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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

*To the Citizens of Hillsborough County:*

Agreeably to the laws of the State of New Hampshire the commissioners of the county of Hillsborough present a statement of all the expenditures of the county over which they have control for the year ending April 30, 1885, inclusive.

Also the report of the superintendent of the almshouse, treasurer, clerk of the court, sheriff, jailer and auditors.

COUNTY FARM AND ALMSHOUSE.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stiles, superintendent and matron, who have been at the head of this institution for five years have discharged their respective duties and trusts with great fidelity and integrity. The cares and perplexities continually surrounding them trying their utmost patience to a degree which no one unacquainted with the duties and responsibilities can fully comprehend. For their good management of the institution and their humane treatment of the inmates they have our highest commendation and thanks; we are again pleased to announce to the citizens of the county that Mr. and Mrs. Stiles will remain in charge of the institution another year.

The assistant matron, Mrs. L. J. Whitehouse, who has charge of the insane wards, has proved herself to be the right person in the right place.

The assistant superintendent, Mr. Frank A. Dodge, is as ever an efficient and trusty officer.

The school during the first part of the year was under the care of Miss Hattie Putnam who had been teacher for several terms, and had proved herself a good teacher and disciplinarian but to our regret she resigned. The fall and winter terms were taught by Miss Nellie M. Jackson a thorough teacher. Satisfactory progress was made. The weekly average of scholars during the winter fifty; largest number fifty-eight.

The sanitary condition of the almshouse has been good generally. Dr. Hatch has been faithful and attentive to those requiring medical attendance; we refer you to his report.

The windmill of which mention was made in our last report, as being erected for the purpose of forcing water to a reservoir near the buildings, has been in successful operation for nearly one year, furnishing an abundant supply of water for the house, wards, barns and all the buildings when needed. Last fall a small steam engine was purchased and put into the wash room together with a rotary washing machine and extractor thereby greatly lessening the hard-work in the wash room, which was formerly done by the hands of the female inmates. Now the washing machine takes the place of the wash tub and board; the extractor the place of the clothes wringer. A large washing is done every week day.

During the spring the men's insane house has been removed from the south side of the yard to the east side. There were several reasons for moving the building one of which was to get a better drainage from the vaults and better ventilation throughout the whole building.

A basement is under the entire building which will be used as a sitting and smoking room for the men. No smoking is allowed in or about any of the buildings, except in the smoking room, where all can enjoy the puffs from their pipe.

The men's insane ward is not large enough to comfortably accommodate the large number that are obliged to be kept there; here we have all grades of feeble minded and insane persons; the foolish, the partially insane and badly insane; some of which are filthy in their habits although kept as clean as possible; the air at times is far from being pure. We believe that additional room ought to be made—so that the clean and unclean may be in separate apartments—for the ward is now cramped and it is impossible to separate the two classes so as to give any of them good air at all times.

A new hennery was built the past year, when it is well stocked with fowls, we trust that we shall be amply paid for the outlay.

One great and serious drawback against the income of the farm the past year was the loss of a large number of hogs, from a disease which was prevalent throughout a large portion of the country, involving a loss to the county of several hundred dollars and making the income of the farm as many dollars less.

It is impossible to run an institution like our county farm and almshouse where the number of inmates are yearly increasing without erecting new buildings or making alterations in the old ones almost every year.

We return our thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Stiles and to the officers and employers of the institution for the courtesy and respect shown us during all our visits at the farm.

We earnestly invite the citizens of Hillsborough county, and especially the taxpayers, to visit the institu-

tion and judge for themselves how it is managed. We believe that all who will make the visit will go away with one opinion—that our county poor are well cared for, kept tidy and comfortable, and are kindly treated—and a better home than many of them ever had before.

#### PAUPERS IN TOWNS AND CITIES.

There has been a larger call for help this year than any year for a long time, especially the past winter, the increase has been mostly in the two cities of Manchester and Nashua. There were a great many male and female laborers thrown out of employment by the depression of business which left them in a hard situation to supply the wants of their families and necessitated a large demand for help, which we have tried to give to the needy the best we could. To know what to do and how much to help those who ask aid is a serious question for the commissioners in a winter like the past. This large demand for aid has increased our pauper expenses outside of the county almshouse over last year \$3,800. The expense at the county almshouse has not been as large this year as last by reason of not making so many permanent improvements. The average number of inmates this year is 289; an increase of 23 over last year; and the expense is \$2,100 less than last year. The total pauper expenses for the year ending April 30, 1885, is \$38,819; an increase over last year of \$1,700.

#### JAIL.

The expenses at the jail for board of prisoners, repairs and other incidentals amount to \$7,637.11 against \$5,622.31 last year; an increase of \$2,004.80 which is due in a great measure we think to the fact of having but two terms of court in a year instead of three, the



prisoners being kept a longer time in jail; this increase in expenses is probably made up to the county in the reduction of court expenses. The affairs of the jail are under the able and efficient management of Mr. and Mrs. David Wadsworth and we are pleased to say that in our visits to the jail we have found everything satisfactory to us and we think he has done the best that he could for those unfortunate ones under his charge.

For the financial condition of the county we would refer you to the county treasurer's report.

JOEL C. ANNIS, Nashua,  
 ALFRED G. FAIRBANKS, Manchester,  
 GEORGE A. COCHRAN, Antrim,  
*County Commissioners.*

## COUNTY FARM REPORT.

### INVENTORY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AT HILLSBORO' COUNTY FARM, MAY 1, 1885.

#### LIVE STOCK.

1 pair oxen . . . . .	\$180 00
1 " stags . . . . .	140 00
1 " bulls . . . . .	45 00
33 milch cows . . . . .	1,320 00
2 three year old heifers . . . . .	54 00
9 two " " " . . . . .	144 00
6 yearlings . . . . .	72 00
3 calves . . . . .	20 00
4 calves, small . . . . .	22 00
8 sheep . . . . .	30 00
3 lambs . . . . .	
7 large breeding sows . . . . .	140 00
9 small " " . . . . .	81 00
1 boar . . . . .	9 00
85 hens . . . . .	40 00
1 pair gray horses . . . . .	400 00
1 " black mares . . . . .	400 00
1 bay horse . . . . .	50 00
1 black " . . . . .	165 00
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	\$3,312 00

## MEATS, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

12 bbls salt pork . . . .	\$96 00
2 " hams and shoulders . . . .	55 00
150 lbs. lard . . . . .	12 00
230 " butter . . . . .	46 00
14 casks vinegar . . . . .	56 00
19 cider bbls. . . . .	9 50
840 bushels potatoes . . . . .	378 00
3 " parsnips . . . . .	75
6 " carrots . . . . .	1 00
5 " beets . . . . .	1 00
133 cans preserve . . . . .	23 25
27 " pickles . . . . .	6 75

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Wagons, carts and sleds . . . .	\$1,049 50
Harnesses, robes whips, etc . . . .	251 50
Farming tools . . . . .	882 90
Miscellaneous . . . . .	1,125 60
Blacksmith shop . . . . .	372 89
Carpenter and paint shop . . . .	122 85
Store room No. 1 . . . . .	471 64
Boiler house . . . . .	434 36
Flour etc . . . . .	912 00
Cook and bread room . . . . .	704 56
Dining hall . . . . .	322 38
Men's hospital . . . . .	314 60
Inmates building . . . . .	1,460 05
New building . . . . .	575 77
Women's insane house . . . . .	983 37
Store room No. 2 . . . . .	103 66
Men's insane house . . . . .	464 97
Bath and wash rooms . . . . .	717 96
Hay, grain etc . . . . .	1,167 75
Wood . . . . .	1,966 00

Women's clothing . . .	1,166	17	
Boots, shoes and rubbers . . .	293	73	
Store room No. 3 . . .	57	85	
Brick house . . .	1,347	77	
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Live stock . . .	\$3,312	00	
Meats, fruits and vegetables . . .	685	25	
Total amount personal property	—————		\$21,267 08

### COUNTY FARM RECEIPTS.

#### ARTICLES SOLD FROM FARM AND AMOUNT PAID INTO THE COUNTY TREASURY.

For board . . .	\$1,545	96	
stock . . .	437	00	
beef . . .	143	75	
cash . . .	87	93	
hides . . .	67	88	
barrels . . .	63	60	
grease . . .	20	76	
rags . . .	19	98	
labor . . .	18	75	
clothes . . .	13	74	
shoes . . .	3	25	
heads and feet . . .	1	65	
	—————		\$2,424 25

### COUNTY FARM EXPENDITURES.

#### JULY SETTLEMENT.

Paid L. H. Wheeler, windmill . . .	\$539	28
A. A. Ramsey, clothing . . .	447	54
S. A. Spaulding, meat . . .	443	40
Charles A. Stiles, services . . .	327	56
D. E. Proctor, hardware, etc . . .	303	84

Paid Wason, Pierce & Co., West	
India goods . . . .	\$256 97
D. Whiting & Sons, phos- phate and grain . . . .	213 97
Town of Wilton, tax . . . .	199 68
H. O. Proctor, horse . . . .	150 00
E. P. Osgood, dry goods . . . .	214 84
Boston & Lowell Railroad	
Corporation, freight . . . .	86 54
C. H. Thompson & Co., tools . . . .	78 45
Robert Martin, labor . . . .	78 00
F. A. Dodge, labor . . . .	78 00
J. F. Martin, " . . . .	78 00
George W. Hatch, M. D., medical services . . . .	75 00
Brown, Seavey & Co., fish . . . .	73 00
Frank H. Siddall, soap . . . .	69 75
Hattie A. Derbyshire, labor . . . .	65 00
Henry Stearns, oats . . . .	65 44
L. J. Whitehouse, labor . . . .	65 00
C. F. S. Youngman, " . . . .	65 00
S. S. Jackman & Co., piping . . . .	58 36
Hattie L. Putnam, teacher . . . .	52 50
Bigelow & Dowse, hardware . . . .	52 23
S. Frank Derbyshire, labor . . . .	52 00
Hand Grenade Co., grenades . . . .	50 00
H. J. Chapman, clothing . . . .	50 00
J. C. Frye & Co., beans . . . .	47 76
Mrs. Robert Martin, labor . . . .	45 50
Union Oil Co., soap stock . . . .	44 35
G. A. Samet & Son, mattresses . . . .	40 60
Wm. B. Emerson, labor . . . .	40 50
U. S. & C. Express Company transportation . . . .	35 80

Paid Joseph Langdell, conveying paupers . . . . .	\$34 50
Bales & Putnam, blacksmith work . . . . .	32 01
Dodge, Haley & Co., iron . . . . .	30 73
Henry Curtis, labor . . . . .	30 00
Moses E. Ordway, labor . . . . .	27 87
S. F. Derbyshire, " . . . . .	26 00
Elmer Buchanan, " . . . . .	26 00
Sarah Reagan, " . . . . .	26 00
Joseph Mesho, stone work . . . . .	23 00
Freeman Holt, wood . . . . .	22 57
Charles A. Sawtell, labor . . . . .	22 00
G. H. Keys, plows . . . . .	22 00
Runnells & Farley, clothing . . . . .	21 75
Nathan Cragin, grinding . . . . .	21 45
C. W. Everett, hogs . . . . .	20 00
Emerson & Co., furniture . . . . .	20 00
Chas. E. Lougee, labor . . . . .	20 00
A. D. Ramsdell, crackers . . . . .	19 25
John Craven, engineer . . . . .	18 54
Wright Bros., Stone & Co., flour . . . . .	18 25
H. H. Barber, dry goods . . . . .	18 16
Fred A. Nourse, soap . . . . .	16 92
Henry Olivier, boots, shoes, &c. . . . .	16 60
Rev. G. C. Trow, chaplain . . . . .	16 24
H. E. Taylor & Co., salt fish . . . . .	15 85
A. J. Parker, wheelwright . . . . .	13 97
W. W. Buxton, wood . . . . .	13 13
Shute & Merchant, fish . . . . .	11 88
Luke S. Lynch, beef . . . . .	11 35
H. Hopkins, sawing . . . . .	10 29
E. D. Searles, cabbage plants . . . . .	10 25

Paid Moses W. Hale, brooms . . . . .	\$10 00
Schlegel and Fottler, seeds . . . . .	9 90
David F. Scanlon, repairing . . . . .	9 50
J. H. Fay, tinware . . . . .	17 20
A. E. Jaques, stationery . . . . .	7 50
R. J. Frye, hats and caps . . . . .	5 78
Sarah McMan, labor . . . . .	5 00
C. W. Lerner & Co., disinfectants . . . . .	5 00
Hiland, Cheesman & Co., cabbage plants . . . . .	5 00
John Gage, labor . . . . .	4 50
H. H. Stickney, upholstering . . . . .	4 50
C. W. Edwards, labor . . . . .	4 22
B. F. Foster, labor . . . . .	3 50
G. A. Littlefield & Co., salve and medicine . . . . .	3 50
A. D. Graves, labor . . . . .	3 50
A. O. Barker, groceries . . . . .	3 10
T. E. Mills & Co., cleaning fluid . . . . .	3 00
Barr & Co., hardware, etc . . . . .	3 00
J. W. Stiles, labor . . . . .	2 75
H. M. Stanley, repairing boots and shoes . . . . .	2 45
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## OCTOBER SETTLEMENT.

Paid Wright Brothers & James, flour . . . . .	\$837 14
S. A. Spaulding, meat, etc . . . . .	653 85
D. Whiting & Sons, meal . . . . .	441 31
D. E. Proctor, hardware, etc . . . . .	433 37
Empire Laundry Machine Co., washing machine . . . . .	350 00

Paid C. A. Stiles, services . . . . .	\$338 58
Wason, Pierce & Company, groceries . . . . .	312 04
G. S. Blodgett & Co., oven . . . . .	228 00
Transportation . . . . .	214 53
Pettee & Adams, shorts' . . . . .	181 39
S. D. Chandler, grain . . . . .	122 50
H. H. Barber, dry goods . . . . .	118 46
F. D. Cook & Co., lumber . . . . .	110 63
S. S. Jackman & Co., piping . . . . .	108 55
Brown, Seavey & Co., fish . . . . .	104 98
Freeman J. Holt, wood . . . . .	100 00
Sarah D. Daniels, labor . . . . .	91 50
Frank A. Dodge, labor . . . . .	82 00
Henry L. Emerson, carpenter work . . . . .	81 37
Lamkin & Foster, boots and shoes . . . . .	78 85
J. F. Martin, labor . . . . .	78 00
Robert Martin, engineer . . . . .	78 00
G. W. Hatch, M. D., medical services . . . . .	77 00
L. J. Whitehouse, labor . . . . .	65 71
Henry Stearns, grain . . . . .	63 50
I. K. Foster, plumbing . . . . .	61 30
Charles E. Clough, labor . . . . .	59 80
E. P. Osgood, dry goods . . . . .	56 85
Knowles Pump Works, re- pairing steam pump . . . . .	55 05
S. Frank Derbyshire, labor . . . . .	52 00
C. F. Youngman, watchman . . . . .	52 00
H. L. Blanchard, painting . . . . .	46 28
Alice Martin, labor . . . . .	46 00
S. B. Farrar, wood . . . . .	42 84
J. C. Frye & Co., beans . . . . .	42 24



Paid Lyford Poor, labor . . . . .	\$39 00
Josie I. Cummings, teacher . . . . .	38 50
Edward A Mestler, boots and shoes . . . . .	38 41
F A. Nourse, soap . . . . .	34 42
Joseph Langdell, conveying paupers . . . . .	34 10
Minnie Clough, labor . . . . .	32 50
E. C. Damon, sewing machine . . . . .	32 00
Hattie A. Derbyshire, labor . . . . .	31 95
Lyman A. Tenney, labor . . . . .	30 33
City of Malden, stock . . . . .	30 00
C. H Carruth, tobacco . . . . .	27 00
Chas. Sawtell, labor . . . . .	27 00
Bales & Putnam, blacksmith work . . . . .	26 89
U. S. & Canada Express, expressage . . . . .	26 70
Isaac Giddings, hay . . . . .	26 32
Sarah Reagan, labor . . . . .	26 28
Emerson & Son, furniture . . . . .	26 00
Geo. F. Barker, smith work . . . . .	23 34
B. S. Thompson & Co., coffee and tea . . . . .	
Rev. G. C. Trow, chaplain . . . . .	20 27
H. E. Taylor & Co., salt fish . . . . .	20 00
W. N. Patterson & Co., repairing plows . . . . .	18 63
Nellie Jackson, teacher . . . . .	18 50
J. & H. Livermore, lumber . . . . .	18 28
S. N. Center & Son, dry goods . . . . .	17 69
Bigelow & Dowse, hardware . . . . .	17 08
Dodge, Haley & Co., iron . . . . .	16 51
Runnells & Farley, clothing . . . . .	16 00
George L. Wyman, labor . . . . .	15 00

Paid John Gage, mason work . . .	\$15 00
Clarke, Adams & Clarke, crockery . . . . .	14 65
Alfred E. Jaques, journal, etc	13 33
George A. Cochran, potatoes	13 10
J. Peabody & Co., robes . . .	12 00
E. C. Hutchinson, fertilizers	12 00
E. W. Kimball, horse collars	12 00
Wm. B. Emerson, labor . . .	10 00
B. M. Heald, supplies . . .	9 64
C. H. Thompson & Co., farm- ing tools . . . . .	9 00
Alice Howard, labor . . . . .	9 00
H. A. Joslin, potatoes . . . . .	9 00
W. C. Ingalls, painting . . . . .	9 00
H. A. Powers, medicines . . . . .	8 72
C. M. Batchelder, labor . . . . .	7 50
R. H. Wilder, crackers . . . . .	6 50
H. Trevitt, M. D., drugs . . . . .	6 25
Frank B. Martin, labor . . . . .	6 00
Charles L. Davenport, salt	5 70
A. J. Parker, wheelwright . . . . .	5 50
George W. Boynton, collar	5 00
J. C. Annis, wheel chair . . . . .	5 00
L. Tingley, harness maker	4 85
Merrill & Co.'s Exp., freight	4 70
J. W. Stiles . . . . .	4 50
American Rubber Co.. . . . .	4 25
Nathan Barker, grinding . . . . .	4 00
J. E. Burke . . . . .	3 50
Barr & Co., hardware . . . . .	3 25
E. J. Curtis . . . . .	2 70
E. B. Edwards . . . . .	2 00
Sarah McMahone . . . . .	1 67
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## JANUARY SETTLEMENT, 1885.

Paid Stratton, Merrill & Co., .	\$833 75
D. E. Proctor, hardware, etc	355 77
C. A. Stiles, services .	344 22
Wason, Pierce & Co., gro- ceries, etc . . .	314 53
George A. Cochran, .	310 00
S. C. Forsaith Machine Co.,	211 70
Samuel Hodkins, wood .	210 30
S. H. Dunbar, meat .	203 97
E. P. Osgood, dry goods .	203 72
F. J. Holt . . . .	181 50
Lamkin & Foster, boots and shoes . . . .	142 50
S. A. Spaulding, meat .	135 44
D. Whiting & Sons .	120 44
Frank A. Dodge, labor .	90 40
Runnells & Farley, clothing	84 90
J. V. Fletcher . . .	79 33
Charles Clough, labor .	78 00
Lyman A. Tenney, labor .	78 00
George W. Hatch, M. D., physician . . . .	78 00
Robert H. Martin, labor .	78 00
Joshua F. Martin, labor .	78 00
Brown, Seavey & Co., fish	73 60
S. D. Chandler, grain .	71 25
B. S. Thompson & Co., .	70 66
George H. Wilson . . .	70 15
C. F. S. Youngman, labor .	66 00
Laura J. Whitehouse, labor	65 71
H. A. Eaton, labor . .	65 00
Joseph Mesho, stone work .	59 40
Bigelow & Dowse, hardware	56 30

Paid Bales & Putnam, blacksmith work . . . . .	\$53 20
Transportation, freight . . . . .	53 11
Lloyd Poor, . . . . .	52 00
J. W. Stiles . . . . .	47 30
Alice M. Martin, labor . . . . .	46 00
Nellie M. Jackson, teacher . . . . .	46 00
Sarah D. Daniels, labor . . . . .	46 00
F. A. Nourse . . . . .	45 98
Minnie L. Clough, labor . . . . .	45 50
W. E. Jaquith . . . . .	45 20
Isaiah Wheeler . . . . .	45 00
U. S. & C. Express, freight . . . . .	40 40
H. Hopkins, sawing . . . . .	40 14
Geo. F. Barker, smith work . . . . .	37 03
S. K. Foster, tin ware . . . . .	31 39
S. S. Sawyer . . . . .	30 00
Ellen F. Poor . . . . .	29 75
Joseph Langdell, conveying paupers . . . . .	28 50
A. J. Parker . . . . .	28 25
F. D. Cook & Co., lumber . . . . .	28 22
C. F. Melendy . . . . .	28 00
C. H. Carruth & Co., . . . . .	28 00
S. S. Jackman & Co., . . . . .	26 97
S. B. Lewis, . . . . .	26 00
H. E. Taylor & Co., . . . . .	24 80
C. F. & G. S. Peavey, meat . . . . .	24 53
Warren Holt . . . . .	21 90
Gregg & Son . . . . .	21 50
Henry Stearns . . . . .	20 00
C. H. Nutt, hardware . . . . .	19 08
Sarah Reagan, labor . . . . .	19 00
R. H. Wilder, crackers . . . . .	18 50
J. H. Fay . . . . .	17 75

Paid Rev. G. C. Trow, chaplain .	\$16 24
John H. Cashin . . .	16 00
Addie G. Lewis . . .	15 50
A. S. Campbell . . .	15 00
S. N. Center & Son . . .	14 65
Albert J. Maedor . . .	14 00
Charles Sawtelle, labor . . .	14 00
J. C. Frye & Co., . . .	13 60
E. J. Curtis . . . . .	13 20
Peter Garns . . . . .	13 00
M. R. Buxton . . . . .	12 50
Charles L. Davenport . . .	12 04
A. W. Snow . . . . .	11 76
W. C. Ingalls . . . . .	11 75
J. & H. H. Livermore . . .	11 72
H. M. Stanley, repairing boots and shoes . . . . .	11 45
E. A. Mestler, boots and shoes	10 50
A. A. Ramsey . . . . .	10 50
Henry J. Russell . . . . .	9 00
George H. Hubbard . . . . .	9 00
Alfred E. Jaques . . . . .	8 94
Howard & Co., . . . . .	8 50
Lewis W. Smith . . . . .	8 00
W. H. Barnes . . . . .	8 00
A. G. Fairbanks . . . . .	7 00
Herman Wright . . . . .	6 60
H. H. Barber, dry goods . . .	6 00
O. C. Moore, printing . . . .	6 00
Hattie L. Putnam, labor . . .	6 00
Batchelder, Fairbanks & Co.,	5 00
C. W. Lerner & Co., . . . . .	5 00
C. W. Edwards . . . . .	4 65
Dodge, Haley & Co., . . . . .	4 53
O. B. Laport . . . . .	4 00

Paid Pearsons & Wallace . . . . .	\$2 20	
C. H. Baldwin . . . . .	1 50	
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## APRIL SETTLEMENT, 1885.

Paid Charles A. Stiles, services	\$328 13
David Whiting & Sons, oats meal, etc . . . . .	242 13
S. H. Dunbar, meat . . . . .	229 94
D. E. Proctor, hardware, paints, etc . . . . .	209 23
Town of Wilton, tax bill . . . . .	197 28
E. P. Osgood, dry goods . . . . .	165 76
Lamkin & Foster, boots and shoes . . . . .	161 05
B. S. Thompson & Co., coffee, tea, etc . . . . .	149 80
Wright Bros., Stone & Co., beans . . . . .	148 72
S. F. Derbyshire, wood, etc . . . . .	137 14
Wason, Pierce & Co., gro- ceries . . . . .	116 49
George W. Simmons & Co., clothing . . . . .	111 15
W. E. Jaquith, spruce wood	106 75
F. J. Holt, lumber and wood	101 71
Frank A. Dodge, labor . . . . .	90 00
C. F. S. Youngman, watchman . . . . .	78 00
S. B. Lewis, labor . . . . .	78 00
L. A. Tenney, labor . . . . .	78 00
Robert H. Martin, engineer . . . . .	78 00
Joshua F. Martin, labor . . . . .	78 00
George W. Hatch, M. D., physician . . . . .	78 00

Paid C. E. Clough, teamster . . .	78 00
Runnells & Farley, clothing . . .	72 00
Brown, Seavey & Co., fish . . .	71 20
S. A. Spaulding, meat . . .	70 77
H. W. Spurr & Co., molasses . . .	70 28
etc . . . . .	70 22
Henry Stearns, oats, meal, etc . . .	69 93
Boston & Lowell Railroad, . . . . .	66 33
transportation . . . . .	65 00
Geo. A. Cochran, pork, etc . . . . .	58 68
L. J. Whitehouse, labor . . . . .	56 50
C. F. Melendy, beef . . . . .	49 00
E. B. Edwards, cow, hens, etc . . . . .	48 79
A. A. Ramsey, furniture . . . . .	47 80
Dodge, Haley & Co., irons . . . . .	47 78
J. W. Stiles, beef, pork, etc . . . . .	47 50
Bigelow & Dowse, brushes, . . . . .	46 78
pails, etc . . . . .	45 50
Nellie M. Jackson, teacher . . . . .	45 50
J. C. Frye & Co., pea beans . . . . .	45 50
Clarke, Adams & Clarke, . . . . .	44 00
crockery . . . . .	37 10
Sarah D. Daniels, labor . . . . .	30 00
Minnie L. Clough, labor . . . . .	29 50
Alice M. Martin, labor . . . . .	28 96
S. D. Chandler, flour . . . . .	27 75
U. S. & C. Exp. Co., freight . . . . .	27 00
J. M. Toosey, coffins . . . . .	26 94
H. E. Taylor & Co., fish . . . . .	26 00
W. R. Whitney, oil, soap, etc . . . . .	
Joseph Langdell, conveying . . . . .	
paupers . . . . .	
George Boynton, cow . . . . .	
Nathan Barker, grinding . . . . .	
Sarah Reagan, labor . . . . .	

Paid George H. Mason & Co., crockery, etc . . .	\$24 80
J. Peabody & Co., burial robes	24 00
John J. Lufkin, labor . . .	22 50
S. S. Jackman & Co., piping tools . . . . .	21 08
A. G. Lewis, labor . . . . .	21 00
Theodore Johnson . . . . .	20 00
Rev. Geo. C. Trow, chaplain	20 24
Henry L. Emerson, carpenter work . . . . .	19 12
Edward Brown & Co., fish	18 00
H. Kohnstamm & Co., soap	16 57
H. H. Barber, dry goods . . .	16 42
S. B. Farrar, wood . . . . .	14 48
S. N. Center & Son, books	14 26
Bales & Putnam, smith work	14 09
Henry Trevitt, M. D., medi- cine . . . . .	12 70
G. F. Boshier & Co., clothing	12 00
F. A. Nourse, soap . . . . .	10 82
S. K. Foster, tin ware, etc	10 61
H. M. Stanley, rep'ing boots and shoes . . . . .	9 20
A. E. Jaques, P. O. stamps	9 07
Alice M. Howard, labor . . . . .	8 00
John Bragg, tools . . . . .	6 36
E. E. Curtis, collars, straps, etc . . . . .	5 85
George F. Barker, smith work	5 73
Daniel Cragin, clothing . . . . .	5 25
G. W. Edwards, mason work	5 00
Hattie L. Putnam, teacher	5 00
Sadie M. Daniels, labor . . . . .	4 00
Pearsons & Wallace, cloth	3 50



Paid H. A. Powers, drugs, etc . . .	\$3 38	
H. O. Hadley, cutting ice . . .	3 00	
C. M. Batchelder, labor . . .	3 00	
D. Sumner, labor . . .	3 00	
A. J. Parker, baggage board . . .	1 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$4,851 47

## FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Expenditures to July 1, 1884 . . .	\$5,293 86	
“ “ Oct. 15, “ . . .	6,856 03	
“ “ Jan. 1, 1885 . . .	6,262 87	
“ “ April 1, “ . . .	4,851 47	
	<u>          </u>	\$23,264 23
Receipts to Oct. 1, 1884 . . .	\$1,125 17	
“ “ Apr. 1, 1885 . . .	1,299 08	
	<u>          </u>	\$2,424 25
		<u>          </u>
		\$20,839 98

## RECAPITULATION.

Cash paid for all expenses at the county farm by county treasurer	\$23,264 23	
Estimated int. on real estate	1,660 50	
		—————\$24,924 73

Inventory of May 1, 1885	\$21,267 08	
“ “ “ 1, 1884	20,919 53	
Increase of inventory		————— 347 55
		—————\$24,577 18

Produce and stock sold, including board of inmates, and paid into county treasury		\$2,424 25
		—————
Balance against the farm		\$22,152 93

Cash paid for windmill	.	\$688 93	
“ “ “ hen house	.	235 03	
			————— \$923 96

The number of weeks' board furnished to inmates for the year ending April 30, 1885, was 15,049; dividing \$22,152.93, the balance against the farm, by that number, it will give \$1.47 and a fraction as the cost of board; and deducting \$923.96 the amount paid for windmill, hen house, etc., it will give the cost of board a fraction more than \$1.41 per week for each person.

	Average weekly number at farm.	Amount paid for paupers at farm.	Amount paid for paupers off farm.	Total.
Paid in 1869	96	\$11,840 50	\$4,463 80	\$16,266 98
" 1870	115 $\frac{1}{2}$	11,122 89	4,817 97	15,940 86
" 1871	107 $\frac{1}{2}$	8,627 43	4,657 76	13,285 19
" 1872	111	9,333 49	4,922 16	14,255 65
" 1873	118	9,287 80	5,791 52	15,079 32
" 1874	133 $\frac{1}{3}$	12,651 62	7,578 00	20,229 62
" 1875	160	12,664 58	9,505 80	22,170 33
" 1876	157	12,686 17	12,234 48	24,921 65
" 1877	192 $\frac{1}{2}$	17,631 48	19,641 13	37,272 61
" 1878	214	18,571 53	18,334 70	36,909 23
" 1879	195 $\frac{1}{2}$	15,044 05	15,556 86	30,612 91
" 1880	188	14,877 34	12,603 89	27,661 12
" 1881	192	14,419 84	12,241 28	28,339 32
" 1882	237	16,741 00	11,598 32	34,471 85
" 1883	249	21,975 69	12,496 16	37,742 02
" 1884	266	23,445 77	13,673 12	37,103 89
" 1885	289	21,259 94	17,559 08	38,819 02

## AMOUNT OF PRODUCE RAISED.

English hay	.	.	.	88	tons.
Meadow "	.	.	.	7	"
Second crop	.	.	.	5	"
Oat straw	.	.	.	13	"
Barley "	.	.	.	9	"
Ensilage	.	.	.	220	"
Corn fodder	.	.	.	8	"
" butts	.	.	.	12	"
Squash	.	.	.	1½	"
Pumpkins	.	.	.	2	"
Rye straw	.	.	.	4	"
Green rye	.	.	.	23	"
Barley	.	.	.	65	bushels.
Potatoes	.	.	.	2,187	"
Beets	.	.	.	90	"
Onions	.	.	.	54	"
Turnips	.	.	.	87	"
Sugar beets	.	.	.	45	"
Mangols	.	.	.	36	"
Greens	.	.	.	75	"
Peas	.	.	.	10	"
Beans	.	.	.	12	"
Sweet corn	.	.	.	100	"
Field "	.	.	.	398	"
Tomatoes	.	.	.	15	"
Cucumbers	.	.	.	25	"
Pickles	.	.	.	10	"
Parsnips	.	.	.	20	"
Apples	.	.	.	300	barrels.
Cabbage	.	.	.	5,000	heads.
Milk	.	.	.	6,935	cans.
Butter	.	.	.	4,200	pounds.
Eggs	.	.	.	456	dozen.

Beef killed at farm	.	.	10,307	pounds.
Pork	“	.	5,562	“
Veal	“	.	2,132	“
Lamb	“	.	52	“
Lard	.	.	300	“
Tallow	.	.	344	“

## STATISTICS.

Number in almshouse May 1, 1884	.	.	269
Admitted to May 1, 1885	.	.	240
Discharged to May 1, 1885	.	.	216
Supported and partially supported	.	.	509
Births	.	.	7
Deaths	.	.	38
Weekly average	.	.	289
Number in almshouse May 1, 1885	.	.	293

## NATIONALITIES.

Of the two hundred and forty admitted during the year there were:—

Americans	.	.	.	.	53
Irish	.	.	.	.	142
French	.	.	.	.	31
English	.	.	.	.	5
German	.	.	.	.	4
Scotch	.	.	.	.	3
Colored	.	.	.	.	1
Russian	.	.	.	.	1

## WHERE FROM.

Of the two hundred and forty admitted during the year there were from :—

Manchester	.	.	.	.	.	138
Nashua	.	.	.	.	.	67
Wilton	.	.	.	.	.	9
Born at the farm	.	.	.	.	.	7
Peterborough	.	.	.	.	.	4
Lyndeborough	.	.	.	.	.	2
Goffstown	.	.	.	.	.	1
New Boston	.	.	.	.	.	1
Merrimack	.	.	.	.	.	1
Temple	.	.	.	.	.	1
Greenville	.	.	.	.	.	1
Amherst	.	.	.	.	.	1
New Ipswich	.	.	.	.	.	1
Pelham	.	.	.	.	.	1
Deering	.	.	.	.	.	1
Hudson	.	.	.	.	.	1
Windsor	.	.	.	.	.	1
Greenfield	.	.	.	.	.	1
Bennington	.	.	.	.	.	1

## AGES.

Number at almshouse May 1, 1885, five years old and under	.	.	.	.	.	31
Number between 5 and 10 years	.	.	.	.	.	25
“ “ 10 and 20 years	.	.	.	.	.	29
“ “ 20 and 30 years	.	.	.	.	.	30
“ “ 30 and 40 years	.	.	.	.	.	48
“ “ 40 and 50 years	.	.	.	.	.	44
“ “ 50 and 60 years	.	.	.	.	.	29
“ “ 60 and 70 years	.	.	.	.	.	30

“	“	70 and 80 years	22
“	“	80 and 90 years	5

## INSANE AND IDIOTIC.

Insane and partially insane	68
Idiotic	29

## WHOLE NUMBER OF INMATES.

Males	128
Females	165

## NOW AT THE FARM.

Of the whole number remaining at the farm May 1, 1885, there were from

Manchester	174
Nashua	44
Wilton	8
Born at the farm	8
Goffstown	6
Milford	5
Hudson	4
Lyndeborough	4
New Ipswich	4
Greenfield	3
Amherst	3
Mont Vernon	3
Peterborough	3
Antrim	2
New Boston	2
Hollis	2
Windsor	2

Pelham	.	.	.	.	2
Hillsborough	.	.	.	.	2
Brookline	.	.	.	.	2
Merrimack	.	.	.	.	1
Sharon	.	.	.	.	1
Mason	.	.	.	.	1
Litchfield	.	.	.	.	1
Temple	.	.	.	.	1
Deering	.	.	.	.	1
Greenville	.	.	.	.	1
Hancock	.	.	.	.	1
Weare	.	.	.	.	1
Bedford	.	.	.	.	1



## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Hillsborough County:—*

GENTLEMEN,—During the year just closed, affairs at this institution have progressed with their usual regularity. We have supported, as will be seen by statistics elsewhere, a large number of inmates, and while the proportion of deaths has been larger than in some years it will be seen that the list contains the names of many infants and aged people, a number of these died very soon after admission, in fact some were suffering with their last sickness when admitted.

The crops raised upon the farm were satisfactory, especially the potato yield which was upward of two thousand five hundred bushels.

The only serious trouble we have experienced was in the loss of a large number of hogs, some fifty or more from the same disease that was fatal to many swine throughout New England last season.

The windmill that was erected during the year has done its work satisfactorily and we have now no cause to apprehend a lack of water at all points on the premises where it is used, so long as the pond and brook contain any.

The new laundry apparatus, consisting of steam engine, rotary washing machine and centrifugal separator

have lessened the amount of manual labor in the laundry to a great extent. Work is now done by steam power that formerly required human arms and muscles to accomplish.

The school has been in session most of the year, and notwithstanding the fact that the number of pupils is larger than can be properly accommodated; still the progress has been excellent, the improvement of many of the children has been marked and the teachers deserve commendation for their faithfulness.

We have been fortunate in retaining the services of the same officers during the year which is greatly to the advantage of the institution, as the duties are of such a nature that it requires time for a person to become familiar with them, and when learned an officer's efficiency is greatly increased.

The removal of the men's insane house from the position it formerly occupied to its present location between the boiler house and the house occupied by the female insane will make a desirable improvement, inasmuch as the building has been raised four feet permitting the construction of a large basement to be used as a smoking-room and sitting room for the men when not at work. Other additions and alterations that are being made to this building will add materially to its convenience.

It will be noticed that the price of board of inmates this year figures somewhat higher than usual, one reason for this was we were obliged to purchase pork to take the place of that we lost by the death of so many hogs, and we also paid out several hundred dollars for meal to fat those hogs on, which also enters into the account.

We have not reached the last of our ensilage, and our cows take it in preference to the best English hay; by the use of it we have now on hand forty tons of English hay.

Dr. Hatch has given all the facts concerning the sanitary condition of the institution, but I cannot let the opportunity pass of testifying to his faithful attendance to his professional duties as physician of this institution.

I also desire to express my thanks to the commissioners for their cordial support in all matters where the interests of the county are concerned.

To the officers I would express my sense of appreciation of the faithful manner in which they have discharged their various duties.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. STILES,

*Supt. County Farm*

*and House of Correction.*

Wilton, N. H., April 30, 1885.

## PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Hillsborough County:—*

GENTLEMEN:—Allow me to make my fourth annual report of the sanitary condition of the county almshouse for the year ending April 30, 1885.

The sanitary condition has been good for the year, having had only the diseases usual to people in general. Where so many are together we are quite apt to get an epidemic of some one of the contagious diseases, but this year we have escaped them.

The death rate is larger this year than last; many of the deceased coming here in the very last stages of their disease.

The birth rate has decreased this year; due to natural causes I presume.

I wish to speak of the remarkable good state of health which has been maintained among the female insane and idiotic, due I think to their enlarged accommodations. Now they have all the room and good air that they need which is absolutely necessary for their health. We every day see the need of better accommodations for the male insane and idiotic. I think it is imperative that we have an enlarged department for their use; also a large nursery for the little ones where they can get good fresh

air and all they need of it, which they can't get where they now are.

I think that the health of this institution is due to a great extent to the good healthy food with which the inmates are provided ; of this I am confident. I have taken great pains to find out if the food was as it ought to be, because every little while some one asks me if the inmates get good food and plenty of it. To all such I can say yes. Since I first became connected with the almshouse I have noticed that the inmates have always had good wholesome food and plenty of it, and anyone who may have friends here can always feel sure that they will be well provided for in this respect.

Permit me to call your attention to one very pressing want, one that is absolutely necessary, a hospital for obstetrical cases. At present all such cases are put into the women's hospital, a room which is occupied by some eighteen or twenty old ladies and a number of children from infancy up to six years of age, consequently the needed privacy of such cases cannot be had. I hope that a room will soon be provided.

Number of deaths during the year thirty-nine.

Number of births during the year seven.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. HATCH, M. D.

DEATHS AT HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY FARM DURING  
THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Name.	Age.	Disease.
Laura R. Wheeler,	69 years.	Consumption.
John Robinson,	34 "	Consumption.
Frank Shubert,	52 "	Phthisic.
Emile Wolf,	16 mos.	Dysentery.
Charlotte Haskell,	73 years.	Kidney Disease.
Frank Willard,	41 "	Kidney Disease.
Addison Mansfield,	74 "	Gangrenous Erysipelas.
Frank Bartlett,	6 mos.	Catarrh of bowels.
George Frost,	40 years.	Apoplexy.
Celia Finnigan,	74 "	General Debility.
Charles Emerson,	37 "	Insanity.
Rufus Smith,	77 "	Old Age.
Horace Sheldon,	70 "	Old Age.
Infant Conway,	6 mos.	Congenital disease of stomach.
Mrs. R. Whipple,	65 years.	Dysentery.
William Locklands,	65 "	Paralysis of Heart.
Joseph Ashley,	40 "	Paralysis of Heart.
Granville Nutting,	46 "	General Paresis.
Charles D. Holmes,	26 "	Consumption.
James McClues,	76 "	Bronchial Pneumonia.
Alsop Belle,	29 "	Consumption.
Elbridge Gerry,	45 "	Paralysis of Heart.
Infant Lyons,	—	Purpura Hemorrhagia.
Thomas Paul,	16 years.	Paralysis of Heart.
John Smith,	77 "	Nephritis.
Joseph M. Hunter,	34 "	Apoplexy.
Alvin Heath,	77 "	Pericarditis.
Isaac Foster,	60 "	Apoplexy.
Alfred Burgess,	18 mos.	Catarrh of Bowels.
Margaret Carrigan,	75 years.	Consumption.
Edward McCabe,	40 "	Disease of Brain.
Loren Brackett,	79 "	Apoplexy.
Etta Hunt,	12 mos.	Consumption.
Joseph Conners,	18 mos.	Marasmus.
Parker B. Dodge,	79 years.	General Debility.
Mary Pool,	12 mos.	Marasmus.
Simon Lucas,	39 years.	Disease of Brain.
Joel Foster,	59 "	Apoplexy.

## CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable Commissioners of Hillsborough County:—*

It again becomes my duty to submit my annual report.

I cannot report my work as something one can see and handle. In the duties of chaplain we can more easily tell what has been attempted than what has really been accomplished. The regular monthly preaching service has been held on the second Sunday in the month through the year. The attendance has been large and the attention to the preaching of the gospel good.

The congregation seem to enjoy very much the service of song; and often some have been moved to tears by the singing, perhaps awakening recollections of sunnier days, and we hope opening the heart to the reception of the blessed realities of a new life in Christ Jesus.

Funeral occasions have been a little oftener than usual this year; not more often however than we should expect considering the number at the county farm and the condition of many when they are brought there.

Some have died very suddenly; others after a lingering sickness. Some have passed away happy in the Saviour and have entered the land of rest where there is no more sickness, pain or death.

It is my conviction that the moral influence brought to bear on the inmates is of a high order. The most hopeful opportunity of making good impressions is among

the children. This I am glad to say is well improved. The children here receive good instruction in their day school and through the efforts of their teacher and Mrs. Stiles they are also taught in moral and spiritual things.

The work of moral improvement among the older classes is not as hopeful but for encouragement in this we can come to Him who knew what was in man: "The things which are impossible with men are possible with God."

In the early part of the summer a delegation of ladies from the W. C. T. U. visited the farm and held appropriate services, and distributed to every inmate a bouquet of roses with texts of Scripture attached, also tracts, papers, etc. It was a happy day for the inmates and we trust much good was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Stiles spare no pains for the comfort and well being of all under their care, and I consider them the right people in the right place.

Now with thanks to all for the respect shown me at all times this report is respectfully submitted.

GEO. C. TROW,  
*Chaplain.*

April 28, 1885.



# LIST OF PAUPERS

REMAINING AT THE HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY FARM,

MAY 1, 1885.

Name.	Age.	Nationality.	Where From.	Board.	
				Weeks.	Days.
Adams, John P.,	80	A.	Milford,	52	1
Ayre, Markus,	78	A.	Manchester,	20	1
Arrol, Joseph,	78	F.	"	14	1
Bennet, Harriet,	52	A.	Brookline,	52	1
Butters, Reuben W.	65	A.	Antrim,	52	1
Brown, George W.,	35	A.	Manchester,	53	1
Blennerhasset, M. A.,	46	G.	"	52	1
Brown, Henry,	48	A.	Mont Vernon,	52	1
Barrett, Emma,	43	A.	Windsor,	52	1
Bliss, Harriet,	77	A.	Nashua,	52	1
Bowner, Willie,	8	I.	Manchester,	52	1
Bowner, Robert,	4	I.	"	52	1
Bailey, William H.	32	A.	New Ipswich,	52	1
Bundy, Margaret,	43	I.	Manchester,	52	1
Burmingham, John,	9	I.	"	48	3
Burmingham, Daniel,	7	I.	"	48	3
Burmingham, Willie,	5	I.	"	48	3
Brown, Abraham,	61	E.	"	36	4
Brennan, Martin,	71	I.	"	35	
Burke, Kate,	24	I.	"	34	3
Burke, George A.,	5 mos.	I.	Born at farm,	20	1
Burke, James,	44	I.	Manchester,	12	5
Bryson, Margaret,	65	I.	"	8	6
Burke, Freddie,	10	I.	"	8	6
Brown, J. C.,	47	A.	"	7	6

Black, Frank, [REDACTED]	14	A.	Manchester,	4	3
Crowley, Cornelius,	65	I.	Weare,	52	1
Carter, Mary Ann,	73	A.	Peterborough,	52	1
Chamberlain, Car'ne,	59	A.	New Ipswich,	52	1
Colby, Emily,	46	A.	Hillsborough,	52	1
Campbell, Sophia,	69	A.	Bedford,	52	1
Corey, Celia L.,	56	A.	Manchester,	52	1
Craig, Alfred,	62	A.	Goffstown,	52	1
Clark, Annie,	69	A.	Manchester,	52	1
Cronan, Patsy, [REDACTED]	24	I.	"	52	1
Cutter, James,	80	A.	Hudson,	52	1
Collins, Jerry,	12	I.	Manchester,	52	2
Callahan, Daniel,	49		"	41	6
Callahan, Mary,	41	I.	"	41	3
Callahan, Thomas, [REDACTED]	9	I.	"	41	3
Callahan, Maggie,	2	I.	"	41	3
Cullerty, Jerry,	61	I.	"	36	
Cronan, Cornelius,	42	I.	"	20	3
Currier, Delia,	18	I.	Nashua,	19	
Carter, Edward	17	I.	Peterborough,	15	
Crooker, Thomas,	64	A.	Manchester,	10	3
Connors, Mary,	31	I.	"	10	3
Conway, Nellie,	18	I.	"	7	3
Connors, Maggie,	23	I.	"	4	3
Currier, infant,	4 mos.	I.	Born at farm,	3	4
Dewire, Ellen,	28	I.	Mont Vernon,	52	1
Dyer, Mary,	29	A.	Manchester,	52	1
Daniels, Martha M.	43	A.	Wilton,	52	1
Driscoll, Walter,	4	I.	Manchester,	52	1
Doherty, Catherine,	55	I.	Nashua,	52	1
Doherty, Mary,	35	I.	Manchester,	21	4
Daniels, George L.,	36	A.	Wilton,	52	1
Davis, Priest,	80	A.	Greenfield,	16	3
Elvin, Charles,	4	I.	Manchester,	52	1
Elvin, Jesse,	8	I.	Lyndeboro'	25	
Eaton, Emily,	60	A.	Wilton,	23	1
Everett, Florence,	10 mos.	A.	Manchester,	21	3
Fife, Sarah,	51	A.	Peterborough,	52	1

Fisher, Ann,	69	A.	Nashua,	52	I
Foster, Joel,	60	A.	Temple,	52	I
Fulton, John,	9	A.	Amherst,	52	I
Fulton, Annie M.,	8	A.	"	52	I
Frazier, Janet,	26	S.	Manchester,	52	I
Fahey, James,	12	I.	"	52	I
Fahay, Mabel F.	5	I.	"	52	I
Farger, Bridget,	72	I.	"	52	I
Foss, Eben,	75	A.	"	52	I
Foley, Sarah,	32	I.	"	52	I
Farmer, Lucius,	44	A.	"	22	4
Foley, Maggie,	15	I.	"	20	
Foley, Patrick,	50	I.	"	20	
Foley, James,	11	I.	"	15	2
Galvin, Hannah,	69	I.	"	52	I
Griffin, Eliza,	80	A.	New Boston,	52	I
Gorrette, Israel,	24	F.	Manchester,	52	I
Guptil, Robert,	44	I.	Nashua,	52	I
Glynn, Annie,	50	I.	"	52	I
Gage, Electa M.,	50	A.	Lyndeboro',	52	I
Greenwood, Annie,	34	A.	Manchester,	52	I
Gough, John B.,	8	A.	"	52	I
Greenwood, Joseph,	40	A.	Greenville,	52	I
Gilchrist, Margaret,	52	I.	Manchester,	42	
Gonier, Mary,	19	F.	"	19	2
Hall, Thurseay,	81	A.	Brookline,	52	I
Hutchinson, Burt,	57	A.	Wilton,	52	I
Haggerty, Kate,	44	I.	Manchester,	52	I
Hall, Oscar,	53	A.	Hancock,	52	I
Hart, Ella,	23	A.	Manchester,	52	I
Higgins, Mrs. B.	63	I.	"	52	I
Hayes, R. B.	5	A.	"	52	I
Hoonan, Joseph,	9	I.	"	52	I
Hall, Joseph,	4	C.	"	52	I
Hill, Abbie M.,	43	A.	Mont Vernon,	52	I
Hardy, Lizzie,	9	A.	Manchester,	52	I
Hardy, Willie,	4	A.	"	52	I
Hamilton, Mary A.,	75	A.	"	52	I

Harrington, Luther,	24	A.	Manchester,	52	1
Howard, Alice M.,	24	A.	Milford,	52	1
Healey, Angie,	31	I.	Manchester,	52	1
Healey, Thomas,	11	I.	"	52	1
Healey, Catharine,	4	I.	"	52	1
Healey, Mary,	2	I.	"	52	1
Haley, W. C.,	6 mos.	I.	Born at farm,	26	3
Hadley, Frank,	31	A.	Hudson,	25	3
Hartshorn, Putnam,	82	A.	Wilton,	16	6
Halfen, William,	5 mos.	I.	Manchester,	16	
Haley, William,	28	I.	"	11	3
Jewett, Josiah,	71	A.	Amherst,	52	1
Johnson, Tatro,	20	S.	Manchester,	52	1
Jameson, Frank,	11	A.	"	52	1
Jameson, Daniel,	9	A.	"	52	1
Kelley, Matthew,	49	I.	"	52	1
Kelley, Martin,	27	I.	"	52	1
Kelliher, Eddie,	5	I.	"	52	1
Keith, Susan,	39	I.	"	52	1
King, Maggie,	37	I.	"	52	1
King, Joseph,	1½	I.	Born at farm,	52	1
Kelley, Nell,	23	I.	Manchester,	31	
Kelley, Willie,	2	I.	"	31	
Kelley, Bertha,	14 mos.	I.	"	31	
King, Patrick,	22	I.	"	20	
Langdell, John,	58	A.	Lyndeboro',	52	1
Landers, Margaret,	64	I.	Wilton,	52	1
Lyons, Annie,	30	I.	Manchester,	52	1
Lawrey, Bridget,	61	I.	Wilton,	52	1
Luker, Simon,	40	F.	"	52	1
Little, Margaret,	67	F.	Manchester,	52	1
Lamphro, Fred,	13	F.	Nashua,	52	1
Lamphro, Henry,	8	F.	"	52	1
Landry, Samuel,	67	F.	"	13	
Lawrence, Selina,	32	A.	Manchester,	10	3
Lawrence, Delia,	7	A.	"	10	3
Listen, Michael,	64	I.	Nashua,	10	2
McLaughlin, Mary,	34	I.	Manchester,	52	1

McClusky, Mary,	38	I.	Manchester,	52	I
McDonald, Ellen,	34	I.	"	52	I
McMann, Bridget,	39	I.	"	52	I
McCarty, Addie,	39	I.	"	52	I
McIntire, Kate,	52	I.	"	52	I
McTigh, John.	71	I.	Nashua,	52	I
McGrath, Annie C.,	1	I.	Born at farm,	52	I
McKeavan, James,	40	A.	Manchester,	19	
McCormick, Annie,	4	I.	"	15	I
McDonough, Mary F.	10 mos.	I.	Nashua,	15	
McNeil, Rosa B.,	7	I.	"	15	
McNeil, Mary E.,	3	I.	"	15	
Melvin, Parker,	44	A.	Litchfield,	52	I
Mullen, Bridget,	61	I.	Manchester,	52	I
Murphy, Kate,	56	I.	"	52	I
Merrill, Susan,	74	A.	Nashua,	52	I
Mara, Mary,	36	I.	Manchester,	52	I
Moran, Thomas,	76	I.	"	52	I
Martin, Annie,	67	A.	Temple,	52	I
Merriam, Addie E.,	34	A.	Manchester,	52	I
Murray, Bridget,	74	I.	"	52	I
Murphy, Ann,	48	I.	"	52	I
Murray, J. J.	46	I.	"	48	I
Morrill, Susan,	57	A.	Nashua,	37	2
Mitchell, Lawrence,	45	I.	Manchester,	36	
Mills, Emily	50	A.	Deering,	31	I
Murphy, Mary,	37	I.	Nashua,	28	
Murphy, Michael,	13	I.	"	28	
Murphy John,	11	I.	"	28	
Murphy, Michael,	31	I.	Manchester,	27	
Myers, Eliza,	47	A.	"	16	2
Name Unknown,	47	F.	"	52	I
"	52	G.	Mason,	52	I
Newman, Benjamin,	83	A.	Manchester,	52	I
Noland, Ellen,	34	I.	"	52	I
O'Hern, Daniel,	31	I.	"	52	I
O'Mealey, Bridget,	62	I.	"	52	I
O'Connor, Charles,	37	I.	Milford,	52	I

O'Brian, Annie,	41	I.	Manchester,	52	I
Ordway, Jacob,	66	A.	Goffstown,	52	I
O'Brian, Thomas,	1	I.	Born at farm,	51	
O'Connor, Hannah,	41	I.	Manchester,	50	2
O'Connor, Johanna,	11	I.	"	50	2
O'Connor, Thomas,	9	I.	"	50	2
O'Connor, Annie,	7	I.	"	50	2
O'Donall, Patsy,	5	I.	"	32	1
O'Donall, Bridget,	36	I.	"	12	2
O'Brine, S. P.,	48	E.	"	7	6
Perkins, Artemus,	69	A.	"	52	I
Parker, Lucinda	37	A.	Hillsborough,	52	I
Paige, Daniel E.,	37	A.	Lyndeboro,	52	I
Procter, Noah R.,	69	A.	Hudson,	52	I
Pool, Infant	3 weeks,	G.	Born at Farm,	3	
Pool, Mary	36	G.	Manchester,	4	4
Quinby, Rosetta	51	A.	"	52	I
Quinby, Nellie	23	A.	"	52	I
Ryan, John J.,	49	A.	Sharon,	52	I
Richardson, Mary J.	32	A.	Greenfield,	52	I
Richardson, Alvina	30	A.	"	52	I
Rogers, John	69	A.	Goffstown,	52	I
Ring, Peter	79	I.	Nashua,	52	I
Reagan, Mary	10	I.	Manchester,	52	I
Reagan, Maggie	7	I.	"	52	I
Robertson, Carrie	4	A.	"	52	I
Roby, John	12	A.	Hollis,	52	I
Rockwell, John	5	I.	Manchester,	52	I
Rowell, Mary	40	I.	"	52	I
Reagan, Sarah	31	I.	"	52	I
Rhoads, Albert	42	A.	Amherst,	52	I
Russell, Fanny	65	A.	Nashua,	52	I
Rioux, Rosa	58	F.	"	52	I
Rooney, Mary A.,	69	I.	Pelham,	52	I
Stevens, Mary Jane	57	A.	Manchester,	52	I
Shepard Mary J.,	53	A.	"	52	I
Sullivan, John	52	I.	Nashua,	52	I
Sullivan, Mary	62	I.	"	52	I

Sampson, Alice	11	F.	Manchester,	52	1
Smith, John J.,	52	A.	"	52	1
Shea, Julia	46	I.	Nashua,	52	1
Sullivan, Daniel	85	I.	Manchester,	52	1
Smith, Geo. A.,	51	A.	Hudson,	52	1
Stearns, Addie A.,	23	A.	Manchester,	52	1
Stanley, Martin	39	G.	"	52	1
Stearns, Elmer E.	14 mos.	A.	Born at Farm,	52	1
Sullivan, Bridget	26	I.	Manchester,	47	3
Sullivan, Mamie	4	I.	"	47	3
Sullivan, Annie	15 mos.	I.	"	47	3
Smith, Eliza	31	A.	"	46	6
Salesbury, Mary	30	A.	"	36	2
Starr, Lizzie	33	E.	"	33	2
Savage, Michael	50	I.	"	22	4
Sullivan, Jerry	58	I.	"	16	6
Sullivan, Abbie	50	I.	"	16	6
Sullivan, Michael	31	I.	"	16	6
Smith, Hugh	1	I.	"	21	2
Stearns, Perley A.,	12	A.	Nashua,	5	6
Taggart, James	41	A.	New Boston,	52	1
Tewksbury, W. H.,	55	A.	Goffstown,	52	1
Truel, Hulda J.,	31	A.	Merrimack,	52	1
Tubbs, Francis	76	A.	Hollis,	52	1
Tomas, Peter H.,	78	A.	New Ipswich,	52	1
Tirrell, Henry	17	A.	Manchester,	52	1
Tyler, H. M.,	73	A.	Milford,	52	1
Tupper, Charles	13	A.	Nashua,	52	1
Tierney, Joseph	14	I.	Manchester,	52	1
Tracey, Michael	34	I.	"	52	1
Temple, Benj.	45	A.	Windsor,	52	1
Townes, Addie	6	A.	Manchester,	8	6
Truel, Mattie	47	A.	"	7	6
Truel, Maud L.,	8	A.	"	7	6
Toomey, John	21	I.	Nashua,	6	
Tilley, Lizzie	21	E.	Manchester,	5	6
Varnum, Geo. E.,	18 mos.		"	52	1
Vincent, Ellen	39	A.	"	52	1

Whipple, Geo. W.,	26	A.	Nashua,	52	I
Worthley, Phebee	39	A.	Goffstown,	52	I
Warner, Kate	55	I.	Peterborough,	52	I
Wallace, Lucy J.,	47	A.	Manchester,	52	I
Wolf, Mina	54	G.	"	52	I
Whaland, Kate	44	I.	"	52	I
Welch, Mary	61	I.	"	52	I
Waldo, Julia	39	A.	Milford,	52	I
Welch, Edward	79	I.	Manchester,	52	I
Welch, Sarah	68	I.	"	52	I
Worthington, Susan	59	E.	New Ipswich,	52	I
Wincher, Edwin	8	A.	Manchester,	52	I
Wincher, Frank	6	A.	"	52	I
Welch, Thomas	33	I.	Nashua,	52	I



## LIST OF PRISONERS

AT THE COUNTY HOUSE OF CORRECTION FROM MAY

1, 1884, TO MAY 1, 1885.

Name.	Age.	Nationality.	Where From.	Board.	
				Weeks.	Days.
George L. Atwood,	27	A.	Antrim,	52	1
John Faulkner,	32	F.	Manchester,	52	1
Michael Listen,	60	I.	Nashua,	3	6
Ernest Chapman,	11	A.	"	4	5
Frank Chapman,	14	A.	"	6	1
Joseph Seney,	15	F.	"	2	2
Alfred Lucier,	17	F.	"	6	4
William H. Dandley,	33	A.	"	6	1
George Barton,	42	A.	"	8	1
Mary Ward,	19	I.	"	10	2
James Goodspeed,	30	A.	"	5	6
Hattie E. Goodspeed,	40	A.	"	5	6
Ellen Collins,	35	I.	Manchester,	20	
Mary Burchard,	36	I.	"	20	
Mary F. Roby,	50	I.	"	25	
Thomas Donney,	57	I.	Nashua,	15	3
Frank Goddard,	32	F.	Wilton,	14	6
Willie Williams,	12	F.	Nashua,	19	
Lizzie Bonbrillant,	17	F.	"	21	3
Thomas Logan,	57	I.	Manchester,	21	2
Hannah Hackett,	55	I.	"	28	1
Michael Listen,	61	I.	Nashua,	28	2
James Seymore,	63	F.	"	12	
Horatio A. Eaton,	54	A.	Wilton,	13	1
Magloise Reneault,	18	F.	Nashua,	8	4

Jerome Conners,	37	I.	Nashua,	17	2
John Comer,	23	F.	"	16	2
Charles Tibbets,	35	A.	"	14	4
Robert Keyes,	35	I.	"	10	4
Francis Keyes,	37	I.	"	10	4
Albert Flagg,	41	A.	"	11	4
Bartholomew Ash,	64	I.	"	14	6
James Carney,	23	I.	"	20	6
Mary O'Brien,	37	I.	"	23	4
Bridget O'Donnell,	34	I.	"	23	4
Louisa Rowell,	19	F.	"	9	6
Bart. McManson,	29	I.	Manchester,	26	5
Thomas Morani,	56	I.	Nashua,	15	
Herman Ses,	24	R.	"	20	6
Bridget Wallace,	45	I.	"	25	3
Joseph Gazette,	29	F.	"	12	2
John J. Lufkin,	37	A.	"	17	4
Thomas Sheppard,	37	I.	Wilton,	7	5
James Moran,	21	I.	"	7	5
John Tardy,	35	I.	Nashua,	8	
Nellie E. Badger,	19	A.	"	19	6
Thomas Marconlis,	19	F.	Manchester,	19	6
Charles Callahan,	18	I.	Nashua,	13	
Hannah Connors,	61	I.	Manchester,		
John Foley,	27	I.	"		
Michael Edwards,	24	I.	"		
Willie Wells,	18	F.	Nashua,		
Dennis Neville.	22	I.	"	12	2
Martin Mulqueen,	20	I.	"	10	5
Albert Flagg,	42	A.	"		
Marshall Shier,	32	F.	"		
William Francis,	27	C.	"	12	2
Thomas Murphy,	34	I.	"	16	
John Herrod,	76	A.	"	16	
Joseph Farnum,	47	A.	"		
Patrick Cashion,	55	I.	Bennington,	8	4
Patrick Lawsy,	33	I.	Nashua,	9	6
Hiram F. Curtis,	46	A.	Wilton,	9	2

John Morrill,	57	A.	Nashua,	7	2
Thomas Lawrey,	33	I.	"		
Patrick Killila,	49	I.	"		
William Fitzpatrick,	45	I.	"		
John Connors,		I.	"		
Lizzie Morris,	47	I.	"		
Annie Murphy	47	I.	Manchester		
Mary Sweeney,	25	I.	"		
Annie Constantine,	18	I.	"		
Marion Smith,	29	S.	"		
Phebe Laplant,	16	F.	"		
Annie Cunningham,	28	I.	"		
Nellie Pelkey,	17	S.	"		
Elizabeth Tilley,	21	E.	"		
Joseph Doyle,		I.	"		
James Goodspeed,	32	A.	Nashua,		
Maggie Sherman,		A.	"		

EXPENSE OF COUNTY PAUPERS NOT AT THE FARM, FROM JANUARY 1, 1877, TO MAY 1, 1885.

	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Amherst . . .	\$558 33	\$303 77	\$263 00	\$151 36	\$109 70	\$10 00	\$84 00	\$47 62	\$254 12
Antrim . . .	387 05	521 78	544 52	460 00	347 44	255 10	175 75	201 25	300 43
Bedford . . .	114 50	49 35	82 22	115 68	93 76	67 00	142 28	227 88	289 21
Bennington . . .	202 05	64 50	37 50	202 50	102 00	56 60	178 00	451 12	173 70
Brookline . . .	295 19	325 22	261 64	267 56	23 24	82 48	78 75	34 20	21 98
Deering . . .	118 31	133 43	164 13	273 65	147 21	144 15	124 81	270 84	201 14
France-town . . .	1,279 40	980 88	940 01	907 26	965 54	847 06	137 97	681 08	889 28
Goftstown . . .	370 11	439 50	343 70	390 12	317 99	925 31	217 86	281 80	148 24
Greenfield . . .	1,046 48	259 00	225 30	266 10	332 42	231 93	356 77	144 65	332 60
Greenville . . .				7 00	18 50	25 18	25 18	80 15	54 65
Hancock . . .	971 62	454 39	155 33	169 25	78 00	78 00	78 00	103 05	110 80
Hillsborough . . .	453 89	615 00	621 00	703 79	573 82	536 00	515 00	326 85	339 50
Hollis . . .	163 19	171 78	177 17	64 64	106 49	135 71	136 28	108 97	136 72
Hudson . . .				9 62		68 80	51 00	103 71	168 25
Lyndeborough . . .	271 15	248 76	214 26	131 00	162 00	157 00	137 50	151 68	260 35
Litchfield . . .	12 00				10 00	62 50	43 75	78 75	75 42
Manchester . . .	4,799 85	4,582 72	4,569 20	3,496 74	3,404 20	3,769 05	4,689 04	6,242 80	8,174 70
Mason . . .	203 61	78 00	77 50	77 50	78 00	100 75	62 35	23 12	23 12
Merrimack . . .	296 15	80 95	189 05	362 30	69 00	39 00	28 00	120 46	84 20
Mont Vernon . . .	290 05	190 00	240 23	145 63	223 75	160 12	61 67	138 15	215 44
Milford . . .	366 74	934 84	76 45	260 14	338 88	248 35	154 62	11 00	
Nashua . . .	4,064 57	3,922 32	3,311 21	2,082 20	2,737 94	2,030 57	2,102 38	1,908 71	3,187 04
New Boston . . .	260 66	195 02	213 18	138 04	143 82	301 66	305 82	295 77	307 61
New Ipswich . . .	243 14	136 00	180 00	134 80	154 43	92 25	128 50	89 51	209 11
Pelham . . .	104 32	142 00	16 00		81 50	272 76	291 71	43 00	36 17
Peterborough . . .	1,029 92	599 47	481 61	535 91	328 18	496 25	619 00	597 43	610 25
Sharon . . .	22 19				29 50			10 00	
Temple . . .	74 45	199 00	50 50	25 00	75 00	100 00	75 00	118 00	65 63
Wilton . . .	43 25	53 00	60 63	268 79	190 49	56 99	134 33	47 16	64 00
Windsor . . .				52 00	52 00	68 00	68 00	75 00	75 00
Weare . . .	972 23	1,254 08	1,148 40	965 81	900 98	732 10	689 87	801 60	755 33
	\$18,334 70	\$15,565 86	\$14,928 50	\$12,603 89	\$12,241 28	\$11,568 32	\$12,406 16	\$13,673 12	\$17,569 08

From May 1, 1884, to May 1, 1885.  
 For support of paupers in towns and cities . . . . . \$17,559 08  
 For support of paupers at almshouse . . . . . 21,259 94  
 Total cost for the year . . . . . \$88,819 02

## JAILER'S REPORT.

*To the Honorable Commissioners of Hillsborough  
County:*

Number of prisoners in jail, May 1, 1884 . . . . .	37
Committed from May 1, '84, to May 1, 1885 . . . . .	216
Total . . . . .	253
Discharged from May 1, '84, to May 1, 1885 . . . . .	212
Leaving in jail May 1, 1885 . . . . .	41
Weekly average for the year . . . . .	45
Fines and costs collected and paid to the county treasurer . . . . .	\$127 74
For labor of prisoners one year, paid county treasurer . . . . .	400 00
Of the two hundred and fifty-three prisoners in jail during the year there were,—	
Americans . . . . .	55
Irish . . . . .	140
French . . . . .	36
English . . . . .	6
Scotch . . . . .	4
Germans . . . . .	3
Swedes . . . . .	4
Colored . . . . .	5
253	

Respectfully submitted,  
**DAVID WADSWORTH,**  
*Jailer.*

JAIL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
APRIL 30, 1885.

FIRST QUARTER.

Paid David Wadsworth, board of prisoners . . . . .	\$1,205 76	
David Wadsworth, turnkey's fees . . . . .	51 50	
David Wadsworth, convey- ing prisoners . . . . .	29 50	
David Wadsworth, clothing	63 90	
Manchester Water-Works, .	32 90	
Manchester Gas Company, gas . . . . .	17 50	
Thomas A. Lane, repairs .	5 82	
		————— \$1,406 88

SECOND QUARTER.

Paid David Wadsworth, board of prisoners . . . . .	\$1,195 90	
David Wadsworth, key fees	75 50	
David Wadsworth, convey- ing prisoners . . . . .	162 30	
David Wadsworth, clothing	87 75	
David Wadsworth, repairs .	72 25	
A. J. Sawyer, repairs . . .	15 88	
Head & Dowst, repairs . . .	17 38	
Granite State Telephone Co.	36 00	
Manchester Gas Company . .	15 20	
Manchester Water-Works . .	30 70	
		————— \$1,708 86

## THIRD QUARTER.

Paid David Wadsworth, board of prisoners . . . . .	\$1,517 85	
David Wadsworth, key fees	46 00	
David Wadsworth, clothing	80 92	
Levi Caldwell, labor . . . . .	2 00	
E. P. Johnson & Co., coal . . . . .	355 04	
L. A. Clough, wood . . . . .	32 12	
J. F. Libbey, hanging paper	10 70	
R. D. Gay, paper . . . . .	13 12	
Manchester Gas Co., gas . . . . .	34 74	
Manchester Water-Works . . . . .	41 30	
		<hr/> \$2,133 79

## FOURTH QUARTER.

Paid David Wadsworth, board of prisoners . . . . .	\$1,737 07	
David Wadsworth, key fees . . . . .	71 00	
David Wadsworth, conveying prisoners . . . . .	152 50	
David Wadsworth, clothing	130 75	
Daniels & Co., repairs . . . . .	97 07	
R. D. Gay, paper . . . . .	13 12	
J. F. Libbey, hanging paper	8 00	
Thomas A. Lane, repairs . . . . .	21 40	
Manchester Loco. Works, •repairs . . . . .	22 62	
E. P. Johnson & Co., coal . . . . .	39 13	
F. X. Chenette, wood . . . . .	9 00	
Manchester Gas Co., gas . . . . .	39 42	
Manchester Water-Works . . . . .	46 50	
		<hr/> \$2,387 58
Total amount . . . . .		<hr/> <hr/> \$7,637 11

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Paid H. K. Slayton, auditor . . . . .	\$17 50
W. W. Bailey, auditor . . . . .	17 50
C. W. Edwards, half liquor fines . . . . .	25 00
Stephen Donahue, half liquor fine . . . . .	25 00
W. C. Tolles, half liquor fine . . . . .	25 00
Lizzie Searles, " " " . . . . .	25 00
E. M. Smith, " " " . . . . .	100 00
J. E. Bruce, " " " . . . . .	70 00
Z. Breed, " " " . . . . .	25 00
Town of Wilton, " " " . . . . .	50 00
W. C. Tolles, conveying prisoners . . . . .	228 00
R. M. Moore, conveying prisoners . . . . .	12 00
J. H. Hunt, conveying pris- oners . . . . .	80 00
M. J. Jenkins, conveying prisoners . . . . .	
Moses Clark, justice fees . . . . .	15 50
J. Fleeman, " " . . . . .	6 50
S. W. Holman, " " . . . . .	16 96
F. G. Clarke, . . . . .	36 90
Dr. G. A. Crosby, witness fee . . . . .	18 00
F. N. McKean, for Mrs. Dickenson . . . . .	64 31
Mary O'Neil, for Maggie O'Neil . . . . .	16 29
U. S. & C. Express, express . . . . .	95
Howard & Co., repairs . . . . .	4 20
S. S. Jackman & Co., repairs . . . . .	3 60



Paid A. F. Kelsey, . . . . .	\$2 50	
J. F. James, coroner's inquest	120 47	
B. B. Whittemore, " . . . . .	31 00	
H. G. Carr, janitor fees . . . . .	7 00	
T. M. Shattuck, " . . . . .	7 50	
Mrs. McKay for Mrs. Stowe	20 00	
A. G. Fairbanks, " . . . . .	27 30	
Annie M. Guire for M. Guire	29 00	
Albert Reed . . . . .	16 47	
D. W. King, incidentals . . . . .	5 30	
	<hr/>	\$1,150 45

### COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

LABOR AND EXPENSES FOR YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, '85.

#### SEPTEMBER TERM, 1884.

Paid J. C. Annis . . . . .	\$289 60	
A. G. Fairbanks . . . . .	410 85	
Geo. A. Cochran . . . . .	93 50	
	<hr/>	\$793 95

#### JANUARY TERM, 1885.

Paid J. C. Annis . . . . .	\$193 90	
A. G. Fairbanks . . . . .	289 85	
Geo. A. Cochran . . . . .	117 00	
	<hr/>	\$600 75

#### MARCH TERM, 1885.

Paid J. C. Annis . . . . .	\$183 45	
A. G. Fairbanks . . . . .	239 95	
Geo. A. Cochran . . . . .	144 10	
	<hr/>	\$567 50
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		\$1,962 20

## SHERIFF'S REPORT.

*To the Honorable Commissioners of Hillsborough County:—*

GENTLEMEN—I herewith submit to you my report for the year ending May 1, 1885.

### SEPTEMBER TERM, AT NASHUA.

Paid travel to attend court . . . . .	\$3 60
clergyman's fee . . . . .	1 00
E. H. Hutchins, meals for jury . . . . .	7 00
D. R. Marshall, attendance at referee terms . . . . .	22 50
20 days' attendance C. Scott sheriff . . . . .	60 00
25 days attendance M. R. Buxton, deputy sheriff . . . . .	62 50
25 days attendance A. S. Eaton, deputy sheriff . . . . .	62 50
25 days attendance D. R. Marshall, deputy sheriff . . . . .	62 50
4 days attendance D. F. Healey, deputy sheriff . . . . .	10 00
H. C. Carr, attendance 25 days as messenger . . . . .	50 00
H. C. Carr, attendance 4 days as messenger, referee term . . . . .	4 00
conveying seven prisoners to state prison and copies . . . . .	70 00

Paid conveying four prisoners to industrial school and copies	\$20 00	
conveying three prisoners to house of correction at Wilton	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$450 60

## SEPTEMBER ADJOURNED TERM, 1884.

Paid travel to attend court	\$3 60	
1 day attendance C. Scott, sheriff	3 00	
12 days attendance of A. S. Eaton, deputy sheriff	30 00	
12 days attendance of T. M. Shattuck, messenger	24 00	
1 day attendance of D. F. Healey, deputy sheriff	2 50	
travel D. F. Healey, deputy sheriff, to attend court	2 16	
	<hr/>	\$65 26

## MARCH TERM 1885, AT MANCHESTER.

Paid travel to attend court	\$ 5 40
clergyman's fee	1 00
30 days attendance C. Scott, sheriff	90 00
30 days attendance of D. F. Healey, deputy sheriff	75 00
30 days attendance of D. L. Stevens, deputy sheriff	75 00
Stevens and Healey, 2 nights each with jury	10 00

Paid 31 days attendance of A. B.		
Page, messenger . . . . .	\$62 00	
H. H. Duncklee, meals furnished jury . . . . .	45 50	
conveying six prisoners to state prison and copies . . . . .	60 00	
conveying one prisoner to industrial school . . . . .	4 00	
conveying eight prisoners to house of correction, Wilton . . . . .	48 00	
	<hr/>	\$475 90
Total expenses for the year . . . . .		<hr/> <hr/> \$991 75
Respectfully submitted,		
CHARLES SCOTT, <i>Sheriff.</i>		

## STATIONERY AND PRINTING FOR THE YEAR

ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Paid O. C. Moore, printing treasurer's report . . . . .	\$74 00	
S. N. Ball, printing treasurer's report . . . . .	37 50	
H. R. Wheeler, printing . . . . .	29 10	
John B. Clarke, " . . . . .	101 25	
Temple & Farington, printing . . . . .	64 60	
W. E. Moore, printing . . . . .	17 50	
M. V. B. Greene, " . . . . .	216 43	
E. J. Copp, stationery and printing . . . . .	105 22	
R. T. Smith & Son, stationery . . . . .	14 06	
Barker & Bean, printing . . . . .	81 65	
T. H. Tuson, " . . . . .	7 00	
Campbell & Williams, printing . . . . .	1 20	
Post Office, stamps . . . . .	3 50	
D. W. King, stationery and printing . . . . .	57 48	
B. B. Whittemore, printing . . . . .	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$813 49

## STATE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Paid J. C. Ray, board of inmates	\$1,042 48	
City of Manchester, board of inmates . . . . .	1,753 27	
City of Nashua, board of inmates . . . . .	459 62	
	<hr/>	\$3,255 37

## COUNTY BUILDINGS,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Paid S. E. Jaquith & Co., repairs	\$9 60	
T. H. Pinkham, repairs . . . . .	5 25	
A. P. Kelsey, " . . . . .	2 50	
Pennichuck Water-Works . . . . .	24 00	
City of Nashua, heating . . . . .	262 50	
	<hr/>	\$303 85

## INSANE ASYLUM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Paid J. P. Bancroft, board . . . . .	\$414 43
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## COURT-HOUSES,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Paid George W. Varnum, janitor	\$116 00	
George W. Varnum, supplies	47 43	
A. B. Page, supplies . . . . .	1 36	
Manchester Water-works . . . . .	15 00	
Manchester Gas Company . . . . .	12 90	
L. B. Bodwell, wood and coal	48 75	
A. G. Fairbanks, supplies . . . . .	19 95	
J. J. Abbott, painting . . . . .	54 63	
Bennett & Lord, repairs . . . . .	55 00	
M. E. Harvey, wood . . . . .	3 25	
William Rogers, wood . . . . .	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$376 77

## INSURANCE ON COUNTY BUILDINGS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1885.

Paid E. P. Richardson, insurance on jail . . . . .	\$50 00	
J. M. Hopkins, insurance at county farm . . . . .	12 00	
	<hr/>	\$62 00

## INVENTORY

OF REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED  
BY THE COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH, MAY 1, '85.

County farm and buildings, at Wilton, N. H., (535 acres)	\$27,675 00
Personal property at farm, as per inventory	21,267 08
Jail lot and building at Manchester	41,000 00
	—————\$89,942 08

## PERSONAL PROPERTY AT THE JAIL.

1 cook-stove and furniture	\$40 00
2 tables	2 00
14 wrist and leg shackles	30 00
5 sets chains	5 00
10 sets handcuffs	40 00
2 pickaxes	2 00
8 hammers	8 00
1 iron bar	1 00
15 points and drills	1 00
10 bedsteads	10 00
1 entry carpet	35 00
1 wrench	1 00
5 work-benches	5 00
50 feet of hose	4 00
1 wheelbarrow	3 00
12 hand grenades	12 00
	—————\$199 00

REPORT  
—OF THE—  
CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT.

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*To the Commisssoners of Hillsborough County:—*

The following is a correct account of my receipts and disbursements as Clerk of the Supreme Court for the year ending May 1, 1885.

MARCH TERM, 1884.

Received from attorneys for June term docket, . . . . .	\$ 9 50
Received from attorneys for March term docket, . . . . .	58 50
Received for 501 entry fees, (90 cts.) . . . . .	450 90
Received for 12 jury fees, (\$5.00)	60 00
Received from S. C. Coburn fine paid by Harra, . . . . .	50 00
Received from S. C. Coburn fine paid by Reed, . . . . .	50 00
Received fine State v Peak, . . . . .	60 00
Killkelly . . . . .	50 00
Dustin, . . . . .	25 00
Killkelly . . . . .	50 00
Hastings . . . . .	60 00



Received fine State v Ober, .	\$60 00	
Stanton .	20 00	
Moran .	10 00	
Murphy .	15 00	
Murry .	10 00	
McQuade	30 00	
Bartholomew	12 00	
Mann .	10 00	
Eagan .	35 00	
Phillips .	60 00	
Scully .	30 00	
Haly .	30 00	
Converse	80 00	
Laplant .	20 00	
Miller .	15 00	
Burns .	12 00	
		————— \$1,372 90

Paid for Vol. 59, N. H. report, .	\$3 50	
printing March dockets.	75 00	
printing June dockets, .	9 75	
printing cases, .	19 50	
Allowed for recording judgments,	236 26	
Paid for postage, express and telegraph . . . .	29 75	
Allowed for attending court forty-six days, . . . .	230 00	
Allowed for all other expenses, .	375 00	
		————— \$978 76

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1884.

Received from attorneys for September docket . . . .	\$60 00
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Received from attorneys for De-		
cember docket . . . . .	\$5	50
Received for 389 entry fees, 90 cts	350	00
6 jury fees, \$5.00 . . . . .	30	00
from S. C. Coburn, fine		
paid by Lyden . . . . .	5	00
from S. C. Coburn, fine		
paid by Gainey . . . . .	40	00
from S. C. Coburn, fine		
paid by Gainey . . . . .	5	00
Received fine State v. Ward . . . . .	50	00
Strickland . . . . .	60	00
Gainey . . . . .	60	00
Lamay . . . . .	10	00
Wade . . . . .	30	00
Sutliff . . . . .	25	00
McKay . . . . .	10	00
Edwards . . . . .	15	00
Rief . . . . .	4	89
Clifford . . . . .	15	00
Hayes . . . . .	50	00
Quimby . . . . .	10	00
Walch . . . . .	30	00
Leonard . . . . .	21	67
Trumbel . . . . .	18	00
Stanton . . . . .	25	00
Mahoney . . . . .	30	00
Ryan . . . . .	30	00
Donahue . . . . .	35	00
Tucker . . . . .	110	00
Eggleston . . . . .	17	00
Greeley . . . . .	60	00
Allen . . . . .	5	14
	-----	\$1,217 30

Paid for printing Sept. docket . . .	\$75 00	
“ “ Dec. “ . . .	11 25	
“ “ cases : . . .	22 25	
postage, express, telegraph . . .	31 49	
Allowed for recording judgments . . .	149 62	
Allowed for attending court forty days . . . . .	120 00	
Allowed for all other services . . .	375 00	
	————	\$784 61

G. A. RAMSDELL, *Clerk.*

## COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT.

*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Hillsborough County:—*

The following is a statement of the financial condition of the county for the year ending April 30, 1885, as it appears upon the books of the treasurer:

Balance of cash in treasury May	
1, 1884	\$435 98

### COUNTY TAX FOR 1884.

Received of Goffstown	.	.	\$1,927 73
Weare	.	.	1,517 14
Amherst	.	.	1,330 78
Temple	.	.	314 49
Hancock	.	.	576 58
Greenville	.	.	876 51
Wilton	.	.	1,461 82
Lyndeborough	.	.	428 06
Sharon	.	.	113 57
Milford	.	.	2,941 10
Hillsborough	.	.	1,211 38
Manchester	.	.	35,237 74
Hudson	.	.	995 89
Litchfield	.	.	448 44
New Boston	.	.	1,176 44
Merrimack	.	.	1,068 69
Mason	.	.	518 34
New Ipswich	.	.	893 98
Deering	.	.	407 68
Pelham	.	.	812 34
Francestown	.	.	789 14

Received of Nashua . . . . .	\$15,581 94	
Windsor . . . . .	72 80	
Greenfield . . . . .	477 57	
Bennington . . . . .	349 44	
Mont Vernon . . . . .	500 86	
Bedford . . . . .	1,027 93	
Hollis . . . . .	1,182 26	
Antrim . . . . .	853 21	
Peterborough . . . . .	2,448 97	
Brookline . . . . .	457 18	
	—————	\$78,000 00

#### LOANS.

Received of Amoskeag National Bank on note dated May 3, '84	\$2,000 00	
Received of Manchester National Bank on note dated July 9, '84	10,000 00	
Received of Manchester National Bank on note dated Apr. 9, '85	6,000 00	
	—————	\$18,000 00

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Received of A. G. Fairbanks over- draft, . . . . .	\$5 42	
Judge Samuel Upton fine State v. Bur- rows . . . . .	10 00	
J. C. Annis, guardian of Fannie E. Pills- bury . . . . .	24 00	
W. Ellenwood, pau- per account refun- ded by Mr. Annis	12 00	

Received of Peterborough pauper account refunded by Mr. Annis . . . . .	\$1 00
Mrs. O'Hern pauper account refunded by Mr. Annis . . . . .	14 00
J. C. Annis, guardian of Fannie E. Pills- bury . . . . .	24 00
A. G. Fairbanks from town of Bethlehem account of paupers . . . . .	52 00
G. A. Ramsdell, bal- ance of fines and costs, March term, 1884 . . . . .	394 16
G. A. Ramsdell, bal- ance entry fees, fines and costs for Sept. term, 1884 . . . . .	432 69
J. C. Annis, guardian of Fannie E. Pills- bury . . . . .	24 00
J. C. Annis, guardian of Fannie E. Pills- bury . . . . .	24 00
C. A. Stiles, receipts from farm from Apr. 1, '84 to Sept. 15, '85 . . . . .	1,125 17
C. A. Stiles, receipts from farm from Sept. 15, 1884, to April 1, 1885 . . . . .	1,299 08

Received of Town of Hudson ac- count of support of paupers . . . . .	\$19 00	
David Wadsworth, jailer, fines and costs May 1, 1884 to May 1, 1885 . . . . .	127 74	
David Wadsworth, jailer, labor of pris- oners . . . . .	400 00	
A.G. Fairbanks, over- draft . . . . .	18 60	
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		\$4,006 86
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		\$100,442 84

## DISBURSEMENTS.

## MARCH TERM, 1884, CONTINUED.

Paid state pay rolls . . . . .	\$1,556 08	
jury pay rolls . . . . .	376 74	
pauper expenses at farm . . . . .	5,293 86	
pauper expenses off farm . . . . .	2,248 77	
industrial school . . . . .	730 92	
jail expenses . . . . .	1,350 66	
salaries and pay of officers . . . . .	740 40	
printing and stationery . . . . .	76 80	
interest and coupons . . . . .	1,829 02	
bonds and notes . . . . .	24,000 00	
county buildings . . . . .	59 60	
referee fees . . . . .	66 50	
miscellaneous . . . . .	647 26	
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		\$38,976 61

## SEPTEMBER TERM, 1884.

Paid state pay rolls . . .	\$1,198 15
jury pay rolls . . .	1,556 01
pauper expenses at farm . . .	13,128 90
pauper expenses off farm . . .	8,574 60
industrial school . . .	1,827 81
jail expenses . . .	3,842 65
salaries and pay of officers . . .	2,507 80
printing and stationery . . .	389 62
interest and coupons . . .	3,152 00
bonds and notes . . .	500 00
county buildings . . .	358 85
referee fees . . .	436 53
miscellaneous . . .	936 10
	<hr/> \$38,409 02

## MARCH TERM, 1885.

Paid state pay rolls . . .	\$1,066 60
jury pay rolls . . .	1,787 48
pauper expenses at farm . . .	4,851 47
pauper expenses off farm . . .	7,329 54
industrial school . . .	696 64
salaries and pay of officers . . .	1,108 66
jail expenses . . .	2,386 58
printing and stationery . . .	211 57
county buildings . . .	164 58
referee fees . . .	79 25
miscellaneous . . .	216 37
	<hr/> \$19,898 74
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	\$97,284 37
Balance cash in treasury May 1, 1885 . . .	3,158 47
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	\$100,442 84



## COUNTY DEBT.

Statement of the debt of the County of Hillsborough as it appears upon the books of the treasurer, May 1, 1885:—

## BONDED DEBT.

	Per cent.	
Bonds due Sept. 1, 1885,	5	\$10,000 00
Sept. 1, 1887,	5	10,000 00
Sept. 1, 1889,	5	10,000 00
Sept. 1, 1891,	5	10,000 00
Sept. 1, 1893,	5	10,000 00
Sept. 1, 1892,	6	35,000 00
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		\$85,000 00
Accrued interest upon same to May 1, 1885,		3,066 66
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		\$88,066 66

## FLOATING DEBT.

Notes outstanding with interest accrued thereon :		
Note to Manchester Nat'l Bank dated April 9, 1885 . . . . .	\$6,017 50	
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		\$94,084 16
Less cash in treasury May 1, 1885		3,158 47
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Total indebtedness . . . . .		\$90,925 69
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Total indebtedness May 1, 1884		\$100,326 25
Total indebtedness May 1, 1885		90,925 69
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Decrease of debt during the year		\$9,400 56

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID F. CLARK,

*County Treasurer.*





