several preceding years. There have been seven fires and six alarms, as follow :

1ST FIRE. On the 31st day of December, 1861, Mr. Curtis' Slaughter House in Piscataquog was burned. Loss \$300.

2D. May 19th, occurred the heavy fire extending from Hanover to Manchester streets. Loss \$15,000.

3D. June 2d was the fire an Elm street, contiguous to the Elm Street House.. Loss \$8,000.

4TH. June 5th, at 6 o'clock, P. M., the fire at Piscataquog was discovered, destroying the Steam Mill and Brewery of Messrs. Haines & Wallace. Loss \$12,000.

5TH. Aug. 29th, a fire occurred at Piscataquog, in the westerly part of the village, destroying the A. W. Dickey house. Loss \$1,000.

6TH. Sept. 17th, a slight fire on Central street, in stable. Loss trifling.

7TH. Nov. 1st, the buildings of George Porter, at Manchester Centre, were burned. Loss \$2,500.

ALARMS. On the 29th of February there were two alarms given, one from Amherst street, and the other from Merrimack. On the 11th of May an alarm was given in Ward 7. There were other alarms, on which the Department came out, on the 10th and the 16th of Sept. and on the 11th of November.

The expenses of the Department have not equalled the appropriation for the year. The sum appropriated was \$5,000 to which if we add an unexpended balance of last year, and the receipts for an engine sold, we shall have, according to the City Clerk's report, \$7,906.31. We have expended \$5,450.00, leaving on hand an unexpended balance of \$2,461.31. But in the bills paid by the Engineers this year, is one of \$1,703.44 contracted in 1859, and one of \$20 for rent of land for engine house, which should be paid by the city from the incidental appropriation. Then there is charged one half of the expense of keeping five horses when only four have been used by the Department, making an additional sum of \$125.00.

The expenditures of the Department are presented as follows :

Appropriations and receipts, - -	\$7,906 31
Expended by our order, - - - -	4,226 56
Old bills, 1859, - - - -	1,073 44
Keeping of fifth horse not used by us,	125 00
Rent of land, - - - -	20 00
	<hr/> \$5,445 00

Leaving a balance carried to new account, \$2,461 31

The present condition of the Department is of such a satisfactory character as to need but few improvements for the year to come. The machines and all the apparatus for extinguishing fires are adequate to the present wants of the city. If an additional reservoir could be constructed in the north-east section of the city near the corner of Pine and Prospect streets, it would add to the security of property in the vicinity. A cement pipe could easily be laid to conduct the surplus water from the Company's Reservoir and afford an abundant supply for the purpose of extinguishing fires in that locality.

It may not be out of place here to suggest, that the Police could aid the Department more effectually than they generally do, by exercising their authority at fires, making passage ways among the crowd or holding the people in restraint, when in their anxiety they press in the way of the firemen. It is not legitimately within the sphere of their duty, but when their efforts are required for the public advantage, they will not be likely to complain if called upon for such extra service.

In many cities there are Relief Associations for a two-fold purpose, managed by trustees chosen by the Department and co-operating with it for the benefit of such persons as may become disabled or injured while engaged in the service, and also for the purpose of receiving contributions from the public and appropriating them to aid citizens who have suffered losses by fire. These are both commendable objects, and if the examples of other cities should be followed by us, there can be no doubt but that a beneficial result would follow it.

In the following pages will be found a catalogue of the Department, with schedules and appraisals of property.

BOARD OF ENGINEERS.

CHIEF.

DANIEL W. FLING.

ASSISTANTS.

CHAS. H. G. FOSS, *Clerk.* E. W. HARRINGTON,
ISRAEL DOW, N. S. BEAN.

COMPANY ORGANIZATIONS,

AND SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY APPROPRIATED TO EACH COMPANY.

AMOSKEAG STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY,
No. 1.

HOUSE ON VINE STREET.

OFFICERS.

J. C. RICKER, *Foreman.*
SIDNEY SMITH, *Assistant.*
A. A. BALCH, *Clerk.*
J. C. RICKER, *Treasurer.*

MEMBERS.

Names.	Ages.	Residences.
J. C. Ricker,	44	9 Prospect St.
Sidney Smith,	39	138 South Chestnut St.
Henry Foster,	42	8 Machine Shop Corp.
Henry Whritner,	40	27 " " "
John G. Durant,	38	19 " " "
E. B. Edwards,	37	119 Amoskeag Corp.
N. B. Bickford,	30	57 Machine Shop Corp.
A. A. Balch,	34	Parsons' Block, Elm St.
Geo. T. Demary,	27	6 Amoskeag Corp.

Horace Nichols,	31	5	Machine Shop Corp.
Samuel S. Young,	30	9	Merrimack St.
Simon E. Furlong,	29	2	Machine Shop. Corp.
Orin E. Kimball,	28	184	Manchester St.
S. J. Patten,	28		High St.

VOLUNTEERS.

James Finley,	21	2	Machine Shop Corp.
Erastus Cutting,	28	119	Pine St.
Henry Gardner,	20	2	Machine Shop Corp.
John Caswell,	18	2	“ “ “

HONORARY MEMBERS.

N. S. Bean,	H. Campbell,
F. Higgins,	C. P. Clement,
H. Huse,	Joseph Foss,
H. B. Pierce,	Chas. Durgin,
Fred. G. Roby,	Thos. Bond.
A. Hollis,	

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY.

Steamer, - - - - -	\$3,000 00
Hose carriage, - - - - -	250 00
500 feet rubber hose, - - - - -	500 00
1150 feet other hose, - - - - -	900 00
5 rubber suits, - - - - -	25 00
14 woolen jackets, - - - - -	122 50
6 torches, - - - - -	20 00
2 branch hose pipes, - - - - -	24 00
1 “ “ with gate,	15 00
2 copper branches, - - - - -	14 00
2 blunderbusses, - - - - -	20 00
6 shoulder straps, belts and spanners,	20 00
3 stoves and pipe, - - - - -	40 00
Furniture in hall, - - - - -	30 00
1 bed complete, - - - - -	35 00
4 tons Scotch coal, - - - - -	44 00
3 tons hard coal, - - - - -	30 00
4 cords soft wood, - - - - -	18 00
1 gallon oil, - - - - -	1 50

Amount carried forward, 5,109 00

Amount brought forward,	5,109 00
1 gallon spirits - - - -	2 50
2 gallons sts. oil, - - - -	1 75
2 quarts fluid, - - - -	40
6 lanterns, - - - -	15 00
5 oil and fluid cans, - - - -	7 50
1 cistern and pipe, - - - -	
70 feet small rubber hose, -	14 00
1 table, - - - -	5 00
1 curtain, - - - -	2 25
2 axes, - - - -	3 00
1 bench vise, - - - -	2 50
1 slide wrench, - - - -	1 00
1 hammer, wrenches, &c. - - -	2 50
2 Jack screws, - - - -	5 00
2 pair blankets, - - - -	13 00
1 pair harnesses, - - - -	45 00
14 badges, - - - -	12 00
1 iron bar, - - - -	83
1 pump and pipe, - - - -	7 00
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FIRE KING STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY,
No. 2.

HOUSE ON VINE STREET.

OFFICERS.

JAMES PHERSON, *Foreman.*

D. T. COLLINS, *Assistant.*

MOSES O. PEARSON, *Clerk and Treas.*

MEMBERS.

Names.	Ages.	Residences.
J. F. Pherson,	32	44 Stark Corp.
D. T. Collins,	25	1 Amherst Street.
H. R. Demary,	25	82 Central, cor. Pine St.
J. S. Bacheller,	37	36 Machine Shop.
D. W. Morse,	26	67 Amherst Street.
M. O. Pearson,	38	21 Stark Corp.

J. A. Weeks,	30	Steamer house, Vine st.
B. T. Rust,	31	66 Park st.
A. M. Keniston,	38	44 Stark Corp.
F. H. Eaton	21	9 Chestnut st.
S. P. Duntley,	38	7 Machine Shop.
E. Chandler,	35	15 " "
W. E. Demary,	21	81 Central st.
S. Thompson,	29	29 Stark Corp.

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY.

Steamer, - - - -	\$3,000 00
Hose carriage, - - - -	250 00
450 feet rubber hose, - - - -	445 00
900 feet other hose, - - - -	675 00
14 rubber suits, - - - -	105 00
12 woolen jackets - - - -	48 00
7 torches, - - - -	20 00
2 blunderbusses, - - - -	24 00
2 lanterns, - - - -	5 00
2 lanterns, - - - -	2 00
Shoulder straps, belts and spanners,	40 00
2 jack screws, - - - -	5 00
2 copper branches, - - - -	14 00
1 " " with gate, - - - -	15 00
3 stoves and pipe, - - - -	50 00
1 sheet iron pan, - - - -	5 00
12 badges, - - - -	12 75
2 two gallon oil cans, 1 one gal. do.	4 50
1 pair harnesses, - - - -	50 00
4 pairs blankets, - - - -	6 00
Furniture and fixtures in hall, -	50 00
1 bed, complete,* - - - -	25 00
4 tons Scotch coal, - - - -	44 00
3 tons hard coal, - - - -	30 00
4 cords soft wood, - - - -	18 00
1 gallon spirits, - - - -	2 50
1 bench and vise, - - - -	5 00
1 slide wrench, - - - -	1 00
1 hammer, - - - -	83

Amount carried forward,	4,952 58
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Amount brought forward,	4,952 58
1 rotary pump, - - - -	15 00
1 clock, - - - - -	8 00
1 iron bar, - - - - -	83
2 shovels, - - - - -	1 50
2 axes, - - - - -	3 00
	<hr/> \$4,980 91

THE E. W. HARRINGTON STEAM FIRE ENGINE
COMPANY, NO. 3.

HOUSE ON MAIN ST., PISCATAQUOG.

OFFICERS.

JOHN PATTERSON, *Foreman.*

JAMES W. PRESTON, *Assistant.*

HORATIO FRADD, *Clerk and Treas.*

MEMBERS.

Names.	Ages.	Residences.
J. Patterson,	31	Main Street.
J. W. Preston,	39	Pleasant Street.
A. Waldron,	40	Amoskeag Corporation.
A. D. Hatch,	42	Granite Street.
H. Fradd,	31	Pleasant Street.
A. C. Wallace,	42	Granite Street.
H. H. Noyes,	35	Bedford Road.
S. C. Holt,	35	Clinton Street.
F. G. Wyman,	36	Summer Street.
L. C. Truell,	35	Mast Landing.
C. F. Truell,	23	Bedford Road.
W. Green,	38	Mast Road.

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY.

Steamer, - - - - -	\$2,750 00
Hose Carriage, - - - - -	150 00
200 feet rubber hose, - - - - -	200 00
900 feet common hose, - - - - -	675 00
12 hosemen's suits, rubber, - - - - -	60 00
4 torches, - - - - -	8 00
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Amount carried forward,	3,843 00

Amount brought forward,	3,843 00
1 stove, - - - - -	18 00
1 branch, with gate, - - - - -	15 00
2 jack-screws, - - - - -	5 00
1 vise and bench, - - - - -	5 00
1 signal lantern, - - - - -	15 00
6 settees, - - - - -	20 00
7 office chairs, - - - - -	8 00
1 chandelier, - - - - -	10 00
1 pair harnesses, - - - - -	40 00
1 pair blankets, - - - - -	6 00
1 sheet iron pan, - - - - -	5 00
1 table, - - - - -	5 00
1 rotary pump, - - - - -	15 00
4 tons Scotch coal, - - - - -	44 00
2 tons hard coal, - - - - -	20 00
1 lantern, - - - - -	2 00
2 blunderbusses, - - - - -	15 00
8 spanner belts and spanners, - -	8 00
1 shovel, - - - - -	83
1 iron bar, - - - - -	1 00
12 woolen jackets, - - - - -	105 00
1 oil can, - - - - -	2 00
2 galls. sperm oil, - - - - -	4 00
3 wash dishes, - - - - -	1 50
1 tackle and fall, - - - - -	5 00
1 coal hod, - - - - -	1 00
3 trumpets, - - - - -	6 00
3 galls neats oil, - - - - -	4 50
18 feet small rubber hose, - - -	3 50

\$4,253 33

PENNACOOK HOSE COMPANY NO. 1.

HOUSE ON VINE STREET.

OFFICERS.

C. R. COLLEY, *Foreman.*
 A. J. WOODBURY, *Assistant.*
 J. E. WALKER, *Clerk.*
 DAVID THAYER, *Treasurer.*

MEMBERS.

Names.	Ages.	Residences.
C. R. Colley,	36	Upper end Manchester St.
A. J. Woodbury,	29	79 Laurel Street.
J. E. Walker,	33	12 Orange “
J. D. Howard,	32	77 Amherst “
Walter Neal,	37	58 Merrimack “
David Thayer,	43	50 Walnut “
J. G. Knight,	36	48 Bridge “
George Holbrook,	32	84 Merrimack “
W. H. Gilmore,	33	84 “ “
Benjamin Spofford,	36	Upper end Hanover St.
S. B. Hope,	35	29 Concord, Street,
J. H. Fullerton,	26	25 Manchester Corp.
E. M. Holmes,	40	141 Pine Street
G. H. Gerry,	29	24 Birch “
E. H. Wells,	29	1 Merrimack “
Russell Bryant,	35	65 Pine “
I. W. Pennock,	30	10 Union Building.
A. H. Merrill,	30	42 Manchester Street,
G. S. Holmes,	36	Upper end Hanover St.
G. A. Ames,	24	53 Water Street,
A. J. Butterfield,	48	Upper end Manchester St.
A. I. Pollard,	33	42 Manchester Street,
M. A. Flint,	26	1 Print Works Corp.
Ezra Huntington,	34	26 “ “ “
G. W. Johnson,	33	12 Pine Street.
B. W. Robinson,	38	187 Hanover “
J. N. Emerson,	27	28 Birch “
Leonard Shelters,	25	Chestnut “
G. W. Gardner,	31	75 Merrimack “
Albert Maxfield,	21	25 Stark Corporation.

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY.

1 hose carriage, - - -	\$370 00
2,850 feet hose, - - - -	2,100 00
6 hosemen's suits, - - - -	30 00
9 woolen jackets, - - - -	38 25
8 pair rubber overalls, - - - -	16 00
2 rubber jackets, - - - -	10 00
4 torches, - - - -	8 00
10 spanners and belts, - - - -	10 00
12 spanners, - - - -	4 00
2 stoves and pipe, - - - -	22 00
20 badges, - - - -	20 00
1 signal lantern, - - - -	12 00
3 trumpets, - - - -	9 00
1 hose washer and fixtures, - - - -	40 00
2 axes, - - - -	3 00
2 slide wrenches, - - - -	2 00
18 patches, - - - -	8 00
1 jack, - - - -	1 00
1 shovel, - - - -	83
1 four gallon can, - - - -	2 00
1 hammer, - - - -	1 00
1 blunderbuss, - - - -	12 00
1 breast-plate, - - - -	3 00
25 chairs, new, - - - -	36 00
14 chairs, - - - -	6 50
1 table, - - - -	5 00
1 looking-glass, - - - -	8 00
1 chandelier, - - - -	8 00
	<hr/> \$2,785 58

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, NO. 1.

HOUSE ON MANCHESTER STREET.

OFFICERS.

DAVID H. YOUNG, *Foreman.*
 GEORGE H. DUDLEY, *Assistant.*
 JOHN L. BRADFORD, *Clerk and Treas.*

MEMBERS.

Names.	Ages.	Residences.	Street.
David H. Young,	29	80 Bridge	Street.
George H. Dudley,	32	97 Laurel	"
John L. Bradford,	42	45 Bridge	"
C. E. Clough,	27	80 "	"
M. E. George,	55	167 Manchester	"
H. W. Savory,	54	121 Central	"
M. L. Hunkins,	50	52 Orange	"
Moulton Knowles,	51	97 Union	"
J. N. Heath,	36	36 Manchester	"
H. L. Drew,	45	89 Hanover	"
J. R. Paige,	50	21 Orange	"
John H. Maynard,	57	Manchester	"
H. Chase,	56	18 Print Works Corp.	
Chas. Canfield,	42	18 Amoskeag	"
F. S. Lynch,	34	135 Hanover	Street.
F. A. Senter,	37	39 Pine	"
T. E. Dudley,	35	59 "	"
E. G. Haines,	47	Laurel	"
W. Crescey,	44	60 Park	"
F. D. Chase,	23	29 Print Works Corp.	
C. D. Rowell,	29	52 Merrimack	Street.
John K. Wilson,	25	21 Bridge	"
George W. Taylor,	44	39 Amoskeag Corp.	
A. J. Dickey,	34	15 "	"
J. B. Moore.			

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY.

Carriage, - - - - -	\$150 00
525 feet ladders, - - - - -	125 00
4 large and 3 small hooks, - - - - -	40 00
1 rope, - - - - -	20 00
3 chairs, - - - - -	75
45 badges, - - - - -	9 00
1 signal lantern, - - - - -	10 00
4 torches, 1 trumpet, - - - - -	9 00
4 axes, shovel and bar, - - - - -	5 00
2 hay forks, 2 buckets, - - - - -	6 00
1 Sign, - - - - -	12 00
1 jack, - - - - -	2 00
$\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood, - - - - -	2 00
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	\$390 75

MERRIMACK HAND ENGINE COMPANY.

(Company disbanded, July, 1862.)

HOUSE, AMOSKEAG VILLAGE.

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY.

5 hosemen's suits, - - - - -	\$12 50
1 signal lantern, - - - - -	5 00
4 torches, - - - - -	8 00
2 trumpets, - - - - -	6 00
1 copper pump, - - - - -	3 50
5 settees, - - - - -	13 00
3 office chairs, - - - - -	3 00
1 lantern, - - - - -	1 00
1 slide wrench, - - - - -	1 00
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	\$53 00

APPRAISAL OF REAL ESTATE BELONGING TO THE DEPARTMENT.

House and land on Vine street,	\$7,720 47
House at Piscataquog,	625 00
House at Amoskeag,	300 00
House and land on Manchester st.	950 00
House and land on Chestnut st.	1,100 00
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	\$10,695 47

APPRAISAL OF MISCELLANEOUS APPARATUS, &C.

18 settees, - - - - -	\$18 00
2 office chairs, - - - - -	2 00
5 common chairs, - - - - -	1 75
1 desk, - - - - -	1 50
2 stoves and pipe, - - - - -	5 00
Engine No. 7, - - - - -	900 00
Gas fixtures, - - - - -	5 00
Copper pump, - - - - -	3 00
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	\$936 25

PROPERTY IN ENGINEERS' ROOM.

5 rubber coats, - - - - -	\$25 00
7 engineer's hats, - - - - -	39 00
7 badges, - - - - -	3 50
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	\$67 50

CONDITION OF STOVES, FURNACES, &C.

RECAPITULATION OF COMPANIES.

Steamer Amoskeag, - - - - -	\$5,249 23
Steamer Fire King, - - - - -	4,980 91
Steamer E. W. Harrington, - - - - -	4,253 33
Pennacook Hose Company, - - - - -	2,785 58
Hook and Ladder, - - - - -	390 75
Real estate, - - - - -	10,645 47
Miscellaneous, - - - - -	936 25
In Engineers' room, - - - - -	67 50
The old Merrimack Co., - - - - -	53 00
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	\$29,362 02

Stoves in good condition, - - - - -	4837
Stoves in bad condition, - - - - -	261
Furnaces, - - - - -	56
Fireplaces, - - - - -	27
Cooking ranges, - - - - -	14
Blacksmith forges, - - - - -	23
Stationary engines, - - - - -	7

CISTERNS AND RESERVOIRS, June 21, 1862.

No.	Location.	Distance	Depth of		Sand.	Open-ings.	Feed Gates.	
		to water.	Water.					
		Ft.	In.	Ft.	In.			
1	Elm Street, at City Hall,	8	2	5	2	6	1	Cor. Hanover & Chest. Sts.
2	Elm Street, near Smyth's Block,	{ N. 5		5	10			Concord sq.
		{ S. 5	2	6	10	17	2	
3	Gate, Elm-street House,	1		3		None.	1	
4	Cor. Chestnut and Hanover Sts.,	1	4	2	6	None.	1	Feeds No. 1.
5	Mitchell's, on Manchester St.,	{ N. 8		4		10		Worthless.
		{ S. 8	4	5	8	3	2	
6	McQueston's on Merrimack St.,							
7	Pine Street, betw'n Manchester and Merrimack Streets,	4	10	5	11	8	1	Han. and Pine Streets.
8	Junction Hanover and Pine Sts.,	8	13	9		8	1	
9	Gate, June. Hanover & Pine Sts.,	5	6	2	6	5	1	Feeds No. 6.
10	Junction Pine and Central Sts.,	{ N. 6	1	6	11			
		{ S. 6		6	9	7	2	
11	Junction Elm and Myrtle Sts.,	{ N. 3	5	7				
		{ S. 3	2	7	8	None.	2	
12	Lowell Street, at School House.	8	2	5	7	4	1	
13	Lowell Street, near Nashua,	7	5	5	1	None.	1	
14	Amherst and Chester Streets,	1	10	7		None.	1	
15	June. Chestnut & Amherst Sts.,	2	10	3	8	None.	1	Gate.
16	Centre of Tremont Square,	5	8	5	8	3	1	
17	Bridge Street, head of Birch,	{ N. 6		5	10	15		
		{ S. 6		6	8	16	2	
18	June. Chestnut and Orange Sts.,	6	5	4	5	20	1	
19	Hanover Street, (Head.)	5	3	3	3	None.	1	
20	Steam Mill, Jancsville,	Level.		2	6	None.	Good.	
21	June. Beech and Laurel Streets,	5	7	6	1	None.	1	
22	June. Walnut and Amherst Sts.,	8	3	2	5	None.	1	
23	June. Chestnut & Harrison Sts.,	2	3	7	6	3	1	
24	Post Office, Hanover Street,					None.	1	Gate feeds Nos. 1 and 5.
25	Baker ville,	14	6	4	8	None.	1	
26	'Squog, Granite Street, near Walker & Holmes',	6	4	6	2	20	1	
27	'Squog, corner Walnut Street,	1	8	7		None.	1	
28	'Squog, near Steam Mill, 'Squog River,			Good.		None.		
29	'Squog, Granite Street,	6	6	5		None.	1	
30	'Squog, Amherst Street, near Bowman Place,	{ N. 12		7	4			
		{ S. 12		7	4	None.	2	
31	'Skeag, Penstock, n. Batting Mill,			Good.			Good.	
32	'Squog, Clinton St.							

In closing this Report the Chief Engineer takes pleasure in bearing testimony to the cordial and constant co-operation of his Assistants in the Board of Engineers, and to the promptness and energy which the entire Department have manifested during the year. There has been perfect harmony in every branch of the service, and an entire devotion to the interests of the public, which it is hoped will ever characterize the firemen of Manchester.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL W. FLING,
CHIEF ENGINEER.

Feb. 3, 1863. In Board of Mayor and Aldermen,
Read and accepted.

JOSEPH KNOWLTON, CITY CLERK.

Feb. 3, 1863. In Board of Common Council,
Read and accepted, in concurrence.

O. C. MOORE, CLERK.

THE

SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE,

OF THE

CITY OF MANCHESTER,

FOR THE YEAR

1862.

CITY OF MANCHESTER.

IN SCHOOL COMMITTEE, }
Jan. 5, 1863. }

A Special Committee presented the accompanying Annual Report, which was adopted by the Committee and ordered to be presented to the City Council.

JAMES B. STRAW, CLERK.

IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, }
Jan. 5, 1863. }

The Annual Report of the School Committee was read, accepted and ordered to be printed in connection with the Annual City Reports.

JOSEPH KNOWLTON, CITY CLERK.

IN COMMON COUNCIL. }
Jan. 5, 1863. }

The Report of the School Committee, sent down from Board of Mayor and Aldermen, was read, accepted and ordered to be printed, in concurrence.

O. C. MOORE, CLERK.

R E P O R T .

*To His Honor, the Mayor,
and the City Council:*

In preparing our Annual Report for the year just gone by, we have adopted the record of our official proceedings as the true index of our public acts. They mark our course, and show how we have walked the beaten path of our predecessors, or how diverged from established ways and struck out new passages across the field of our labors.

We have had but one great object in view, and have so directed our efforts as most prudently and successfully to accomplish it. It has been our sole aim to elevate the character of our public schools,—to employ the best teachers and adopt the most valuable text books,—and to throw around the school room such attractions and restraints as would on the one hand allure our children to its duties, and on the other guard them from the evil influences which they must daily meet, when removed from the protection of the home circle.

This we have endeavored to do by a judicious expenditure of the money placed at our disposal, by harmony of action in our united capacity, a cordial co-operation with teachers in their legitimate labors, encouraging and stimulating the pupils to a higher standard of moral and intellectual excellence, and by constant and unsparing efforts, to impress the public with the importance of manifesting a permanent and controlling interest in the education of the young.

We have not accomplished all that the cause demands. We are not wholly devoted to it, nor are we more than many others willing to appropriate time and patience and effort such as the work requires. Whatever we have accomplished is but the beginning of that yet to be done.

Every grade of our public schools invites new labor—more direct and earnest instruction, broader views of subjects daily considered, and the exercise of more active thought on the part of the pupil.

Our schools are too large—the labors of a teacher are too minutely subdivided in order that each pupil may receive a share of attention. The consequence is superficial instruction—the partial teaching of great principles—the inculcation of half-truths, and “Half-truths are whole errors.”

A greater amount of apparatus, of maps, books of reference, and in some localities better school rooms and other educational facilities should be provided.

The instruction should embrace the awakening of thought, and not consist wholly of an array of words and expressions. These ideas should be communicated not as theories, abstractions or speculations, but as living principles which may be made practical in business, in literature, in science and in art.

There is need of moral culture—of a higher degree of social refinement—of a general elevation of the pupil in all that pertains to him as an immortal being and in all that will give him the highest, noblest preparation for usefulness in the future.

A part of this work can be performed in this age and by us. We are commissioned with its execution only in part, and in that direction have we labored in the relation which we hold to our public schools.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Our journal, as well as the Treasurer's report, shows the amount of the expenditures of the Department for the year, and the specific items for which disbursements have been made. We present a condensed statement of the finances in this connection, and invite attention to the Treasurer's account, accompanying our Report, for the details.

On the first Tuesday in January, 1862, the amount of funds in the Treasury of the School Department was \$1,041.39, of which \$269.07 belonged to District Appropriation in No. 2, leaving only \$772.32 of school money in all the Districts to be carried to the new account. The year previous the unexpended balance was \$1,696.48, and the year preceding that, the balance remaining in the hands of the Treasurer at the expiration of the year was \$3,578.28. It will be seen that the unexpended balances have been diminishing year by year until at the commencement of 1862 but a small sum was found to our credit on the Treasurer's books. The appropriation was originally the same for the past financial year as for the year previous, but subsequently it was increased by the appropriation of \$250 to meet a deficiency in District No. 10. The entire amount of funds at our disposal for the current year was \$18,222.32—being \$474.16 less than was allowed us for 1861, and nearly \$3,000.00 less than the amount for 1860.

Such being the case the committee were compelled to reduce their expenditures in a corresponding degree. They have accordingly curtailed their expenses in every department wherever they could do so without direct injury to the interests of the schools. The greatest retrenchment, and that which made the only perceptible difference in the

expenditures, was in the reduction of teachers' salaries. These were reduced from ten to twenty per cent., with the expectation that in most cases it would be only a temporary arrangement.

The accompanying Resolution was adopted by the Board at the time the reduction was made :

Resolved, That the state of business in our city and the diminished incomes of a majority of our citizens render it necessary, in our opinion, to reduce temporarily the salaries of the Teachers ; but at the same time we trust that returning prosperity will soon enable us to pay the salaries that have been so well earned in the past.

The accompanying TABLE shows the condition of the Treasury at the commencement of the year, the new appropriation, and the amount of funds at the disposal of the Committee during the year :

Dist's	In Treasury, Jan. 1, 1862.	New Appropriation.	Amount.
1	\$1 95	\$240 00	\$241 95
2	485 27	13,850 00	14,335 27
3	62 70	275 00	337 70
4	34 23	230 00	264 23
5	61 40	200 00	261 40
6	12 79	245 00	257 79
7	81 76	225 00	306 76
8	49 81	220 00	269 81
9	3 43	240 00	243 43
10	overdraft, 65 12	1,225 00	1,159 88
11	44 10	500 00	544 10
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	\$837 44	\$17,450 00	\$18,222 32
Deduct,	65 12		
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	\$772 32		

In this statement is not included the District appropriation in No. 2, of which there was an unexpended balance of \$269,07 ; \$129,41 on repairs, \$77,46 repairs of Park St. house, and \$32,20 on payment of debt. The District money drawn by committees during the year was \$2,683,00.

DISTRICT EXPENDITURES.

We present below in a classified manner the expenditures for the several Districts.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

Amount of Funds, - - - - -	\$241 95
Expended for teaching, - - - - -	211 99
Fuel, - - - - -	11 50
Repairs and incidentals, - - - - -	12 38
	\$235 87
In Treasury Jan. 1, 1863, - - - - -	\$6 08

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Amount of funds, - - - - -	\$14,335 27
Expended for teaching, - - - - -	11,242 18
Repairs, - - - - -	518 60
Fuel, - - - - -	1,097 47
Care of rooms, - - - - -	148 40
Furniture and supplies, - - - - -	109 09
Books and stationery, - - - - -	221 71
Incidentals, - - - - -	205 36
	\$13,542 81
In Treasury, Jan. 1, - - - - -	\$792 46

In addition there have been in this District expenditures on Park street and other school

houses, amounting to, - - - - -	\$401 31
Insurance paid, - - - - -	192 00
Debt and interest paid, - - - - -	1,407 88
	\$2,001 19

For which appropriations were made by District vote.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Amount of funds, - - - - -	-	-	\$337 70
Expended for teaching, - - - -	286	32	
Repairs, fuel, &c., - - - -	23	50	
			<u>\$309 82</u>
In Treasury, Jan. 1, - - - - -	-	-	\$27 88

DISTRICT NO. 4.

Amount of funds, - - - - -	-	-	\$264 23
Expended for teaching, - - - -	238	37	
Repairs, Incidentals, &c., -	12	84	
			<u>\$251 21</u>
In Treasury, Jan. 1, - - - - -	-	-	\$13 02

DISTRICT NO. 5.

Amount of funds, - - - - -	-	-	\$261 40
Expended for teaching, - - - -	211	99	
Repairs, Incidentals, &c., -	12	29	
			<u>\$224 28</u>
In Treasury, Jan. 1, - - - - -	-	-	\$37 12

DISTRICT NO. 6.

Amount of funds, - - - - -	-	-	\$257 79
Expended for teaching, - - - -	204	24	
Fuel, - - - - -	14	00	
Repairs, incidentals, &c., - -	16	41	
			<u>\$234 65</u>
In Treasury, Jan. 1, - - - - -	-	-	\$23 14

DISTRICT NO. 7.

Amount of funds, - - - - -		\$306 76
Expended for teaching, - - - -	250 00	
Repairs, incidentals, &c., - - -	26 48	
Error last year, - - - - -	2 00	
	<u> </u>	\$278 48
In Treasury, Jan. 1, - - - - -		<u>28 28</u>

DISTRICT NO. 8.

Amount of funds, - - - - -		\$269 81
Expended for teaching, - - - -	219 49	
For fuel, two years, - - - - -	29 33	
Repairs, incidentals, &c., - - -	16 28	
	<u> </u>	\$265 10
In Treasury, Jan. 1, - - - - -		<u>\$4 71</u>

DISTRICT NO. 9.

Amount of funds, - - - - -		\$243 43
Expended for teaching, - - - -	202 99	
For fuel, - - - - -	15 00	
Repairs, incidentals, &c., - - -	11 90	
	<u> </u>	\$229 89
In Treasury, Jan. 1, - - - - -		<u>\$13 54</u>

DISTRICT NO. 10.

Amount of funds, - - - - -		\$1,159 88
Expended for teaching, - - - -	1,049 13	
For fuel, - - - - -	76 63	
Repairs, - - - - -	73 53	
Insurance, - - - - -	31 00	
Incidentals, - - - - -	10 16	
	<u> </u>	\$1,240 45
Overdrawn, - - - - -		<u>\$80 57</u>

DISTRICT NO. 11.

Amount of funds, - - - - -	\$544 10
Expended for teaching, - - - - -	494 78
For fuel, - - - - -	32 50
Maps, - - - - -	12 00
Repairs, incidentals, &c., - - - - -	12 87
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	\$552 15
Overdrawn, - - - - -	<hr/>
	\$8 05

SCHOOL HOUSES AND REPAIRS.

The erection of school houses is not in the control of School Committees, unless they are authorized by District vote and furnished with the requisite appropriations by District authority. It matters not how pressing may be the demand, how inconvenient and limited the school room, or how illy-ventilated and how uncomfortable it may be, it must be endured until the legal voters of the District are not only convinced of the importance of new buildings or essential modifications, but until a majority of them have no quarrels with their neighbors, no prejudices against modes of instruction, no narrow views of what should be taught and of the manner in which children should be governed.

In our city, which above most cities of New England is distinguished for excellent schools, which has given to our

colleges and to the professions superior scholars, which has furnished teachers of such merit as to attract attention and command liberal salaries in other localities, we are sadly deficient in school buildings.

Our High School demands, without delay, a new house. There is an imperative necessity, if we would sustain a school of that grade, that we erect during the ensuing season a building suitable for its accommodation. The present room is about fifty feet long by thirty wide, with low posts, small windows, and very inadequate means of ventilation. The recitation rooms, besides being located on the lower floor, making it necessary for the pupils to go up and down stairs at every recitation, are quite too limited for their purpose. The stair-ways are narrow and irregular in shape and the entries too contracted even for a primary school with half the number of pupils. The entire number of seats is one hundred and eight, and many of these are too small for pupils of the ages that should be admitted to such a school. The desks are all of the oldest style within the remembrance of the present generation and each one is designed to afford accommodations for six pupils. There is no apparatus room, no hall or lecture room and no dress room or closets in the building. The apartments are warmed by stoves, and the construction of the main room is such as to allow the location of the heating apparatus only at one end, which must necessarily heat that part of the room to a most uncomfortable degree, while the opposite side is so cold as to forbid all physical comfort to the occupants.

The number of pupils registered the present term is 164, or 56 more than can be furnished with desks. Chairs are placed in every available section of the room, along the aisles, upon the platform and in front of it, and wherever a place can be found unoccupied. At the opening of

the present term more than twenty pupils were refused admission, though as well qualified to enter as many who were received, for the reason that they could not be accommodated in the house. We have taken possession of one room in the building which had been occupied by a primary school, and which is now needed for the accommodation of a school of that grade taught in the Engine Hall on Chestnut street.

If the argument is urged, as it has frequently been done, that children should not be advanced so rapidly, we answer with equal propriety, that so large a number should not be born. Our grammar schools have no spare seats, our middle grade none, and during the entire year, except the coldest period of winter the primary schools have a much larger number of pupils than one teacher should be required to instruct.

We need a house sufficiently large for two hundred and fifty pupils, so arranged that the entire school can be accommodated upon the same floor, with recitation, study, and lecture rooms contiguous to each other. The District,—or rather the City,—should select a large lot in the easterly part of the city proper, and erect a house for this school the coming season. It should be done for the advancement of the pupils intellectually. It should be done for the moral influence it will have upon them. It should be done as an act of sanitary reform, to save the pupils in that school from the ill effects of a small, illy-ventilated and uncomfortable school room.

The Committee foresee the objections—or rather the objection—for there is but one. *It will cost something.* That is true, but it will not be money squandered. It will be an investment more safe and profitable than railway stock or money in the banks. A good house would cost \$20,000. The manufacturing companies usually pay more

than one half of the taxes. Not more than \$10,000 would be required of the people. One half of this would be paid by smaller manufacturing concerns and by a few of the richest men in the city. Another class of men who possess a moderate property would be assessed for the larger proportion of the remainder. Those who have a large amount of property would be obliged to pay eighty or ninety per cent. of the sum required, while the assessment upon those who have but a small income, or pay only a personal tax, but who have as deep an interest in the schools as others, would not be burdensome.

If a house is erected, it will undoubtedly be done by a loan for a long term of years. The District is now fast getting out of debt, there being outstanding against us only three notes; one of \$1,400 payable in December 1863; one of \$1,500 payable in May 1864, and another of \$600 payable in July 1864—total \$3,500. We have District property costing over \$100,000, and which would at any time be valued at \$75,000. The money can be easily obtained on loan, at six per cent., payable at a day as far distant as we may desire.

There are other houses in District No. 2 which need the reforming hand of the mechanic, unless they soon give place to new and more convenient structures. The small wooden houses on Concord street, and that on Union at the corner of Bridge street are among the oldest school buildings in the city and have had the benefit of a change from their original position to the location they now occupy. The former were originally situated on Park street and the latter occupied a lot not far from the residence of the Chairman of the School Committee, on the lot now owned by the city and designed for a Court House at some future day. They are in a failing condition and the ground they encumber might be better occupied by new and more

durable buildings. But they have been repaired and repainted the past summer and will serve a good purpose for a few more years. Those at the corner of Concord and Beech streets could easily be made to give place to a new grammar school building which must before many years be erected in that vicinity, or what would be more agreeable to the residents of the neighborhood, that elegant edifice which we trust will be erected within the coming year for the High School.

In other Districts there are many excellent school buildings,—especially at Piscataquog and Amoskeag, and in Nos. 8 and 9. In Nos. 1 and 4, the houses are in good condition. But in Nos. 3, 5 and 6 they are mere skeletons—unfit for the purpose to which they are appropriated. For a description of their present condition, and the arguments in favor of their removal in order to give place to modern buildings which shall be adapted to the wants of the Districts, we call attention to suggestions made in the report of the Superintendent last year. In relation to No. 3, he says: “The people of the District will be rewarded by the improved character of their school, whenever they shall have sufficient harmony of feeling and concert of action to resolve on the construction of a new house. The present remnant of a building has been moved about and repaired repeatedly since my first acquaintance with it, and at that time it was regarded as entirely unfit for use. It has uncomfortable seats for forty pupils, but in prosperous times in the mechanical interests of that locality, sixty or seventy scholars are compressed into the space designed for two-thirds of the number.”

Of No. 5, the report says: “The school house in this District deserves to be abated as a public—*deformity*. It is a mere skeleton, through which the winds shriek and snow-flakes fly, and would be entirely unsuitable, without

immediate and extensive repairs, even for *an ice-house!* If the people of the District do not soon resolve on a better house, it will be the duty of the Mayor and Aldermen, as an act of humanity to the children, to order the erection of a new one, and assess the voters of the District to meet the expense."

And then of No. 6: "An unfinished and unfinishable house stands as a monument in this District. Cold, cheerless and desolate as it is, the boys and girls succeed in obtaining a good knowledge of the text-books beneath its roof. They are literally in the 'pursuit of knowledge under difficulties.' "

No. 7 must soon be classed with 3, 5 and 6. The house is rapidly going to decay. As if ashamed of itself it is making a successful effort to sink into the ground.

The repairs of school houses have not been extensive the present year. There have been no changes in the construction of rooms, and the erection of no new buildings of any description. Small wooden houses in the central District have been painted, blinds on the Lowell street house have been repaired, fences and out-buildings have been put in a better condition, and some new furniture has been purchased for the various houses. These constitute the principal repairs and improvements that have been made during the year.

The sum of \$200 was appropriated for the shingling of the Park street house, which has been done by a Special Committee at an expense somewhat below the appropriation.

In this connection it may be stated, though the matter will be fully reported by the Special Committee at the proper time, that in accordance with the District vote the interest on all notes has been paid to the current year, the sum of \$1,000 principal has been paid and the interest paid by the city last year on a note of \$1,000 has been refunded.

FUEL AND WARMING HOUSES.

The amount of fuel consumed by fifty fires makes a heavy draft on the Treasury, absorbing nearly ten per cent. of the whole appropriation for schools. This season the advance in the price of coal and wood, would have made an additional expense of more than \$200 had we not contracted for our fuel at an early period. We purchased a fair quality of mixed wood, for \$3.00 per cord, delivered in the yards of the several houses where it is consumed, and for broken and lump Lehigh coal of excellent quality we paid \$9.00 per ton. We have in the cellar a sufficient quantity of coal to last through the year, and more wood in the sheds than will be consumed the present season.

The methods of warming the several school rooms are by no means uniform. In a majority of the rooms stoves for wood are still used. Only one building is warmed by the use of furnaces, all others are furnished with coal stoves. The furnaces are becoming worn, and one of them, at least, will not be serviceable beyond the present season.

In many places school rooms have recently been warmed by the use of steam, communicated to the various parts of the school buildings by iron pipes. Wherever the proper apparatus has been employed the result has been very satisfactory, not only as regards the character of the heat but also in the matter of safety and economy. It may be good economy for us to introduce steam apparatus.

ELECTION OF TEACHERS.

It has been the custom in years past to examine all applicants for situations as teachers in the city, and to select such as give evidence of being best adapted to the duties required. The past year, no general examination of can-

didates has been held. The Committee had on record a large number of applicants who had been examined the previous year, or were known to the Superintendent, and having but few vacancies to fill, they deemed it inexpedient to add to their own labors by extending the roll of applications. Teachers have generally been retained in the schools until they have voluntarily resigned their places. It is seldom that the Committee are compelled to remove them. During the past year we have lost by resignation but few instructors of long experience. At the commencement of the Autumn term, the teacher of the primary school in Janesville, who had been faithfully engaged in that position for ten years, resigned her place; and at the close of the year, the Principal of the High School, after ten years' laborious service, signified his intention to resign. No other permanent teacher has voluntarily left the service or failed to receive a re-election. In some instances teachers who were employed for a single term did not receive a permanent place in the school room.

The names of all teachers elected during the year, with the amount of compensation paid, are given in the following list :

Names.	School.	Salary.
John P. Newell,	High,	\$900
W. W. Colburn, vice Newell, resigned,	“	900
Harriet R. Baker,	“	400
Ellen F. Odell,	“	250
Marcy Foster, substitute, 1 term,	“	250
Henry C. Bullard,	North Grammar,	800
Mary D. Allison,	“ “	250
Ruth A. Porter,	“ “	250
Celia N. French,	“ “	250
Eliza A. Flanders, 2 terms,	“ “	175
Mary S. Caswell, 1 term,	“ “	175

Josiah G. Dearborn, South Grammar,	800
Nancy A. Durgin, " "	250
Hannah A. Slade, " "	250
Maria E. Webster, " "	250
Joseph G. Edgerly, Intermediate,	600
Addie M. Steele, "	250
Orren C. Moore, 1 term, "	400
Augusta C. Gile, 1 term, "	175
Philinda P. Parker, Wilson's Hill, Mixed School,	225
Julia A. Brown, Middle, No. 1,	225
Mary L. Sleeper, " " 2,	225
Nancy S. Bunton, " " 3,	225
Julia A. Baker, " " 4,	225
Rowena L. Hamblett, " " 5,	225
Lizzie E. Newell, " " 6,	225
Lizzie P. Gove, " " 7,	225
Mary E. Ireland, Primary, " 1,	225
Martha Eaton, " " 2,	225
M. A. Stevens, vice Eaton, " 2,	225
Hannah G. Lane, Primary, " 3,	225
Lucretia A. Brown, " " 4,	225
Hattie A. Lord, " " 5,	225
Anna R. Riddle, " " 6,	225
C. Augusta Abbott, " " 7,	225
Annette McDoel, " " 8,	225
Mary C. Dinsmore, " " 9,	225
Mary A. Richardson, " " 10,	225
Helen M. Morrill, " " 11,	225
Araminta C. Edgerly, " " 12,	175
Betsey A. Ambrose, " " 13,	225
Ellen B. Rowell, " " 14,	225
Frances E. Dean, " " 15,	175
Marcia V. McQueston, 1 term, Ward 7, Gr. School,	225
A. Ellen Stanton, Ward 7, Middle School,	200

Sarah D. Lord,	Ward 7, Primary School	225
Mary A. Parker,	“ “ Mixed “	225
Sarah E. Copp,	“ 8, Grammar School,	225
Mary E. Quimby,	“ “ Primary “	225
Sarah A. Preston,	District No. 1,	175
M. Antoinette Stevens,	No. 3, two terms,	220
Rose T. Kimball,	“ “ one term,	220
Rose T. Kimball,	“ 4, “ “	200
Mary A. Doty,	“ “ “ “	175
O. J. Hancock,	“ “ “ “	360
Emma Doland,	“ 5, “ “	175
Hattie N. Parmenter,	“ “ two terms,	175
M. Augusta Currier,	“ 6, one term,	175
Asenath McQueston,	“ “ “ “	175
Geo. A. Eastman,	“ “ “ “	360
Mary S. Caswell,	“ 7, two terms,	175
Joseph E. Bennett,	“ “ one term,	575
Mary A. Doty,	“ 8, “ “	175
Rose T. Kimball,	“ “ “ “	200
Henry N. Baker,	“ “ “ “	360
Emily J. Parker,	“ 9, two terms,	175
Rufus B. Foss,	“ “ one term,	360
Imri S. Whitney,	Music,	400

TRUANCY, DISCIPLINE AND ATTENDANCE.

The same course has been pursued with regard to truancy the past year as at former times. A member of the Board was appointed Truant Agent, and during a large portion of the year he devoted more than an ordinary degree of his time to the duties of the office. He faithfully looked after those boys who were in the habit of absenting themselves from the school room, and was instrumental in

inducing many to enter either the Public City Schools, or the Catholic Schools on Park street. A few arrests were made, and some truant and vagabond children were sent to the Reform School or the House of Correction. After the departure of Mr. Coughlin for the war, the duties of his office were partially but unofficially performed by the Superintendent of Schools.

TEXT BOOKS.

We can repeat, to a good extent, the words of our former reports in regard to change of books. Nearly all the books used are acceptable to the Committee, and but few of them have afforded grounds of complaint to teachers. We are opposed to frequent changes, even though the books be furnished without expense. It is sometimes better to make an exchange of teachers than of books. It is the living voice, and not the lifeless page which inspires the pupil and awakens within him new incentives to study. We have made a few changes in this department, but only to produce a greater uniformity, or to adopt a system which was unquestionably of more intrinsic value. We have long used the Progressive Readers,—a series which we regard with much favor. We trust it will not soon give place to any other work. In connection with it, we had for a long time used Worcester's Speller. As the Readers adopt Webster's orthography, there was a diversity of spelling in the two works which sometimes occasioned great inconvenience to the pupil and teacher. We deemed it expedient to introduce the Progressive Speller that we might have a uniformity of orthography. We did not discuss the relative merits of the two systems, in which

men very naturally differ, but made the exchange solely on the ground of conformity to the Readers, and from the fact that we had a favorable opinion of the arrangement in the Progressive.

We have recently made a change of Geography in the classes in the primary schools, substituting Allen's for Colton and Fitch's. The latter is a book of value; we would not discard it, but it is too difficult for young children to study with profit. It requires more mature minds to understand its definitions and principles fully, and it is by no means an easy task for teachers to make it intelligible and attractive to the youngest pupils. The new book is arranged on the object plan, so far as possible, and if our teachers will feel sufficient interest to comprehend, not only the exercises they are to teach, but also the manner in which it can be communicated naturally to the class of young and untrained minds, we shall see an improvement in that branch of primary study which will satisfy us that our opinion of the book is correct.

We need an essential change in the text book in Grammar. It is not often that we see a perfect book of any kind, and if such an one has ever been devised by man, it is not in the department of which we now speak. We have been examining books for several years and have yet to find a Grammar that will receive our unqualified endorsement.

There are other topics which we might with propriety and profit introduce and discuss in this report, but it is not our intention to speculate. We have pursued a conservative course, and have now no desire to recommend for the consideration of others what we have not had the courage or discretion ourselves to establish. We have made a plain statement of our proceedings as a

Board, and have given the practical operations and the successful results of our measures; and now that we have completed our official labors, made this last record of our transactions, and affixed our signatures to it, we transfer our responsibilities to those who, we hope, will faithfully guard the sacred trust committed to them.

JOHN HOSLEY,	}	SCHOOL
WATERMAN SMITH,		
JAMES B. STRAW,	}	COMMITTEE.
HIRAM HILL,		
JOHN COUGHLIN,		
GEORGE PIERCE,		
SAMUEL WEBBER,		
DANIEL FARMER, Jr.,		

TREASURER'S REPORT.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT IN ACCOUNT WITH
HENRY R. CHAMBERLIN, TREASURER.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account,	-	-	1	95
Cash,	-	-	-	125 00
Cash,	-	-	-	50 00
Cash,	-	-	-	65 00
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				\$241 95

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid O. J. Hancock, for teaching,	-	108	50
Sarah A. Preston, " "	-	103	49
G. W. Dustin, wood,	-	11	50
James & Dodge, for teams, 1861,		3	00
James & Dodge, " 1862,		4	50
Geo. Pierce, " "	-	50	
Hersey & Tilton, stationery,	-	88	
G. W. Dustin, incidentals,	-	3	50
Balance to new account,	-	6	08
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			241 95

DISTRICT NO. 2.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account,	-	754	34
Cash,	- - - -	4,075	00
Cash,	- - - -	74	00
Cash,	- - - -	5,775	00
Cash,	- - - -	2,609	00
Cash,	- - - -	4,000	00
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DISBURSEMENTS.

TEACHING AND CARE OF ROOMS.

Paid John P. Newell,	- - -	996	41
H. C. Bullard,	- - -	860	50
Josiah G. Dearborn,	- - -	863	25
Joseph G. Edgerly,	- - -	212	50
Wm. F. Harvey,	- - -	144	00
Orren C. Moore,	- - -	93	25
I. S. Whitney,	- - -	364	00
Harriet R. Baker,	- - -	287	00
Ellen F. Odell,	- - -	250	00
Marey Foster,	- - -	97	50
Mary D. Allison,	- - -	258	75
Ruth A. Porter,	- - -	258	75
Celia N. French,	- - -	258	75
Eliza A. Flanders,	- - -	112	50
Nancy A. Durgin,	- - -	258	75
Hannah A. Slade,	- - -	258	75
Maria E. Webster,	- - -	258	75
Addie M. Steele,	- - -	207	50
Asenath McQueston,	- - -	29	75
Philinda P. Parker,	- - -	240	50
Julia A. Brown,	- - -	222	13
Mary L. Sleeper,	- - -	239	00

Paid Nancy S. Bunton, - - -	239 04
Julia A. Baker, - - -	238 04
Rowena L. Hamblett, - -	238 04
Lizzie E. Newell, - - -	239 00
Lizzie P. Gove, - - -	247 75
Mary E. Ireland, - - -	239 00
Martha Eaton, - - -	139 25
Hannah G. Lane, - - -	239 00
Lucretia A. Brown, - - -	239 00
Harriet A. Lord, - - -	204 30
Anna R. Riddle, - - -	205 54
C. Augusta Abbott, - - -	238 04
Annette M. Doel, - - -	238 04
Mary C. Dinsmore, - - -	239 00
Mary A. Richardson, - -	239 00
Helen M. Morrill, - - -	238 04
Betsey A. Ambrose, - - -	240 50
Ellen B. Rowell, - - -	239 00
Frances E. Dean, - - -	104 27
Araminta C. Edgerly, - -	116 54
Emma Doland, - - -	63 50
Eliza W. Foster, - - -	26 00
Emma A. H. Brown, - - -	20 00
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REPAIRS.

Paid Hartshorn & Pike, - -	124 28
Neal & Holbrook, - - -	92 49
Daniels & Company, - -	58 75
C. R. Colley, - - -	52 73
Manchester Print Works, -	88 30
Clough & Co., - - -	76 25
Cogswell & Wells, - - -	16 57
John C. Young, - - -	20 80
John Welch, - - -	2 00

Paid G. B. Fogg, - - - -	20 96
J. O. Adams, - - - -	21 00
Butterfield & Hodge, - -	5 50
Daniel Farmer, Jr., - - -	10 00
C. & L. Gage, - - - -	17
W. S. Hill, - - - -	3 25
Albion Barker, - - - -	8 75
William Wilder, - - - -	2 50
F. S. Lynch, - - - -	8 12
E. Ross, - - - -	5 00
W. P. Stratton, - - - -	6 64
Wm. H. Fisk, - - - -	4 45
Joseph Everett, - - - -	29 35
Haines & Wallace, - - - -	31 25
E. G. Gorman, - - - -	10 50
Edwin Sleeper, - - - -	21 33
A. B. Conant, - - - -	8 84
Geo. Hunt, - - - -	1 12
Davis Baker, - - - -	1 00
	-----\$731 90

FUEL AND SAWING WOOD.

E. P. Johnson & Co., - -	948 21
Daniel Farmer, - - - -	56 76
John Cole, - - - -	2 00
Edward Metcalf, - - - -	3 50
C. H. Cate, - - - -	24 00
Charles Chase, - - - -	52 50
Joseph Westcott, - - - -	10 00
Timothy Daily, - - - -	50
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REPAIRS OF PARK STREET SCHOOL HOUSE.

Paid Cogswell & Wells, - -	58 00
Haines & Wallace, - - - -	130 00
	----- \$188 00

CARE OF FURNACES AND ROOMS.

Paid Joseph Everett,	-	-	-	91	50
H. C. Bullard,	-	-	-	39	00
J. E. Johnson,	-	-	-	11	00
H. M. George,	-	-	-	4	90
H. G. Lane,	-	-	-	1	00
M. E. Ireland,	-	-	-	1	00
					<u>\$148 40</u>

INSURANCE.

Paid Herman Foster,	-	-	-	31	50
L. B. Clough,	-	-	-	31	50
Geo. A. French,	-	-	-	37	50
Joseph B. Clark,	-	-	-	30	00
J. D. Lyford,	-	-	-	15	75
B. P. Cilley,	-	-	-	45	75
					<u>\$192 00</u>

DEBT AND INTEREST.

Paid J. H. Wilkins' Note,	-	-	1000	00
" " interest,	-	-	144	00
John Berry	"	-	113	88
James Leach,	"	-	90	00
J. H. Wilkins, (1861) interest,			60	00
				<u>\$1,407 88</u>

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.

Paid Gage & Farnsworth,	-	-	76	37
S. D. Farnsworth,	-	-	13	75
John B. Clark,	-	-	7	25
				<u>\$97 37</u>

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

Paid Hersey & Tilton,	-	-	68	55
W. G. Shattuck,	-	-	6	00
Tewksbury & Brother,	-	-	5	80
J. G. Edgerly,	-	-	41	

Paid Gage & Farnsworth, - - -	24 00
R. L. Davis, - - -	18 80
Oliver Ellsworth, - - -	78
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FURNITURE AND SUPPLIES.

Paid R. Gilchrist, - - - -	50
David Libbey, - - -	13 50
Otis Barton, - - - -	14 00
A. O. Parker & Co., - - -	2 00
G. W. Adams, - - - -	3 90
E. Ferren, - - - - -	40 24
M. Eaton, - - - - -	4 95
W. G. Shattuck, - - - - -	30 00
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INCIDENTALS.

Paid George Hunt, - - -	2 00
H. Stevens, - - - -	9 57
J. O. Adams, - - - - -	20 10
H. P. Wilson, - - - - -	80
J. B. Straw, - - - - -	35 00
Post Office, - - - - -	14 50
George A. French, - - - - -	9 00
Mrs. Clay, - - - - -	3 60
Smith & Richardson, - - - - -	10 00
N. Brown, - - - - -	10 12
Nath'l. Corning, - - - - -	2 00
F. S. Lynch, - - - - -	5 30
John Lord, - - - - -	2 50
Joseph Everett, - - - - -	9 00
John Coughlin, - - - - -	2 50
Hiram Hill - - - - -	75
J. G. Heywood, - - - - -	50
E. Parmenter, - - - - -	9 00
H. C. Bullard, - - - - -	9 00

Paid W. H. Elliott, - - - - -	2 75	
A. B. Shattuck, - - - - -	62	
M. Doyle, - - - - -	4 00	
J. F. James, - - - - -	2 50	
Cheney & Co., - - - - -	3 25	
G. W. Stratton, - - - - -	4 00	
E. P. Whidden, - - - - -	1 00	
C. W. Colby, - - - - -	1 00	
D. R. Prescott, - - - - -	1 00	
W. S. Burnham, - - - - -	5 00	
James & Dodge, - - - - -	4 00	
H. R. Chamberlin, Treas. -	25 00	
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		15,547 99
Balance carried to new account,		1,739 35
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		\$17,286

DISTRICT NO. 3.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account, - - -	62 70	
Cash, - - - - -	150 00	
Cash, - - - - -	50 00	
Cash, - - - - -	75 00	
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid S. J. Hill, teaching, - - -	126 00	
M. A. Stevens, " - - - - -	148 26	
I. S. Whitney, " - - - - -	12 06	
W. W. Baker, repairs, - - - - -	5 50	
Eben Ross, " - - - - -	7 50	
James & Dodge, teams, - - - - -	5 25	
George Pierce, " - - - - -	1 50	
C. Batchelder, sawing wood, -	3 75	
Balance to new account, - - -	27 88	
	<hr/>	\$337 70

DISTRICT NO. 4.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account,	-	34 23
Cash,	- - - -	150 00
Cash,	- - - -	20 00
Cash,	- - - -	60 00
		<hr/> \$264 23

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid John F. Chase, teaching,	-	128 00
Rose T. Kimball, “	- -	56 37
Mary A. Doty, “	- -	54 00
James & Dodge, teams,	- -	7 00
Geo. Pierce,	- - -	1 50
Hersey & Tilton, stationery,	-	2 31
Daniels & Company, hardware,		1 03
Susan H. Perkins, cleaning,	-	1 00
Balance to new account,	- -	13 02
		<hr/> \$264 23

DISTRICT NO. 5

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account,	-	61 40
Cash,	- - - -	125 00
Cash,	- - - -	25 00
Cash,	- - - -	50 00
		<hr/> \$261 40

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid George D. Epps, teaching,	-	108 50
Emma Doland, “	- -	49 49
Hattie N. Parmenter, “	-	54 00
James & Dodge, teams,	- -	7 00
George Pierce “	- - -	1 00
Hill & Cilley, “	- - -	1 00

Paid Hersey & Tilton, stationery, -	-	2	48	
Daniels & Company, hardware, -	-	81		
Balance to new account, -		37	12	
				<u> </u> \$261 40

DISTRICT NO. 6.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account, -		12	79	
Cash, - - - - -	-	125	00	
Cash, - - - - -	-	25	00	
Cash, - - - - -	-	95	00	
				<u> </u> \$257 79

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid J. D. Gilchrist, teaching, -		100	00	
M. Augusta Currier, " -	-	49	49	
Asenath McQueston, " - -	-	54	00	
J. M. Webster, wood, - -	-	14	00	
Hartshorn & Pike, repairs, - -	-	90		
J. T. Webster, " - - - -	-	1	00	
C. R. Colley, " - - - -	-	34		
Samuel Gamble, " - - - -	-	2	00	
James & Dodge, teams, - -	-	6	25	
Hill & James, " - - - -	-	1	50	
George Pierce, " - - - -	-	1	50	
Hersey & Tilton, stationery, -	-	2	92	
Balance to new account, - -	-	23	14	
				<u> </u> \$257 79

DISTRICT NO. 7.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account, -		79	76	
Cash, - - - - -	-	150	00	
Cash, - - - - -	-	25	00	
Cash, - - - - -	-	50	00	
				<u> </u> \$304 76

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid J. E. Bennett, teaching,	-	127	00
Mary S. Caswell, “	- -	123	00
Hartshorn & Pike, repairs,	- -	2	85
J. B. Daniels, “	-	2	25
Neal & Holbrook, “	- -	6	75
Daniels & Company “	- - -		62
John Jacobs, sawing wood,	- -	4	00
Hersey & Tilton, stationery,	-	3	76
James & Dodge, teams,	- -	5	75
George Pierce,	- - - -		50
Balance to new account,	- -	28	28
		<u> </u>	\$304 76

DISTRICT NO. 8.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account,	-	49	81
Cash,	- - - - -	125	00
Cash,	- - - - -	25	00
Cash,	- - - - -	70	00
		<u> </u>	\$269 81

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid W. S. Burnham, teaching,	-	108	50
Mary A. Doty, “	-	49	49
Rose T. Kimball, “	- -	61	50
Peter Farmer, wood,	- -	20	33
J. H. Proctor, “	- - -		9 00
Neal & Holbrook, repairs,	- -	6	75
James & Dodge, teams,	- -	7	50
Hill & Cilley,	- - - -		1 50
Hersey & Tilton, stationery,	-		53
Balance to new account,	- -	4	71
		<u> </u>	\$269 81

DISTRICT NO. 9.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account,	-	3	43
Cash,	- - - - -	125	00
Cash,	- - - - -	30	00
Cash,	- - - - -	85	00
		<u> </u>	\$243 43

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid C. H. Patterson, teaching,	-	108	50
Emma J. Parker,	- - -	94	49
J. Y. McQueston, wood,	- -	15	00
James & Dodge, teams,	- -	6	75
George Pierce,	" - - -	1	00
Hill & James,	" - - -	1	50
A. O. Parker, furniture,	- -		90
E. B. Kennison, repairs,	- -	1	75
Balance to new account,	- -	13	54
		<u> </u>	\$243 43

DISTRICT NO. 10.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Cash,	- - - - -	650	00
Cash,	- - - - -	325	00
Cash,	- - - - -	250	00
Over draft,	- - -	80	57
		<u> </u>	\$1,305 57

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid balance from old account,	-	65	12
J. G. Edgerly, teaching,	- -	182	00
Sarah D. Lord,	" - -	233	25
Mary A. Parker,	" - - -	237	25
A. E. Stanton,	" - -	200	13
Marcia V. McQueston, teaching,		161	00

Paid I. S. Whitney, teaching,	-	45	50
Daniel Farmer, wood,	- - -	69	88
D. Hefren, sawing wood,	- - -	5	25
Haines & Wallace, wood,	- - -	1	50
D. B. Eastman, repairs,	- - -	18	20
Manchester Print Works, repairs,		34	07
Hartshorn & Pike,	" -	19	53
J. B. Varick & Co.,	" -	1	73
A. O. Parker & Co., furniture,	-	1	80
James & Dodge, teams,	- -	4	75
Mrs. O. Day, cleaning,	- -	1	75
W. H. Elliott, repairing clock,		1	00
H. Foster, insurance,	- -	31	00
Hersey & Tilton, stationery,	-		86
			-----\$1,305 57

DISTRICT NO. 11.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.

Balance from old account,	-	44	10
Cash,	- - - - -	200	00
Cash,	- - - - -	150	00
Cash,	- - - - -	150	00
Overdraft,	- - - - -	8	05
			----- \$552 15

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid R. B. Foss, teaching,	- -	110	33
Mary E. Quimby, teaching,	- -	205	26
Sarah E. Copp,	" -	149	50
Marcia V. McQueston, teaching,		6	25
I. S. Whitney,	" -	23	44
Daniel Farmer, wood,	- -	32	50
Henry Peacock, repairs,	- -	4	38
Daniels & Company, repairs,	-		57
Hartshorn & Pike	" - -		17

James & Dodge, teams,	-	-	4	75
Hill & Cilley	"	-	1	00
Hersey & Tilton, maps,	-	-	12	00
George H. Powers,	-	-	2	00
				<hr/> \$552 15

RECAPITULATION.

Balance unexpended in District No. 1,			\$6	08
" " 2,			1739	35
" " 3,			27	88
" " 4,			13	02
" " 5,			37	12
" " 6,			23	14
" " 7,			28	28
" " 8,			4	71
" " 9,			13	54
				<hr/> \$1,993 12
Overdrawn in District No. 10,	-	-	80	57
" " 11,	-	-	8	05
				<hr/> \$88 62
				<hr/>
Balance in all the Districts,	-	-	\$1,904	50

H. R. CHAMBERLIN, *Treasurer.*

In School Committee, read, accepted, and presented to City Council as a part of School Committee's Report.

J. B. STRAW, *Clerk.*

THE
EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
FOR THE YEAR
1862.

IN SCHOOL COMMITTEE, }
Jan. 5, 1863. }

Read, accepted and ordered to be presented to the City Council in connection with the Report of the School Committee.

JAMES B. STRAW, CLERK.

IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, }
Jan. 5, 1863. }

Read, accepted and ordered to be printed.

JOSEPH KNOWLTON, CITY CLERK.

IN COMMON COUNCIL. }
Jan. 5, 1863. }

Read, accepted and ordered to be printed, in concurrence.

O. C. MOORE, CLERK.

R E P O R T .

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE :

With each passing year, we aim to record some real progress in our public schools—to mark a permanent improvement in the deportment and scholarship of pupils, a greater degree of fidelity in teachers, and a deeper interest in parents and all who contribute to support the common school system.

We are not content to compare our schools with themselves, nor to form our estimate of their character or measure their usefulness merely by their appearance to our unaided judgment. The mountain is majestic, the landscape beautiful, the cataract sublime, only in comparison with similar objects that possess characteristics less striking. To determine the real condition of our educational system, and to estimate its beneficial influence, we must look upon those schools of the same grade, in the same light—and compare them as a whole and then in detail. Taking for a standard whatever is most satisfactory to our own minds, we characterize this as good—that as excellent, and that as defective. We should do more than this. We should look back and mark the contrast which a few years of effort have made in the condition not only of one school but of many,—of all that can be called up for our judgment.

We must not rest content with such comparison ; for although schools have changed, it may not be that they are improved. Though many have advanced, others may have traveled onward and upward with greater rapidity.

We should place our own schools in the balances of judgment with those of other towns and cities, with equal facilities with our own and mark which turns the scale.

This I have endeavored to do in my present estimate of our schools. I look upon them as they stand independently of their former history, and, without associating them with other institutions similarly constituted, I find the pupils generally obedient, attentive and interested. I find teachers, in a majority of instances, zealously laboring for the advancement of their classes, and to establish the young mind in ways of virtue and industry. I see the public taking an interest in educational movements, erecting new houses, visiting schools, criticising teachers, condemning or approving the acts of school officers, and I conclude, upon this evidence, that these pupils are deserving of commendation—that these teachers endure their daily trials and perform their daily duties, with as much fidelity as can reasonably be expected, and that these parents manifest as much anxiety for the welfare of their children as I should expect them to do, when I consider the influences which govern a majority of the people. There are exceptions, it is true, so frequent, sometimes, as almost to prevail; inattentive, disobedient and stubborn pupils; indolent and even ignorant teachers; unreasonable, fault-finding and exacting citizens, whose influence can be met only by the most energetic efforts. They do not often constitute the controlling element; therefore, I conclude that our schools, taken independently of others, are not only a positive good, in themselves, for the individual and virtuous elements within and around them, but that as reformatory institutions, as agents for the improvement and elevation of man, though they may be proved inferior to other agencies, though they may be capable of vastly greater good, yet as they now exist, they

meet our approbation and command our most liberal support.

In contrasting our present educational facilities with those enjoyed in former years, not far removed into the past, we read a continued record of improvement. In material growth, our schools have maintained an equal step with every city enterprise. In the number of schools, we have rapidly increased, and the present returns of pupils clearly show that demands are laid upon us for renewed contributions. Not many years ago there was but a single well made school building in the city, and not even one fully adapted to the purpose. We have literally builded monuments to learning, though we have never been in advance of the public demand. We have employed more interested and well qualified instructors; we have exacted a higher grade of scholarship, in pupil and teacher; and we have instituted system in the place of confusion, discipline for disorder, and intelligent study and independence of thought, where once we had but repetition from text books and the mere dictation of authors and instructors.

Looking back upon the past, through long years of personal acquaintance with our public schools, and aided by the judgment of those whose forming hand is still manifest in this system as well as other enterprises of the city, I can assure you, to whom this report is officially addressed, and through you, the public, for whom we devote our efforts, that our common schools of to-day stand pre-eminently above the standard which received high commendation at the organization of the city.

It has been my custom to compare the schools of this city with those of other places in our own state, and with educational institutions in other New England States, both by reports and by actual visit whenever it has been practi-

cable. There are not many model, or even highly approved public schools in the vicinity, of which it has been my misfortune to be wholly ignorant. While I find, in some of them, improvement in the construction of houses, in classification of pupils, in text books and apparatus, and superior teachers, I do not often find combined in one school, more excellent characteristics than distinguish our best schools. I have seen better management, better discipline, more original instruction, and a higher scholarship in individual schools, than can be found in ours. But I have not often discovered those which as a whole, excel our own. We have our best schools, and our medium schools; and we have also poor ones, those which ought not to be poor another year, and will not be if we do our whole duty. So have other towns and cities. But the visitor is not often conducted to those of inferior character, nor do Commissioners find them in their annual circuit. A gentleman calling upon us for the best model of a school house would not be conducted to that in District No. 5, nor to our High School room. So with regard to schools. I would not conduct a friend or a stranger, who sought a perfect school, to — some that I would not dare name in this connection. When visiting schools abroad, I have been done *by* as I would do, and have been conducted to those which were meritorious in themselves, or were furnished with school rooms or apparatus which were commendable, and I have not often found even these best schools superior to ours.

It has been our custom for many years, with scarcely an exception, to report each school specifically, and to publish the excellences and defects of teachers and pupils. This is a common practice in all places where the number of schools is not too large to admit of such a course. The

usage has its advantages and its objections. It may stimulate to earnest effort both the teacher and the pupil. Their pride is awakened by it ; they are ambitious for the good name they hope to receive, or they dread the mortification which will follow censure, and thus they are pressed on in the way of right by the love of praise, and restrained from evil by the fear of rebuke.

This year the schools will be considered by classes, specific mention being made only of those which have been subject to marked changes.

The number of ungraded schools is the same as reported a year since. They are located on the east side of the river, out of District No. 2. They do not furnish the material for a very flattering report. They embrace pupils of all ages between four years and twenty, and all grades of scholarship from ignorance of the alphabet to a fair knowledge of Mathematics, Grammar and Geography. Hence there must of necessity be numerous classes, dividing the teacher's time so minutely as to forbid anything like thorough instruction in those branches which require full illustration.

The order cannot be so satisfactory in a mixed school as in one which is properly graded. The discipline which is demanded for a child is entirely unsuited to an adult. The child, that should be in a primary school, cannot with safety endure the restraint which should be imposed upon those of maturer years.

In the ungraded schools there is much irregularity of attendance, which cannot well be avoided. There are no habits of study such as would be acceptable or even endurable in the graded schools. There are a few good scholars, those who learn readily and accurately, but the schools taken as a class are far inferior to those in the larger districts which are subject to a rigid classification.

During the first term of the year the schools which were marked highest for deportment were those in Districts Nos. 1, 4, 8 and 9. In earnestness and close application, and consequently in real advancement the school in No. 7 was conspicuous. The most disorderly was in No. 3. The least apparent progress was in No. 6. In the Summer and Autumn terms the severest labor was performed in Nos. 3 and 7. All were very orderly, and if we except No. 6, and in the Autumn term No. 4, none gave occasion for special complaint. They all needed more mental action,—they were too passive,—they were willing to receive instruction, but disliked to put forth the requisite effort to acquire it.

There are now in the city sixteen schools which may be classed as distinctively primary. They are the germs of the higher grades, and are in most cases managed with much discretion by their teachers.

Those governed chiefly by the law of kindness, as all schools composed of mere children should be, are Nos. 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10 and that at Amoskeag. The greatest amount of labor is performed in Nos. 1 and 13. Nos. 5 and 11, and the one in Ward 7, are mere alphabet schools, and in government and instruction are not subject to precisely the same law as the other primaries. The only changes of teachers in this grade, during the year, are in Nos. 2 and 12, the former in consequence of a resignation and the latter in consequence of a suspension of the school for a time, and the choice of a new teacher at its re-opening.

There were nearly one thousand pupils in these sixteen schools during the autumn term, or about sixty to a room. The average number belonging to them is not far from eight hundred, or fifty to each teacher. This is by far too large a number to be properly managed by one person. No teacher, whatever may be her talents can have the entire

direction of so many children without doing injustice to them. It is enough to govern so large a number without the anxiety of teaching. But we have been so long accustomed to large schools, we are so economical—parsimonious, rather,—that we make no effort to remedy an evil that a moment's consideration would convince us really existed. But we have no rooms for them,—our seats are all occupied, and we are therefore compelled to continue the course that our judgment condemns.

Not only are the children of this grade crowded in too large numbers into rooms too small for their accommodation, but they are too much restrained—they have not sufficient physical employment. Their minds are forced and developed more readily than their bodies. They need more physical expansion, that in due time a corresponding mental growth may follow. Six hours daily confinement to the school room are so many hours of imprisonment,—for with the large number of pupils in our primary schools, the teacher must exercise her power arbitrarily to keep them under such restraint as will secure good order. They are hours of discomfort, restlessness and stupidity to the frolicking boy or girl, and create a distaste for the school room, if not an utter aversion to everything but play that is associated with it. Our children must have more outdoor exercise and less confinement within the walls of the school room, if we would have them attain to the physical and intellectual stature of men. But if we *must* continue to hold them six hours a day in their seats, if there *can* be no such arrangement as will permit them to spend a part of each half day in the play-grounds, or in inclement weather in a hall or basement especially provided, let us at least, re-arrange our schools and furnish them with such apparatus as will give them constant employment, adapted to their capacity. Our children are suffering with indo-

lence in the primary schools,—not mental inaction, for they have labor enough for the mind, but physical inactivity, which is sure to be felt in their future lives.

There were formerly a large number of partially graded schools in the city, but by persevering effort, only a few remain. One at Piscatasquog, usually styled a primary, and one on Blodgett street which has been numbered in the middle grade, contain pupils of both the primary and middle rank. Neither of these are deserving of censure, nor could they properly be regarded as deserving high commendation. They require a great amount of labor, and must receive it, or they would soon fail to sustain even an ordinary rank.

It is always a pleasure to report our middle schools, because it requires no effort to commend what is manifestly worthy of approbation. As a class we have intelligent, earnest and faithful instruction through this grade. During the past year the pupils have been urged forward more rapidly than for many previous years, and have entered the grammar grade, with higher qualifications than usual, and now, in the grammar schools, give evidence of mental discipline, which, with continued application, will ensure good scholarship.

Our Grammar Schools, including those on the West side of the Merrimack, that at Wilson's Hill, and the two large schools of the grammar grade, have afforded just grounds for us who know their merits, to speak of them with confidence and pride. They are making advancement year by year. They demand a constant restraining hand, but no rod of terror to hold them in submission. They need urging onward in their studies. They require exact and

rigid mental cultivation, which they daily receive. In attendance these schools show a more gratifying record, in deportment a higher standard, and in their examinations, give evidence that they have at least taken no step back.

The Intermediate which is really a grammar school, with a little reaching backward into the middle rank and forward into the lower ranks of the High School, now maintains a higher position than at any time since its organization. It is one of the most useful schools in the city, and is daily gaining the confidence of the people. It has been popular before ; not because it was the best school, not because there was more thorough instruction, or better discipline, but for its adaptation to the wishes of the people in regard to the branches pursued. During a large part of the year, the number of pupils has been very small, and the teachers have been required to perform but a small amount of labor. Recently, in addition to the large number of pupils who attend during the winter term, it was necessary to admit a class of scholars who were excluded from the High School. The influence of these scholars who are ambitious to advance, has materially changed the character of the school.

The High School has long been the subject of discussion among our citizens who have been interested in the cause of education. We have yearly given reports of its condition, of its discipline, and of its instruction, and we repeat now what has often been asserted of it in former reports, that no better instruction is desired, no better scholarship can be found in similar institutions, nor is a higher literary cultivation often reached in the highest grades of public schools, and but for a fault which has existed in the

school to a considerable extent for years, neither the school officers nor the public would have desired or suffered a change in its management.

After ten years of laborious service, the principal who has so long had charge of the school, presented his resignation. At the opening of the present term a new Teacher assumed the government of the school. With no small degree of experience in his profession, with superior scholarship, and the strongest testimonials, he has only to prove himself a good instructor and exercise a rigid but discrete discipline over his pupils to establish himself in the confidence of the people.

The principal of the school at the close of the autumn term furnished me with the accompanying TABLE of the attendance, deportment and scholarship, for the past year, of every member of the school in the Fall term.

Attendance is indicated in half days, the whole number of half days for the year being 396. The deportment and scholarship are marked on a scale in which 8 is the highest mark.

It will be observed that five scholars have not been absent during the year. The per cent. attendance for the year was 93.6.

GENTLEMEN.

	Attendance.	Deport'nt.	Scholar'p.
John H. R. Abbott, - - -	133	7.98	7.38
George M. Austin, - - -	128	8.	7.87
George H. Batchelder, - -	349	7.80	7.62
William A. Bunton, - - -	372	7.99	7.99
George W. Bunton, - - -	388	8.	7.85
George H. Chamberlin, - -	355	7.74	7.59
Greenleaf Clarke, - - -	394	8.	8.
Henry S. Clark, - - - -	46	7.96	6.80
Irving A. J. Colby, - - -	197	7.92	7.84
Ezra M. Copp, - - - -	235	7.87	7.85
Henry J. Eaton, - - - -	251	7.96	7.88
Charles F. Elliot, - - - -	395	7.93	7.92
William Everett, - - - -	338	7.96	7.88
Frank W. Favor, - - - -	378	7.82	7.84
George W. Flanders, - - -	387	7.90	7.93
Charles W. Farmer, - - -	257	7.91	7.78
Hiram M. George, - - - -	396	7.98	7.74
Alvin D. Gooden, - - - -	370	7.93	7.48
George E. Hackett, - - - -	391	7.92	7.73
Albert H. Huntress, - - -	378	7.96	7.82
Edward F. James, - - - -	337	8.	7.99
Selwyn J. Kidder - - - -	367	7.70	7.74
Horace A. Knowlton, - - -	374	7.96	7.95
John A. McCrillis, - - - -	356	7.78	7.89
Charles W. Merrill, - - - -	396	8.	7.62
William W. Patterson, - -	377	7.90	7.61
Frank S. Pushee, - - - -	25	8.	7.94
George W. Quimby, - - - -	365	7.85	7.77
David M. Savory, - - - -	335	7.92	7.37
Howard P. Smith, - - - -	336	8.	7.84
Charles H. Thayer, - - - -	361	7.81	7.79
Edward K. White, - - - -	243	7.93	8.
George F. White, - - - -	384	7.99	7.93

LADIES.

	Attendance.	Deport'nt.	Scollar'p.
Alice A. Abbott, - - - -	380	8.	7.93
Sarah J. Abbott, - - - -	345	7.96	7.90
Marianna Abbott, - - - -	387	7.93	7.85
Rosa Abels, - - - -	221	7.97	7.78
Mary P. Adams, - - - -	368	8.	8.
Clara C. Baker, - - - -	318	8.	7.93
Evie A. Baker, - - - -	392	7.98	7.91
Mary E. Baldwin, - - - -	356	7.99	7.90
Hattie A. Barnes, - - - -	40	7.79	8.
Mary A. Barrett, - - - -	396	8.	7.93
Sarah C. O. Boyd, - - - -	385	7.96	7.90
Leslie M. Bradley, - - - -	368	7.99	7.92
Stella E. Bradley, - - - -	327	8.	7.95
Clara M. Brown, - - - -	346	7.82	7.42
Pina E. Brugger, - - - -	261	7.98	7.84
Ellen Brown, - - - -	130	7.97	7.64
Katie L. Chapin, - - - -	225	7.98	7.89
Lucinda L. Chase, - - - -	283	8.	7.95
Susan E. Clark, - - - -	237	7.95	7.67
Marianna Clough, - - - -	361	7.95	7.87
Almira M. Coburn, - - - -	184	8.	7.80
Zaphira O. Coburn, - - - -	213	8.	7.95
Emma M. Copp, - - - -	381	8.	7.68
Emma Currier, - - - -	386	7.99	7.88
Carrie I. Custer, - - - -	223	8.	7.86
Fannie E. Daniels, - - - -	200	7.95	7.80
Lucia H. Daniels, - - - -	318	7.97	7.94
Mary E. Davis, - - - -	389	7.98	7.68
Marion J. Dodge, - - - -	254	8.	7.71
Jennie Doland, - - - -	299	8.	7.93
Lizzie Doland, - - - -	390	7.97	7.93
Lizzie Dow, - - - -	105	8.	7.46

	Attendance.	Deport'mt.	Scholar'p.
Ella A. Elliott, - - -	258	7.99	7.98
Adale Felt, - - -	302	7.99	7.96
Mary L. Ferren, - - -	120	8.	8.
Alma E. Flanders, - - -	384	7.86	7.67
Mary E. Fletcher, - - -	165	8.	7.98
Emma A. Fogg, - - -	248	7.94	7.92
Letitia L. Foster, - - -	102	8.	7.43
Augusta C. Gile, - - -	396	8.	8.
Abby S. Griffin, - - -	258	8.	7.97
Carrie M. Goodwin, - - -	340	7.93	7.54
Josie M. Haines, - - -	360	7.96	7.99
Isabel A. Hastings, - - -	376	7.69	7.66
Addie M. Haynes, - - -	298	7.87	7.79
Frances M. Harvey, - - -	371	8.	7.90
Sophronia Harvey, - - -	372	8.	7.69
Helen M. Hills, - - -	184	8.	7.97
Clara E. Hoyt, - - -	249	8.	7.95
Addie E. Hutchinson - - -	391	8.	8.
S. Josephine Joy, - - -	252	7.92	7.76
Martha R. Kidder, - - -	195	8.	7.98
M. Jennie Knowles, - - -	378	7.97	7.80
Helen M. Locke, - - -	384	8.	7.94
Martha J. Locke, - - -	364	7.86	7.81
Mary J. Lord, - - -	300	7.96	7.86
Mary E. Maskey, - - -	238	8.	7.83
Isabel McCrillis, - - -	272	8.	7.99
Sarah D. McQueston, - - -	396	8.	7.96
Zilla L. McQueston, - - -	378	7.93	7.53
Annie E. Mellen, - - -	272	7.96	7.81
Laura A. Montgomery, - - -	244	8.	7.95
Louise E. Newell, - - -	376	7.98	7.82
Orriette V. Nesmith, - - -	93	8.	7.48
Mary A. Nutt, - - -	218	8.	7.82
S. Addie Parker, - - -	358	7.98	8.

	Attendance.	Deport'nt.	Scholar'p.
Jennie A. Perry, - - -	202	7.96	7.31
Mattie Pinkerton, - - -	316	7.94	7.70
Katie L. Porter, - - -	361	7.87	7.62
Rosa L. Pratt, - - - -	310	7.96	7.64
Carrie E. Reed, - - - -	278	7.98	7.93
Josie H. Riddle, - - - -	308	8.	7.92
Francena Robinson, - - -	283	8.	7.71
Orriette E. Sanborn, - - -	383	7.96	7.57
Clara I. Sargent, - - - -	268	7.99	7.66
Mary E. Sleeper, - - - -	309	8.	8.
Georgietta E. Smith, - - -	348	8.	7.92
Georgianna E. Smith, - - -	326	8.	8.
Lydia A. Smith, - - - -	370	7.91	7.70
Annie R. Stearns, - - - -	385	7.96	7.91
Rebecca F. Stevens, - - -	395	8.	7.92
Marianna Tasker, - - - -	273	7.96	7.98
Fannie M. Taylor, - - - -	378	7.78	7.62
Annie J. Thompson, - - - -	383	7.91	7.83
Lizzie H. White, - - - -	360	8.	7.90
Addie S. Wilson, - - - -	341	7.94	7.75
Estella F. Wilson, - - - -	142	7.99	7.09
Helen M. Yeaton, - - - -	354	8.	7.84
Augusta S. Young, - - - -	388	8.	8.
Emma M. Young, - - - -	386	7.88	7.67

Within the past year a regular system of marking attendance, deportment and scholarship has been adopted in other high grades of schools, similar to that of the High School. A comparative rank is established for every pupil in his school, and a record made, monthly, to be exhibited to school officers, parents and visitors whenever required. The record is taken home by the pupil and when endorsed by the parent, is again returned to the teacher. In this way each pupil becomes a reporter of his own at-

tendance, conduct and industry, and the parent may learn without trouble, whether his child is prompt in the performance of all requirements, or is neglectful of the privileges afforded him. Thus far the plan, though practiced only to a limited extent, has proved beneficial, stimulating the pupil to greater diligence in study, a higher standard of moral deportment, and more constant attendance on school. On the other hand it has awakened a new interest on the part of the parent, and has led him to impress more strongly upon the mind of his children, the importance of regular attendance and unceasing efforts to gain a respectable standing in his school.

Having referred to the general and relative character of our public schools, and expressed the opinion that they maintain a high rank when compared with similar institutions in other localities, having also reviewed as classes the several grades in the system, it may be well to refer to some of the distinctive features that constitute marked excellences or defects, that we may learn in the future to adopt what is commendable, and reject whatever has a tendency to evil.

We have in most of our schools faithful, working teachers. In comparison with others, as I have already said, they are generally found to be well qualified for their positions. They assume the responsibility of their labors with the full knowledge that they have no easy task before them. They engage to work, and though they are liable to become weary in well doing, or satisfy themselves with the self assurance that they do all for which they are compensated, they are generally true to their trust. I could designate individual teachers in our service, who committed an important mistake when they ap-

plied for a situation in the teacher's desk, and who, to the loss of many an honest boy and girl have been guilty of repeated errors whenever they have entered the school room. But they constitute the exceptions which will everywhere be found.

There is in our schools accuracy of instruction, thoroughness, which is especially marked as we advance from the primary grade. It is not enough that the lessons be so committed as to enable the pupil to get through a recitation, but they must be learned, and the pupil be ready for a test whenever required. Our annual examination testifies to the character of the instruction.

Not only is there accuracy in the instruction, but the general character of the schools is such as commend them to favor. There is moral discipline as well as mental and physical. The provisions of the statute to impress upon the young mind the principles of piety, and justice; a sacred regard for truth, love of country, humanity and benevolence; sobriety, industry and frugality, and all those virtues which are the ornament and support of human society, are faithfully enforced.

One of the most important characteristics in our schools is regularity, a system by which every thing is required to be done. I do not mean that the system is never neglected, but that it is enforced by the school authorities, and generally exacted by instructors.

There are, however, defects on the other hand—radical deficiencies in some schools, which will continue to exist until teachers are removed or receive greater inducements elsewhere. This class of teachers, if put on examination, would do credit neither to themselves nor the city. They may do all that our rules require of them, but not all that their duty to those who look up to them, demands. We need, especially in our primary schools, *better in-*

struction,—more elementary, and systematic—that which is not chained to rules and formulas, but that which goes behind all these and reveals the processes by which they are obtained. The true teacher studies first and most closely the minds of pupils, and when he has learned it, he has not only the key to the entire control of the pupil, but knows what he can accomplish, and in what manner he can effect his object most readily. As the sculptor viewing the rough, unhewn marble just from the quarry, discovers therein the form of beauty, all concealed from the common eye, so in the weak and untrained mind of the child, will the true teacher discern the future scholar.

We have, in some schools, too much *teaching* and too little *educating*. Our pupils have been permitted to depend, not upon themselves, but on their teacher. This is an evil originating in the primary schools, encouraged in the middle grade, suffered in the grammar schools, and confirmed irremediably in the High school. It has grown upon the pupils until it has become a part of their education. It will abide with them until the stern duties of life compel them to trust to themselves.

The teacher must be the judge in this respect, give aid and encouragement just when it is needed, and only to such an extent as will lead the scholar onward, throwing him upon his own powers the moment he gives indications of relying on his teacher.

There are other topics which might with propriety be discussed in this report, but they have in former years come before the city council and the public in the annual record of our schools, or they may be presented to the Board, from time to time in a less formal and more effective manner, and therefore claim no mention here.

In concluding this report, which though not so extended as in former years, covers the entire ground, allow me to congratulate the citizens of Manchester on the gratifying condition of their public schools. I do not claim that they are free from fault, nor that they are accomplishing all the good of which they are capable. But they are yearly advancing, and although their progress is slow, they are productive of permanent and extensive good. That they may be liberally sustained, religiously guarded from every evil influence, and continue to be the pride of our city, should be the desire of every citizen.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES O. ADAMS,

Sup't. of Public Instruction.

Manchester, Dec. 20, 1862.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT.

During the winter term which is now closed in the out districts, and which will soon close in the central districts, there has been a good degree of interest manifested by the pupils and the public in our common schools.

The few changes in teachers noticed in the annual report have generally proved satisfactory.

The High School, under Mr. Colburn, has not yet come fully up to the wishes of the Superintendent, nor do we think it has yet proved entirely satisfactory to the public. The school has had a larger number of pupils than at any previous term since its establishment. The rooms have been uncomfortably full, and teachers and pupils have consequently been subjected to great inconvenience. The principal and his assistants have labored faithfully for the good of the school. It will require time to accomplish every needed reform, and with the support of the public and the co-operation of the school officers, I have confidence of entire success.

Miss Caswell who has acted as substitute in one of the rooms in the North Grammar School, during the present term, has been severely tried by the conduct of the pupils. She has labored diligently and earnestly for the benefit of the school, and if she has not been successful it has not been for want of effort.

All other schools in the district have been more than or-

dinarily full, but have all maintained a good reputation and made good progress in their studies.

The school in District No. 3, has been small, but entirely unexceptionable in its character.

No. 4 has had a quiet, orderly school.

In No. 5, the school is still in session, and has been thus far doing good service.

In Nos. 1, 6, 7, 8 and 9, we have schools of unusual excellence.

In Nos. 10 and 11, the schools have remained under the care of old teachers, and have been entirely satisfactory.

Manchester, Feb. 20, 1863.

The following table shows the whole number attending during the year.

SCHOOLS IN DISTRICT NUMBER TWO.	Whole No. Boys.	Whole No. Girls.	Total.	Visits by Committee.	Visits by Superin't.	Visits by Citizens.
High School, - - - -	62	115	177	10	20	374
North Grammar School, - - -	119	136	255	11	23	317
South Grammar School, - - -	106	127	233	14	19	297
Intermediate School, - - - -	112	119	231	8	24	363
Wilson Hill School, - - - -	37	19	46	5	10	83
Middle School No. 1, - - - -	19	26	45	5	9	79
“ “ No. 2, - - - -	18	24	42	3	9	98
“ “ No. 3, - - - -	29	12	48	4	8	57
“ “ No. 4, - - - -	28	25	53	8	10	59
“ “ No. 5, - - - -	19	27	46	9	10	96
“ “ No. 6, - - - -	24	36	50	7	10	93
“ “ No. 7, - - - -	27	31	58	5	9	86
“ “ No. 8, - - - -	41	24	65	3	8	39
Primary School No. 1, - - - -	61	54	115	3	10	44
“ “ No. 2, - - - -	34	39	73	2	9	57
“ “ No. 3, - - - -	43	38	81	5	10	75
“ “ No. 4, - - - -	36	35	71	3	10	61
“ “ No. 5, - - - -	49	56	105	4	9	87
“ “ No. 6, - - - -	34	46	80	4	9	69
“ “ No. 7, - - - -	67	41	108	8	10	103
“ “ No. 8, - - - -	27	58	85	8	11	117
“ “ No. 9, - - - -	47	59	106	6	12	81
“ “ No. 10, - - - -	59	56	105	7	11	52
“ “ No. 11, - - - -	53	37	90	4	10	64
“ “ No. 12, - - - -	31	37	68	3	9	47
“ “ No. 13, - - - -	47	41	88	2	9	79
“ “ No. 14, - - - -	39	43	82	1	6	19
School in District No. 1, - - -	24	19	43	1	9	37
“ “ No. 3, - - - -	51	57	108	4	12	85
“ “ No. 4, - - - -	23	19	42	4	9	38
“ “ No. 5, - - - -	18	17	35	4	11	29
“ “ No. 6, - - - -	22	19	41	3	10	19
“ “ No. 7, - - - -	33	24	57	4	11	58
“ “ No. 8, - - - -	27	26	53	3	10	34
“ “ No. 9, - - - -	15	37	52	3	10	31
District No. 10, Grammar School,	25	47	72	3	12	47
“ No. 10, Middle School, -	41	24	65	3	9	29
“ No. 10, Primary “ - - -	61	69	130	4	11	51
“ No. 10, Mixed “ - - -	41	38	79	2	9	59
“ No. 11, Grammar “ - - -	31	33	64	5	9	97
“ No. 11, Primary “ - - -	54	51	105	5	9	81

The following table shows the attendance for a single month, in all our schools.

SCHOOLS IN DISTRICT NUMBER TWO.						Whole No. Boys.	Whole No. Girls.	Average No Boys.	Average No Girls.	Average daily Attendance
High School, - - - - -						60	104	52	98	136
North Grammar School, - - - - -						99	123	98	118	203
South Grammar School, - - - - -						90	100	88	98	178
Intermediate School, - - - - -						76	56	59	46	96
Wilson Hill School, - - - - -						20	14	18	13	30
Middle School, No. 1, - - - - -						9	22	9	22	29
“ “ No. 2, - - - - -						16	13	16	13	26
“ “ No. 3, - - - - -						17	16	17	14	29
“ “ No. 4, - - - - -						18	19	17	17	32
“ “ No. 5, - - - - -						16	34	16	33	48
“ “ No. 6, - - - - -						18	16	18	16	33
“ “ No. 7, - - - - -						23	20	21	18	37
“ “ No. 8, - - - - -						28	18	26	15	33
Primary School No. 1, - - - - -						19	16	18	15	26
“ “ No. 2, - - - - -						31	12	24	9	40
“ “ No. 3, - - - - -						20	20	19	18	34
“ “ No. 4, - - - - -						19	11	18	11	24
“ “ No. 5, - - - - -						32	15	30	14	37
“ “ No. 6, - - - - -						16	25	15	24	38
“ “ No. 7, - - - - -						32	17	31	17	42
“ “ No. 8, - - - - -						13	26	13	23	33
“ “ No. 9, - - - - -						26	27	22	23	41
“ “ No. 10, - - - - -						18	32	16	30	44
“ “ No. 11, - - - - -						24	18	22	17	38
“ “ No. 12, - - - - -						15	24	15	21	34
“ “ No. 13, - - - - -						23	21	29	18	46
“ “ No. 14, - - - - -						21	17	18	14	28
School in District No. 1, - - - - -						14	15	12	14	24
“ “ No. 3, - - - - -						21	24	17	21	34
“ “ No. 4, - - - - -						14	13	13	13	22
“ “ No. 5, - - - - -						11	8	9	7	14
“ “ No. 6, - - - - -						12	17	11	14	21
“ “ No. 7, - - - - -						33	27	30	24	48
“ “ No. 8, - - - - -						17	15	15	14	26
“ “ No. 9, - - - - -						22	8	20	7	23
District No. 10, Grammar School, - - - - -						20	25	18	24	41
“ No. 10, Middle “ - - - - -						24	10	22	8	27
“ No. 10, Primary “ - - - - -						33	30	28	24	44
“ No. 10, Mixed “ - - - - -						23	15	22	15	36
“ No. 11, Grammar “ - - - - -						23	17	22	16	35
“ No. 11, Primary “ - - - - -						29	26	23	23	47

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CITY OF MANCHESTER,

1863.

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