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OF THE

EXPENSES

OF THE

Town of Wilton,

FOR THE YEAR 1861,

MILFORD:

PRINTED AT F. N. BOUTWELL'S JOB OFFICE.

1862.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

Bills paid by Orders on the Treasurer for

OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS.

F. N. Boutwell, for printing Reports,	35 25
Henry O. Draper, for services on Town Farm,	275 00
Geo. L. Dascombe, for services as Sup. School Committee,	40 00
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	\$ 350 25

FOR SCHOOLS.

	<i>Summer.</i>	<i>Winter.</i>
District No. 1,	52 56	105 45
“ “ 2,	44 35	85 26
“ “ 3,	33 45	69 91
“ “ 4,	108 24	227 23
“ “ 5,	27 43	52 17
“ “ 6,	24 62	50 51
“ “ 7,	25 55	50 15
“ “ 8,	37 52	68 90
“ “ 9,	34 42	69 99
“ “ 10,	00 00	33 64
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	388 14	813 21

For repair of Bridges.

Abner W. Marble,	2 50
S. W. Smith,	1 00
John Bragg, bridge plank,	24 88
James Sheldon,	5 87
Joseph W. Stiles, stringer,	9 00
Abiel Frye, labor,	1 25
Lorenzo Gray,	2 40
Wm. Emerson,	4 87
Jacob Putnam, labor on bridge,	9 00
Henry Gray, Jr., labor on bridge,	6 13
Jonathan Livermore, lumber,	6 00
Lewis Howard, plank and Sawing,	21 06
	—91 46

Expense of Killam Bridge.

Rufus Eaton,	1 87
Samuel French, raising road,	72 21
John Varley, " "	6 75
Timothy Riney, " "	3 75
Patrick Dillon, " "	2 63
J. & C. Haselton, for building the abutment and bank wall,	144 07
Wm. Pettengill, labor,	3 62
Burleigh French, "	15 88
Jonathan Livermore, lumber,	151 66
Albert Killam, labor,	12 40
Henry N. Gray, Iron work,	11 47
Wm. Emerson, labor and lumber,	85 04
John B. Kidder, labor,	20 00
Geo. S. Fowler, lumber,	31 27
Pierce Gage, timber,	61 31
P. P. Carlton, labor,	6 00
John Hutchinson, labor and gravel,	6 75
Willard French, labor,	3 25
Mark Holt, "	10 40
A. W. Marble, "	2 50
Samuel Burton, "	6 25
Jacob Putnam, "	12 50
Henry Gray, Jr.,	18 08
Calvin Carlton,	2 50
Cornelius Shae,	2 50
John Kenney,	2 50
James Ohary,	5 62
E. Putnam & Co., bridge pins,	11 50—714 29

For repair of roads.

Samuel L. Kimball,	2 12
Samuel Burton, for gravel bank,	20 00
Levi Putnam,	4 67
Sylvester Bradford,	6 50
H. N. Gray, on Mason road,	3 17
Henry O. Draper, cash paid,	5 85
R. S. Freeman, Forest road,	6 00
John B. Kidder, on Forest road,	8 50
Amos Herrick, " " "	9 50
John Putnam, " " "	3 45
Geo. H. Hall,	5 00
Edwin E. Bales, " " "	56 22
Ezra Pettengill,	5 50
Jacob Putnam, labor on Forest road,	7 50
Abel Fiske, " " Fiske road,	4 78
Geo. Boynton, on Forest road,	5 00
R. S. Freeman, on Forest road,	4 00
James Sheldon, " " "	18 00
C. M. Batchelder, gravel bank,	12 00
Charles White, on Mason road,	1 12
Jacob Putnam, Forest road,	71 79
Charles C. Spalding, Mason road,	1 12

Isaiah Mansur,	6 15
Abigail Kimball, for gravel,	2 50
Nancy Spalding, for board,	6 08
Newton Perham, labor on road,	2 75—279 27

For breaking roads in 1860 and 1861.

Rufus Eaton,	1 03
George Hartshorn,	3 00
Sewall Putnam,	49 23
Jacob Putnam,	30 58
Samuel French,	7 72
George H. Hall,	8 37
Joel H. Perham,	19 43
Oliver Perham,	6 75
Lewis W. Perham,	36
Isaac Frye,	1 50
“ “	38 31
Lorenzo Gray,	37 36
David Cram,	43 23
Moses Clarke,	26 31
J. D. Wilson,	20 10
H. A. Whiting,	24 00
Edward F. Pratt,	44 01
Samuel A. Preston,	9 94
Moses Clark,	10 48
A. Dwight Abbott,	35 63
Joseph Perham,	9 96
Abel Fiske, Jr.,	24 61
Moses Lovejoy,	16 50
Joseph W. Stiles,	35 06
Mark Holt,	29 13
Ezra Holt,	17 49
Isaiah Mansur,	56 44
George Buss,	9 79
James Hutchinson 2d,	28 30
Pierce Gage,	35 15
Geo. Hartshorn,	5 50
T. Russell,	7 00
Joseph Melendy,	5 68—697 95

For Abatement of Taxes.

Willard French, for list of 1857, '59 and '61,	28 01
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Miscellaneous Expenses.

Hermon Abbot for books and stationery,	7 75
Nelson Blake for ringing bell, &c.,	12 25
Wm. Barrett for services as Moderator,	3 00
C. B. Burt for use of watering trough,	3 00
C. M. Borman for ringing bell,	10 00
Sewall Putnam costs and expenses in suit Whitmore against Putnam,	164 01
S. Putnam for perambulating town lines,	4 00
H. A. Whiting for police fixings,	17 25
James R. Dascomb for labor and expense on side walk,	12 07
C. M. Borman for ringing bell, &c.,	8 50

Levi A. Pierce for watering tub,	3 00
Henry Gray, Jr. for watering trough,	3 00
L. W. Mitchell for damage on sleigh,	1 50
Gardner Blanchard for painting at town farm,	3 44
H. N. Gray for iron work,	46
Moses Clark for returning soldiers to camp,	5 00
C. A. Bales for blacksmithing,	46
Josiah Fleeman for professional services,	1 35
Joseph Burt, committee for locating town house,	63
Chas. B. Burt services as police,	4 00
B. Williams use of room,	1 00
Isaac Blanchard sexton services,	9 50
William White services as police,	2 50
Joseph W. Killam for use of rubber pants,	50
Lewis Howard for Auditors,	2 25—280 42

Paid to volunteer soldiers and their families under votes of the town May 18th and Sept. 1861.

James W. Hutchinson,	73 00	Daniel S. Millet,	57 59
William Dillon,	57 56	Rodney Perham,	61 97
Lewis P. Ray,	61 97	John P. Kidder,	58 78
Michael A. Dillon,	73 00	Appleton Hutchinson,	35 41
C. H. McGilvery,	53 78	Charles Blanchard,	65 71
Wm. H. Bridges,	69 00	James Gould,	57 00
Charles B. Pinkham,	60 00	Benjamin F. George,	69 00
Timothy N. Hutchinson,	73 00	James Bridges,	69 00
William Pettingill,	73 00	Charles Bragg,	73 00
.. Newton Hutchinson,	34 17	George W. Currier,	69 00—1253 94
Family of Joseph Wetherbee,			60 00
“ “ Daniel S. Millet,			48 00
“ “ Appleton Hutchinson,			62 00
“ “ John Dillon,			54 00
“ “ Timothy N. Hutchinson,			36 00
“ “ Charles G. Blanchard,			20 00
“ “ William F. Millet,			36 00—316 00

Services of Town Officers.

S. Batrete town clerk and treasurer,	52 00
H. Abbot expense and services,	82 78
H. A. Whiting “ “	50 14
J. Putnam “ “	35 86
D. E. Adams, Superintending School Committee,	38 00
Willard French, collecting taxes for 1861,	66 08—324 86

HERMON ABBOT, } Selectmen
H. A. WHITING, } of
JACOB PUTNAM, } Wilton.

Report of the Overseers of the Poor,

FROM FEB. 1861 to FEB. 7, 1862.

<i>Overseers of the Poor in account with the town of Wilton, Dr</i>	
To cost of farm,	2600 00
Interest on farm and personal property as per invoice 1861,	239 09
Superintendent's salary,	275 00
Personal property on farm Feb. 6th 1861	1384 96
Cash in hand of Superintendent Feb. 6th, 1861,	83 71
Taxes on farm abated	30 00—4612 76

Bills paid by Superintendent :

Ax and Helves, 1 85 ; tea and coffee, 4 22,	6 07
Tobacco, 3 35 ; lime, 19,	3 54
Sugar, 10 30 ; oil, 3 29,	13 59
Crackers, 4 68 ; saws and filing, 2 20,	6 88
Potash, 1 02 ; thread, 70,	1 72
Molasses, 5 69 ; books, 46,	6 15
Women's help, 5 75 ; vice, 1 20,	6 95
Grinding, 1 00 ; indigo, 30,	1 30
Shoemaking, 5 20 ; raisins, 42,	5 62
Brooms, 56, rye, 4 56,	5 12
Saleratus, 64 ; spices, 1 65,	2 29
Water pail, 22 ; shovels 2 25,	2 50
Blacksmithing, 13 47 ; butter, 27 92,	41 39
Bowpins, 13 ; repairing cart, 1 35,	1 48
Buttons, 09 ; window glass, 18,	27
Nails, 73 ; wringing machine, 3 75,	4 48
Washing machine, 5 00 ; veal, 1 99,	6 99
Salt, 3 75 ; grass seed, 5 25,	9 00
Tin ware, 1 33 ; plow point, 1 25,	2 58
Flour and wheat, 35 26 ; Oats, 1 25,	36 50
Fish, 4 74 ; locks, 20	4 94
Repairing wagon, 65 ; S. Corn, 1 13,	1 78
Matches, 31 ; pig, 3 75 ; hard ware, 1 87,	5 93
Repairing rake, 40 ; Vinegar, 1 20,	1 60
Meal, 7 37 ; meat, 10 87,	18 24
Repairing harness,	85
Cash paid for extra labor,	17 62
Carding wool, 62 ; pork, 3 25,	3 87
Powder, 1 40 ; candles, 47,	1 87
Squashes, 67 ; clothing, 32 71 ; lamps, 63,	34 01
Spining, 1 25 ; door plank, 75 ; baskets, 2 50.	4 50
Carpenter work, 3 50 ; apples, 3 00 ; rozin, 10,	6 60
Butchering, 99 ; spending money for paupers 50,	1 49
1 pr Oxen, 97 50 ; yoke, 5 50,	103 00
Timothy Parkhurst for professional service	2 25—372 97

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By cost of farm,	2600 00
Personal property on farm Feb. 7, 1862,	1187 34—3787 34

By cash for labor and articles sold :

Potatoes, 18 10 ; chickens, 1 00,	19 10
Eggs, 1 78 ; soap, 32,	2 10
Apples, 3 00 ; calves, 7 50,	10 50
Lumber, 1 41 ; wood, 5 00,	6 41
1 pr. Oxen, 90 00 ; milk, 146 07,	236 07
Labor done off the farm,	223 99
By keeping county pauper,	7 50
Cash in hands of Superintendent Feb. 7, 1862,	41 25—546 92

By extra labor for improvements on farm, for ditching swamp. Cash paid out,	17 62
For ditching and getting out mud,	32 38 —50 00

Amount of DR. 4985 73
Amount of CR. 4384 26

Cost of poor on farm, —601 47

Cost of paupers not on farm :

Cash paid N. H. Asylum for A. Flint,	74 90
F. Hutchinson for J. Wetherbee,	7 67
B. Williams for County Paupers,	13 87
N. Center for J. Wetherbee,	15 00
F. Hutchinson for J. Wetherbee,	7 25
F. S. Hutchinson for Appleton H.,	8 00
N. Center for Sylvester Center,	5 00
B. Williams for transient paupers,	3 25—134 94
Received from County,	90 97

43 97

HERMON ABBOT, } Overseers
H. A. WHITING, } of
JACOB PUTNAM, } the Poor.

SELECTMEN'S BILLS.

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

1861.		DR.
To one half day examining bridge,		62
One day engaging timber for Killam bridge,		1 25
One half day engaging help for building bridge,		63
Preparing invoice books,		2 00
Six days taking invoice and expense,	1 25	7 50
One day drawing Orders and attending jury meeting,		1 25
Six days regulating real estate, making taxes and exp.,	2 00	7 50
One day preparing and passing taxes to Collector,		1 25
One day preparing and distributing Highway Surveyor's Warrants,		1 25
Enrolling Militia,		1 00
One day settling with liquor Agent, and appointing another,		1 25
One day making school house tax and passing to Collector,		1 25
Expense for copying invoice and taxes,	4 00	
Calling town meeting,		1 00
One day drawing Orders and examining bridge,		1 25
Going to village on pauper case,		60
One day labor on bridge,		1 25
One half day labor on road,		62
One day on S. Goldsmith's Case,		1 25
One half day drawing Orders,		63
One day drawing Jury and on Mason road,		1 25
Three fourths day at town farm,		1 00
Time and expense in procuring evidence respecting paupers,	2 00	2 25
One day with commissioners at Amherst and exp.,	75	1 25
One half day at town farm,		62
Calling town meeting,		1 00

Drawing Orders,		63
Appointing special police, examining roads and exp.,	25	1 25
Four days perambulating town lines and exp.,	50	5 00
One half day on Mason road,		62
One day drawing Orders and revising Jury list,		1 25
One day on pauper case and attending jury meeting,		1 25
One half day drawing Orders,		63
One day at town farm,		1 25
Two days on reports and exp.,	75	2 50
One day making check list and exp.,	58	1 25
Services for soldiers and their families,		10 00
One day with the Auditors and drawing Orders,		1 25
Warning town meeting,		1 25
Correcting check list twice,		1 00
Express, postage and paper,		75
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	\$ 12 18	\$ 70 60

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

1861.

To meeting bridge Committee at K bridge,		62
Six days taking invoice,		7 50
Cash paid out taking invoice,		1 25
Eight days regulating real estate, making taxes and Surveyor's Warrants,		10 00
Cash paid C. H. Burns for services,		1 00
Examining bridge at E. Putnam's,		63
Drawing Jurors,		62
Drawing Orders and appointing police, Ex., Fiske road, &c.,		62
One half day at John Burton's,		62
One half day at Livermore bridge,		62
One half day at Holt bridge,		63
One half day drawing Orders,		62
One half day drawing Orders,		63
Cash paid out for Stationery,		46
One half day drawing Orders,		62
One day taking inventory town farm,		1 25
One day on town reports,		1 25
Labor and settling with W. Holt,		62
One half day at town farm,		62
Cash paid Warren Holt for damage draining swamp at town farm,	10 00	
Making check list,		1 25
On reports one day,		1 25
One day with the Auditors and drawing Orders,		1 25
Warning town meeting,		1 25
Correcting check list,		1 00
Expense for board, &c.,		3 33
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		\$ 50 14

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

Six days taking invoice, exp.	87	7 50
Two days regulating real estate, exp.		2 50
Four days making taxes,	2 00	
Drawing jurors and exp.,		5 00
Half day examining bridges,		63
One day passing Surveyor's Warrants,		1 25
Half day at K bridge,		63
Half day at town farm,		63
Half day on Forest road,		63
One day drawing Orders, appointing police and exp.,	25	1 25
One day on road and Livermore bridge.		1 25
Half day procuring timber for bridge,		63
Half day drawing Orders,		63
Half day at town farm,		63
Half day drawing Orders and attending jury meeting,		63
One day revising jury list,		1 25
One day at town farm,		1 25
One day hiring man at farm,		1 25
One day preparing check list, drawing Orders and exp.,	37	1 25
One day drawing Orders, and with the Auditors,		1 25
One day warning town meeting and exp.,	1 33	
Correcting check list twice,		1 00
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	\$4 82	\$31 04

Report of the Treasurer.

The Treasurer to the town of Wilton.

DR.

To cash reported in the Treasury, March 1, 1861,	205 65
" " received of Collector for 1859,	78 67
" " " " " " 1860,	900 00
" " " " " " 1861,	3737 00
" " " " State Literary Fund, 1861,	99 60
" " " " Rail Road Tax, "	89 66
" " " " County by S. Putnam,	19 42
" " " " " for support of poor,	71 55
" " borrowed of Lucy Henry for town,	500 00
" " " " B. Hopkins, " "	1000 00
" " received on licenses for dogs,	27 00—\$6728 55

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By cash paid H. O. Draper, interest on note,	21 00
" " " Isaiah Mansur, " " "	30 00
" " " Wm. Abbot, " " "	30 00
" " " Samuel Clark, " " "	12 00
" " " " " " " "	30 00
" " " Oliver Barrett, " " "	18 00
" " " Josiah Fleeman, " " "	60 00
" " " Stillman Gibson, " " "	48 00
" " " Boynton C. S. Fund, interest on note,	300 00
" " " N. H. Asylum for the support of A. Flint,	74 90
" " " D. E. Smith for insurance on Town House,	73 66
" " " on orders drawn by the Selectmen, 1860-61,	82 05
" " " on orders drawn by the " 1861-62,	3940 20
" " " Volunteer Soldiers and their families as per order of the Selectmen,	1568 80—\$6288 61

Balance in the Treasury—cash,	439 94
Note payable to the town, principal and interest, March 1, 1862,	75 51
Due from the Collector for 1860,	296 33
Due from the Collector for 1861,	890 49—\$1702 27

Demands against the Town.

Note to trustees of Boynton School Fund, principal,	\$5000 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	50 00	—5000 50
Note to William Abbot, Principal,	500 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	23 42	—523 42
Note to Stillman Gibson, principal,	800 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	11 46	—811 46
Note to Isaiah Mansur, principal,	500 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	25 66	—525 66
Note to Abigail Clark, principal,	200 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	10 26	--210 26
Note to T. G. Eaton, principal,	1000 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	36 50	--1036 50
Note to H. O. Draper, principal,	350 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	19 25	--369 25
Note to Samuel Clark, principal,	500 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	22 50	—522 50
Note to Oliver Barrett, principal,	300 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	13 50	--313 50
Note to Lucy Henry, principal,	500 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	18 25	--518 25
Note to Benjamin Hopkins, principal,	1000 00	
interest to March 1, 1862,	17 50	—1017 50
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		\$10846 80
Outstanding claims on orders drawn by the Selectmen in 1856,	10 00	
Outstanding claims on orders drawn by the Selectmen in 1861,	87 36	
Amount which will be due April 1, 1862, to the Superintendent of the town farm,	275 00	—372 36
Whole debt of the town,		11221 16
Deduct amount of available means,		1702 27
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Amount of indebtedness,		\$9518 89

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.

LEWIS HOWARD,	}	Auditors.
NEHEMIAH BOUTWELL,		
HENRY GRAY, JR.,		

*Sexton's Report of Deaths and interments in the town of Wilton
for the year 1861.*

Jan. 3, Mrs. Sarah Brown, interred at Mont Vernon,	aged 81 years.
" 22, Mrs. Sarah Clark,	76 years.
Feb. 15, Mr. Seth S. Goldsmith,	33 years.
March 23, Mrs. Lydia J. Spalding,	56 years.

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