





ANNUAL REPORT

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FINANCES OF THE TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN.

The undersigned, Committee on Town Accounts, respectfully submit the following to the Town as the results of their investigations of Town affairs.

C. Piper, Collector, in account current with the Town.

	Dr.	
To Tax Bill for Taxes of 1857,		\$6,002 13
	Cr.	
By paid County Tax	\$912.35	
" State tax	817.30	
" Town Treasurer	4,129 65	
" Collector for services	50 00	
" Abatement of taxes,	39 82	
" Balance,	314 36	
		\$6,002 13

Geo. Olcott, Treasurer, in account current with the Town.

	Dr.	
For cash paid by Collector Piper,		\$4,168 30
" " Collector Baker,		360 36
" " Collector Piper in 1855,		27 87
" Literary Fund,		122 48
" Proceeds of Sales from Town Farm,		62 95
" Showman's license,		30 00
" Sale of Liquor,		100 00
" Cash paid by Town of Plainfield,		123 61
" from County for Paupers,		1,037 02
" Paid by Town of Bradford,		4 00
" Borrowed,		1,060 00
" Outstanding Orders,		49 00
" Sundries,		2 45
		\$7,147 96
	Cr.	

By Paid for support of schools of 1856,		209 41
" " " " " " " 1857,		3,470 06
" " Roads and Bridges,		1,093 38
" " Town Paupers,		692 47
" " County do,		829 37
" " Town Farm,		516 67
" " Incidentals,		72 50
" " Abatement of Taxes		33 28
" " Teacher's Institute,		29 56
" " Counsel Fees,		60 00
" " Sextons do,		38 50
" " Cemeteries,		166 64
" " Town Debt,		763 50
" " Wm. McCree,		75 75
" " Russell Robertson,		56 75
" " Samuel Walker,		73 75
" " Wm. McCree, Overseer Town Poor,		20 50
" " Rev. A. Ayer, Sup. School Committee,		67 50
" " C. H. Chapin, do do,		10 00
" " S. L. Wilder, Jr., Town Clerk,		25 00
" " Geo. Olcott, Town Treasurer,		25 00
" " Thos T. Whipple, Sup. School Committee in 1856		17 98
" " Auditors in 1857,		12 00
" " balance due Treasurer last year,		12 18
" " balance in Treasury,		774 06

\$7,147 96

Town Farm in account current with the Town.

	Dr.	
For Personal Property,		1,227 00
" Interest on same,		73 52
" do on farm,		180 00
" A. H. Wheeler's services to April, 1858,		300 00
" Sundries bought for Farm,		276 67
" Overseer,		15 00
		\$2,072 29
	Cr.	
By Personal Property on hand,		1,275 78
" Cash of County for County Paupers,		352 91
" Sales, &c.,		62 95
" Balance		380 65
		\$2,072 29

Property of the Town.

Town Farm,		3,000 00
Personal Property on Town Farm,		1,275 78
Balance of tax due from S. Garfield's Estate,		171 52
Balance due from Collector Piper, 1855,		25 70
" " do Baker,		35 00
" " do Piper, 1857,		314 36
Liquors and Funds in Agents hands		302 29
Real Estate bought of Mrs. Wheeler,		100 00
Huntley Dower,		27 50
Balance due from Town Treasurer		774 06
		\$5,923 21

Debts of Town.

Note due J. J. Hubbard,		1,000
" David Holton,		1,500
" A. Hamblin,		600
" C. C. Sumner,		1,060 00
Interest on Hamblin's note,		36 00
Outstanding Orders,		49 00
One School districts,		469 80
" Literary Fund,		122 40
" Swan Fund,		333 33
" Town Farm Agent,		300 00
Due Liquor Agent,		50 00
" unsettled accounts (estimated)		75 00
" Excess of assets over liabilities,		588 18
		\$5,923 21

The Selectmen recommend to raise, beside the State, County and School Taxes,

For Roads and Bridges,		\$600 00
" Town Officers,		400 00
" Town Paupers,		700 00
" Town Debt,		700 00
" Incidentals		200 00
" Cemeteries,		200 00

Remarks.

Cost of Durrant Bridge,		\$775 00
Expense of supporting Town Paupers, per week, for last year, was \$1 12 1/2		\$1 12 1/2



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