

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
COMMISSIONERS
OF THE
COURTY OF STRAFFORD,
TOGETHER WITH THE
REPORTS OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF THE COUNTY FARM, TREASURER, JAILER,
PHYSICIAN, SOLICITOR, SHERIFF AND CLERK
OF THE COURTS.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1887.

DOVER, N. H.
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REPORTS

OF THE

COUNTY CONVENTIONS.

Agreeably to an act of the Legislature passed June Session 1885, relating to the reports of the county officers, and providing for the publication of the proceedings of County Conventions, we submit the following report:

CONCORD, N. H., June 10, 1885.

Stafford County Convention met in convention agreeable to previous notice.

Meeting was called to order by James A. Edgerly of Somersworth.

Andrews of Somersworth was chosen chairman and Hall of Farmington was chosen clerk of the convention.

The County Commissioners were present and offered their estimate for the county taxes for the ensuing two years for the consideration of the convention.

The County Commissioners presented the report of County Treasurer which was read by the clerk and accepted by the convention.

Voted that the commissioners estimate for county taxes for the ensuing two years be laid on the table for future action.

Voted to adjourn to the call of the chairman.

JOHN F. HALL, CLERK.

CONCORD, N. H., June 30, 1885.

Convention called to order by the chairman, Mr. Andrews.

Voted to ask leave of the House for Friday, July 3, for the purpose of visiting the County Farm at Dover, N. H., to leave Concord at 7. 30 A. M. of said day, the clerk to notify the superintendent of said farm, the old board of commissioners, also the present board of commissioners-elect.

Voted to defer the election of auditors until Friday, July 3.

Voted that the chairman appoint a committee of three to look over the affairs of the county and recommend some plan, if thought best, in regard to the present surplus of funds on hand.

The chairman appointed Messrs. Wallace of Rochester, Tolles of Somersworth and Weeks of Barrington.

Voted to adjourn to the call of the chairman.

A. D. TOLLES, CLERK PRO-TEM.

A true copy—attest:

JOHN F. HALL, CLERK.

CONCORD, N. H., July 1, 1885.

Strafford County delegation called to order by the chairman.

Voted to reconsider the vote to meet at the County Farm on Friday July 3.

Voted to visit the farm on Monday, July 13.

Voted that the clerk be instructed to invite the senators and councillors of the county to attend with the delegation.

Voted to adjourn.

A. D. TOLLES, CLERK PRO-TEM.

A true copy—attest.

JOHN F. HALL, CLERK.

DOVER, N. H., July 13, 1885.

Strafford County delegation met at the County Farm and was called to order by the chairman.

Voted not to elect auditors at this time.

Voted thanks to the commissioners, superintendent and matron for their hospitality.

Voted to adjourn to the call of the chairman.

A. D. TOLLES, CLERK PRO-TEM.

A true copy—attest :

JOHN F. HALL, CLERK.

CONCORD, N. H., July 22, 1885.

Strafford County delegation met in convention at 1.30 o'clock, P. M., at the call of the chairman.

Record of the last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Mr. Edgerly of Somersworth, and seconded by Mr. Wallace of Rochester, that the appropriations for the years 1886 and 1887 respectively, be the sum of thirty thousand dollars for each year.

Voted to raise a county tax of thirty thousand dollars for the year 1886.

Voted to raise a county tax of thirty thousand dollars for the year 1887.

Voted to adjourn until Thursday next at 1.30 o'clock P. M.

JOHN F. HALL, CLERK.

CONCORD, N. H., July 23, 1885.

Strafford County delegation met this day at 1.30 o'clock P. M., at the call of the chairman.

On motion of Mr. Redfield, voted to proceed to the election of auditors, and Charles P. Andrews of Somersworth and Joseph B. Quaid of Dover, were elected auditors for the two years ensuing.

On motion of Mr. Manson, voted to adjourn to the call of the chairman.

CHARLES H. LOONEY, CLERK PRO-TEM.

A true copy—attest :

JOHN F. HALL, CLERK.

CONCORD, N. H., August 6, 1885.

Strafford County delegation met in convention at the call of the chairman at 1.30 o'clock, P. M.

Record of the last meeting read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Edgerly of Somersworth,—

Voted that the County Commissioners be authorized and requested to allow the city of Dover to make all necessary repairs upon the present court house at the expense of said city of Dover.

On motion of Mr. Manson to reconsider the vote to appropriate thirty thousand dollars for each year 1886 and 1887, respectively, was lost, seven voting in the affirmative and fifteen in the negative.

Voted to adjourn to the call of the chairman.

JOHN F. HALL, CLERK.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

The Commissioners of the County of Strafford herewith submit their annual report for the year ending May 1, 1887, together with the reports of the Superintendent of the County Farm, Chaplain, Physician, Sheriff, Jailor, Solicitor, Treasurer, Auditors and Clerk of Supreme Court.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE COUNTY.

The expenditures of the County for the last three years were as follows :

1884.....	\$47,040 58
1885.....	44,882 19
1886.....	43,082 69

The appropriations for the same years :

1884.....	\$50,000
1885.....	50,000
1886.....	30,000

While the expenditures of the County for the year 1886 are eighteen hundred dollars less than the preceding year, and about four thousand dollars less than that of 1884, the report of the Treasurer for the present year will show an increased indebtedness of nearly twelve thousand dollars, (\$11,917 12.) This is simply due to the light appropriation of 1886. If the County Convention had appropriated (\$50,000) fifty thousand dollars for that year instead of (30,000) thirty thousand, the decrease of the debt would have been upwards of eight thousand dollars.

There has been five thousand dollars (\$5,000) four per cent., and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) six per cent. bonds called in during the year, and twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500) of the same paid, the balance, twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) will in all probability be paid by June 1, 1887. With only seven thousand two hundred and thirty-five dollars and fifty cents (\$7,235 50) in the treasury, and the County taxes unpaid until December 1, 1887, with an average monthly expense of at least thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500), we shall be called upon to borrow ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for four months time this year, and a much larger sum for 1888. With an average annual expenditure of at least forty-four thousand dollars (\$44,000), with bonds maturing to the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per annum for the years 1887 and 1888, and with the increased indebtedness caused by the light appropriations of 1886 and 1887, we would recommend that the County Convention make a liberal appropriation for the next two years.

PAUPERS OFF THE FARM.

There has been an increase of about two thousand dollars for the year ending April 30, 1887, over that for the year ending April 30, 1886, for the support of this class of paupers. This increase was not unexpected. The act passed by the last Legislature for the benefit of disabled soldiers, has cost the County upwards of three thousand dollars for the year past. However just and right this law may be, there has been instances in this County within the last eighteen months, where it has been fearfully abused. A little more discussion on the part of the Overseers of the Poor would help remedy this evil.

COUNTY FARM.

With the exception of the Asylum, there has not been any changes made in the management at the Farm. In this department Mr. Gero retired in favor of Mr. G. Fox Guppy. Several improvements have been made during the year.

COUNTY FARM.

Estimated value of Farm Buildings and fixtures	
May 1, 1887.....	\$50,000 00

INVENTORY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

LIVE STOCK.

4 horses	\$575 00
6 oxen.....	470 00
24 cows.....	1080 00
1 bull.....	40 00
1 heifer	20 00
6 calves.....	42 00
15 hogs	308 00
11 shoats.....	106 00
16 pigs.....	52 00
70 hens	35 00
6 turkeys.....	9 00
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	\$2737 00

Live stock.....	\$2737 00
Wood, lumber and coal.....	1078 00
Wagons, sleighs and carts.....	486 50
Harness and blankets.....	109 40
Asylum.....	390 41
Windmill and hay scales.....	675 00
Hay, straw and ice.....	950 25
Miscellaneous	407 95
Manure and superphosphate.....	544 00
Potatoes, grain and seeds.....	659 92
Agricultural implements, carpenters and blacksmiths' tools.....	850 14
Flour and groceries.....	725 09
Pork	218 13

Clothing, boots, shoes, hats, caps, etc.	\$783 34
Medicine.....	67 82
Commissioners' office.....	46 10
Men's sleeping rooms.....	1068 05
Barber shop.....	31 37
Attic, smoking room and prisoners' dining cell..	114 10
Parlor.....	186 72
Office.....	86 10
Inmates' dining rooms.....	195 90
Superintendent's kitchen.....	147 49
Superintendent's sleeping room.....	83 50
Commissioners' sleeping room.....	77 85
Dining room.....	167 64
Seamstress, teachers, cook's and spare rooms...	156 30
Sewing room and contents.....	123 90
Closets, bath and spare room.....	64 60
Wash and ironing room.....	107 34
Creamery	157 55
Meat	58 05
Kitchen.....	171 90
Store room.....	72 92
Bread room.....	36 29
Chapel.....	68 50
Cook room.....	91 82
School room.....	46 47
Woman's sleeping rooms.....	1021 65
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RECEIPTS BY THE SUPERINTENDENT.

1886.

May 1	Use of bull, J. Cole.....	\$ 1 00
4	Hides, E. G. & E. Wallace....	8 51
6	Calf, S. Page.....	3 00
	Use of scales, J. Locke.....	15

May 13	Pig, S. N. Wentworth.....	\$10 00	
14	1 day's labor, O. Locke.....	3 00	
	Potatoes	2 00	
18	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	4 42	
19	1 yoke oxen and 1 cow.....	225 00	
20	Use of scales, A. Houston.....	10	
21	Pig, H. F. Cottle.....	4 00	
2	2 pigs, E. M. Drew.....	6 50	
		<hr/>	267 68
June 1	Pig, L. Hall.....	3 50	
3	Pig, E. M. Hall.....	3 50	
	2 pigs, J. Wentworth.....	6 50	
	Pig, B. Dore.....	6	
	Pig, S. Henderson.....	3 25	
	3 pigs, A. F. Varney.....	10 00	
7	Pig, James Lewis.....	5 00	
	Pig, H. Tasker.....	3 50	
9	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	3 83	
15	Pig, I. Berry.....	16 50	
17	Use of scales, D. Locke.....	10	
18	16 $\frac{3}{4}$ bush. potatoes, P. McMahon	6 95	
	Board and clothes E. Tolman,		
	George Lyman.....	42 00	
21	Pig, C. Watson.....	3 75	
	Pig, Geo. Wentworth.....	3 75	
	Calves, E. Berry.....	20 34	
23	Potatoes, P. McManus.....	4 80	
	Calf, S. Page.....	2 00	
	Board, M. B. Tanner.....	6 00	
		<hr/>	151 27
July 3	2 pigs, C. S. Hill.....	8 00	
7	Potatoes, P. McManus.....	2 50	
8	Pig, J. W. Wingate.....	6 00	
	Use of scales, Henderson.....	10	
	Use of bull, J. Trickey.....	1 00	
12	Board, M. B. Tanner.....	6 00	
15	Butter, A. T. Pierce.....	20 49	

July 16	2 pigs, D. Wentworth.....	\$6 00	
26	Tallow, L. Beach.....	2 24	
		<hr/>	52 33
Aug. 3	2 pigs, C. Twombly.....	8 00	
4	2 pigs, S. Ham.....	10 00	
5	1 pig, H. Sayward.....	5 00	
7	2 pigs,.....	8 00	
	10 pigs, J. N. Wentworth.....	27 00	
	Board, M. B. Tanner.....	6 00	
16	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	3 85	
17	Use of scales, K. Young.....	15	
23	Pig, E. Bradley.....	5 00	
28	Board Martin Moran, James Quinn.....	50 00	
		<hr/>	123 00
Sept. 1	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace....	4 30	
10	Use of scales, Geo. Watson....	10	
17	Use of scales, E. Young.....	10	
18	Pig, F. Plummer.....	6 00	
20	Board, Geo. Bennett.....	8 00	
	Board, M. B. Tanner.....	8 58	
21	2 pigs, J. Grimes.....	9 00	
	Use of scales, W. Grover.....	10	
27	Pig, P. McCabe.....	6 00	
29	Onions, E. Whitehouse.....	2 00	
	Onions, P. McManus.....	2 00	
		<hr/>	46 18
Oct. 2	2 pigs, J. E. Watson.....	10 00	
7	Pig, H. Henderson.....	5 00	
	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	4 83	
	2 pigs, M. Gage.....	4 50	
18	1 pig, J. F. Goodwin.....	1 00	
21	1 Hhd., G. D. Watson.....	1 00	
22	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	4 85	
26	10 bbls., Geo. S. Meader.....	1 50	
29	Pig, J. Seavey.....	4 00	
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Nov. 3	4 pigs, W. S. Hayes.....	\$27 00	
4	Use of boar, I. Bunker.....	1 00	
	2 bush. onions, P. McManus....	2 00	
	Use of scales, A. Houston.....	10	
	Use of bull, E. Ham.....	1 00	
	Use of scales, M. Meader.....	10	
12	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	5 10	
18	Pig, L. Thompson.....	5 50	
23	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	5 10	
	85 bbls. apples, C. W. Rollins...	106 25	
24	2 pigs, H. F. Cater.....	6 00	
26	Use of boar.....	1 00	
30	6 pigs, B. F. Hanson.....	30 00	
	2 pigs, W. D. Watson.....	5 50	
		<hr/>	195 65
Dec. 3	Pigs, Pierce & Cushman.....	42 00	
6	Board, Martin Hanson.....	1 68	
9	2 hides, E. G. & E. Wallace....	14 00	
11	2 pigs, I. B. Bickford.....	5 00	
17	1 pig, J. F. Torr.....	3 00	
	2 pigs, C. A. Jones.....	9 50	
21	1 pig, W. H. Guppy.....	6 00	
	3 hides, E. G. & E. Wallace....	21 00	
22	Beef and calves, E. Berry.....	166 79	
24	Use of boar, J. Hall.....	1 00	
	Barrels, B. F. Hanson.....	4 25	
	2 pigs, A. B. Locke.....	12 00	
		<hr/>	286 22
1887			
Jan. 4	2 pigs, C. H. Whipple.....	8 00	
	Board and clothes, E. Tolman, G. Lyman.....	44 00	
5	Use of scales, E. Young.....	20	
6	Use of boar, D. Wentworth....	1 00	
10	Board, Martin Hanson.....	9 28	
13	Onions, Coleman & Cushing....	3 00	
18	Use of boar, I. Varney.....	1 00	
19	Board, Martin Moran.....	53 00	

Jan. 20	Use of scales, J. Hall.....	\$ 20	
	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	6 11	
	6 shoats, Buelduc & Thurston...	37 50	
22	Use of boar, J. Hayes.....	1 00	
27	2 pigs, J. Cole.....	10 00	
		<hr/>	174 29
Feb. 1	2 pigs, M. O'Donnell.....	13 00	
	1 pig, R. M. Hersom.....	8 00	
15	12 bbls. apples, J. McDuffee....	21 00	
7	Use of boar,	1 00	
9	Shoat, W. Flagg.....	9 00	
	Shoat, Babb.....	7 00	
12	Use of scales, E. Young.....	10	
14	Hay, Moses Meader.....	4 60	
	Use of scales, Moses Meader...	15	
23	Calf, J. H. Leighton.....	3 00	
		<hr/>	66 85
Mar. 2	1 bushel onions, E. Whitehouse.	1 00	
	5 $\frac{3}{4}$ bush. onions, Churbuck.....	5 75	
19	5 bush. onions, Churbuck.....	5 00	
24	2 pigs, P. McManus.....	10 00	
	3 bush. onions, M. Killoren.....	3 00	
29	2 Calves, H. Vyth.....	2 60	
	3 bush. onions.....	3 00	
		<hr/>	29 75
April 6	460 lbs. hay.....	3 90	
18	2 hides, E. G. & E. Wallace....	6 60	
21	Use of boar, Geo. Page.....	1 00	
22	5 bush. onions, J. Grimes.....	5 00	
25	4 " " Coleman & Co..	4 00	
	Shoat, " "	10 00	
27	Board, Mary Nutter, H. Nutter.	78 00	
	Board, Geo. Gerrish, E. Bartlett.	91 75	
28	Onions, W. M. Courser.....	15 35	
	Onions, eggs and butter, E. V. Brewster.....	18 76	
	Calf, E. Berry.....	5 25	

Apr. 28	Board, Martin Moran.....	\$80 00	
	Hide, E. G. & E. Wallace.....	4 74	
	Pig, I. Locke.....	6 00	
	Cash on old bill, I. Thompson..	6 00	
29	8 pigs, J. N. Wentworth.....	44 00	
	Potatoes and onions, J. Lowell..	21 43	
	32 lbs. butter, G. W. Gray.....	8 00	
	Board, Mary Cotter and child....	16 28	
		<hr/>	426 06
	Amount received during the year.....	\$1,855 96	
	“ paid out.....	182 89	
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	Balance.....	\$1,673 07	

PAYMENTS BY SUPERINTENDENT.

1886.			
May 4	Bates & Blaisdell.....	\$ 30	
	Boston Clothing Co.....	3 48	
	8 Postage stamps.....	1 00	
18	Onion seed and express.....	4 30	
29	Dr. Seavey.....	3 00	
31	Fare to Farming'n, Hattie Horne	35	
	Dinner, Pat. Farley.....	50	
		<hr/>	12 93
June 7	Postage stamps.....	1 00	
	Railroad tickets.....	1 05	
24	Fare to Rochester and return...	40	
26	Strawberries.....	1 15	
27	Shirt-fronts, A. Frazier.....	1 76	
		<hr/>	5 36
July 1	Rote teeth.....	80	
4	P. O. bill.....	25	
8	Screen cloth.....	50	
13	Ex. to Rochester and return....	1 70	

July 13	Postage stamps.....	1 10	
15	Mending tin-ware.....	50	
26	Fish, A. B. Robinson.....	66	
	Soap, L. Beach.....	9 36	
	R. R. tickets.....	45	
28	Paper wrappers.....	28	
31	Harrow teeth, W. M. Chesley..	8 15	
	Horse collar.....	70	
		<hr/>	24 45
Aug. 7	Locks.....	75	
13	Comb.....	20	
17	R. R. tickets.....	60	
		<hr/>	1 55
Sept. 1	Plank for Harrow.....	50	
4	Harrow teeth and bolts.....	1 50	
6	R. R. tickets, L. & S. Moses...	20	
11	Postage stamps.....	1 00	
18	Ribbon, burial purpose.....	40	
	Apple machine.....	75	
21	Brimstone, S. H. Foye.....	1 25	
30	Fair tickets, inmates.....	3 85	
		<hr/>	9 45
Oct. 2	44 gal vinegar, J. E. Watson...	8 80	
6	Vinegar bbl., J. Hurd.....	1 00	
7	Nails.....	50	
	Ex. getting N. Jones.....	4 00	
11	Baskets.....	40	
12	Insect powder.....	1 00	
15	Extract Lemon.....	1 00	
22	Postage stamps.....	1 00	
27	Foundry Co.....	1 53	
	Listing.....	50	
		<hr/>	19 73
Nov. 12	Repairing Plow, T. B. Hussey..	2 35	
	Horse's dinner.....	25	
	Repairing plow, I. B. Varney...	2 00	
16	Mirror and Farmer.....	1 00	

Nov.24	R. R. tickets.....	\$ 75	
29	Telephone to Farmington.....	40	
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Dec. 3	Glass, B. F. Kennard.....	60	
6	R. R. tickets.....	30	
13	Ex. sending Phebe Bouchee to Canada	17 02	
	Foundry Co.....	40	
14	N. H. Statesman.....	1 25	
18	R. R. tickets.....	1 05	
20	Butchering oxen, H. Roberts...	2 00	
21	Ex. sending Addie Jones to Northfield.....	1 90	
	Postage stamps.....	1 25	
22	Eben Berry, meat.....	2 88	
	Cloth.....	60	
24	Making cider, I. Varney.....	7 32	
31	Ex. to Rochester and return....	50	
		<hr/>	37 07
1887			
Jan. 4	Expense to Gt. Falls.....	25	
5	Butts	24	
	Brush.....	22	
	Yeast.....	20	
22	Indelible ink.....	50	
25	Grinding wheat.....	80	
		<hr/>	2 21
Feb. 1	Telephone to Waltham.....	29	
	R. R. tickets.....	15	
2	Postage stamps.....	1 00	
	Postal cards.....	25	
21	Ex. bringing Azro Stone from Concord.....	8 70	
23	Leather, I. B. Williams & Sons..	90	
	R. R. tickets.....	1 05	
25	Ax helves.....	2 40	
		<hr/>	14 74
Mar.10	Clams, C. H. Moody.....	2 00	

Mar. 24	Leather, Winslow & Rollins....	\$ 1 00	
	R. R. tickets.....	30	
		<hr/>	3 30
Apr. 6	P. O. bill 25, R. R. tickets 1.05	1 30	
14	Ex. getting John Watson.....	3 65	
16	Telephone.....	25	
19	H. F. Wood, funeral service....	2 00	
20	Ex. to Portsmouth, James Caton	2 50	
21	Buckwheat, W. Nason,.....	3 60	
	Postage stamps.....	1 00	
25	Ticket to Boston, E. Clark.....	2 00	
26	Ex. returning A. Stone, B. Lord	4 00	
	Cash paid inmates.....	20 10	
28	Ex. to Kennebunk and return...	1 85	
	Burners and chimneys, M. Conlon	3 10	
		<hr/>	45 35
	Amount paid out during year...	182 89	

REPORT OF THE COUNTY FARM
SUPERINTENDENT.

PRODUCTS OF THE FARM FOR THE YEARS 1886 AND 1887, THE
WEIGHTS AND MEASURES BEING ESTIMATED.

	Tons.	lbs.
Hay.....	128	375
Wheat straw.....	2	
Oat straw.....	18	
Barley cut for fodder.....	3	
Corn fodder.....	85	
Cabbage.....	6	
Squash.....	1	
Pumpkins.....	3	
Corn.....	705	bush.
Sweet corn.....	90	
Potatoes.....	1556	

Beets for table.....	60 bush.
Beets for cattle.....	150
Onions.....	200
Beans.....	28
Green beans.....	60
Green peas.....	40
Cucumbers.....	25
Turnips.....	75
Parsnips.....	20
Carrots.....	100
Oats.....	306
Wheat.....	65
Buckwheat.....	15
Apples, No. 1.....	140 bbls.
Apples, No. 2.....	200 bush.
Figs.....	133
Calves.....	20
Butter.....	2826 lbs.
Poultry.....	313
Beef.....	1374
Pork.....	5090
Eggs.....	275 doz.

PAUPERS BOARDED AT THE FARM.

BARRINGTON.

Age.		Weeks.	Days.
53	Burnham, Ingalls.....	52	1
37	Gray, Ira.....	2	
67	Hall, Phebe.....	49	4
46	Hayes, William.....		4
43	Leathers, Huldah.....	52	1
26	Marden, Frank.....	4	5
78	Moses, Leonard.....	1	4
68	Moses, Sarah.....	1	4
26	Shorey, Lilla.....	52	1

Ags.		Weeks.	Days
48	Swain, Dudley.....	52	1
61	Twombly, William.....	52	1
30	Webber, Elizabeth.....	52	1
24	Willey, Charles.....	15	6
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		388	5

DOVER.

Age.		Weeks.	Days
1	Bernier, William.....	11	4
10	Bolo, John W.....	52	1
1	Bouchee, Annie.....	21	
25	Bouchee, Phebe.....	21	
Inf.	Bruneau, Maggie.....	45	1
20	Buckley, Kate.....	20	5
Inf.	Buckley, Mabel.....	4	2
22	Burke, John.....	1	5
40	Burke, Michael.....	2	5
7	Burwell, Harry.....	29	4
45	Casey, Michael.....	52	1
18	Casey, Willie.....	9	1
22	Cassidy, Edward.....	52	1
48	Caten, James.....	6	5
42	Chamberlain, Charles.....	52	1
34	Clark, Edward.....	1	1
52	Conley, James.....	52	1
45	Conley, James.....	5	5
70	Cooke, Sarah.....	9	1
3	Cormier, Clementine.....	4	5
1	Cormier, Clement.....	4	5
27	Cormier, Mary Ann.....	4	5
6	Cormier, Olive.....	4	5
34	Corson, Emma.....	52	1
7	Cowen, Arthur.....	8	5
31	Cowen, Bridget.....	8	5
17	Cowen, Everett.....	1	1
3	Cowen, Francis.....	8	5

Age.		Weeks.	Days
18	Cunningham, Francis.....	1	1
69	Davis, Lydia.....		6
2	Davis, Mary E..	2	5
40	Decoff, Nancie.....	3	2
24	Devine, John.....	1	1
65	Dobbins, James.	4	3
29	Duffee, Kate..	52	1
50	Earle, John.....	3	1
65	Farley, Patrick.....	52	1
24	Farrell, John	3	
8	Ferron, John W.....	52	1
35	Ferron, Joseph.....	1	1
6	Ferron, Joseph, Jr.....	52	1
	Ferron, Mary.....	52	1
10	Ferron, Sarah.....	52	1
56	French, John.....	52	1
45	Gale, Daniel.....	52	1
56	Getchell, Abram.....	52	1
39	Golden, Michael.....	23	3
12	Grant, Fred.....	4	5
47	Grant, Lucien.....	5	4
55	Gray, Almira.....	52	1
41	Green, Jesse.....	52	1
71	Grimes, Kate.....	39	3
53	Haley, Catherine.....	4	5
5	Hall, Mary	9	6
8	Hall, Thomas.....		2
70	Haughey, Edward.....	38	4
23	Hawkins, Abbie.....		6
4	Hawkins, Grace.....	52	1
60	Hawkins, Hannah.....	52	1
6	Hawkins, Mabel.....	52	1
82	Hawkins, Mary.	24	6
41	Hawkins, Mary A.....	52	1
27	Hestie, William.....	5	6
38	Hayes, Elizabeth...	52	1
3	Hayes, Elizabeth 2d.....	52	1

Age.		Weeks.	Days
54	Hayes, Enoch	30	4
5	Hayes, Enoch, Jr.....	52	1
24	Hayes, Fred.....	6	1
2	Hayes, Mary Etta.....	52	1
13	Hayes, Willie.....	52	1
73	Hilliard, Henry.....		3
10	Hughes, Annie.....	8	4
56	Hughes, Catherine.....	48	5
34	Hughes, Ellen	5	
40	Hughes, Henry.....	1	2
12	Hughes, Henry Jr.....		4
8	Hughes, Tressa.....	8	4
10	Hutchins, Frank.....	10	3
14	Hutchins, Willie.....	1	1
29	Jones, Charles E.....	5	
70	Jones, William W.....	6	4
40	Joyce, John.....	48	5
52	Kenney, Martha.....	52	1
75	Keenan, Frank.....	1	1
32	Leo, John.....	16	6
45	Letouneaux, Theophelus.....	3	6
84	Madden, Michael.....	52	1
67	Mahoney, Catherine.....	2	
77	Mahoney, Thomas.....	35	1
37	Mallon, John.....	2	1
24	Marden, Nellie.....	52	1
1	Marden, Harry.....	52	1
3	Marden, Percy.....	52	1
32	McCone, Lizzie	52	1
39	McCone, Mary Ann.....	52	1
39	McDermott, Ann.....	52	1
42	McDonald, James.....	27	2
32	McDonald, Robert.....	18	3
53	McDonald, Thomas.....	4	3
52	McKernan, John.....	22	3
32	McKernan, Mary.....	9	6
Inft.	McIntire, Charles.....	23	

Age.		Weeks.	Days
52	McLaughlin, Michael.....	30	5
69	McNally, Patrick.....	46	
66	Meehan, Catherine.....	52	1
9	Meehan, John.....	52	1
5	Meehan, James.....	52	1
41	Meehan, Margaret.....	52	1
11	Moore, Fred.....	2	5
60	Moran, Martin.....	52	1
37	Mullen, Robert.....	30	2
41	Murray, Owen.....	52	1
61	Murray, Patrick.....	4	4
44	Murphy, John.....	52	1
73	Nute, Isaac.....	31	6
46	O'Niel, Margaret.....	24	
38	O'Niel, William.....	52	1
47	Page, Maria.....	52	1
71	Perkins, William.....	21	1
12	Pitman, Charles.....	28	6
35	Pitman, Grace.....	30	6
10	Pitman, John.....	32	4
7	Pitman, Mabel.....	30	6
75	Quinn, Mary.....	21	6
32	Rafferty, James.....	2	5
46	Rowe, Jesse.....	52	1
19	Rowe, Walter.....	24	2
58	Ryan, Patrick.....	23	
31	Scriggins, Frank.....	52	1
23	Sullivan, Abbie.....	12	5
Inft.	Sullivan, Jennie.....	11	1
34	Sullivan, John.....	11	3
8	Sullivan, John.....	13	5
26	Sullivan, Julia.....	1	3
25	Sullivan, Mary.....	13	5
84	Stamford, Bridget.....	6	1
Inft. twin.	Sylvester, Lizzie.....	17	2
Inft. twin.	Sylvester, Rosa.....	17	2
81	Tanner, Mariam.....	19	5

Age.		Weeks.	Days
67	Taylor, Peter.....	1	3
Inf.	Tibbetts, Eugene.....	14	2
76	Tuttle, David.....	52	1
46	Walker, Warren.....	36	6
53	Warnock, Mary.....	52	1
81	Watson, Christiana.....	52	1
64	Witham, Catherine.....	52	1
38	York, Gilman J.....	2	2
Whole number.....		3884	3

 DURHAM.

Age.		Weeks.	Days
38	Chesley, William.....	52	1
81	Edgerly, Elijah.....	52	1
37	Meehan, Martha.....	52	1
59	Watson, John.....	52	1
		208	4

 FARMINGTON.

Age.		Weeks.	Days
19	Bolo Charles.....	9	3
55	Cresby, Christopher.....	52	1
20	French, Burt.....	8	5
88	Decatur, Cornelius.....	52	1
8	Horne, Mary.....	37	5
12	Jones, Addie.....	9	3
21	Jones, Ulysses.....	52	1
35	Nutter, Mary.....	52	1
27	Tibbetts, Angie.....	52	1
7	Tibbetts, Carrie.....	52	1
81	Tuttle, Mark.....	52	1
32	Wedgwood, Sylvanus.....	6	
10	Wiley, Frank.....	52	1

Age.		Weeks	Days
20	Young, Gertrude.....	9	5
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		498	1

LEE.

Age.		Weeks	Days
80	Durrell, Daniel.....	8	4
63	Gerrish, George.....	52	1
50	Maglathlin, Charles H.....	51	3
66	Penneyre, Samuel.....	11	6
36	Wilson, Mary.....	52	1
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		176	1

MADBURY.

Age.		Weeks	Days
73	Brown, Samuel.....	52	1
71	Burnham, Winthrop.....	52	1
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		104	2

MILTON.

Age.		Weeks	Days
81	Bragdon, John.....	52	1
30	Hanson, Martin.....	9	5
93	Tolman, Edward.....	39	3
53	Twindle, Nora.....	52	1
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		153	3

MIDDLETON.

Age.		Weeks	Days
3	Horne, George.....	4	3
11	Horne, Hattie.....	4	3
28	Horne, Laura.....	4	3
8	Horne, Minnie L.....	4	3
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		17	5

NEW DURHAM.

Age.		Weeks.	Days
28	Dansereault, Francis H.....	52	1
92	Tibbetts, Joseph.....		3
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		52	4

ROLLINSFORD.

Age.		Weeks.	Days
45	Carr, Ann.....	52	1
43	Hartford, Charles.....	33	4
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		85	5

ROCHESTER.

Age.		Weeks	Days
48	Avery, Susan.....	44	
19	Beledeau, Thomas.....	52	1
23	Brahaney, Martin.....		4
67	Dame, Luther.....	52	1
58	Furgerson, Reuben.....	1	
20	Gilbert, Peter.....	2	6
20	Gordon, John.....	1	
47	Guppey, George F.....	18	5
72	Henderson, Susan.....	52	1
30	Herbert, Thomas.....	1	1
68	Howard, Almira.....	52	1
68	Jeness, Melinda.....	52	1
105	Kenney, Mary.....	8	3
24	Laflamme, Ardelle.....	52	1
21	Lee, George.....		4
92	Mason, Ellen.....	52	1
12	McDonald, Nellie.....	5	4
78	Miller, Jonathan.....	29	6
31	Moore, Dennis.....	25	5
46	Morton, George.....	1	
23	Page, Frank.....	52	1

Age.		Weeks.	Days
65	Pickering, Elizabeth.....	52	1
38	Preston, Charles E.....	4	5
35	Sanborn, Ruth.....	52	1
74	Smith, Sarah A.....	52	1
28	Stone, Azro E.....	9	6
38	Sweatt, Sarah E.....	23	1
40	Taylor, Lewis B.....	5	1
24	Timmons, James.....		1
50	Waterhouse, Betsey.....	52	1
60	Watson, Jonathan.....	30	
48	White, Charles.....	6	3
25	Wiley, Emma.....	52	1
20	Wiley, William E.....		4
		898	2

SOMERSWORTH.

Age.		Weeks.	Days
29	Allard, Frank.....	1	5
31	Annis, Charles.....	5	1
22	Armstrong, William.....	4	4
24	Bernier, Hilda.....	11	4
73	Bickford, Hannah.....	52	1
58	Blanchard, Peter.....	4	4
40	Brown, John.....	52	1
25	Bruneau, Sara.....	47	4
38	Burnham, Richard.....	3	6
3	Clay, Flora Belle.....	52	1
38	Connors, Ellen.....	52	1
37	Conley, Michael.....	8	1
26	Cotter, Mary.....	5	3
7	Cotter, Mary 2d.....	5	3
66	Curtain, Margaret.....	52	1
38	Dasha, Florence.....	1	3
42	Dasha, Michael.....	11	5
30	Davis, George.....	52	1

Age.		Weeks.	Days
33	Dunn, John	33	4
3	Dunn, Joseph	33	4
50	Durgin, Ann.....	18	
13	Durgin, Kate.....		4
44	Elliot, James	52	1
19	Elliot, Maggie.....	31	
34	Files, William J.....	52	1
6	Frost, Elmer J.....	52	1
31	Gilbo, Wilbur.....	4	1
26	Grant, Seth.....		5
23	GrantChas.....	4	6
46	Gough, Susan.....	52	1
12	Gereaux, Matilda.....		6
10	Gereaux, Josephine.....		6
7	Gereaux, Charles.....		6
5	Gereaux, Mary.....		6
46	Hollar, Arthur.....	52	1
40	Holt, Benjamin.....	5	3
36	Hurley, John.....	1	5
12	Janvrin, James.....	33	6
64	Jordan, Margaret.....	52	1
67	Joyce, Margaret.....	51	
41	Leary, Timothy.....	52	1
64	Labrique, Damars.....		1
84	McCarty, Nora.....	52	1
18	McDonald, Peter.....	4	1
34	McGuire, Frank.....	4	6
30	McIntire, Almeda.....	27	4
11	McIntire, Sadie.....	6	5
60	Morrison, Michael.....	4	4
73	Murphy, Michael.....	20	6
22	Murray, Fred.....	4	4
9	Nuttall, Edward.....	52	1
64	Nuttall, Susannah.....	52	1
37	Parsons, Belle.....	16	6
1	Parsons, Charles.....	16	6
11	Robinson, John.....	5	3

Age.		Weeks.	Days
29	Ruell, Nellie.....	7	6
2	Ruell, Tressa.....	7	6
63	Slotting, Fannie.....	52	1
29	Sterns, Lizzie.....	4	6
33	Stone, Alice.....	9	6
64	Tuttle, Thomas.....	4	
79	Warren, Thomas.....	52	1
32	Watson, John.....	5	2
51	Webber, Mary Ann.....	52	1
65	White, Maggie.....	52	1
43	Whitehouse, Mark.....	37	
82	Woodbridge, Daniel.....	21	1
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STRAFFORD.

Age.		Weeks.	Days
36	Avery, Mark.....	52	1
62	Bennett, George.....	4	1
67	Johnson, Oliver.....	52	1
2	Sylvester, Emma.....	20	2
22	Sylvester, Laura.....	20	2
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		149	0
Whole number of weeks.....		8203	2

STATISTICS AT COUNTY FARM, MAY 1, 1887.

Number at almshouse, May 1, 1886.....	164
“ admitted during the year.....	154
“ born during year.....	7
“ died, discharged and deserted.....	166
“ at almshouse May 1, 1887.....	159

AGES OF INMATES.

Under 5 years.....	14
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Between 5 and 10.....	13
“ 10 “ 20.....	9
“ 20 “ 30.....	20
“ 30 “ 40.....	22
“ 40 “ 50.....	23
“ 50 “ 60.....	16
“ 60 “ 70.....	19
“ 70 “ 80.....	12
“ 80 “ 90.....	9
“ 90 “ 100.....	1
“ 100 “ 110.....	1

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INSANE AND IDIOTIC.

Insane.....	35
Idiotic.....	36
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	71

• NATIONALITIES.

American.....	82
Irish.....	55
English.....	3
French.....	15
Scotch.....	3
Negro.....	1
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159

SEXES.

Males.....	81
Females.....	78
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UNAVAILABLE FOR ANY LABOR.

Males.....	64
Females.....	62

THE 161 ADMITTED ARE FROM SEVERAL TOWNS, AS FOLLOWS :

Barrington.....	5
Dover.....	82
Durham.....	0
Farmington.....	6
Lee.....	2
Madbury.....	0
Middleton.....	0
Milton.....	3
New Durham.....	0
Rochester.....	19
Rollinsford.....	1
Somersworth.....	40
Strafford.....	3
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THE 159 AT ALMSHOUSE MAY 1, 1887, ARE FROM THE SEVERAL
TOWNS AS FOLLOWS :

Barrington.....	7
Dover.....	69
Durham.....	4
Farmington.....	10
Lee.....	4
Madbury.....	2
Middleton.....	0
Milton.....	3
New Durham.....	1
Rochester.....	19
Rollinsford.....	2
Somersworth.....	34
Strafford.....	4
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Number of visitors registered from May 1, 1886, to
May 1, 1887..... 1755

COST OF SUPPORTING PAUPERS ON THE FARM FROM MAY 1, 1886,
TO MAY 1, 1887.

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To personal property on hand May 1, 1886.....	\$14068 34	
Expenditures for the year ending April 30, 1887.....	15566 76	
Interest on valuation, 4 per cent on \$50,000.....	2000 00	
		————— \$31635 10

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By personal property on hand May 1, 1887.....	\$15065 06	
Receipts from Sup't of Farm paid Treasurer.....	1673 07	
Receipts from David Hayes, hay..	324 92	
Rochester Grange, error on bill....	6 60	
B. & M. R. R., return freight on coal	4 13	
H. A. Redfield, returned premium	3 33	
J. D. Roberts, use of horse power	10 00	
City of Dover, support of city paupers.....	171 92	
City of Dover, support of prisoners.	125 45	
Somersworth, support of town paupers.....	303 39	
Somersworth, support of prisoners..	169 75	
Rochester, support of prisoners....	89 32	
Durham, support of paupers.....	89 25	
		————— \$18036 19

Balance cost for support of paupers..... 13598 81

Number of weeks support furnished..... 8203.2
Dividing \$13598.81 by 8203.2, it gives \$1.65 plus as the cost per week for support of paupers.

If we take into consideration, as the Counties of Cheshire and Carroll do, the board of the employes, (497 weeks additional), it will give as the cost per week, \$13598.81, divided by $8203.2\frac{1}{4}497$ weeks=8700 weeks, \$1.56 1-2.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM T. WENTWORTH.

COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT.

COUNTY OF STRAFFORD;

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHARLES S. CARTLAND, TREASURER,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING APR. 30, 1887.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury May 1, 1886.....	\$45 653 23
David Hoye, hay sold from farm.....	324 92
Rochester Grange, refunded on acct.....	6 60
Boston & Maine R. R., return freight on coal....	4 13
Geo. E. Durgin, fines and costs, Sept. term, 1886	142 91
H. A. Redfield, return premium on cancelled policy on insurance.....	3 33

COUNTY TAX.

Town of Barrington.....	923 54
City of Dover.....	12 888 26
Town of Durham.....	1 047 66
Farmington.....	1 893 95
Lee.....	612 02
Madbury.....	457 64
Middleton.....	159 90
Milton.....	769 16
New Durham.....	374 93
Rochester.....	4 336 52
Rollinsford.....	1 775 41

Town of Somersworth	\$3 969 86	
Strafford	791 21	
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J. D. Roberts, use of horse-power ensilage cutter		10 00
W. T. Wentworth, stock and produce sold from farm and board of inmates, 1 855 96 less cash paid for sundry provisions, groceries, &c., as per superintendent's account, \$182 89		1 673 07
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Total receipts.....	\$77 818 19	

EXPENDITURES.

Bonds redeemed.....	\$27 500 00
Interest paid on bonds.....	4 518 00

COUNTY FARM EXPENSES.

S. F. Page, labor on asylum.....	\$74 76
Robert Gero, " " "	18 00
Susannah Nutrell, labor on asylum.....	4 33
Eva Merrill, labor as teacher.....	17 33
H. M. Coffey, fish.....	15 00
Mathes & Stevens, pressing hay.....	31 20
A. C. Mildon, crockery-ware and brushes.....	24 28
Charles Coffin, beef.....	38 34
B. F. Hanson, wheat.....	9 75
Hiram Hurd, beef.....	35 04
John R. Grant, beef.....	18 30
O. S. Brown, hay cutter.....	5 00
Joseph Delaney, labor as watchman.....	20 00
Joseph Garland, labor as farm hand.....	20 00
James Catons, labor on farm.....	14 00
Ella Roberts, labor as cook.....	17 33
Cathie Brackett, labor as cook.....	17 33
Boston & Maine R. R., freight.....	16 03
Dover Beef Co., salt.....	3 67
Dover Beef Co., salt.....	3 83
George E. Varney, grain.....	7 70
M. S. Ayer & Co., soda.....	22 75

Wimpfheimer & Co., cloth.....	\$6 51
Merrimac Chemical Co., oil of vitriol.....	29 09
Elliot Bros., brick.....	56 00
J. H. Hurd & Son, shoes.....	35 00
Sands, Sprague & Taylor, molasses.....	104 32
Libbey & Scales, notice of meeting.....	9 00
Robert Gero, labor.....	18 00
James Catons, ".....	14 00
Joseph Garland, ".....	20 00
Joseph Delaney, ".....	20 00
Susannah Nutrell, ".....	4 33
Eva Merrill, ".....	15 33
Cathie Brackett, ".....	17 33
Ella Roberts, ".....	17 33
C. H. Moody, fish.....	25 53
Abram Houston, beef.....	25 32
C. H. Horton, register.....	10 00
C. W. Talpey, insurance.....	30 00
W. C. Sanborn, medicine.....	75 20
E. G. & E. Wallace, shoes.....	14 15
Briggs & Shattuck, groceries.....	11 30
Geo. P. Demeritt, col., taxes.....	313 66
Geo. B. Prescott, insurance.....	111 00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight.....	3 01
H. A. Redfield, insurance.....	140 00
C. L. Jenness, hardware.....	35 72
I. W. Beard, services as chaplain.....	25 00
Crawford & Tolles, insurance.....	30 00
J. A. Clough & Son, grain.....	89 83
Sands, Sprague & Taylor, flour.....	625 00
Henry C. Nutter, 1 yoke oxen.....	175 00
Charles A. Tufts, insurance.....	112 52
A. S. Parshley, insurance.....	66 00
S. S. Chick, dry goods.....	5 53
Knight & McIntire, lard and beef.....	30 22
Rochester Grange, grain.....	60 14
Sands, Sprague & Taylor, sugar.....	20 27
Hoye's clothing house, suspenders.....	4 95

Crawford & Tolles, insurance.....	\$12 50
Whitehouse & Pinkham, beans.....	20 25
George McDuffee sawing lumber.....	27 27
J. Frank Seavey & Co., clothing.....	104 98
Haskell & Adams, groceries.....	14 29
B. Frank Nealley, cloth and hose.....	14 79
William Sterns & Co., cloth.....	8 91
Robert Gero, labor.....	18 00
Cathie Brackett, “	18 00
James Catons “	14 00
Ella Roberts, “	18 00
Joseph Garland, “	20 00
Joseph Delaney, “	20 00
Susannah Nutrell, labor	4 50
C. S. Hill, beef.....	13 50
J. M. Hayes, plants.....	5 40
W. F. Varney, shoeing oxen.....	8 00
Haskell & Adams, oil.....	32 55
Haskell & Adams, soda.....	4 63
Dennis Cash, shoes.....	4 50
David Hayes, phosphate	57 00
Moulton & Cate, tin-ware.....	51 11
Walter F. Gage, beef.....	27 48
George H. Yeaton, beef.....	27 36
Wm. F. Walker, fish.....	6 66
Boston Clothing House, clothing.....	9 50
J. W. Bates, boots.....	2 60
Bates & Legro, shirts.....	9 00
Knight & McIntire, pork.....	70 50
A. C. Mildon, combs.....	3 60
E. G. & E. Wallace, shoes.....	24 75
Knight & McIntire, beef and ham.....	37 36
George E. Varney, grain.....	9 00
Union Oil Co., soap stock.....	28 05
Rochester Grange, coffee.....	5 40
George E. Varney, grain.....	33 80
Thomas H. Dearborn, dry goods.....	16 60
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	8 70

Lothrop's, Farnham & Co., clothing.....	\$28 13
Chas. A. Faxon, groceries.....	10 19
Whitehouse & Pinkham, beans.....	17 58
J. Frank Seavey & Co., clothing.....	9 75
James Catons, labor.....	14 00
Joseph Delaney, labor.....	20 00
Joseph Garland, labor.....	20 00
Susannah Nutrell, labor.....	4 33
Robert Gero, labor.....	18 00
Cathie Brackett, labor.....	17 33
Ella Roberts, labor.....	17 33
Abram Houston, beef.....	32 82
Wm. T. Wentworth & Wife, supt. and matron...	500 00
F. E. Wallace, farm wagon.....	80 00
Isaac L. Lucas, ashes.....	194 55
J. A. Clough & Son, grain.....	110 43
John H. Hurd & Son, boots and leather.....	18 07
E. B. Lane, stationery.....	3 00
C. L. Jenness, horse-power ensilage cutter and hardware.....	274 82
A. T. Roberts, beef.....	26 78
R. DeWitt Burnham, medicine.....	104 12
W. C. Sanborn, medicine.....	38 75
Town of Barrington, taxes.....	11 12
Briggs & Shattuck, groceries.....	53 36
Briggs & Shattuck, tobacco.....	39 45
Sands, Sprague & Taylor, groceries.....	3 50
Coleman & Cushing, groceries.....	20 39
Richards & Co., coal.....	950 00
John S. Daniels, services as County physician....	125 00
George H. Yeaton, beef.....	28 55
James Catons, labor.....	14 00
Cathie Brackett, labor.....	17 33
Ella Roberts, labor.....	17 33
Robert Gero, labor.....	18 00
Joseph Delaney, labor.....	20 00
Eva Merrill, labor.....	14 67
Susannah Nutrell, labor.....	4 33

Joseph Garland, labor.....	\$6 54
William Driscoll, labor.....	5 54
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	12 63
Foote & Snell, hardware.....	15 88
Ithamar W. Beard, services as chaplain	25 00
Frank C. Young, beef.....	21 00
Wm. A. Shapleigh, fish.....	25 25
Oscar F. Howe, brooms.....	28 50
Sands, Sprague & Taylor, molasses.....	80 24
S. Augustus Seavey, hardware.....	35 10
Walter F. Gage, beef.....	21 78
Wm. F. Walker, fish.....	10 66
Libbey & Scales, subscription to Daily Republican	5 00
Dover Beef Co., pork and lard.....	35 55
C. H. Trickey & Co., coal.....	3 01
William Driscoll, labor.....	18 00
Ella Roberts, "	17 33
Eva Merrill "	17 33
Cathie Brackett, "	17 33
James Catons, "	14 00
Robert Gero "	18 00
Susannah Nutrell, labor.....	4 33
Joseph Delaney, labor.....	20
A. I. Hall, plow.....	15
Clara A. England, beef	23 40
W. A. Morrill, flower pots, etc.....	4 23
W. A. Morrill, carpeting, etc.....	31 83
G. W. Tash, groceries.....	25 80
C. A. Ham, beef.....	30 78
Converse & Hammond, phosphate and lime.....	78 10
J. M. Burnham, beef.....	6
E. B. Lane, paper.....	3 12
M. Killoren, coffee and steamed apple.....	24 18
Isaac Varney, beef.....	25 44
Fairbanks, Brown & Co., repairing scales.....	10 38
H. C. Gilpatrick & Son, clothes-wringer.....	11 20
Matthews Bros., lumber.....	30 80
J. W. Bates, rubber boots.....	62 40

Wimpfheimer & Co., cloth and hose.....	\$39 90
F. Feineman, clothing.....	67 09
Haskell & Adams, coffee.....	38 99
S. Wolf & Co., clothing.....	48 50
George W. Anderson, lumber.....	16 47
John H. Hurd & Son, boots.....	27 06
Nathaniel Horne, beef.....	34 92
John E. F. Watson, vinegar.....	8 80
Charles H. Seavey, beef.....	24 70
Walter F. Varney, shoeing oxen.....	7 80
Hilda Benier, labor.....	5
William Driscoll, labor.....	18
Joseph Delaney, labor.....	20
Ella Roberts, labor.....	17 33
Susannah Nutrell, labor.....	4 33
Cathie Brackett, ".....	17 33
James Catons, ".....	14
Robert Gero, ".....	18
Sadie Varney, ".....	9 33
Eva E. Merrill, ".....	16
J. H. Caverly, beef.....	38 64
Geo. J. Foster & Co., printing.....	3
Wimpfheimer & Co., cloth.....	60
Boston & Maine railroad, freight.....	4 45
G. D. Watson, beef.....	23 16
Geo. E. Varney, grain.....	128
John McArdle, coffins.....	40
Harry O. Hoitt, printing.....	2 25
Dover Beef Co, pork and lard.....	33 29
Walter F. Gage, beef.....	22 56
R. Haley & Co., phosphate and potatoes.....	90 80
Libbey & Scales, printing.....	9 50
F. H. Swain, beef.....	27 18
Hanson & York, pork.....	12 32
B. F. Hanson, pork.....	131 81
A. C. Mildon, knives and spoons.....	4 20
I. W. Beard, services as chaplain.....	25
Hiram S. Osborne, beef.....	34 68

Ella Roberts, labor.....	\$18 00
Joseph Delaney, labor.....	20 00
Eva Merrill, ".....	12 00
Robert Gero, ".....	18 00
William Driscoll, ".....	18 00
Sadie Varney, ".....	18 00
Geo. Wentworth, beef.....	30 36
J. Frank Seavey, clothing.....	43 75
B. F. Rackley, medicine.....	1 50
D. Lothrop & Co., machine needles.....	2 15
E. C. Berry, lamb.....	2 88
James Catons, labor.....	6 48
Susannah Nutrell, labor.....	4 50
Cathie Brackett, labor.....	18
James Gorman, labor.....	11
Daniel Wentworth, beef.....	25 68
A. B. Locke, beef.....	29 04
C. L. Jenness, hardware.....	42 26
Haskell & Adams, tea.....	10 25
Richard W. Foss, beef.....	31 92
Union Oil Co., soap-stock.....	32 75
J. R. Horne, lumber.....	25 86
George E. Varney, grain.....	17 55
George E. Varney, grain.....	50
J. S. Daniels, services as physician.....	62 50
Isaac Thompson, milch cows.....	70
W. C. Sanborn, medicine.....	102 80
Dorr & Hobson, dry goods.....	56 32
A. J. Roberts, paints and oils.....	12 57
I. B. Williams & Sons, belting.....	20 70
Coleman & Cushing, groceries and provisions....	102 01
William Sterns, hose.....	5 62
S. S. Chick, dry goods.....	42 35
George Varney, beef.....	51 50
Edwin A. Gowen, beef.....	12 00
J. A. Clough & Son, grain.....	180 31
W. H. & S. H. Rollins, beef.....	66
C. A. Faxon, sugar.....	37 70

R. DeWitt Burnham, medicines.....	\$35 28
Martin L. Lord, one shoat.....	12
E. H. Foss, boots	64 65
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	87 75
Oscar F. Kimball, dry goods.....	1 50
H. A. Worthen, repairing wagon.....	6 75
William Driscoll, cranberries.....	3
Robert Gero, labor.....	18
Joseph Delaney, "	20
William Driscoll, "	18
James Gorman, "	26
Ella Roberts, "	17 33
Sadie Varney, "	17 33
Eva Merrill, "	17 33
Cathie Brackett, "	17 33
William Tuttle, heifer.....	17
S. Haywood, boots	24
Walter F. Varney, shoeing oxen	6 50
Susannah Nutrell, labor.....	4 33
Foote & Snell, hardware.....	5 42
J. H. Caverly, beef	41 20
M. Killoren, groceries.....	41 86
John B. Hull, shoeing horses	12 38
J. F. Seavey & Co., clothing.....	4 50
F. C. Tilton, clothing	5
George Trefethen & Co., fish.....	50 80
Dorr & Hobson, dry goods	34 61
Haskell & Adams, groceries.....	74 36
Haskell & Adams, coffee.....	23 71
W. F. Robinson & Co, beans.....	56 38
C. W. Lerner & Co., insect powder	15
N. Burnham, crockery	20 70
Briggs & Shattuck, flour	560
J. S. Legro, beef	22 86
H. C. Gilpatrick & Son, tinware	5 95
John H. Hartford, repairs.....	7 15
Valentine Mathes, grain.....	32 98
Walter T. Perkins, labor and material.....	112 77

D. Foss & Son, windows and lumber.....	\$33 15
Dover Beef Co., salt.....	10 35
Dover Beef Co., salt.....	9 35
C. A. Faxon, oil.....	72 06
B. F. Nealley, dry goods.....	14 70
E. M. Swan, groceries.....	17 80
Scales & Quimby, Daily Republican.....	2 50
W. T. Wentworth and wife, services as superin- tendent and matron.....	5 00
John G. Johnson, cow.....	30
William Nason, vinegar.....	14
Haskell & Adams, groceries.....	33 90
E. M. Ham, dry goods.....	40 84
S. H. & W. H. Rollins, beef.....	33 36
E. M. Swan, groceries.....	37 80
George W. Brown & Co., sugar	16 25
Susannah Nutrell, labor	4
Robert Gero, "	18
Ella Roberts, "	16
James Gorman, "	24
Cathie Brackett, "	16
Sadie Varney, "	16
William Driscoll, "	18
Eva Merrill, "	16
Joseph Delaney, "	20
M. X. Weils, spectacles.....	6
Wimpfheimer & Co., dry goods.....	56 25
W. H. Naylor, paper.....	6 80
Boston Clothing House, clothing.....	157 35
J. S. Daniels, services as County physician.....	62 50
George E. Varney, grain	26 90
George D. Nowell, tobacco	20 11
E. B. Lane, stationery.....	3 20
C. L. Jenness, hardware.....	18 87
J. A. Clough & Son, grain.....	101 10
Ira W. Nute & Co., dry goods.....	13 90
John H. Hurd & Son, leather.....	3 68
Walter England, three cows.....	113

Littlefield, Hill & Co., one set stove brick.....	\$1 90
Littlefield, Hill & Co., tin-ware, etc.....	22 14
John W. Hall, beef	23 16
I. W. Beard, services as chaplain.....	25
James M. Bunker, use of hay press.....	24 33
Fred S. Ricker, boots.....	52 02
Great Falls Gas Light Co., brick.....	4 50
Crawford & Tolles, insurance.....	120
Wm. F. Russell, glass-ware.....	7 16
John F. Torr, beef.....	32 82
Joseph A. Coleman, labor	13 13
Joseph Delaney, "	20
Eva Merrill, "	6
William Driscoll, "	18
Robert Gero, "	18
Cathie Brackett, "	18
Sadie Varney, "	18
Ella Roberts, "	18
Susannah Nutrell, "	4 50
Estate of George W. Tash, boots and shoes.....	90
Moulton, Cate & Co, tinware, etc.....	12 36
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	8 12
George H. Yeaton, beef.....	34 56
George M. Whitaker, subscription to N. E. Farmer.....	2 00
E. G. & E. Wallace, boots.....	52 87
Sands, Sprague & Taylor, lard and beans.....	127 13
Wm. G. Bell & Co., hams.....	22 96
George W. Straw & Co., medicine.....	41 38
Dorr & Hobson, dry goods.....	28 96
George E. Varney, grain.....	45 30
F. H. Clark, beef.....	26 04
C. L. Jenness, grass seed.....	25 05
Lothrop, Farnham & Co., clothing.....	20 50
J. H. Hurd & Son, boots.....	6 00
James Gorman, labor.....	27
George W. Horne, brick.....	4 00
Converse & Hammond, phosphate and cement..	90 42

Valentine Mathes, grain.....	\$77 80
Walter T. Perkins, labor and castings.....	3 22
J. S. Abbott, cutting ice.....	13
E. S. Tash & Co., salt.....	2 40
Sullivan & Littlefield, medicine.....	29 60
C. L. Jenness, hardware.....	50 91
Littlefield, Hill & Co., tubs.....	6 45
J. H. Hurd & Son, leather.....	3 85
W. F. Gage, beef.....	28 86
Walter Varney, shoeing oxen	6 60
John McArdle, coffins.....	25 00
Coleman & Cushing, crackers.....	5 70
Moulton, Cate & Co., tin-ware.....	4 52
C. W. Wiggins & Son, chimneys and burners	17 20
W. H. Vickery, medicine	46 81
J. T. W. Ham, hats, etc	58 96
Haskell & Adams, groceries.....	126 89
George E. Varney, grain.....	33 10
A. Thwing, books.....	6 72
C. H. Wells, Free Press and Journal.....	7 50
Joseph Breck & Sons, garden seeds.....	12 70
Oscar F. Howe, brooms and brushes.....	44 60
R. DeWitt Burnham, medicine.....	59 95
Merrimack Chemical Co., oil of vitriol.....	28 47
G. W. Shaw, medicine.....	25 05
W. C. Sanborn, medicine.....	62 75
Susannah Nutrell, labor	4 33
Eva Merrill, "	16
Joseph Delaney, "	20
Robert Gero "	18
Cathie Brackett, "	17 33
Wm. Driscoll. "	18
Oliver Locke, "	4 62
Ella Roberts, "	17 33
J. H. Roberts, beef.....	42 72
O. F. Kimball, dry goods.....	12 26
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	12 32
Coheco Manufacturing Co., waste and oil.....	9 50

J. B. Lord, mason work.....	\$108 00
James H. Neal, one yoke oxen	152 50
John P. Lowell, cuspadores.....	6
Mary L. Thompson, sawing lumber.....	44 32
J. B. Folsom & Co., paints, oil, etc.....	31 89
E. V. Brewster & Co., groceries, boots, etc.....	95 15
W. A. Gilman, grain.....	7 50
Dennis Cash, rubber boots	31 44
Lothrop & Pinkham, medicine.....	12 30
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	\$15,566 76

COURT EXPENSES.

Thomas J. Smith, services as referee in case Mc- Pherson & Kendall vs. Bradbury.....	\$25 00
Geo. E. Durgin, services as Clerk of Supreme Court to Feb. Term, 1886.....	250 00
Thomas J. Smith, services as referee in Wimpf- heimer vs. Home Ins. Co., and Wimpfheimer et als. vs. Marine Ins. Co.....	27 83
Thomas J. Smith, services as referee in four ac- tions Wimpfheimer & Co. vs Insurance Cos	41 52
George E. Durgin, services as referee in action Morrison vs. Hasty.....	10 84
John G. Johnson, salary as Sheriff.....	100 00
“ “ services and expenses Sept. T.	242 21
James A. Edgerly, services as Attorney for Jane Farnham in action State vs. Farnham, by ap- pointment of Court.....	35 00
Jeremiah Smith, services as referee in action Hus- sey vs. Hussey.....	10 00
Calvin Page, services as referee in action Barring- ton vs. Calef.....	15 00
Luther Hayes, services as referee in action Ricker vs. Willey.....	10 00
John Kivel, services in defending Maria Farnham, and amount paid physician.....	35 00
John Kivel, services as referee in action Swift & Co. vs. New Durham Lumber Co.....	45 00

John G. Johnson, salary as Sheriff.....	\$100 00
Henry J. Grimes, putting down carpet in Court room.....	7 25
Belknap Society, use of bell.....	5 00
Grand Jury pay-roll, Sept. Term, 1886, in full...	164 52
Petit Jury " " " "	606 72

COURT PAY-ROLL.

State vs. Chas. M. Armstrong, Sept. Term, 1886, in part.....	\$124 64
Warren L. Demeritt, Sept. Term, 1886, in part.....	27 20
Jane and Maria Farnham, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	104 99
Thomas Gallagher, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	42 00
Geo. Jenness, Sept. term, 1886, in part,	10 94
I. P. Millett, Sept. term, 1886, in full,	39 46
Hiram Peavey, Sept. term 1886, in part,	11 99
W. C. Henderson, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	9 67
Wm. Rafferty, in full.....	20 72
John Stanton and Chas. Real, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	19 63
William Rafferty, Sept. term, 1886, in part.....	21 87
David French, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	165 31
Daniel F. Bradley, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	13 35
Kate Cosker, Sept. term, 1886, in full..	13 35
Kate Cosker, Sept. term, 1886, in full..	13 35
Chas. A. Dore, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	13 35
J. D. Garland, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	20 16
J. D. Garland, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	26 34

State vs. J. D. Garland, Sept. term, 1886, in full	25 13
John J. Gorman, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	10 67
John W. Grant, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	15 03
John W. Grant, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	16 08
Henry S. Gray, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	15 31
Henry S. Gray, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	15 31
Fred Kelley, Sept. term, 1886, in full..	13 35
Michael R. Kennedy, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	12 35
M. Killoren, Sept. term, 1886, in full...	10 67
M. McGuigan, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	9 67
Pierce & Cushman, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	10 67
John Scanlon, Sept. term, 1886, in full,	12 72
Richard Pyne, Sept. term, 1886, in full,	15 31
Richard Pyne, " " " " "	15 31
Richard Pyne, " " " " "	15 31
James W. Sullivan, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	13 72
James W. Sullivan, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	12 72
Walter Ward, Sept. term, 1886, in full,	13 35
Geo. Wesley, Sept. term, 1886, in full..	12 72
Geo. T. York, Sept. term, 1886, in full,	13 89
Fred Towle, Sept. term, 1886, in full..	15 43
Swayne, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	53 87
Dasha, Sept. term, 1886, in full.....	1 62
Geo. Caverly, Sept. term, 1886, in full	7 69
Harry M. Kingport, Sept. term, 1887, in part.....	3 77
C. W. Wiggin & Son, carpet and matting.....	42 84
C. H. Trickey & Co., coal.....	51 50

Grand Jury pay roll, Feb. term, 1887.....	895 92
Petit Jury pay roll, Feb. term, 1887.....	546 40
Town of Somersworth, half of two fines, State vs. J. W. Preston and F. A. Ham.....	50 00
Robert G. Pike, services as referee in action Sart- well & Co., vs. Dominique.....	25 00
John G. Johnson, court expenses, Feb. term, 1887	224 86
Geo. E. Durgin, desk, tables, &c.....	20 75
Geo. E. Durgin, balance due as clerk of court, Feb. term, 1887.....	9 94
William L. Foster, services as referee in actions Cook vs. Willey and Rogers vs. Anderson...	65 60
Fred L. Chapman, one half fine in liquor case...	25 00

COURT PAY ROLL.

Geo. W. Collins, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	32 26
Stephen DeShon, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	89 46
John Jackson, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	16 31
Jos. LaBlanche, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	49 96
Alex McDonald, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	32 72
Martin Parsons, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	22 25
Eugene Ricker, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	15 09
Swift & Smith, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	31 96
Whitten & Joy, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	54 14
Patrick Burns, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	12 29
Geo. Elliot, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	14 22
Patrick Gormon, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	13 34
Jacob D. Garland, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	15 69
Jacob D. Garland, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	15 69
Jacob D. Garland, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	14 75
Jacob D. Garland, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	15 69
John Perkins, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	20 57
Thomas Smith, Feb. term, 1887, in full.....	11 98
Wm. R. Burleigh, clerk hire and telegrams.....	8 65
W. L. Foster, services as referee in action Kent vs. Rand.....	31 85
Chris. H. Wells, printing.....	3 00

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COUNTY PAUPER EXPENSES.

City of Dover, on account of support of paupers,	\$1000 00
State Industrial School, board of inmates	96 00
City of Dover, on account of support of paupers,	1000 00
State Industrial School, board of inmates.....	76 50
State Industrial School, board of inmates.....	57 00
Town of Barrington, support of paupers.....	913 18
City of Dover, " "	3612 13
Town of Durham, " "	1252 18
Lee, " "	78 65
Lee, " "	36 00
Madbury, " "	191 75
Middleton, " "	67 00
Milton, " "	165 16
New Durham, " "	175 41
Rochester, " "	1056 18
Rollinsford, " "	168 18
Somersworth, " "	1399 19
Strafford, " "	1071 14
Farmington, " "	693 13
Sullivan & Littlefield, medicines.....	71 04
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	\$13179 82

JAIL EXPENSES.

Dover Aqueduct Co., water rent.....	\$12 00
C. H. Trickey & Co., coal.....	99 75
Chas. Cassily, painting jail house.....	5 00
C. R. Meserve, sundries	7 41
C. R. Meserve, support of prisoners.....	1017 36
B. Frank Nealley, dry goods.....	2 28
C. H. Trickey & Co., coal and wood.....	13 06
Dover Aqueduct Co., water rent	12 00
A. J. Roberts, paints and oils.....	15 34
James M. Bunker, straw.....	2 06
C. A. Faxon, soap	4 64
Charles R. Meserve, board of prisoners.....	1009 74
Whitehouse & Pinkham, soap.....	5 00

Littlefield, Hill & Co., tin-ware.....	\$3 27
Littlefield, Hill & Co., tin-ware.....	24 07
Chas. R. Meserve, account support of prisoners	150 00
Converse & Hammond, lime.....	1 12
W. T. Perkins, globe.....	40
Chas. A. Faxon, brooms.....	2 40
Chas. R. Meserve, board of prisoners	150 00
E. V. Brewster & Co., shoes.....	1 17
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	\$2538 07

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Joseph B. Quaid, services as auditor.....	\$20 00
I. W. Lougee, printing blanks.....	3 00
Libbey & Scales, printing Treasurer's report.....	33 00
C. W. Smith, paper for Register of Probate.....	8 71
Libbey & Scales, printing	8 00
D. Dudley, Dover Directory.....	1 75
M. F. Nason, stamps for Commissioners	6 00
Chas. E. Bacon, repairing clocks.....	3 50
W. R. Burleigh, salary as County Solicitor to July 1, 1886.....	175 00
C. S. Cartland, salary as County Treasurer to July 1, 1886.....	100 00
Geo. J. Foster & Co., printing reports and blanks	87 50
Geo. J. Foster & Co., printing Treasurer's report	33 00
C. H. Wells, printing.....	15 00
Cate & Horne, printing for Commissioners' office	2 00
F. S. Tompkins, one volume records.....	15 00
E. B. Lane, stationery	2 35
E. B. Lane, stationery.....	3 78
M. F. Nason, postage stamps for Commissioners' office	2 10
M. F. Nason, postage stamps.....	1 00
F. N. Davis, cleaning and repairing Commission- ers' office.....	4 50
T. J. W. Pray, services as coroner.....	6 00
Dover Gas Light Co., gas for County offices.....	56 93

B. F. Hanson, services and expenses as Commissioner.....	\$167 25
J. D. Roberts, services and expenses as Commissioner.....	132 14
John F. Torr, services and expenses as Commissioner.....	150 00
W. R. Burleigh, costs in civil suits.....	44 35
M. F. Nason, stamps for Probate office.....	6 00
W. T. Perkins, gas fixtures.....	6 00
Geo. E. Durgin, moldings, &c.....	4 30
Arthur F. Howes, printing.....	10 50
E. B. Lane, stationery.....	1 75
“ “	65
A. S. Parshley, expenses Coroner's inquest.....	47 30
F. E. Whitney, medical advice.....	10 00
Stephen Young “ “	10 00
Libbey & Scales, printing.....	3 50
H. L. Cate, “	9 00
Boston Daily Advertiser, printing notice of redemption of bonds.....	16 20
Chas. P. Andrews, services as Auditor.....	20 00
Chas. S. Cartland, salary as Treas. to Jan. 1, '87	100 00
N. E. Telephone Co., use of telephones to Dec., 1886.....	50 20
C. L. Jenness, hardware.....	90
J. S. Abbott, sprinkling streets.....	6 88
H. L. Cate, printing.....	3 50
C. H. Wells, printing for Probate office.....	6 00
M. F. Nason, P. O. stamps.....	6 00
W. R. Burleigh, salary as Solicitor to Jan. 1, 1887	175 00
N. E. Telephone Co., service for January, 1887..	7 00
F. S. Tompkins, one volume records.....**	15 00
N. E. Telephone Co., telephone service for Feb., 1887.....	7 00
Dover Aqueduct Co., water for County offices...	20 00
Thomas G. Jameson, costs of Coroner's inquest..	73 15
Troy Rubber Works, dating stamps for Probate office.....	5 25

Dover Gas Light Co., gas for County offices.....	\$40 00
T. J. W. Pray, coroner's expenses, case of Cora Littlefield.....	129 73
J. S. Abbott, sprinkling streets.....	6 88
John F. Torr, services and expenses as Commissioner.....	243 50
B. F. Hanson, services and expenses as Commissioner.....	243 50
J. D. Roberts, services and expenses as Commissioner.....	245 07
C. H. Wells, printing.....	31 50
E. B. Lane, stationery.....	3 03
“ “ “	5 80
Littlefield, Hill & Co., blacking stove and funnel	1 50
“ “ tinware, &c.....	3 95
M. F. Nason, P. O. stamps.....	7 00
N. E. Telephone Co., use of telephone in March, 1887.....	7 30
C. W. Smith, rubber bands.....	1 90
Troy Rubber Works, rubber stamps.....	5 25
John T. Welch, P. O. stamps.....	3 00
N. E. telephone Co., telephone service, March & April, 1887.....	14 20
C. H. Horton, binding books.....	1 62
E. B. Lane, stationery.....	47
“ “ “ for Register of Probate.....	11 94
Moulton, Cate & Co., tin boxes.....	2 40
Robert W. Welch, printing.....	15 50
“ “ “	77 50
“ “ “	4 00
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	\$2809 48

RECAPITULATION.

Total Receipts..... \$77 818 19

EXPENDITURES.

Bonds redeemed..... 27 500 00

Interest on bonds.....	4 518 00
County farm expenses	15 566 76
Court expenses.....	4 470 56
County pauper expenses....	13 179 82
Jail expenses.....	2 538 07
Miscellaneous expenses.....	2 809 48
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	\$70 582 69
Balance in treasury, April 30, 1887.....	7 235 50
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	\$77 818 19

STATEMENT OF COUNTY DEBT.

BONDS OUTSTANDING.

Called bonds upon which interest ceased Dec. 1, 1886	\$ 2 500 00
Due Dec. 1, 1887, bearing interest at 4 per cent.	10 000 00
Due Dec. 1, 1888, bearing interest at 4 per cent.	10 000 00
Due Dec. 1, 1889, bearing interest at 4 per cent.	10 000 00
Due Dec. 1, 1890, bearing interest at 4 per cent.	10 000 00
Due Dec. 1, 1891, bearing interest at 4 per cent.	10 000 00
Due Dec. 1, 1892, bearing interest at 4 per cent.	10 000 00
Due Dec. 1, 1893, bearing interest at 4 per cent.	10 000 00
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	\$72 500 00
Cash in treasury	7 235 50
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Net indebtedness April 30, 1887.....	65 264 50
Debt April 30, 1886.....	54 346 77
Increase of debt during year ending April 30, 1887.....	11 917 73

CHARLES S. CARTLAND,

County Treasurer.

DOVER, N. H., May 18, 1887.

We the undersigned, Commissioners of Strafford County, and County Auditors, hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of Chas. S. Cartland, County Treasurer, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN F. TORR,	}	County Commissioners.
BENJAMIN F. HANSON,		
JOSEPH D. ROBERTS,		

CHARLES P. ANDREWS,	}	County Auditors.
JOSEPH B. QUAID.		

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

TO THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF STRAFFORD :

Gentlemen—My report for the past year will not vary much from those made in previous years. Services have been held at the County Farm every Sunday, with the exception of those when the weather, or ill health, has prevented my being present. During my three months' absence from the city, in the months of June, July and August, my place was supplied by another minister and the services were regularly maintained. I find the spiritual condition of the inmates at the Farm as encouraging as one would have a right to expect under the circumstances. Among the men there are two or three who pray and are God fearing ; there are more among the women. There is an encouraging state of interest among all who attend the religious services ; they enjoy the singing, and show a marked interest in the preaching, and the expressions of interest are frequent and hearty. It is as attentive an audience as any I preach to. My own labors are ably supplemented by the devout efforts of Mrs. Wentworth in the Sunday School and Miss Merrill, the School teacher, in her personal religious work among the inmates. I minister to the Protestant inmates only,—the Roman Catholics are visited, instructed and ministered to by the Priest and the Sisters of the Convent of the Sacred Heart.

An interesting Christmas Festival was held at the Farm on New Year's day, by the young ladies who have attended to this duty in previous years. Presents in great number and variety, were distributed.

Respectfully submitted,

ITHAMAR W. BEARD.

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF STRAFFORD COUNTY :

I herewith present my second report as Physician to the Strafford County Almshouse and Asylum for the Insane.

During the past year there has been very much sickness among the aged people, more so than the preceding year, although there have not been so many deaths as last year, but most of those who have died are quite aged, as the report will show. Everything has been done by all concerned, for the comfort and benefit of those who have been confined there.

There are still at the County Farm a large number of aged people, who have been there for a long time, some almost entirely helpless. There are at the Asylum for the insane about the average number, but two deaths occurring there. There has been the same number of births as last year—seven in all; two from Somersworth, two from Dover, two from Strafford, and one from Farmington. The average age of those who have died during the past year is 66 years. The average age the previous year was 53. On the following page is a list of names, age, residence, date, and cause of death.

I appreciate very much the kind assistance which has been rendered by the Superintendent and his wife, also of those who have tenderly cared for the sick during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

J. S. DANIELS, M. D.

Rochester, May 1, 1887.

TABLE, GIVING THE NAME, AGE, ETC., OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED AT
THE COUNTY FARM THE PAST YEAR.

NAME.	AGE.	TOWN.	DIED.	DISEASE.
Phoebe Hall,	67	Barrington.	April 12, 1887.	Paralysis.
Ira Gray,	37	"	Jan. 2, 1887.	Phthisis.
Kate Grimes,	71	Dover.	Jan. 30, 1887.	Bright's Disease.
Mary Hawkins,	82	"	Oct. 4, 1886.	Old Age.
William W. Jones,	70	"	Jan. 15, 1886.	Heart Disease.
Catherine Mahoney,	67	"	May 14, 1886.	Insanity.
Robert Mullen,	37	"	Nov. 28, 1886.	Insanity and Phthisis.
Mary O'Niel,	46	"	Oct. 15, 1886.	Syphilis.
Miriam Tanner,	86	"	Sept. 15, 1886.	Heart Disease.
Eugene Tebbetts,	3m	"	Sept. 18, 1886.	Cholera Infantum.
Samuel Pennerery,	66	Lee.	July 22, 1886.	Heart Disease.
Edward Tolman,	93	Milton.	June 31, 1886.	Old Age.
Joseph Tebbetts,	92	New Durham.	May 3, 1886.	Heart Disease and Dropsy.
Jonathan Miller,	78	Rochester.	Nov. 25, 1886.	Pneumonia.
Susan Avery,	48	"	Apr. 17, 1887.	Ulcer of stomach and hemorrhage.
Florence Dasha,	38	Somersworth.	Apr. 23, 1887.	Syphilis.
Daniel Woodbridge,	82	"	Sept. 25, 1886.	Heart Disease.
Michael Dasha,	42	"	Oct. 6, 1886.	Phthisis.

REPORT OF CLERK.

SUPREME COURT.

STRAFFORD, SS.

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1886.

TO THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF STRAFFORD COUNTY :

I herewith render to you an account of my receipts and disbursements as Clerk of the Supreme Court for said County, from the end of February Term, 1886, to the end of September Term, 1886 :

RECEIPTS.

By amount of fines and costs.....	\$455 93
received for Jury fees.....	25 00
“ dockets.....	29 00
“ licenses.....	20 00
“ entry fees.....	157 50
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	\$687 43

I have charged said County as follows :

To cash paid for postage, expressing, telegraphing, stationery, &c., for Court and Clerk's office.....	50 72
June Law Term Dockets.....	9 75
half cost printed cases.....	21 75
C. H. Horton, binding.....	10 50
A. F. Howes, printing.....	19 00
Libbey & Scales, printing.....	22 00
Geo. J. Foster & Co., printing.....	30 00

To cash paid Sam'l Davis, half fine State v. Preston	\$25 00
State Treasurer, (licenses).....	20 00
To entry fee in State cases.....	3 30
recording judgments.....	46 50
12 days' attendance as Clerk.....	36 00
six months' salary.....	250 00
paid County Treasurer.....	142 91
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	\$687 43

FEBRUARY TERM, 1887.

By amount of fines and costs.....	\$269 22
received for Jury fees.....	15 00
dockets.....	25 50
entry fees.....	103 50
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	\$413 22

I have charged the County as follows :

To cash paid for postage, expressing, telegraphing, stationery, &c., for Court and Clerk's office.....	\$19 21
Law Term dockets.....	6 25
C. H. Horton, for binding.....	9 25
A. F. Howes, for printing.....	4 75
Scales & Quimby, for printing....	10 50
Geo. J. Foster & Co.....	30 00
To entry fees in State cases.....	1 20
recording judgments.....	56 00
12 days' attendance as Clerk.....	36 00
six months' salary.....	250 00
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	\$423 16

GEORGE E. DURGIN, CLERK.

May 1, 1887.

SHERIFF'S REPORT.

Sheriff's Report of the County of Strafford, for the year ending May 1st, 1887:

Received of the County Sept. term, 1886.	\$242 21
John G. Johnson, sheriff, 12 days' service	36 00
John G. Johnson, 18 miles travel.....	2 16
Paid Chaplain.....	2 00
For ice.....	75
H. D. Freeman, refreshments.....	22 00
Geo. W. Colbath, deputy sheriff, 12 days.....	30 00
Geo. W. Colbath, 2 nights with jury.	5 00
Geo. W. Colbath, 1 mile travel.....	12
Chas. E. Smith, deputy sheriff, 10 days.....	25 00
Chas. E. Smith, 10 miles travel	1 20
Jas. H. Davis, deputy sheriff, 1 day.	2 50
Jas. H. Davis, 1 mile travel	12
For bringing prisoners from jail.....	5 00
Hack hire.....	3 00
C. R. Meserve, messenger, 12 days..	30 00
C. R. Meserve, 2 days cleaning court room	5 00
Committing C. M. Armstrong to State prison.....	10 00
Albion French to State prison	10 00
J. F. Millett “	10 00
William Rafferty “	10 00

Committing Jane Farnham to State prison	\$10 00
Minnie Farnham “	10 00
Six copies mittimus.....	6 00
Committing Geo. Jenness to jail.....	1 12
Hiram Peavey to jail.....	1 12
Thomas Gallager to jail.....	1 12
Three copies mittimus.....	3 00
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	\$242 21

Feb. term, 1887, received of the County.	\$224 86
Paid John G. Johnson, service as sheriff	
12 days.....	36 00
John G. Johnson, 18 miles travel..	2 16
Chaplain	2 00
Henry D. Freeman, as per bill.....	36 00
S. S. Chick, deputy sheriff, 9 days..	22 50
S. S. Chick, 1 night with jury.....	2 50
S. S. Chick, 5 miles travel.....	60
George W. Colbath, deputy sheriff,	
12 days	30 00
Geo. W. Colbath, 1 night with jury	2 50
Geo. W. Colbath, 1 mile travel....	12
C. R. Meserve, messenger, 12 days	30 00
C. R. Meserve, 2 days cleaning court	
room	5 00
C. R. Meserve, 1 mile travel.....	12
Bringing prisoners from jail.....	5 00
Committing John Jackson to State pris-	
on.....	10 00
Horace A. Joy to State pris-	
on.....	10 00
Austin Whitten to State pris-	
on.....	10 00
Stephen Deshon to State	
prison.....	10 00
Alexander McDonald to jail	1 12

Committing John J. Perkins to jail	\$1 12	
Joseph LeBlanch to jail.	1 12	
Seven copies mittimus.	7 00	
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Respectfully submitted,

JOHN G. JOHNSON,
County Sheriff.

JAILER'S REPORT.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF STRAFFORD COUNTY:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to respectfully submit my seventh annual report as Deputy Jailer for said County. Following is a summary of the various offences for which prisoners were committed to Jail in Dover, the number of prisoners, and their sex :

Whole number of prisoners committed.....	
Drunks.....	43
Larceny.....	13
Breaking and entering.....	8
Breaking Windows.....	1
Murder.....	2
Held as a witness.....	2
Embezzlement.....	2
Assault.....	11
Perjury.....	1
Adultery.....	1
Rape.....	1
Ravish and carnally known.....	2
Aggravated Assault.....	3
Debt.....	2
Tramp.....	2
Stealing Horse.....	1
Highway Robbery.....	2
Breaking Door.....	1
Surrendered by bondsmen.....	2

Contempt of Court.....	1
Threatening bodily harm.....	1
Bigamy.....	1
Disturbing meeting.....	1
Cruelty to animals.....	1
Whole number of males.....	100
Whole number of females.....	5
Total number of males and females.....	105
Whole number of prisoners confined in Jail April 30, 1886.....	13
Whole number of prisoners confined in Jail April 30, 1887.....	24

Respectfully submitted,

C. R. MESERVE,

Deputy Jailer.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT.

There are no civil cases pending in which the State of New Hampshire, or the County of Strafford, are interested as parties. The criminal cases are as follows :

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1886.

Continued from February Term, 1886.....	9
Indicted for breaking and entering.....	3
larceny.....	3
manslaughter.....	1
assault with intent to ravish.....	2
embezzlement.....	1
aggravated assault.....	1
malicious injury to property.....	1
keeping liquor for sale.....	27
	48

Disposed of as follows :

Continued.....	11
Marked not to be brought forward.....	8
" " " " on payment of costs	4
Respondent died.....	1
sentenced to 5 years imprisonment.....	1
" 3 " " 	1
" 2 " " 	2
" 1 " " 	3
" 6 months in jail.....	1

Respondent recognized for good behavior.....	I
" sentenced to fine of \$50 and costs.....	10
Recognizance forfeited.....	5
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FEBRUARY TERM, 1887.

Continued from September term, 1886.....	11
Indicted for aggravated assault.....	4
larceny.....	3
being a tramp.....	1
assault and battery.....	1
breaking and entering.....	1
keeping liquor for sale.....	9
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Disposed of as follows:

Marked not to be brought forward.....	12
Recognized to keep the peace.....	1
Sentenced to 3 years imprisonment.....	1
2 " "	1
1 " "	1
4 months in jail.....	1
pay fine \$10 and costs.....	1
" 50 "	2
" 100 "	1
Recognizance forfeited.....	1
Jury disagreed.....	1
Continued.....	7
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WILLIAM R. BURLEIGH,
County Solicitor.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

STRAFFORD, SS.

DOVER, N. H., MAY 18, 1887.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the County Commissioners and County Treasurer for the year ending April 30, 1887, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched. We further state the sums named in the vouchers and payments, examined by us, are to the best of our knowledge and belief, according to the market value of the articles charged therein, and believe such articles have been used for the benefit of the County.

CHARLES P. ANDREWS,

JOSEPH B. QUAID,

County Auditors.

