REPORT

OF THE

TREASURER,

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR,

AND

TRUSTEES OF THE LIBRARY,

OF THE

TOWN OF AMHERST,

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING MARCH 1st, 1882.

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Dr. Cash received.

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<td>To balance in Treasury March 1, 1881,</td>
<td>$1,026.00</td>
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<td>In hands of Collector for 1874,</td>
<td>376.30</td>
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<td>&quot; &quot; 1880,</td>
<td>2,853.45</td>
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<td>Taxes assessed,</td>
<td>8,573.00</td>
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<td>Interest on taxes for 1880,</td>
<td>12.00</td>
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<tr>
<td>Railroad Tax,</td>
<td>303.85</td>
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<td>Savings Bank Tax,</td>
<td>1,851.31</td>
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<td>Literary Fund,</td>
<td>131.15</td>
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<td>C. Richardson, school money Dist. No. 1,</td>
<td>100.00</td>
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<td>Rent of Town Hall,</td>
<td>115.25</td>
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<td>Lots sold in Cemetery,</td>
<td>12.00</td>
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<td>Interest on Lawrence Fund,</td>
<td>70.00</td>
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<td>Town of Mont Vernon,</td>
<td>23.81</td>
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<td>&quot; &quot; New Boston, equalization on school property,</td>
<td>41.25</td>
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<td>Town of New Boston, school money,</td>
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<td>Interest on taxes for 1881,</td>
<td>9.16</td>
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Cr. By cash paid out.

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<td>State Tax,</td>
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<td>Town Officers,</td>
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<td>Miscellaneous,</td>
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<td>Snow Bills,</td>
<td>694.70</td>
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<td>Roads and bridges,</td>
<td>1,397.54</td>
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<td>Principal and Interest,</td>
<td>1,671.92</td>
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<td>Schools,</td>
<td>2,727.97</td>
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<td>Fire Department,</td>
<td>155.47</td>
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<td>Aid to Mrs. Berry,</td>
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<td>N. K. Holt, for Town Farm,</td>
<td>414.14</td>
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<td>In hands of Collector, 1874,</td>
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<td>628.35</td>
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<td>&quot; &quot; 1881, (W. B. Rotch.)</td>
<td>100.00</td>
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<td>&quot; &quot; Treasurer,</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
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E. A. Parkhurst, labor on highway, $11 65
Chester Shipley, " " 7 75
A. M. Philbrick, " " 4 80
Fred Ford, " " 12 75
Frank W. Mace, " " 8 25
H. S. Boutell, " " 10 82
J. P. Trow, " " 8 47
Isaac Parker " " 9 10
W. L. Cross, " " 46 96
George F. Lynch, " " 35 50
Eben Meserve, " " 22 75
J. A. Skinner, " " 2 50
C. S. White, " " 20 99
Alphens Stevens, " " 19 28
D. A. Peabody, " " 47 24
Jas. Cochran, " " 6 90
Chas. F. Wright, " " 14 30
P. S. Barrett, " " 13 10
F. W. Chase, " " 3 25
G. R. Hartshorn, " " 2 52
Benj. F. Merrill, " in 1879, 6 68
Thos. M. Harvell, " 1880, 6 04
Owen Riley, " " with machine, 65 25
R. T. Knight, " " " " 69 75
Daniel W. Trow, " " " " 130 00
Lucius F. Bills, " " " " 509 25
R. T. Knight, labor and cash paid on highway, 136 06
Luther B. Converse, lighting bridge and labor on highway, 4 45
Granville Parker, labor on highway and bridge, 21 75
Charles Converse, labor on bridge, 6 60
Newton Perham, stone for bridge, 14 10
Thomas M. Harvell, timber for bridge, 5 00
Lucius F. Bills, drawing stone for bridge, 16 00
Frank W. Chase, labor and stone for bridge, $40.05
Frank Hartshorn, lumber for bridge, 34.07
Solomon Prince, labor on highway, 1.98
A. S. Wilkins, " " 6.50
Wm. S. Penaslee, " " 1.50
Daniel W. Trow, " " 4.10
James U. Prince, " " 6.50
R. T. Knight, labor on bridge on common, 3.03

$1,397.54

## SNOW BILLS

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<td>Wm. B. Sargent</td>
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<td>Isaac Parker</td>
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<td>Frank W. Mace</td>
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<td>H. S. Bontell</td>
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<td>Fred Ford</td>
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<td>A. M. Philbrick</td>
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<td>Lucius F. Bills</td>
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<td>Alpheus Stevens</td>
<td>10.54</td>
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<td>E. A. Parkhurst</td>
<td>25.97</td>
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<td>C. S. White</td>
<td>18.85</td>
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<td>R. T. Knight</td>
<td>15.40</td>
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<td>A. B. Woodward</td>
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<td>Chester Shipley</td>
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<td>Thomas M. Harvell</td>
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<td>Joel H. Fisher</td>
<td>6.08</td>
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<td>J. P. Trow</td>
<td>31.69</td>
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<td>John H. Upham</td>
<td>2.35</td>
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<td>Geo. R. Hartshorn</td>
<td>8.03</td>
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<td>Granville Parker</td>
<td>19.05</td>
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<td>W. L. Cross</td>
<td>43.98</td>
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<td>Luther B. Converse</td>
<td>24.37</td>
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<td>Chas. F. Wright</td>
<td>33.45</td>
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<td>F. W. Chase</td>
<td>8.65</td>
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James Cochran, $48 70
Jacob B. Upham, 23 32
D. A. Peabody, 21 32
P. S. Barrett, 11 55
B. B. Whiting, 7 11
Daniel W. Trow, 18 10
Frank Hartshorn, 4 55
A. S. Wilkins, 31 39
John A. Boutell, 9 08
Wm. S. Peaslee, 17 25
Chas. A. Riddle, 38 12
C. J. Crooker, 6 92
James U. Prince, 11 00
H. G. Felton, 2 55

Total: $694 70

PAUPERS OFF THE FARM.

Aid to Mrs. Berry, $10 00

SCHOOLS.

Geo. W. Bosworth, Treasurer of Board of Education, $2,717 29
D. O. Danforth, extra school tax, District No. 11, 10 68

Total: $2,727 97

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST.

Ellen F. McAlvin, interest, $26 00
Frank Hartshorn, principal and interest, 1,548 42
Mary F. Hardy, “ “ “ 10 00
Abel T. Rideout, “ “ “ 16 25
Mary R. Fletcher, “ “ “ 65 00

Total: $1,671 92
FIRE DEPARTMENT.

A. A. Rotch for Lawrence Engine Co., $87 00
W. D. Clark for Yankee Engine Co., 37 50
J. B. Fay, steward, 14 97
Services of Firewards, 16 00

$155 47

TOWN OFFICERS.

Daniel W. Trow, Selectman, $150 00
Mark Putnam, " 100 00
William Pratt, " 110 00
R. T. Knight, Treasurer, 50 00
A. A. Rotch, Town Clerk, 58 00
Wm. B. Rotch, Collector, 75 00
Daniel W. Trow, Overseer of the Poor, 20 00
Mark Putnam, " " " 7 00
William Pratt, " " " 10 00
Thomas M. Harvell, " " " 3 00
Joel F. Osgood, Jr., police officer, 10 00
Geo. W. Bosworth, moderator, 3 00
G. W. Bosworth and P. W. Dodge, auditors, 6 00
W. H. Hubbard, supervisor, 10 00
J. G. Davis, services on Board of Education, 53 85
Geo. W. Bosworth, " " " 34 85
Geo. W. Putnam, 21 00
E. R. Burtt, police, 5 00
Thomas M. Harvell, Selectman, 12 00
Geo. W. Osgood, liquor agent, 100 00

$838 70

MISCELLANEOUS.

Chas. Richardson, insuring town property, $291 95
Daniel A. Peabody, 50 00
Trustees of Town Library, appropriation for Library, $100.00

Henry M. Parker, services in and bills paid for Town House, 89.54
B. B. Whiting, wood for Town House, 12.00
F. K. Boutelle, services as undertaker, 58.25
Edward Finerty, painting and varnishing hearse, 22.00
E. B. Sanborn, advice, 10.00
E. M. Holt, cutting bushes and digging graves, 6.00
Kimball Bros., steel plate for road machine, 8.00
Joel F. Osgood, repairs for road machine, 15.65
Geo. Walker, sharpening tools, 2.25
Chas. M. Walker, painting guide boards, 7.00
John Trevitt, surveying highway, 2.00
Thos. M. Harvell, appraising school property in 1880, 3.00
H. C. Dodge, lead, oil &c., 14.13
Mark Putnam, tax book and paper, 4.07
R. T. Knight, cutting grass on common, 4.00
Calvin Prince, fire bucket, 50.00
A. A. Bills, springs for road machine, 1.65
Frank W. Mace and others, watering places, 65.00
Return of births and deaths, 18.75
Copying, stationery &c., 22.00
A. A. Rotch, notifying jurors, blanks, etc., 8.75
Boylston & Rotch, printing, advertising, etc., 75.50
E. G. Richardson, tuning piano, 3.00
Bounty on crows, 1.60
hawks, 2.20
Abby Wilkins, winnowing mill, 10.00
A. F. Stevens, legal advice, 5.00
R. M. Wallace, expenses to Nashua, Concord 10.00
and Manchester, $15.00
R. T. Knight, care of town clock, 15.00
Discount on taxes, 258.41
Abatements for 1880, 148.36
" " 1881,* 350.25
Non-resident receipt, 2.61

--- $1,720.67

* This includes all taxes on Town property, and notes against the town at low interest.

TOWN DEBT.

Amount of notes against the town, $3,470.00
In Treasurer's hands, 1,540.16
In the several Collectors' hands, 1,104.65
In Liquor Agent's hands, 263.00

--- $2,907.81

Total amount of town debt, $562.19

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT T. KNIGHT, Treasurer.

AMHERST, March 2nd, 1882. We hereby certify that we have examined and audited the foregoing accounts of the town treasurer of the town of Amherst for the present year and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

PERLEY W. DODGE, GEO. W. BOSWORTH, } Auditors.
## REPORT

**OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR,**

*for the year ending March 1, 1882.*

### EXPENDITURES.

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<td>H. E. Woodberry. crockery</td>
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<td>paints,</td>
<td>2 93</td>
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<td>groceries &amp;c.,</td>
<td>1 30</td>
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<td>H. C. Dodge, grass seed</td>
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<td>grain,</td>
<td>4 45</td>
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<td>groceries, paints, etc.</td>
<td>7 58</td>
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<td>A. F. Sawyer, grain,</td>
<td>183 22</td>
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<td>flour, groceries and sundries,</td>
<td>105 42</td>
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<td>W. D. Forsaith, phosphate,</td>
<td>140 63</td>
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<td>groceries and sundries,</td>
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<td>George K. Walker, meat,</td>
<td>29 76</td>
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<td>Foster Brothers, meat, barrel.</td>
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<td>J. H. Holt, pork,</td>
<td>2 52</td>
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<td>Ira Chase fish,</td>
<td>13 39</td>
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<td>crackers and spices,</td>
<td>8 05</td>
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<td>J. B. Fay, tin ware, boiler, etc.,</td>
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<td>Mr. Man, tin ware, brushes, etc.</td>
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<td>Charles Sargent, tin ware, etc.,</td>
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<td>J. F. Osgood, jr., set of wheels and repair wagon,</td>
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<td>rods for barn,</td>
<td>6 25</td>
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<td>horse shoeing and job work,</td>
<td>17 15</td>
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<td>J. G. Pedrick, wood work,</td>
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<td>G. Shannesy, repairing wagon,</td>
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<td>S. D. Herrick, set of bog shoes,</td>
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<td>B. B. Whiting, use of hay tedder,</td>
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<td>Cyrus Cross, oil,</td>
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Prof. A. Snyder, professional shoeing, $6 00
Estate of Willard Hayden, bedding, pork, vinegar, etc, 17 03
H. G. Eaton, repairing cookstove, 3 57
J. J. H. McGregory, garden seeds, 1 00
Nichols, Belman & Co., barbed wire, 7 19
A. A. Gilbert, butter and onions, 4 52
E. T. Nichols, oat straw for beds, 1 25
A. A. Gilson, grinding corn, 15 76
groceries, etc., 9 99
Kidder & Whitney, hinges etc., 1 91
D. S. Burnham, saw, hammer and chain, 3 12
J. E. Webster, spoons, knives and stencil plates, 13 15
E. Finerty, painting wagon, 10 00
W. L. Lovejoy & Co., leathers on wagon, 2 75
L. Tingley, harness, straps, and repairing, 23 90
W. D. Trow, flour and molasses, 8 30
Barr & Co., hungarian seed etc., 15 42
J. A. Ober & Co., robe and horse blankets, 13 00
H. M. Parker, plants, saw filing and whiffletree, 2 10
Dr. Gilson, knife, 25
Frank Hartshorn, eave trough, 72
H. McIntire, medical attendance for Mr. Bissell, 6 50
Clothing, etc., for Mr. Bissell, 13 93
W. H. Dinsmore, medical attendance for Mrs. McClure, 24 50
Goods bought for Mrs. McClure, 5 91
J. A. Boutelle, keeping cows, 15 00
1 pig, 3 00
Sundries bought in Milford and Nashua, 19 33
J. M. Jackson, butchering, 2 50
Joseph Drucker, use of bear, 1 00
David Farley, 1 mare, 125 00
J. H. Fisher, 5 cows, 216 00
D. W. Trow, 2 cows, 80 00
George Danforth, 1 cow, 45 00
G. F. Bartlett, 1 cow, 49 00
S. E. Staples, 4 heifers, 62 00
James S. Parkhurst, 1 bull, 20 00
Bart Ryan, labor to pay for hay, 20 50
Alonzo Shepherd, white washing and labor, $3.25
Willie Winn, labor, 6.00
Freeman B. Spankling, labor, 60.00
Help in house, 61.24
W. A. Woodward, labor, 190.00
N. R. Holt and wife, 300.00
D. Whiting & Sons, grain, flour, and soap, 371.64
D. T. Buttrick, casting and express, 1.05
H. H. Barber, wall paper and cloth, 11.78

$2,498.90

RECEIPTS.

Poor Hay, $61.24
Keeping steers, 6.40
Mowing Machine, 4.00
Barrels, 1.50
Condensed food, 45
Beef, 183.94
Calves, 9.75
Pigs, 105.25
Hides, 9.61
Farrow Cows, 62.00
Use of grove, 4.00
Pork, 11.28
Boards, 38.93
Potatoes, Beets and cabbages, 5.12
Appraising Hayden Estate, 5.00
Pierce & Co's note for stave timber, 101.37
Board of Martha Lindsey, 8.00
Walnuts, 13.12
Eggs, 8.42
Use of Bull, 9.00
Use of farm tools, 1.60
Rags and old copper, 3.77
Man and team, 65.12
Dinner and horse baiting, 75
Milk sold, 5997 cans, $1,365 14
Drew from treasurer, 414 14

$2,498 90

DANIEL W. TROW, Overseers
THOMAS M. HARVELL, of
WILLIAM PRATT, Poor.

We have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

PERLEY W. DODGE, Auditors
GEO. W. BOSWORTH,

Amherst, March 2, 1882.
Inventory of Personal Property at Town Farm.

14 tons English hay, $280 00
16 " stock "
corn fodder, 160 00
meal, 30 00
15 00
25 bush. corn, 25 00
seed corn, 2 00
2 bush. beans, 6 00
3 corn fodder, 30 00
meal, 15 00
25 seed corn, 25 00
25 bush. beans, 2 00
3 horses, 400 00
18 cows, 864 00
young stock, 120 00
5 hogs, 70 00
37 hens, 22 00
1 mowing machine, 70 00
1 horse rake and hoe, 6 00
1 horse rake, 29 00
1 roller, 15 00
6 plows, 50 00
3 harrows, 39 00
2 cultivators, 4 00
1 horse fork and ropes, 12 00
1 hay cutter, 5 00
1 corn sheller, 5 00
3 hand rakes, 1 drag rake, 1 50
6 pitch forks, 3 00
3 shovels, 1 00
3 hoes, 2 potato diggers, 2 00
1 spade, 90
1 post axe, 1 00
1 iron bar, 1 25
3 wood saws, 2 75
3 axes, $2.00
hinges, screws and hasps, 50
hob hook and scalding tub, 75
old iron, 1.00
3 manure forks and hook, 3.00
light wagon, 60.00
1 double harness, 28.00
2 single harnesses, 30.00
1 sleigh, 5.00
wolf robe and blankets, 13.00
1 whip, 1.15
1 lumber wagon, 60.00
1 farm wagon, 25.00
2 carts, 115.00
1 spear, drag and stone body, 5.00
1 traverse runner sled, 35.00
1 ox sled, 7.00
sled shoe patterns, 50
2 yokes, 1.00
1 slide yoke, 6.00
2 horse yokes, 2.00
4 whiffletrees, 2.00
1 evener, 1.00
wheelbarrow and hand sled, 6.00
7 chains, 6.70
scythe and snaths, 2.00
hook and ladders, 8.50
4 baskets, 1.60
1 set dry measures, 75
2 cart spears, 3.00
15 flour barrels, 1.50
fan mill, 10.00
2 vinegar barrels and vinegar, 3.00
bog shoes, 3.50
lumber and shingles, 63.00
2 pair steelyards and 4 augers, 3.00
1 grindstone, 6.00
corn cutters.
1 root cutter, $1 00
4 hammers, screw driver and nippers, 2 25
1 hand saw, 1 25
beetle, wedges and saw set, 1 50
1/4 barrel of flour, 2 00
40 lbs. lard, 6 00
tea, 50
sugar, 1 50
spicés, 1 00
50 bush. potatoes, 50 00
turnips, carrots and beets, 4 00
1 cider barrel, 50
3 gallons pickles, 1 20
31 cans fruit, 6 00
walnuts and butternuts, 1 75
150 lbs. salt pork, 18 00
148 lbs. ham, 17 75
corn beef, 12 00
bags and salt, 3 50
4 stoves, 40 00
2 tea kettles, 1 50
5 iron pots, 3 50
3 flat irons, 1 00
frying pan and kettles, 1 00
1 apple parer, 3 00
brass kettle, 12 00
tin and cooking ware, 11 00
crockery ware and spoon holder, 90
9 tumblers, 2 salters, 13 00
spoons, knives and forks, 25
1 teapot stand, 4 50
5 lamps, 3 lanterns, 7 50
2 oil cans,
stone and earthen jars, 1 45
5 pitchers, 3 00
28 fruit cans, 2 75
1 jug, 60
oil, 60
tallow, $2 50
1 lounge, 8 00
6 cane chairs, 6 00
3 rocking chairs, 3 00
18 chairs, 3 00
4 tables, 10 00
8 light stands, 2 00
5 case of draws, 5 00
clothes horse and dry sink, 2 00
2 wash tubs, 2 00
4 wooden pails, 75
wash boards and bench, 1 00
9 bedsteads, 10 50
1 tea poy, 1 00
clothes line and pins, 50
clothes wringer, 5 00
clothes basket, 75
3 brooms, 50
1 copper boiler, 8 00
matches, 18
2 clocks, 5 00
5 mirrors, 3 00
2 coffee boxes, 50
2 trays, 5 meat barrels, 6 00
2 kegs, 1 50
2 buckets, 1 20
1 meal chest, 2 00
2 cheese safes, 3 00
8 wollen blankets, 4 00
24 cotton sheets, 7 00
43 pillow slips, 4 00
20 quilts and comforters, 16 00
1 bolster, 1 00
20 pillows, 5 00
10 feather beds, 45 00
7 straw ticks, 3 50
1 cotton mattress, 50
2 table covers, 1 50
6 roller towels, $1 25
9 cords of wood,
  window curtains,  22 50
  bibles and other books,  1 25
                      4 00
Total,        $3,208 93
Report of Trustees of the Town Library.

By the appointment of the Selectmen, Rev. J. G. Davis and Mrs. P. W. Dodge, whose term of service expired in March, 1881, continue in office for the current year.

Mr. J. E. Upton, Mrs. Saml. D. Herrick, Term of service expires 1882.

Mr. James F. Weston, Miss L. B. Myrick, Term of service expires, 1883.

The membership of the Board remains unchanged, but four persons should be elected at the next annual meeting of the Town to fill the vacancies that occur in March.

The Library has been kept open for the benefit of our citizens on every Saturday afternoon during the year. No books have been lost, and no serious damage to the books is reported. Few books have been retained beyond the established limits, one hundred and seventeen families have drawn books, and the whole number loaned was seventeen hundred and eighteen, an average issue of thirty-three volumes per week.

During the year sixty-two volumes have been purchased and placed in the Library at an expense of $67.42, and twelve volumes and two pamphlets have been presented to the Library, viz:

Sketch of Rev. Silas Aiken, by Dr. Aiken.
Progress and Poverty. Donor unknown.
Schawtka's Search. Donor unknown.
Life and Times of Goethe, by Mrs. James McGregor of Boston.
The Daughter of an Egyptian King, by Mrs. Geo. A. Spalding of New York City.
First Annual Report of Board of Health, Lunacy and Charity of Mass., 1879, and 11th Report of State Board of Health of
Dartmouth Memorials of Judges recently deceased, 1880, by
Rev. J. G. Davis.

Reports of the Commissioner of Agriculture, 1879 and 1880,
New Hampshire Agriculture 1879, Contagious Diseases of Do-
menic Animals 1880-81, 4 vols., by A. A. Rotch, Esq.

Fragrant Memories, by E. D. Boylston, Esq.

Self Culture, Rev. Freeman Clark d. d., by Mrs. Wm. Blan-
chard of Boston.

The Library now contains nine hundred and thirty volumes,
most of them in good condition and adapted to general read-
ing. More than ten years have elapsed since a complete cata-
logue was published. The number of readers would undoubt-
edly increase if all the volumes with their appropriate titles
were printed in one catalogue. As the matter now is, few per-
sons have sufficient knowledge of what the Library contains to
avail themselves of its treasures. If the Town should decide
to make an appropriation to pay the cost of printing, we think
that the labor required in the preparation of a new catalogue
would be furnished gratuitously.

The following summary is from the report of the Treasurer
Miss Myrick.

Cr.—By balance in the treasury, $4 45
    Cash from the town, 100 00
    Loan of books and fines, 2 32

Dr.—To binding and repair of books, $4 10
    Books purchased, see bills on file, 67 42
    Granite Monthly and Harper's Mag., 5 10
    Services of Librarian, 25 00
    Postage and Miscellaneous expenses, 1 26
    Balance on hand, 3 89

$106 77

Amherst, March 1, 1882.