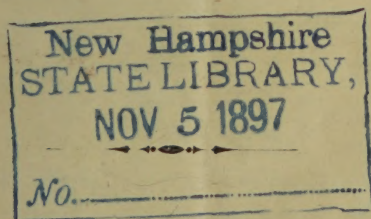


A COPY
OF THE
EXPENSES,
OF THE
TOWN OF WILTON, N. H.,
FOR THE YEAR 1860.



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1861.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS.

Bills paid by Orders on the Treasurer.

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| George L. Dascombe services as School Committee, | 38 00 |
| Henry O. Diaper, services on town farm, | 250 00 |
| Town of Lyndeboro', for H. Abbot, pauper, | 130 97 |
| Daniel Dutton, for railing and over tax, | 12 00 |
| Damrell & Moore for printing reports of investigating committee of the burning of the Town house, | 15 00 |
| Joseph Smith for use of Baptist house, | 25 00 |
| Printing town and school reports, | 42 75 |
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| | \$513 72 |

Summer Schools.

Winter Schools.

| | |
|-----------------|--------------|
| District No. 1, | 49 96 |
| " " 2, | 44 09 |
| " " 3, | 45 39 |
| " " 4, | 92 35 |
| " " 5, | 30 53 |
| " " 6, | 25 96 |
| " " 7, | 24 22 |
| " " 8, | 39 10 |
| " " 9, | 38 20 |
| " " 10, | 00 00—389 80 |

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|-----------------|----------------|
| District No. 1, | 105 14 |
| " " 2, | 88 71 |
| " " 3, | 66 90 |
| " " 4, | 216 48 |
| " " 5, | 54 87 |
| " " 6, | 49 24 |
| " " 7, | 51 10 |
| " " 8, | 75 03 |
| " " 9, | 68 83 |
| " " 10, | 35 56—811 86 |
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| | 389 80-1201 66 |

Breaking Roads in 1859-60.

| | | | |
|--------------------|-------|---------------------|-------------|
| Justus Peabody, | 11 30 | George H. Keyes, | 11 68 |
| Jacob Putnam, | 3 38 | John D. Wilson, | 8 84 |
| Oliver Perham, | 19 25 | Oliver Barrett, | 4 18 |
| William Sheldon, | 1 94 | Jonathan Parkhurst, | 24 25 |
| B. F. Steele, | 24 38 | Sylvester Bradford, | 3 40 |
| George W. Boynton, | 4 00 | George Buss, | 3 87 |
| Samuel A. Preston, | 1 15 | Abiel Flint, | 13 30 |
| William Abbot, | 14 08 | Moses Lovejoy, | 1 63 |
| Ezra Pettengill, | 11 94 | J. W. Stiles, | 19 05 |
| Samuel Burton, | 8 24 | James Martin, | 2 25 |
| Edward F. Pratt, | 12 00 | Abel Fisk, jr., | 5 57 |
| Samuel French | 10 71 | Benjamin A. Peavey, | 1 37 |
| A. Dwight Abbott, | 9 71 | Isaiah Mansur, | 4 50-241 45 |
| Pierce Gage, | 10 00 | | |

Repair of Bridges.

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|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Joshua Rideout, bridge plank, | 24 48 |
| Hermon Abbot, labor and lumber, | 21 64 |
| Henry Gray, jr., | 21 50 |
| William Emerson, | 13 50 |
| J. Livermore, lumber, | 26 19 |
| Jacob Putnam lumber and labor, | 42 61 |
| C. Burt, spikes, | 3 58 |
| J. W. Stiles, plank, | 7 64 |
| L. Howard, labor, | 6 15 |
| Benjamin T. Foster lumber, | 37 87 |
| William Shelton plank, | 45 34 |
| George S. Fowler, | 3 87 |
| David Cram lumber and labor, | 85 17 |
| P. Woodward, | 4 29 |
| J. R. Dascombe, | 7 45 |
| Levi Putnam, | 42 92 |
| C. A. Bales, | 2 03 |
| A. F. Hutchinson nails, | 1 30 |
| Edwin E. Bales, | 17 48 |
| Samuel French, | 12 82 |
| Samuel N. Center, spikes and nails, | 4 52 |
| Lyman Hutchinson, | 1 00 |
| Pierce Gage labor, | 4 12 |
| James Hutchinson, | 6 25 |
| Benjamin A. Peavey, lumber, | 23 18 |
| George Buss labor, | 4 75 |
| E. C. Stanley labor, | 1 25—520 83 |

Abatement of Taxes.

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|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Willard French for list in 1858, | 5 18 |
| “ “ “ “ 1859, | 13 68—18 86 |

Expense of Town House.

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|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| Joshua Rideout for lumber and labor, | 480 87 |
| Moses Lovejoy, lumber, | 70 92 |
| Joseph Newell shingles, | 141 00 |
| L. Howard labor and bell rope, | 37 90 |
| J. C. Heselton, | 189 47 |
| William Emerson, | 920 81 |
| Henry Gray, jr., lumber and labor, | 304 63 |
| B. T. Foster, lamps and fixtures, | 12 00 |
| Wm. Emerson stoves, pipe, tables, &c. | 53 66 |
| Henry Gray, jr., putting up stove, | 1 50 |
| R. Tapley fixtures for stove pipe, | 3 00--2215 76 |

Miscellaneous Expenses.

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|---|--------------|
| F. S. Hutchinson Liquor Agent, | 100 00 |
| Cement cistern on Town Farm, | 25 00 |
| R. Tapley pump and lead pipe, | 23 40 |
| Re-casting bell, | 138 22 |
| Freight on " | 4 35 |
| H. Abbot insurance policy on town buildings, | 3 00 |
| J. Livermore moderator, | 3 00 |
| C. B. Burt, watering trough, | 3 00 |
| Lewis Howard getting reports printed, | 2 00 |
| " " labor and lumber, preparing for town meeting, &c. | 1 75 |
| T. C. Center entertainment of fire company, | 50 00 |
| Nelson Blake ringing bell and taking care of town house, from June 1st, to Jan. 1st, 1861, | 22 17 |
| N. Blake labor in town house, | 68 |
| Moses Lovejoy, damage breaking through bridge, | 3 00 |
| H. N. Gray for bolts and cutting iron, | 4 50 |
| Henry Gray, jr., for watering trough, | 3 00 |
| John S. Williams watering tub, | 3 00 |
| C. B. Burt service as police and expense, 6 mo, | 11 50 |
| Wm. White service as police, | 3 00 |
| George Buss teaming bell and other labor, | 6 42 |
| Jona. Livermore lumber services as moderator, | 1 85 |
| Overtax, I. Blanchard, 3 32 ; J. S. Williams, 2 40 ; | 5 72 |
| Isaac Blanchard services as sexton and cash, | 11 33—429 87 |

Repair of Roads.

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|---|--------------|
| Oliver Perham, | 27 00 |
| J. Putnam, Forest road, | 73 10 |
| Lorenzo Gray, | 13 00 |
| H. O. Draper cash paid for labor and board, | 17 62 |
| J. R. Dascombe for labor and gravel, | 43 08 |
| Elijah Reed, | 11 23 |
| George Fisk, | 4 98 |
| John Putnam, | 2 50 |
| Thomas B. Kidder, | 10 92 |
| James Martin, | 16 60 |
| Samuel Perham, | 7 50 |
| John Baldwin, | 4 98 |
| James Martin, | 6 25 |
| Samuel A. Preston, | 14 50 |
| Hiram Blood, | 8 76 |
| Moses Clark, | 57 00 |
| Abel Fisk, jr., | 24 29 |
| L. H. Blood, | 11 25 |
| Putnam Woodward, | 17 76 |
| Isaac Frye, | 2 00 |
| J. R. Dascombe two culverts and gravel, | 20 88 |
| Edward F. Pratt, | 10 26 |
| Pierce Gage, | 25 55 |
| J. & H. L. King, | 10 60 |
| Mark Holt labor and railing, | 6 06 |
| George Buss labor, | 10 35 |
| David Cram, | 19 37 |
| Moses Clark, | 8 46 |
| Abel Fisk, jr., | 52 52 |
| Joel H. Perham, | 15 17—553 54 |

Services of Town Officers.

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|---|------------------------------|
| T. Parkhurst, town clerk, | 26 00 |
| H. Abbott services and cash, 9 64, | 47 61 |
| G. Buss " " 6 03, | 44 57 |
| C. B. Dascomb, services and cash, 4 01, | 36 05—154 22 |
| HERMON ABBOTT, | } Selectmen of Wilton. |
| GEORGE BUSS, | |
| CALVIN B. DASCOMB, | |

Report of the Overseers of the Poor,

FROM FEB. 8, 1860, to FEB. 6, 1861.

Overseers of the Poor in account with the Town of Willon, Dr.

| | |
|--|---------------|
| To cost of Farm, | 2600 00 |
| Interest on farm and personal property, | 244 55 |
| Superintendent's salary, | 275 00 |
| Personal property on farm, Feb. 6, 1861, | 1475 90 |
| Cash in hands of superintendent, | 83 71 |
| Taxes on farm abated, | 25 48—4704 64 |

Bills paid by Superintendent :

| | |
|--|-------|
| Molasses, 5 03 ; Tea and Coffee, 5 80 ; | 10 83 |
| Crackers, 2 29 ; saleratus, 57 ; | 2 86 |
| Spices, 2 09 ; shoemaking, 19 55 ; | 21 64 |
| Sugar, 12 52 ; percussion caps, 05 ; | 12 57 |
| Milk, 72 ; axes, 1 31 ; books, 75 ; | 2 78 |
| Filing saw, 45 ; flour, 17 50 ; | 17 95 |
| Tobacco, 4 05 ; whips, 1 04 ; ring, 37 ; | 5 46 |
| Washing, 1 56 ; soap, 07 ; sleigh seat, 50 ; | 2 13 |
| Fish, 4 67 ; oil, 2 94 ; | 7 61 |
| Thread, 63 ; lime, 25 ; | 88 |
| Laying wall and stoneing ditch, | 4 08 |
| Well rope and bucket, 3 16 ; soap barrel, 25 ; | 3 41 |
| Plough points, 92 ; nails, 1 81 ; | 2 73 |
| Grass seed, 4 59 ; lamps, 35 ; | 4 94 |
| Spending money, 1 01 ; teapot, 25 ; | 1 26 |
| Salt, 3 45 ; pails, 65 ; potash, 64 ; | 4 74 |
| Rice, 55 ; garden seeds, 12 ; | 67 |
| Lemons, 06 ; southern corn, 95 ; | 1 01 |
| Hoe, 50 ; paint, 40 ; haying tools, 2 02 ; | 2 92 |
| Plaster, 1 67 ; cart wheel, 1 00 ; | 2 67 |
| Rye, 1 64 ; starch, 22 ; beef and veal, 6 56 ; | 8 42 |
| Matches, 30 ; turnip-seed, 15 ; | 45 |
| Buttons, 21 ; yokes and bow, 3 25 ; | 3 46 |
| Candles, 50 ; vinegar, 1 00 ; | 1 50 |
| Lantern, 45 ; apple knives, 20 ; | 65 |
| Baskets, 87 ; cotton batting, 17 ; | 1 04 |
| Bed-bug poison, 13 ; carpenters' work, 5 65 ; | 5 78 |
| Apple parer, 1 00 ; indigo, 08 ; | 1 08 |

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| Squashes 25 ; women's work, 1 50 ; | 1 75 |
| Blacksmithing, 14 79 ; mending boiler, 10 ; | 14 89 |
| Raisins, 42 ; saltpetre, 05 ; | 47 |
| Almanac, 05 ; grinding grain, 2 12 ; | 2 17 |
| Ox sled, 5 00 ; putty, 08 ; wicking, 18 ; | 5 26 |
| Tin ware, 20 ; shoe pegs, 06 ; | 26 |
| Bed cord, 42 ; one package composition, 25 ; | 67 |
| Door latches, 30 ; clothing, 19 66 ; | 19 96 |
| Ardent spirit, | 1 08—182 03 |
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| By cost of farm, | 2600 00 |
| Personal property on the farm, Feb. 6, 1861, | 1384 96 |

By cash for labor and articles sold :

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| Eggs, 3 37 ; cheese, 1 67 ; oats, 55 ; | 5 59 |
| Pigs, 13 25 ; calves and calf skins, 19 32 ; | 32 57 |
| Butter, 60 56 ; potatoes, 1 28 ; | 61 84 |
| Keeping horse, 5 00 ; blueberries, 37 ; | 5 37 |
| Boarding Antrim pauper, 2 50 ; bark, 16 00 ; | 18 50 |
| Labor done off the farm, | 321 45 |
| Keeping county pauper, | 3 50 |
| Cash in hands of snperintendent, | 83 71—532 53 |

By extra labor on Farm :

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| Building 25 rods of wall, | 25 00 |
| “ 20 rods of underdrain, | 20 00—45 00 |
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| | 4562 49 |
| Amount of DR. | \$4886 67 |
| Amount of CR. | 4562 49 |
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| Cost of poor on farm, | 324 18 |

Cost of Paupers not on Farm.

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|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Cash paid N. H. Asylum for A. Flint, | 137 00 |
| “ “ for J. Weitherbee, | 11 75 |
| “ “ county paupers, | 12 82—161 57 |
| Due from county, | 12 82 |
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| Cost of paupers not on farm, | 148 75 |

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| HERMON ABBOTT, | } | Overseers of the Poor. |
| GEORGE BUSS, | | |
| CALVIN B. DASCOMB, | | |

SELECTMEN'S BILLS.

*Town of Wilton to Hermon Abbot, Dr., for services as Selectman,
Overseer of the Poor, Bridge Committee,
and cash paid out.*

1860.

| | | |
|---|------|----------------|
| To cash paid for blank books and paper, | 4 87 | |
| Appointing liquor agent, | | 1 00 |
| Drawing orders, | | 50 |
| Seven days taking invoice and expense, | 1 25 | 8 75 |
| Five and a half days regulating real estate and making taxes, | | 6 87 |
| Two and a half days making and distributing surveyor's warrants and exp. | 50 | 3 37 |
| Enrolling militia, | | 1 50 |
| Attending jury meeting, | | 50 |
| One day on bridge at East Wilton and exp. | 1 75 | 1 25 |
| One day preparing and passing taxes to collector, | | 1 25 |
| Returning inventories of 1859-60, | | 1 75 |
| One half day examining Fisk road, | | 62 |
| One day on bridge and drawing orders, | | 1 25 |
| One half day on road petition, | | 63 |
| Attending jury meeting, | | 50 |
| One half day on road, | | 62 |
| One day settling with the building committee of Town House, and drawing orders, | | 1 25 |
| Making check list and warning town meeting, exp. | 25 | 2 25 |
| Correcting check list twice, exp. | 25 | 1 00 |
| One day laying out road near Asa Stiles, and making return, | | 1 25 |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 63 |
| One day drawing orders and revising jury list, exp. | 25 | 1 25 |
| One day at Town farm, | | 1 25 |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 62 |
| Time spent on pauper case, | | 50 |
| Two days on reports, | | 2 50 |
| One day drawing orders, and with the auditors, exp. | 25 | 1 26 |
| Making check lists and warning town meeting, | | 2 50 |
| Correcting check list twice, | | 1 00 |
| Paper and postage, | 27 | |
| | | \$9 64 \$47 61 |

*Town of Wilton to George Buss, Dr., for services as Selectman,
Overseer of the Poor, Bridge Committee,
and cash paid out.*

| | | |
|---|------|------|
| Appointing the liquor agent, | | 63 |
| Drawing orders, | | 63 |
| Preparing invoice book, | | 1 25 |
| Seven days taking invoice, expense, | 1 28 | 8 75 |
| Five days regulating real estate, making taxes, and fixing limits of districts, | 1 25 | 6 25 |
| Drawing jurors, | | 63 |

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| One day to Nashua, on cistern for town farm, | 1 25 | 1 25 |
| Settling Henry Abbot's pauper case, | 1 00 | 1 25 |
| Half day at town farm, | | 63 |
| One day drawing orders and examining bridges, | 50 | 1 25 |
| One day procuring timber for bridge, | | 1 25 |
| One half day on Mason road, | | 63 |
| One half day on road petitioned by Pierce Gage, | | 63 |
| Drawing jurors, | | 63 |
| One day procuring plank for bridge, | | 1 25 |
| One day on Mason and other roads, | | 1 25 |
| One day on Perham and Fisk roads, | | 1 25 |
| Making check lists, | 25 | 1 25 |
| One day settling with building committee and drawing orders, | | 1 25 |
| Making warrants for town meeting, | | 63 |
| Correcting check list twice, | 25 | 1 00 |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 63 |
| One half day notifying petitioners on road near Asa Stiles', | | 63 |
| One half day laying road near Asa Stiles', | | 63 |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 63 |
| Drawing jurors, and revising jury list, | | 63 |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 63 |
| Making inventory at town farm, | | 1 25 |
| One day preparing reports, | | 1 25 |
| One day drawing orders and with auditors, | 25 | 1 25 |
| Making check lists and warrants, | | 2 50 |
| Correcting check list twice, | | 1 00 |
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| | \$6 03, | \$44 57 |

Town of Wilton to C. B. Dascomb, Dr., services as Selectman, Overseer of the Poor, Bridge Committee, and cash paid out.

1860.

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| Preparing invoice book, | | 1 25 |
| To time spent on pauper case, | | 50 |
| Appointing liquor agent, | | 63 |
| Cash paid Daniel Gay, for moving J. S. Hutchinson's goods, | 19 | |
| Six days taking invoice and expense, | 75 | 7 50 |
| Five days making taxes and exp. | 1 25 | 6 25 |
| One half day examining bridges and appointing police, | | 63 |
| Carrying Henry Farnsworth to poor farm, | | 1 00 |
| Cash paid for paper and postage, | 07 | |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 63 |
| One day on road and expense, | 25 | 1 25 |
| Repairing bridges and on roads, | | 1 50 |
| One day drawing orders and settling with building com. | | 1 25 |
| One half day making warrants for town meeting, | | 63 |
| On road, | | 1 00 |
| Correcting check list twice and exp. | 25 | 1 00 |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 63 |
| Cash paid for printing notice, | 1 00 | |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 63 |
| One half day drawing orders and revising juror list, | | 63 |
| One day at town farm, | | 1 25 |
| One half day drawing orders, | | 63 |
| Two days on reports, | | 2 50 |

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| Making warrants and check lists, | | 2 50 |
| One day drawing orders and with auditors, exp. | 25 | 1 25 |
| Correcting check list twice, | | 1 00 |
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Report of the Treasurer.

The Treasurer to the Town of Willon.

DR.

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| To cash reported in Treasury, March 1, 1860, | 1452 05 |
| “ “ borrowed for town of H. O. Draper, | 350 00 |
| “ “ “ “ “ S. Clark, | 500 00 |
| “ “ “ “ “ O. Barrett, | 300 00 |
| “ “ of State Literary Fund for 1860, | 125 50 |
| “ “ “ Railroad tax for 1860, | 101 40 |
| “ “ of County by Sewall Putnam, | 7 52 |
| “ “ of Town for license for circus, | 30 00 |
| “ “ of Town of Bradford for relief rendered Mary Barnard, | 1 00 |
| “ “ of J. W. Killam, two fines in cases of State vs. L. B. Cummings, | 3 00 |
| “ “ of H. Gray for lumber sold remnants of Town House, | 23 14 |
| “ “ of Collector of Taxes for 1859, | 618 00 |
| “ “ “ “ “ 1860, | 3405 96 |
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| To cash paid H. O. Draper, principal and interest, | 105 45 |
| “ “ “ A. Clark, interest on note, | 12 00 |
| “ “ “ W. Abbott, “ “ | 30 00 |
| “ “ “ I. Mansur, “ “ | 30 00 |
| “ “ “ I. G. Eaton, “ “ | 60 00 |
| “ “ “ Trustees Boynton C. School Fund, interest on note, | 300 00 |
| “ “ “ S. Gibson, interest on note, | 48 00 |
| “ “ “ H. Brickett, School Commissioner, | 18 20 |
| “ “ “ N. H. Asylum, for support of A. Flint, | 137 00 |
| “ “ “ On orders drawn by Selectmen, | 5970 27 |
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| | 6710 92 |
| Balance in the Treasury—cash, | 205 65 |
| Note payable to the town, principal and interest, March 1, 1861, | 71 24 |
| Due from Collector, for 1859, | 78 67 |
| “ “ “ “ 1860, | 1196 33 |
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| | 1551 89 |

Demands against the Town.

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|---|---------------|
| Note to trustees of Boynton school fund, principal, | 5000 00 |
| interest, | 50 00—5050 00 |
| Note to Wm, Abbot, principal, | 500 00 |
| interest, | 23 42—523 42 |

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| Note to S. Gibson, principal, | 800 00 |
| interest, | 11 46—811 46 |
| Note to I. Mansur, principal, | 500 00 |
| interest, | 25 66—525 66 |
| Note to A. Clark, principal, | 200 00 |
| interest, | 10 26—210 26 |
| Note to I. G. Eaton, principal, | 1000 00 |
| interest, | 36 50—1036 50 |
| Note to H. O. Draper, principal, | 350 00 |
| interest, | 19 25—369 25 |
| Note to S. Clark, principal, | 500 00 |
| interest, | 22 50—522 50 |
| Note to O. Barrett, principal, | 300 00 |
| interest, | 13 50—313 50 |
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| | 9362 55 |

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| Outstanding claims for which orders were drawn by the Selectmen in 1856, | 10 00 |
| Outstanding claims for which orders were drawn by the Selectmen in 1860, | 52 68 |
| Amount which will be due to the superintendent of town farm, April 1st, 1860, | 275 00—337 68 |
| Whole debt of the town, | 9700 23 |
| Deduct amount of available means, | 1551 89 |
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| Amount of indebtedness, | \$8148 34 |

SAMUEL BARRETT, Treasurer.

This certifies that we have examined the above report and find it correctly cast and vouchers have been exhibited for the payments therein mentioned.

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| LEWIS HOWARD, | } Auditors. |
| OLIVER BARRETT, | |
| ELIPHALET PUTNAM, | |

*Sexton's Report of Deaths and Interments in the Town of Wilton,
for the year 1860.*

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|--|------------------------|
| Jan. 11, Miss Abby F. Buss, | Aged 17 years. |
| " 12, Mrs. Betsey Williams, | 68 years. |
| " 16, Eddie LaRoy Davidson, | 1 year and 8 months. |
| Feb. 4, Charles S. Flint, | 18 years and 3 months. |
| Mar. 4, Wm. L. Steele, | 75 years and 8 months. |
| " 5, Miss Lydia Abbot, | 53 years. |
| " 6, Loammi Baldwin, | 56 years and 3 months. |
| " 21, Perley W. Bales, | 1 year and 2 months. |
| " 24, Austin George, | 53 years. |
| Apr. 3, James Hutchinson, | 88 years. |
| " 4, Miss Mina H. Buss, died in Nashua, | 20 years and 3 months. |
| " 15, Lewis N. Fuller, interred at Milford, | 47 years and 7 months. |
| " 21, Mrs. Betsey B. Parkhurst, | 72 years and 5 months. |
| " 25, Two children of Isaac Henry Clark, died in Dorchester, | |
| May 5, Mrs. Rebecca H. Abbot, | 79 years and 3 months. |
| " 8, Zimri Barrett, | 64 years and 6 months. |
| " 13, Miss Maria L. Keyes, | 31 years. |
| June 18, Eddie, son of David T. Stiles, drowned, | 2 years and 7 months. |



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