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REPORT OF THE
CONANT LIBRARY BUILDING COMMITTEE
TO MARCH 1, 1891.

In accordance with the instructions of the town by a vote at the annual meeting in March, 1890, we herewith submit our report to date, of the action taken by the town towards constructing a library building, and our action in carrying out our instructions. By instructing us to print our report with the other annual reports of the town, we construe that the voters desired a report which should show the origin and progress of the building to the present date.

About the middle of the November, 1888, the Selectmen of Winchester received the following communication :

“ Boston, November 12, 1888.

To the Selectmen of the town of Winchester, in the State of New Hampshire.

Gentlemen :—Mr. Ezra Conant who died at Boston, Mass., October 20, 1888, in and by his last will duly proved and allowed by the Probate Court for the County of Suffolk, held at Boston, this twelfth day of November, A. D. 1888, makes the following bequest :

‘I give and bequeath unto my said Trustees, Eben Alexander and Phineas R. Smith, the sum of fifty thousand dollars, in trust, however, for the following uses and purposes, that is to say, to receive interest and take the care, custody and control of the same, and to collect the gains, income and profits thereof, and to pay over in semi-annual payments, or oftener if in their judgment it be deemed expedient, the net income, gains and profits thereof to said Helen F. Granger, for and during her natural life, and no longer ; and at the decease of

said Helen F. Granger, then I direct my said Trustees or their successors in said trust, to pay over said principal sum of fifty thousand dollars, and all increase thereof, if any, to the town of Winchester in the State of New Hampshire, for the purpose of purchasing and maintaining a Public Library; provided however, and upon the express condition, that said town shall within six years after this will shall have been duly proved and allowed in the Probate Court, erect a suitable brick or stone building in the central village of said town, for the sole purpose of a Public Library.

I direct that this legacy for the benefit of Helen F. Granger be paid to my Trustees as soon as conveniently may be after my decease, and without any liability to contribution in case of deficiency of assets.'

Respectfully,

EBEN ALEXANDER,
PHINEAS R. SMITH,
Executors."

To the foregoing communication the following acknowledgement was made by the Selectmen.

"Winchester, N. H., Nov. 19, 1888.

To Eben Alexander and Phineas R. Smith, Trustees of the estate of the late Ezra Conant.

Gentlemen:—As the legally constituted agents of the town of Winchester, we have the honor of acknowledging the receipt of your favor of the 12th inst., conveying the official information of the munificent bequest of the late Mr. Ezra Conant, to the town of Winchester for the purpose of "purchasing and maintaining a Public Library." In behalf of the citizens of Winchester whom we represent, we would express to you as the trusted agents of our former townsman and fellow citizen, our gratitude and appreciation of the great gift which has thus fortunately fell to this community. We also wish to assure you that we shall do whatever may seem expedient to avail ourselves of the great benefits to this and future generations of this grand opportunity for educational advancement of the people of this town.

We would also ask the privilege of consulting with you personally at some convenient time in the near future, as to measures that may be thought advisable for the town to adopt in order to best promote the plans and wishes of our respected benefactor.

Please to accept our thanks personally for your courtesy.
Yours respectfully,

S. M. MORSE,
C. E. SLATE,
D. H. THOMPSON,
Selectmen of Winchester.”

At the annual meeting in March, previous to the foregoing correspondence, the town had appointed a committee to investigate in regard to plans and estimates for a new Town Hall, which was contemplated by its advocates, should also contain a suitable room for the Public Library which the town now owns, and which is fast outgrowing the limited quarters where it is located. There was among our citizens a very general desire that the Town Hall and Library Building should be under the same roof, both on account of convenience and economy. It was thought desirable to have a consultation with the trustees of the fund which had been bequeathed to the town, to ascertain their views in regard to the legality of incorporating the two buildings; accordingly in January, 1889, the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, and Mr. Abbott, had an interview with Mr. Alexander, one of the trustees, and informed him of the desire of the town. He readily agreed to the desirability of our plan, and promised to confer with Mr. Smith at an early date and communicate their views upon the matter in writing, which are contained in the following letter.

“Boston, Jan. 12, 1889.

S. M. Morse, Esq.,

Dear Sir:—More delay has occurred than I intended should, when I told you I would at once confer with Mr. Smith on the topics you spoke about when here last week. As far as we are concerned as Trustees, we see no objection to the erection of a suitable stone or brick building combining the uses of a Public Library and Town Hall, provided sufficient prominence be given in it to the former, to carry out the evident ideas of the donor in his very liberal gift. Your town council can of course advise you as to whether such a building would come under the meaning and intent of the will. In the event of other Trustees having the charge of the fund when it should come into your hands, it will be well that no cause be given which would in any way make trouble. The element

of safety for such an institution is to be considered and it might be questioned whether the use of the building for other purposes would not impair the security. This and other points will readily suggest themselves to you.

In the matter of finance I can say that we are at liberty to invest in your town bonds on terms to be agreed upon, but with the understanding that we should be on the same footing exactly as any other investor. As Trustees we are bound to make the best investment we can, and can only look to negotiable bonds which we can change at any time the interests of our ward would require. Such bonds as we might therefore take of you, would have to be without condition as regards the Trust Funds, and be such as you might have to dispose of for any town purpose. We are fully disposed to do all we can to assist you in this important matter, but cannot exceed our duties and powers as Trustees.

Yours very truly,

EBEN ALEXANDER,
Trustee."

During the winter of 1888-9, the question of accepting the conditions of the Conant bequest was freely discussed by the citizens of the town, and at least one informal meeting was held at the Town Hall for that purpose. At the annual meeting in March, 1889, an article having been inserted in the warrant permitting free action upon the subject, the town took action as follows:

Dr. G. W. Peirce introduced the following preamble and resolutions which were voted without a dissenting voice.

"Whereas we, citizens of Winchester, N. H., having learned of the bequest of the late Ezra Conant of Boston, Mass., of a very large sum of money for the purpose of founding and maintaining a public library in said Winchester, and being desirous of testifying, regarding our great appreciation of said gift, hereby

Resolve 1st, That the name and memory of Ezra Conant shall be held in perpetual recollection and reverence till the latest hour of our individual and corporate existence.

Resolved 2d, That the institution for which he so generously provided, when completed, shall be known as the Ezra Conant Library.

Resolved 3d, That a copy of this preamble and these resolutions be printed and presented by the Town Clerk, each, to

Eben Alexander, Trustee, of Boston, to Phineas R. Smith, Trustee, of Boston, and to Helen F. Granger, also of Boston.

Resolved 4th, That this preamble and these resolutions be spread upon, and become part of the records of the town of Winchester."

It was also voted at the same meeting that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to procure plans and specifications for a library building, and report at an adjourned meeting; subsequently it was voted to adjourn to meet at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the second Tuesday of September, 1889.

The undersigned were appointed by the Moderator as the committee called for by the above vote.

It will be noted that this committee were entirely uninstructed by the town in regard to the style, dimensions, or cost of the building for which they were to procure plans; their only guide was contained in the conditions of the bequest, which called for "a suitable building of brick or stone."

Public opinion upon the subject seemed to be very vague and unsettled, and the committee were obliged to rely on their own judgment as to what would be acceptable to the voters. Having learned of the great satisfaction which the citizens of Brattleboro, Vt., manifested in their library building, which had recently been constructed, your committee decided to inspect it, and were not long in agreeing that with some modifications in ornamentation, and a little additional room to match our prospective magnificent endowment fund, it would be a very "suitable" structure for the Conant Library. Accordingly we consulted with the architect who furnished the plans for the Brooks Library at Brattleboro, Mr. J. M. Currier of Springfield, Mass., and in connection with the committee, which had been appointed by the town to procure plans for the Town Hall, contracted with Mr. Currier to furnish working plans and specifications for both the contemplated buildings, for which the town was to pay \$700. The library plans were to be delivered previous to Sept. 5, 1889, and the plans for the Town Hall previous to March 1, 1890.

We received the plans and specifications, as per contract, for the library building, and as we had expected, from the reputation of the maker, found them very accurate and satisfactory. At the adjourned annual meeting held Sept. 10, 1889, there was a fair attendance of the voters of the town, and a report of the committee on plans was read by the chairman, and the plans and specifications were exhibited and explained by a member of the committee. After a free, and full discussion of their merits, during which another plan was proposed by a citizen of the town, but with very indefinite and verbal specifications, it was voted to accept and adopt the plans made by Mr. Currier, and the following resolution was adopted by a strong vote :

“ *Resolved*, That the plans and specifications for the Conant Library Building as presented to this meeting by the committee, with such modifications in detail which shall tend to reduce the expense of the building, as may be thought expedient by the committee, be accepted and adopted by the town.

Resolved, That the committee be instructed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the building, the whole contract to be included in one job, or to be divided into two or more contracts, as may in their judgment seem best ; but in no case shall contracts be made which make the whole cost of the building completed according to the specifications exceed the sum of \$15,000 ; and the building must be completed to the acceptance of the committee prior to January 1, 1892.

Resolved, That the Selectmen and Treasurer of the town of Winchester be instructed to borrow on the credit of the town, at a rate of interest not to exceed four per cent. annually, and for a time not to exceed twenty years, the sum of \$15,000, and that such portion of such amount as may be necessary shall be appropriated to the use of the Library Building Committee, as payment for the construction of the library building ; that said Selectmen and Treasurer are hereby authorized and instructed to advertise said loan in one or more newspapers published in Boston, and to issue the note or bond of the town, as may be deemed expedient, interest on said loan not to commence previous to July 1, 1890.” An amendment by adding, “ That no contract for the building should be made until the plans and specifications had been approved by the trustees of the Conant estate,” was moved by Dr. G. W. Pierce, and adopted by the town.

“*Voted*, That a sufficient portion of the south part of the Jennings lot shall be set apart, upon which shall be constructed the library building.”

As soon as convenient after the meeting, the committee advertised for proposals for the construction of the building, in the New Hampshire Sentinel at Keene, Springfield Republican, Springfield, Mass., and the Engineering and Building Record, published at New York city, and fixing on the date of November 30, 1889, for opening the proposals. The following were found to be the bids for the building complete :

Lewis Brittain, Worcester, Mass.,	\$18,926 00
H. P. Cummings & Co., Ware, Mass.,	17,190 00
Mather & Whiting, Northampton, Mass.,	15,100 00
Simeon Walton, Springfield, Mass.,	19,932 00
Mead, Mason & Co., Boston, Mass.,	18,260 00

Before closing a contract we sent the plans and specifications to the trustees at Boston, according to our instructions, to see if they met with approval, and with the following correspondence :

“Winchester, N. H., Dec. 3, 1889.

To the trustees of the Ezra Conant estate.

Gentlemen :—We shall send you today by express the plans and specifications which have been adopted by the town for the new library building. In accordance with a vote of the town instructing us to procure your endorsement before contracting for the building, we herewith submit the plans for a building which we believe will be a suitable building, to comply with the terms of the bequest as made by the will of the late Mr. Conant, and also a building which will be an honor and credit to the town in future years. You will see by the specifications that it is to be a brick building, with cut granite trimmings, and thoroughly built in every respect. We believe that the plans for inside are as convenient and comfortable as in any building of its size within our knowledge, while the stack room is so constructed that it can very easily be enlarged at small expense to accommodate future growth. We have advertised for proposals for building the structure, which were opened on Saturday last, and we have satisfactory figures from at least one responsible firm, with whom we propose to contract if the plans meet your approval. The appro-

priation authorized by the town for the use of the committee in constructing the building, is \$15,000, exclusive of the lot and the grading; and the time in which it is to be constructed expires January 1, 1892.

We shall be under obligations if your Board will examine the plans at your earliest convenience and return the same to us at our expense by express, as they are the only set we have at present. We shall also be pleased to have you state to us officially whether you approve or disapprove of the plans, so that we may comply with our instructions.

Yours respectfully,
S. M. MORSE,
Chairman of Building Committee."

"Boston, Dec. 20, 1889.

S. M. Morse, Esq., Winchester, N. H.

Dear Sir:—We have carefully examined the plans, etc., for the new library building, and enclose as an endorsement on your letter of the 3d inst. our approval of the same. I return the plans by express today. We think you have been very successful, and that you will have, when completed, a very convenient and attractive building for the uses designed.

* * * * * Hoping to visit you next summer and note the progress of the new building, I am

Yours very truly,
EBEN ALEXANDER."

"Boston, Dec. 17, 1889.

We do, so far as we have the right, hereby approve the plans for a public library building, to be erected in the central village of the town of Winchester, N. H., made by J. M. Currier, architect, of Springfield, Mass., and submitted to us by the Building Committee of said town, as per annexed letter.

EBEN ALEXANDER,
PHINEAS R. SMITH,

Executors and Trustees under will of Ezra Conant."

The proposal of Mather & Whiting coming very near our limit, they concluded to discount \$100 and on December 9, 1889, a contract was signed between them and the committee, by which they agree to build the building according to the plans and specifications as originally made by Mr. Currier for the sum of \$15,000, the building to be completed previous to Oct. 1, 1891. Operations were commenced in April, 1890, and the work steadily advanced until December, by which time

the outside of the building was nearly completed and the plastering completed inside.

According to the terms of the contract, we have paid them in monthly instalments, 80 per cent. of the work and materials furnished according to the estimate of the architect, amounting to the sum of nine thousand dollars, leaving six thousand more to be paid when the job is completed. We have had no occasion for complaint in the progress of the work and the contractors, so far as we are competent to judge, have shown a rare degree of honesty and faithfulness in carrying out their contract. We feel that we are very fortunate in our architect, and our contractors, and believe that the town will have a building that will be a credit to all connected with it when it shall be finally completed, which will probably be sometime during the coming summer.

Respectfully submitted,

S. M. MORSE,
G. WARDWELL,
C. W. SCOTT,

Building Committee Conant Library.

REPORT OF
TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in bank March 1, 1890,	\$ 4 34
Town appropriations,	300 00
Fines,	8 65
Mary E. Buffum, books,	1 65
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	\$314 64

DISBURSEMENTS.

Funk & Wagnalls, books,	\$82 88
J. W. Jeffords, books,	9 00
W. H. Guernsey, books,	108 22
H. Abbott, insurance,	20 00
Freight,	1 11
E. Wilber, cartage,	10
C. H. Case, wood,	3 25
Irving Publishing Co.,	1 50
Minnie L. Peirce, librarian to April 1, 1891,	50 00
J. A. Powers, rent to April 1, 1891,	40 00
Trustees, services,	15 00
Cash in bank, March 1, 1891,	3 58
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	\$314 64

Respectfully submitted,

J. GRACE ALEXANDER,
SARAH R. BURNAP,
FLORENCE E. CARPENTER,
Trustees.

LIST OF BOOKS PURCHASED FOR WINCHESTER
PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR YEAR ENDING
MARCH 1, 1891.

	AUTHOR.
Adirondack Cabin, An.	M. Sidney
All Sorts and Conditions of Men.	Walter Besant
Anglomaniacs, The.	
Another Flock of Girls.	Nora Perry
Aide's Claverden.	Frank R. Stockton
Armored of Lyonesse.	Walter Besant
Art of Authorship, The.	George Bainton
Ascutney Street.	Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney
Aztec Land.	M. M. Ballou
Beaconsfield, Lord, Life of.	T. E. Kebbel
Black Beauty.	A. Sewell
Bonnie Little Bonibel.	Mary D. Brien
Boy's Town, A.	W. D. Howells
Boy Travellers in Great Britain and Ireland.	S. W. Knox
Brampton Sketches.	Mary B. Claflin
Bryant, William Cullen.	John Bigelow
Central America, In and Out of.	Frank Vincent
Chunk Purdy.	W. O. Stoddard
Cigarette Maker's Romance.	F. Marion Crawford
Cloud and Cliff.	Willis B. Allen
Come Forth.	E. Stuart Phelps
Cookery in the Public Schools.	Sallie Joy White
Corals and Coral Islands.	J. D. Dana
Crusaders and Captives.	George E. Merrill
Cyclopædia of Practical Quotations, English and Latin.	
	J. K. White and Anna L. Ward
Cyclopædia of Universal Literature. Vols. 14 and 15.	Alden
David Todd.	David Maclure
Dear Daughter Dorothy.	A. G. Plympton
Delight Makers, The.	Adolph F. Bandelier
Dix, Dorothea Lynde, Life of.	Francis Tiffany
Doctor's Dilemma, The.	Hesba Stretton
Dollikins and the Miser.	Frances Eaton

- Electricity in Daily Life. M. Finley
 Elsie Yachting. M. Finley
 Emerson, Ralph Waldo, Talks with. Chas. J. Woodbury
 Encyclopædia Britannica. 24 vols.
 English Hands, Letters and Kings. 2 vols. Donald G. Mitchell
 Ericsson, John, Life of. 2 vols. Wm. C. Church
 Evolution of Man and Christianity, The. Howard Macqueary
 Famous English Authors of the 19th Century. S. K. Bolton
 Famous European Artists. S. K. Bolton
 Finding Blodgett. George W. Hamilton
 First Regiment N. H. Volunteers. S. G. Abbott
 Five Little Peppers Midway. M. Sidney
 Following the Guidon. Elizabeth B. Custer
 Frank at Don Carlo's Rancho. H. Castleman
 Friend Olivia. Amelia E. Barr
 George in Camp. H. Castleman
 Glimpses of Fifty Years. Frances E. Willard
 Great War Syndicate, The. F. R. Stockton
 Half a Dozen Boys. Anna Chapin Ray
 Heroes and Martyrs of Invention. George M. Towle
 Hermit Island. Katherine L. Bates
 Horse Stories. T. W. Knox
 How the Other Half Lives. Jacob A. Riis
 In Darkest Africa. 2 vols. H. M. Stanley
 Indian Summer. W. D. Howells
 Interstate Commerce Commission. 3d Annual Report.
 In the Riding School. T. S. Browne
 Jack and Jill. Louisa M. Alcott
 Japanese Fairy World. William Elliot Griffis
 Joshua. Geog. Ebers
 Kelp Gatherers, The. J. T. Trowbridge
 Leon Pontifex. Sally Pratt McLean Greene
 Little Giant Boab. Ingersoll Lockwood
 Mamelons and Ungava. W. H. H. Murray
 Master of the Magicians, The. E. S. Phelps and H. D. Ward

	AUTHOR.
Midnight Talks at the Club.	Amos K. Fiske
Miss Brooks.	Eliza Orne White
Miss Eaton's Romance.	Richard Allen
Moths and Butterflies.	Julia P. Ballard
Motley, John Lothrop, Correspondence of.	Geo. W. Curtis
New Eldorado.	M. M. Ballou
New England How Made.	Frances A. Humphrey
On the Hills.	Fredrick Starr
Over the Teacups.	O. W. Holmes
Pacific Coast Scenic Tour.	Henry T. Finck
Palmerston Viscount, Life of.	Lloyd C. Sanders
Pine Tree Coast, The.	Samuel A. Drake
Ready About.	W. T. Adams
Rich and Humble.	W. T. Adams
Red Mustang, The.	W. O. Stoddard
Samantha Among the Brethren.	M. Holley
Sidney.	M. Deland
Social Departure, A.	Sara J. Duncan
Stolen America.	Isabel H. Floyd
Stories of Famous Precious Stones.	Mrs. Goddard Orpen
Stories of the Civil War.	A. F. Blaisdell
Stowe, Harriet Beecher, Life of.	Chas. E. Stowe
Strive and Succeed.	H. Alger, Jr
Summer Holiday in Europe, A.	Mary E. Blake
Those Raeburn Girls.	A. F. Raffensperger
Timothy's Quest.	Kate D. Wiggin
Twenty-eight Years in Wall Street,	Henry Clews
Two Modern Women.	Kate G. Wells
United States, An Index to.	Malcom Townsend
Viking Age, The. 2 vols.	Paul B. DuChaillu
Volcanoes, Characteristics of.	J. D. Dana
Walford.	Ellen Olney Kirk
Ward of the Golden Gate.	Bret Harte
Zig Zag Journeys in the Great Northwest.	H. Butterworth
Zoe.	By the Author of Miss Toosey's Mission

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen :

Sirs,—We have the honor to submit the following report as to the affairs which have been under our charge the past year. Our report will occupy but a small space, because the general sanitary condition of the town—while by no means ideal—has been so good as to necessitate less official action on our part than any previous year. At Ashuelot, on the Broad Brook road, in the lower village, are a series of houses whose sanitation can, in our opinion, only be made satisfactory by an expensive sewer, whose outlet shall be in the Ashuelot river, at some point which a survey would locate. We shall cheerfully endorse any measures the town may take which will help solve the problem.

We beg leave to again call the attention of the town to the bad sanitary condition of the two Ashuelot school houses, and hope immediate steps may be taken for their betterment.

We, in conclusion, ask each citizen to do all in his power to reduce the causes of bad sanitation to a minimum, both for his own and for the public health, and bear in mind that when all the public has power to do has been done, yet the greatest factor in maintaining the good health of the community, is the care and intelligent foresight shown by the individuals composing it.

G. W. PEIRCE,
A. H. TAFT,
WILLIAM F. FLINT,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
OF WINCHESTER, N. H.,
FOR THE YEAR ENDING
MARCH 1, 1891.

SCHOOL BOARD, 1890.

MARTIN A. BROWN, TERM EXPIRES MARCH, 1891.

GEORGE W. PIERCE, TERM EXPIRES MARCH, 1892.

CHAS. J. FOSGATE, TERM EXPIRES MARCH, 1893.

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD.

MARTIN A. BROWN, Chairman.

C. J. FOSGATE, Secretary.

GEORGE W. PIERCE, Treasurer.

SPRING TERM.

No. of School.	NAME OF TEACHER.	Length of school in weeks.	Whole number of scholars.	Average daily attendance.	Per cent. of attendance.	Wages of teacher per week.	No. of visits by citizens.	No. of visits by School Board.
1	M. Lizziette Kendrick.	10	7	6	.85	\$6.00	14	3
2 I.	M. Grace Ball.	12	27	25	.97	9.40	18	3
2 P.	Eva V. Davis.	12	36	31	.93	7.50	34	2
3 H.	{ H. P. Young, Prin. Edith Callender, Asst. }	12	34	32	.96	35.83	6	14
3 G.	Elizabeth R. Sisson.	12	37	34	.97	9.50	37	7
3 I.	Minnie M. Marden.	10	41	39	.95	9.00	23	3
3 P.	Susie P. Pierce.	12	66	60	.95	7.50	54	3
4	Lillian M. Lewis.	83-5	9	6	.91	6.00	2	1
5	Rosa E. Bullis.	12	12	10	.99	6.00	3	3
6	Hattie E. Kingman.	8	19	18	.94	5.00	27	1
8	Sarah E. Osgood.	12	15	13	.88	6.00	18	2
9	N. Maria Snow.	11	7	5	.83	5.00	18	2
10	Frank J. Gale.	9	16	14	.87	6.00	13	3
13	Abbie Pierce.	12	11	10	.90	6.00	16	2
16	Olive E. Shumway.	11	21	19	.93	8.00	18	3
18 G.	{ Clara E. Parker and Gertrude C. Mattoon. }	12	17	14	.93	9.50	4	3
18 P.	Emily M. Pickett.	12	46	40	.90	7.50	19	5
20	Ellen M. Higgins.	9	10	8	.89	6.00	10	2
21	May B. Thompson.	10	22	21	100	6.00	22	3

FALL TERM.

No. of School.	NAME OF TEACHER.	Length of school in weeks.	Whole number of scholars.	Average daily attendance.	Per cent. of attendance.	Wages of teacher per week.	No. of visits by citizens.	No. of visits by School Board.
1	M. Lizziette Kendrick.	11	6	6	100	\$6.00	17	3
2 I.	M. Grace Ball.	12	27	22	.95	9.40	29	3
2 P.	Abbie E. Pierce.	12	40	30	.89	7.50	30	5
3 H.	{ H. P. Young, Prin. } { Edith Callender, Asst. }	12	42	40	.97	35.83	10	7
3 G.	Elizabeth R. Sisson.	12	34	31	.94	9.50	51	8
3 I.	Minnie M. Marden.	11 3-5	43	39	.97	9.00	20	2
3 P.	Susie P. Pierce.	12	50	40	.88	7.50	41	3
4	Clara J. Manning.	8 4-5	9	8	.92	6.00	21	2
5	Rosa E. Bullis.	12	13	11	.91	6.00	1	2
6	Hattie E. Kingman.	8 4-5	17	16	.94	6.00	26	3
8	Sarah E. Osgood.	12	15	13	.92	6.00	5	2
9	N. Maria Snow.	12	8	7	.85	6.00	9	2
10	Nellie J. Campbell.	10	17	15	.93	6.00	18	5
13	Emma A. Davis.	12	13	8	.73	6.00	11	2
16	Olive E. Shumway.	12	26	23	.98	8.00	18	5
18 G.	Gertrude C. Mattoon.	12	14	11	.91	9.50	4	2
18 P.	Emily M. Pickett.	12	60	44	.93	7.50	12	3
20	Ellen M. Higgins.	9	11	9	.90	6.00	19	1
21	May B. Thompson.	10	20	20	100	6.00	35	1

WINTER TERM.

No. of School.	NAME OF TEACHER.	Length of school in weeks.	Whole number of scholars,	Average daily attendance.	Per cent. of attendance.	Wages of teacher per week.	No. of visits by citizens.	No. of visits by School Board.
2 I.	M. Grace Ball.	11	27	23	.92	\$9.40	40	3
2 P.	Abbie E. Pierce.	11	26	19	.79	7.50	25	2
3 H.	{ H. P. Young, Prin. Edith Callender, Asst. }	12	41	37	.94	35.83	18	5
3 G.	Elizabeth R. Sisson.	11	36	31	.90	9.50	20	7
3 I.	Minnie M. Marden.	9	42	37	.92	9.00	18	4
3 P.	Susie P. Pierce.	11	51	44	.93	7.50	34	7
4	Ellen M. Higgins.	9	7	5	.72	6.00	13	2
6	Hattie E. Kingman.	9	20	14	.93	6.00	31	2
10	Nellie J. Campbell.	9	16	9	.90	6.00	37	3
16	Olive E. Shumway.	11	30	28	.96	8.00	17	4
18 G.	Gertrude C. Mattoon.	11	20	15	.88	9.50		4
18 P.	Emily M. Pickett.	11	44	30	.81	7.50	3	4
20	Clara J. Manning.	9	13	10	.83	6.00	25	2
21	May B. Thompson.	10	19	19	100	6.00	33	3

No schools in Nos. 1, 5, 8, 9 and 13.

NAMES OF SCHOLARS WHO HAVE BEEN
NEITHER ABSENT NOR TARDY.

No. 1.—None.

No. 2, INTERMEDIATE.—Annie Conroy, 1, 2; Hannah Conroy, 1; Maggie Fallon, 1, 2; Winifred Harder, 1, 2; Katie Joyce, 1, 2, 3; Minnie Joyce, 1, 2; Hannah Kelley, 1, 2, 3; Nellie Kelley, 1, 2; Mary Lacoss, 1; Annie Miller, 1, 2; Nellie Qualters, 1; Abbie Quigley, 1; James Dee, 1; Wentworth Fairbanks, 1, 3; Martin Kelley, 1; Eddie White, 1, 2; Delia Bouchie, 2; Arthur Bouchie, 2; Katie Conroy, 3; Sadie Rand, 3; Clinton Harder, 3.

No. 2, PRIMARY.—Clinton Harder, 1, 2; Dannie Bergeron, 1; Willie Lachance, 1, 2; Abbie Lachance, 1, 2; Delphis Cote, 2; Daniel Lachance, 2; Kate Conroy, 2; Frank Graney, 2, 3.

No. 3, HIGH.—Ethel M. Adams, 1; May Birkenshaw, 1; Edith Felch, 1; Cora L. Davis, 1; Lura Smith, 1; Susie Smith, 1; John Dickenson, 1; Geo. Norwood, 1, 2; Mabel Brown, 2; May K. Dickenson, 2; Geneva Hildreth, 2; Ara Jackson, 2; Frances Rixford, 2, 3; Winfred Burbank, 2, 3; Guy Norwood, 2; Vere Sprague, 2; Dean Spaulding, 2; Nettie Brown, 3; Nora Kelton, 3; Nellie Rixford, 3.

No. 3, GRAMMAR.—Winfred Burbank, 1; Frank Phillips, 1, 3; Lessie Hutchins, 1, 3; Minnie Kent, 1; Jessie Waldron, 1, 3; Susie Winter, 2, 3; Eleanor Swan, 2; Michael Doherty, 3; Mellen Greenleaf, 3.

No. 3, INTERMEDIATE.—Harry B. Foster, 1; Percy L. Foster, 1; Mellen C. Greenleaf, 1; Charles Metcalf, 1; Delano W. Saben, 1; Leroy L. Sprague, 1, 2; Charles L. Wood, 1, 3; Emma P. Bent, 1, 2, 3; Kate C. Cooney, 1; Lena M. Humes, 1; Mildred E. Jackson, 1, 3; Edith M. Smith, 1; Cora E. Ballou, 2; Maria M. Hanaford, 2, 3; Myrta F. Naramore, 2, 3; Bessie M. Norwood, 2, 3; Bessie A. Sinclair, 2, 3; Willie R. Barrett, 2; Charles J. Drugg, 2; George D. Metcalf, 2; George W. Hutchins, 3; Katie Doherty, 3; Bernice F. Jebb, 3; Grace G. Jebb, 3.

No. 3, PRIMARY.—Cora Ballou, 1; Myrta Ballou, 1, 2; Edna Barrett, 1, 2, 3; Sadie Conway, 1; Grace Holton, 1; Mildred Hartwell, 1, 2, 3; Bertha Jebb, 1, 2, 3; Bernice Jebb, 1; Lucy Jennings, 1; Lelia Swan, 1; Bertha Smith, 1; Josephine Warner, 1; George Adams, 1; Lee Baldwin, 1, 3; Winfred Drugg, 1, 2; Leslie Greenleaf, 1, 2; Henry Kent, 1; Ralph Swan, 1; Cora Carlton, 2; Mabel Foster, 2, 3; Frances Grimes, 2, 3; Burnice Norwood, 2, 3; Willie Grimes, 2, 3; Herman Barrett, 2; Bernie Brown, 3.

No. 4.—Robert Beals, 1, 3; Archie Willard, 1, 2.

No. 5.—Percy L. Bryant, 1, 2; Forrest Z. Morey, 1, 2; Frank W. Breed, 1, 2; Mattie B. Plummer, 1, 2; Annie M. Bryant, 1; Fred L. Breed, 2.

No. 6.—Edwin E. Baker, 1, 2, 3; Gertie A. Hildreth, 1; S. Lula Jackson, 1; M. Grace Jackson, 1; Herman B. Baker, 2; Hayden E. Hildreth, 2, 3; Frank T. Jackson, 2; Forrest L. Jackson, 2; Maud L. Jackson, 2; Mabel A. Jackson, 2.

No. 8.—Gertie E. Clark, 1, 2; Stephen E. Clark, 1, 2; Mattie I. Davis, 1; Rosa A. Field, 1; Nora A. Field, 1; Herman A. Whittemore, 1.

No. 9.—Lewis O. Clark, 2.

No. 10.—Bertha Bates, 1; Rosa Bates, 1; Agnes Thompson, 1, 2, 3; Warren Lawrence, 1, 2, 3; Warren Watson, 1; Gladys Thompson, 2, 3; Ray W. Thompson, 2, 3; Oliver S. Lawrence, 2, 3.

No. 13.—Henry Burpee, 1; Stella Wyman, 1; Aurilla Dingman, 1, 2; Winfred Hammond, 1, 2.

No. 16.—Jessie Doolittle, 1, 3; Stella Davis, 1; Mary Bolton, 1; Hiram Bolton, 1; Harry P. Smith, 1, 2, 3; Arthur Bolton, 1; Mary E. Duggan, 2; Aggie S. Duggan, 2; Melborne Smith, 2; Elwin Davis, 3.

No. 18, GRAMMAR.—Minnie Peters, 1; Katie Walsh, 1, 2, 3; Julia Walsh, 1, 2, 3; Don W. Felch, 2; Minnie Joyce, 3.

No. 18, PRIMARY.—Colista Cooligan, 1; Aggie Detour, 1, 2, 3; Maggie Dee, 1; Aggie Kelley, 1, 2, 3; Mary Felch, 1; Fannie Rumrill, 1, 2, 3; Venie Detour, 1, 2, 3; Jennie

Joyce, 1, 2, 3; Lottie Rumrill, 1; Emma Detour, 1; Lottie Detour, 1; Jennie Quigley, 1; Florence Ruffle, 1, 2; Jimmie King, 1, 2, 3; Willie Little, 1; Willie Joyce, 1, 2, 3; Henry Manley, 1; Delia Quolters, 2; Emma Dyton, 3.

No. 20.—Leon E. Pickett, 3; Forrest A. Pickett, 3.

No. 21.—Grace E. Barrett, 1, 2, 3; Bertha M. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; Marcia S. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; Susan K. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; Osborne H. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; George D. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; Wiley J. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; Lottie S. Perry, 1, 3; Lettie S. Perry, 1, 2, 3; Carrie B. Pratt, 1, 2, 3; Oliver D. Perry, 1, 2; Archie L. Thompson, 1, 2, 3; Sam. V. Thompson, 1, 2, 3; Guy M. Thompson, 1, 2, 3; Will E. Barrett, 1, 2, 3; Allie A. Barrett, 1, 2, 3; Otis Pratt, 1, 2, 3; Flora F. Pratt, 2, 3; Clifford Willis, 2, 3; Eva E. Allard, 3.

NAMES OF GRADUATES OF HIGH SCHOOL,
CLASS OF '90.

Ellen L. Albee, Latin; Frank B. Kendrick, English;
Clara J. Manning, English.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

BALANCE OF SCHOOL YEAR, 1889-90.

Cash on hand March 1, 1890,	\$1,019 99
Cash received of town of Hinsdale Mar. 25, 1890,	17 00
	\$1,036 99

CASH EXPENDED.

1890.		
Mar. 1.	Albert M. Doolittle, transportation of scholars,	\$26 00
Mar. 1.	James P. Putnam, transportation of scholars,	13 50
Mar. 1.	Emily M. Pickett, salary,	30 00
Mar. 3.	Lizzie Sisson, "	25 00
Mar. 3.	Susie P. Peirce, "	90 00
Mar. 7.	Eva V. Davis, "	90 00
Mar. 8.	Lizzie Sisson, "	50 00
Mar. 8.	Birdie A. E. Slade, "	12 00
Mar. 8.	J. Watson, transportation of scholars,	5 00
Mar. 10.	Robert F. Cuthbert, janitor,	7 80
Mar. 10.	Robert F. Cuthbert, kindlings,	50
Mar. 10.	M. Grace Ball, salary,	53 00
Mar. 11.	Clara E. Parker, "	99 00
Mar. 12.	M. R. Flint, "	16 00
Mar. 12.	Edith Callender, "	57 00
Mar. 13.	Emily M. Pickett, "	45 00
Mar. 15.	H. P. Young, "	65 00

Mar. 21.	Robert L. Beals, janitor,	\$2 40
Mar. 21.	Robert L. Beals, kindlings,	1 60
Mar. 24.	W. L. Rixford, fuel,	3 41
Mar. 24.	W. L. Rixford, janitor,	36 00
Mar. 28.	Wright Wood, books,	36 33
Mar. 28.	Lorenzo Goss, refunding,	2 40
Mar. 28.	W. L. Rixford, sidewalk,	75 00
Mar. 28.	W. R. Bullock, books,	2 08
Mar. 29.	Myrta Swan, salary,	75 00
Mar. 29.	Baker & Metcalf, kindlings,	5 00
Mar. 29.	May B. Thompson, salary,	60 00
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		<hr/> \$52 97

FINANCIAL STATEMENT—1890-91, MARCH 1.

Subject.	Appropriation.	Expended.	Balance unexpended.	Deficit.	Remarks.
Books and Supplies,	\$800 00	\$1,204 50	. . . . .	\$404 50	This appropriation was insufficient. The Board were bound to furnish by statute, regardless of vote by district.
School No. 6,	100 00	204 04	11 36	. . . . .	Unexpended appropriation of 1889, \$115.40.
School No. 19,	750 00	461 78	288 22	. . . . .	There is about \$125.00 due, and yet to be paid from this appropriation.
Teachers' wages,	5,000 00	5,053 60	. . . . .	. . . . .	We wish to call the attention of the town to the fact that wages of teachers consumed the entire appropriation of \$5,000.00 made by the town for support of schools.
Janitors,	52 97	174 95	. . . . .	. . . . .
Fuel,	130 00	239 73	. . . . .	. . . . .
Miscellaneous,	449 54	137 64	. . . . .	. . . . .
Transportation of scholars, . . . . .	. . . . .	54 00	. . . . .	. . . . .
	\$7,282 51	\$7,530 24			
	6 72				
Miscellaneous receipts,	\$7,289 23				
Deficit,	241 01			241 01	
	\$7,530 24				

SPECIAL FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL
HOUSE NO. 19.

Appropriation, \$750 00

EXPENDED.

1890.		
Aug. 2.	William R. Flint, surveying,	\$2 00
Oct. 1.	Davis & Wright, ventilator,	1 90
Oct. 1.	J. H. Manning, labor and under- pinning,	41 47
Oct. 13.	W. A. Hildreth, labor,	29 29
Oct. 13.	Sherman Hammond, labor,	18 75
Oct. 13.	Elisha H. Hammond, labor,	4 50
Oct. 14.	S. R. Hathorn, slating,	41 65
Oct. 14.	N. D. Safford, labor,	10 00
Oct. 16.	E. L. Holton, sash,	7 20
Oct. 17.	Nims, Whitney & Co., material,	1 68
Oct. 17.	Nims, Whitney & Co., material,	6 40
Oct. 17.	Nims, Whitney & Co., material,	27 41
Oct. 18.	Spencer & Co., roofing paper,	2 82
Oct. 18.	A. W. Nason, painting,	16 80
Oct. 25.	Frank W. Hildreth, freight,	1 31
Oct. 25.	Frank W. Hildreth, labor,	45 05
Oct. 30.	A. S. Eaton, mason work,	18 05
Nov. 25.	Ball & Ripley, supplies,	54 43
Nov. 26.	Mather & Whiting, brick,	8 00
Dec. 2.	W. H. Jennings, rough lumber,	82 61
Dec. 8.	A. M. Howard, rough lumber,	11 94
Dec. 9.	Mrs. Frank Adams, labor,	5 00
Dec. 13.	J. H. Manning, labor,	6 72
1891.		
Jan. 1.	E. Alexander, agent, freight,	54
Jan. 31.	E. Alexander, agent, freight,	3 76
Feb. 28.	M. F. Sanders, desk and chair,	12 50
		\$461 78
		\$288 22

SPECIAL FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL
HOUSE NO. 6.

Appropriation,	\$100 00
Unexpended appropriation of 1889,	115 40
	\$215 40

EXPENDED.

1890.

July 11.	A. S. Eaton, building chimney,	\$24 50
Aug. 1.	Frank W. Hildreth, labor and materials,	80 95
Aug. 2.	A. W. Nason, painting,	15 64
Sept. 27.	A. J. Harvey, labor,	2 60
Oct. 1.	E. Alexander, agent, freight,	7 14
Oct. 1.	J. L. Hammett, blackboard,	6 30
Oct. 25.	Frank W. Hildreth, labor,	3 00
Nov. 25.	Frank T. Jackson, services,	25
Dec. 7.	W. A. Choate, desks,	63 66
		\$204 04
		\$11 36

The Board desire to call attention to the fact that the entire appropriation of five thousand dollars, raised by the town for school purposes, has been absorbed in payment of salaries of teachers. That owing to the fact that Massachusetts, and other states so near us, pay teachers so much more liberally than we have so far been able to do, that only by adjusting wages as we have done are we able to secure the services of satisfactory teachers, and the whole tendency of wages is upward, rather than otherwise. So that it will be impossible to conduct our schools in the future, for a less sum annually in this direction, and an increased appropriation is imperatively demanded, unless the parents and friends of the scholars are willing to lesson the number of weeks of school, for each school in the town. We would still further call attention to the fact, that for succeeding years another school (No. 19)

will have to be provided for, thus increasing the demand for still further appropriations, and we wish every voter to note, that with every increase of the number of schools, there is an absolute necessity for an increase of appropriation, and we particularly call your attention to the disposition, too general we fear, to multiply individual schools. This might be very convenient from an individual standpoint, but would be absolutely destructive to the cause of education, and expensive beyond estimate.

The State having made it compulsory that free text books and supplies should be furnished to all schools, according to their needs, the Board of Education thereby have been compelled to make purchase of the same, in excess of the appropriation made by the district at the last annual meeting. We have issued 1,637 bound volumes, only upon the requisitions of the teachers, to supply absolute known wants in their individual schools. In addition to this, we have also been compelled by the same law, to furnish the entire amount of ink, pens, pencils, paper, writing books, composition books, slates, crayons, etc., etc., required for school purposes.

The school year has been a remarkably successful one. This more particularly applies to our graded and larger schools, the result largely of the opportunity given to employ more competent and experienced teachers, besides having longer terms. The ambition of individual scholars is aroused by competition, and a desire to emulate their associates, also a large amount of knowledge is acquired by the larger opportunities afforded for observation.

The subject of transportation of scholars is one that has given the Board a great deal of anxiety. As the law now stands, all sums paid for transportation of scholars reduces the sum total of the amount available for support of schools by just so much. And as we have before stated, the only way funds can be obtained for this purpose is by reducing the school hours below the present standard.

If the district could see its way clear to appropriate a specific sum for this purpose, and in some manner decide as to

its payment, it would perform both an act of generosity to the Board, and an act of justice to such individuals as now or hereafter may feel from force of circumstances that they have just claims for such compensation.

MARTIN A. BROWN,
GEORGE W. PIERCE,
CHARLES J. FOSGATE,
Board of Education.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1891.

APPROPRIATIONS AND MONEY RAISED BY TAXATION, 1890.

Ordinary town charges,	\$1,000 00
Highways,	3,000 00
Support of poor,	2,000 00
Fire department,	600 00
Purchasing new hose,	400 00
Decorating soldiers' graves,	75 00
Town library,	300 00
Care of Evergreen cemetery,	300 00
Improvements in Evergreen cemetery,	100 00
Building sidewalk at Ashuelot,	750 00
Taking down chimneys in town hall,	100 00
Electric lights,	550 00
Sewer at Ashuelot,	100 00
County tax,	2,727 64
State tax,	3,485 00
Appropriation for schools,	5,000 00
School supplies,	800 00
New school house in district No. 19,	750 00
Completing repairs on school house in district No. 16,	100 00
Overlay,	800 00
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	\$21,937 64
\$200.00 dog tax included in this amount.	
Amount gained by reduced valuation,	159 81
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Amount committed to Collector,	\$23,097 45
Rate per cent. on one hundred dollars, \$1.60.	

INVENTORY OF POLLS AND TAXABLE
PROPERTY APRIL 1, 1890.

723 polls,	\$72,300 00
Land and buildings,	857,300 00
465 horses,	30,750 00
132 oxen,	6,221 00
817 cows,	18,665 00
235 neat stock,	3,457 00
337 sheep,	1,080 00
22 hogs,	180 00
27 carriages,	1,740 00
Stock in public funds,	4,000 00
Stock in banks and corporations in this state,	75,100 00
Stock in banks and corporations out of this state,	3,500 00
Surplus capital of banking institutions,	34,655 00
Money on hand and at interest,	78,971 00
Stock in trade,	137,770 00
Mills and machinery,	92,800 00
Buildings not designated,	12,385 00
	\$1,430,874 00

DISBURSEMENTS.

ORDINARY TOWN CHARGES:

Paid E. Alexander, express on reports,	\$1 00
C. E. Slate, expense and time to Greenfield, to borrow money for town,	4 30
W. M. Baker, expense and time to Greenfield, to borrow money for town,	4 30
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports,	99 00
W. H. Spalter, order books,	9 25
Sentinel Printing Co., printing for town,	4 00
H. W. Brigham, cash paid and services in cases,	56 73
	\$178 58

OLD BILLS.

Paid E. S. Taylor, services as Fireward and pipe for hydrants,	\$24 90
E. S. Taylor, services as Supervisor of Check List of 1889,	10 00
E. Wilbur, moving Eva Hammond,	1 25
E. Wilbur, use of teams for town,	6 25
F. H. Hildreth, building hose house and care of pump,	9 50
E. D. Stowell, services at fire in S. Fuller's house,	11 75
John A. Smith, public water,	3 00
Ziba Ware, public water,	3 00
W. L. Rixford, services as Truant Officer,	8 75
W. L. Rixford, stone work for sidewalk,	2 00
W. L. Rixford, cash paid for lamps for town hall,	8 00
W. L. Rixford, labor on road,	4 50
John F. Field, public water,	3 00
W. E. Saben, drawing engine to fire,	3 00
W. S. Leonard, professional services for Mrs. Conroy,	15 00
J. H. Bliss, goods for town hall,	80
John Hutchins, goods for town hall,	5 95
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	\$120 65

HIGHWAYS.

Paid N. D. Safford, breaking roads,	\$5 00
David O. Fisher, breaking roads,	2 50
Patrick Lally, snowing bridge, and labor on road,	3 00
B. L. Tower, labor on road as agent,	56 24
N. D. Safford, labor on road as agent,	15 00
L. F. Buffum, labor on road as agent,	54 47
H. B. Swan, labor on road as agent,	37 65
John Williams, labor on road as agent,	26 30

Paid Octave Orscenau, breaking roads,	\$2 25
Charles and B. C. Jackson, labor on road as agents,	115 00
Geo. L. Kendrick, labor on road as agent,	77 00
A. G. Reed, snowing bridge,	2 13
L. F. Buffum, labor on road as agent,	16 00
John Williams, labor on road as agent,	1 87
D. M. Thompson, labor on road as agent,	86 20
Charles Jackson, labor on road as agent,	4 80
Charles Jackson, building new road,	100 00
George H. Doolittle, breaking out sidewalks,	1 50
E. Alexander, agent, freight on road scraper irons,	50
D. O. Fisher, labor on road as agent,	104 75
C. B. Mansfield, labor on road as agent,	26 70
L. F. Buffum, labor on road as agent,	14 29
H. E. Shepardson, labor on road as agent,	72 47
F. J. Willard, labor on road as agent,	58 37
E. Scott and W. Estey, labor on road as agent,	100 00
C. and B. C. Jackson, building new road and culvert,	90 45
D. C. Stearns, labor on road as agent,	79 63
Charles Jackson, building new road,	50 00
Charles Wheeler, labor on road,	13 30
Charles Jackson, building new road,	50 00
E. C. Scott, labor on road as agent,	50 00
Charles Jackson, labor on road as agent,	18 10
Charles Jackson, building new road,	40 00
Ball & Ripley, powder and fuse,	1 81
Ball & Ripley, drain tile for highway,	219 46
D. M. Thompson, labor on road as agent,	25 60
E. C. Scott, labor on road as agent,	61 00
W. L. Rixford, labor on road,	50 74
Charles Jackson, building new road,	116 25
D. H. Thompson, snowing Melvin bridge,	2 00
D. H. Thompson, fill at end of Melvin bridge,	17 35
H. B. Swan, labor on road as agent,	23 83
N. D. Safford, labor on road as agent,	73 00

Paid C. B. Mansfield,	labor on road as agent.	\$45 75
Geo. L. Kendrick,	" " "	13 50
F. J. Willard,	" " "	13 25
B. L. Tower,	" " "	30 00
E. & A. W. Naramore,	" " "	25 00
John Williams,	" " "	3 00
H. B. Swan,	" " "	7 98
Geo. L. Kendrick,	building abutments to bridge.	44 25
H. E. Shepardson,	labor on road as agent.	10 75
Amos Lawrence,	labor on bridge abutment.	9 37
N. D. Safford,	labor on road as agent.	79 00
John Hadlock,	edges for road scraper,	35 62
W. L. Rixford,	labor and cash paid for plank- ing iron bridge.	28 37
Richard Mizner,	labor on road.	4 50
Edward Rugg,	labor on abutment to bridge.	3 00
E. G. Hardy,	repairs on road scraper.	1 80
E. S. Adams, Esq.,	labor on road.	6 85
John Williams,	labor on road as agent.	14 50
D. M. Thompson,	labor on road as agent.	7 65
B. L. Tower,	labor on road as agent.	10 00
D. C. Stearns,	labor on road as agent.	57 20
Ansel Field,	labor on road as agent.	37 10
Patrick Lally,	labor on road.	4 00
E. H. Fosgate,	labor on road as agent.	3 75
Ball & Ripley,	drain tile.	82 81
Ball & Ripley,	nails for planking bridge.	6 33
Edward Barber,	labor on the road.	1 00
L. C. Lyman,	labor on the road.	3 00
J. H. Manning,	labor on bridge, and material.	3 47
C. D. Willis,	labor on road as agent.	84 45
Amos P. Tufts,	labor on road as agent.	60 25
A. A. Putnam,	plank for bridges.	14 17
Walter E. Tufts,	labor on road.	3 25
B. L. Tower,	labor on road as agent.	32 00
W. H. Jennings,	plank for iron bridge.	104 05
E. H. & A. W. Naramore,	labor on road as agents.	60 48

Paid N. D. Safford, labor on road as agent,	\$47 50
Patrick Lally, labor on road,	6 00
E. B. Willard, labor on road as agent,	4 00
A. S. Seaver, labor on road,	3 00
N. D. Safford, labor on road as agent,	58 50
D. O. Fisher, labor on road as agent,	25 00
Wm. Rixford, land damages for new road,	225 00
W. E. Saben, snowing bridge and labor on scale pit,	5 00
Charles O. Wheeler, breaking out roads,	5 00
J. B. Cass, breaking out roads,	4 20
A. C. Lewis, plank and labor on road,	9 50
E. H. Brown, putting scrapers in store house,	1 00
J. H. Bolton, labor on road as agent,	53 10
Daniel Dugan, breaking roads,	1 00
E. A. Kingman, labor on road,	10 00
G. M. Stearns, " "	1 00
E. S. Adams, " "	2 05
G. L. Kendrick, " " as agent,	6 50
Charles Jackson, " " "	6 00
Fred Doolittle, breaking roads,	2 10
John Williams, labor on road as agent,	30
D. C. Stearns, labor on road as agent and bridge timber,	12 86
A. A. Putnam, labor breaking roads,	2 00
Warren Estey, labor on road as agent,	1 00
O. R. Hill, repairs on road scrapers,	17 20
L. F. Buffum, labor on road as agent,	9 02
Martin Kelley, labor on road,	1 90
J. H. Manning, snowing and repairing bridge,	4 80
E. H. & A. W. Naramore, breaking roads,	2 45
N. D. Safford, labor on road as agent,	53 75
H. E. Shepardson, labor on road as agent,	4 40
F. J. Willard, breaking roads,	4 00
A. Dickinson heirs, labor and plank,	16 44
F. P. Carlton, breaking roads,	2 10
W. L. Rixford, labor on road,	26 90

Paid Phillip Germain, snowing bridge at Ashuelot,	\$1 50
Patrick Lally, snowing bridge at Ashuelot,	4 50
J. T. Burnap, breaking out sidewalks,	3 00
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	\$3,608 53

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid J. Graves, for support of Lucia Hammond,	\$10 00
Mrs. C. Wyman, labor for Emily Rumrell,	5 00
Mrs. J. Porey, support of Joseph Porey's family,	10 00
David O. Fisher, board of Sidney Carlton,	25 00
David O. Fisher, sundries for Sidney Carlton,	1 55
A. Capron, board of E. E. Jewell,	28 00
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	9 00
George W. Nott, board of Sarah DeBell,	2 00
Eugene H. Burpee, board of Sarah DeBell,	6 29
Emily Smith, for support of Emily Smith,	48 00
Mrs. J. Porey, for support of Joseph Porey's family,	10 00
Daniel Dugan, board of James Dunlavy,	8 00
G. W. Pierce, visits and medicine for Emily Rumrell,	20 64
Mary Hayes, support —	7 50
H. G. Pickett, milk for Emily Rumrell,	1 53
D. O. Fisher, board of Sidney Carlton,	7 50
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	6 25
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, sewing for Lottie Moore,	2 66
George W. Peirce, medical aid for E. E. Jewell,	6 25
Mrs. J. Porey, support of Porey family,	8 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
Mrs. Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	4 28
Lucy Pickering, aid from town,	5 00
A. H. Taft, professional services for Emily Smith,	14 25
A. H. Taft, professional services for Lucy Pickering,	7 50

Paid A. H. Taft, professional services for Lottie Moore,	\$3 75
A. H. Taft, professional services for George Nallete,	4 75
Alf Capron, board and care of E. E. Jewell,	7 79
Earl Evans, professional service for Sarah DeBell,	31 35
E. C. Thorn & Co., medicine for Sarah DeBell,	2 35
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	9 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
C. S. Baker, support of Mary Baker,	23 00
Daniel Dugan, board of James Dunlavy,	8 00
Wright Wood, goods for Maurice Cunningham,	1 75
Wright Wood, goods for Mrs. Rob't Turnstill,	13 00
A. M. Burbank, goods for Emily Rumrell,	1 98
A. M. Burbank, goods for Lottie Moore,	1 27
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Lyman Clark, board of Burtie Willard,	6 57
John Wyman, board of E. E. Jewell,	10 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	7 50
Mrs. Annice Warner, labor, care and goods for Emily Rumrell,	7 99
J. Graves, board of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
Thos. Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	23 70
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Thos. Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	21 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	6 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
John Wyman, board of E. E. Jewell,	10 00
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	6 25
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
Thos. Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	14 00

Paid D. O. Fisher, board of Sidney Carlton,	\$16 67
Mrs. Eliza Turnstall, care and nursing Mrs. Samuel Kelley,	18 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Daniel Dugan, board of James Dunlavy,	18 00
John Wyman, board of E. E. Jewell,	5 36
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Thos. Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	21 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	6 00
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	5 00
G. H. Snow & Co., clothing for E. E. Jewell,	1 00
J. Graves, board of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
C. E. Cooper, care of E. E. Jewell,	18 18
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Daniel Dugan, board of James Dunlavy,	6 00
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	14 00
E. L. Clogston, medicine for Lucy Pickering,	1 50
E. L. Clogston, medicine for Emily Rumrell,	15 00
Mrs. Alvin Kempton, board and care of E. E. Jewell,	20 00
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	14 00
Mrs. Alvin Kempton, board and care of E. E. Jewell,	10 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	7 50
J. Graves, board of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
Chas. StClair, repairing shoes for E. E. Jewell,	65
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Lucy Pickering, aid from town,	5 00
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	14 00
C. S. Baker, support of Mary Baker,	15 00
C. S. Baker, dress and shoes for Mary Baker,	2 60

Paid Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	\$8 00
Mrs. L. W. Burt, board and care of E. E. Jewell,	21 43
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	15 00
Mrs. Geo. W. Hunt, board and care of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Geo. W. Brown, board and care of E. E. Jewell,	15 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	6 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
Geo. W. Pierce, visit and examination for Sidney Carlton,	2 00
Geo. W. Pierce, visit and medicine for E. E. Jewell,	5 23
Dr. C. Davis, extracting teeth for Lucia Hammond,	2 00
Dr. C. Davis, extracting teeth for Lottie Moore,	1 25
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	21 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Dr. G. W. Pierce, professional services for Emily Rumrell,	28 42
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	6 00
Charles F. Read, milk for Emily Rumrell,	4 08
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	14 00
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
Geo. H. Snow & Co., clothing for E. E. Jewell,	6 00
Wright Wood, goods for Samuel Kelley,	35 00
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	14 00
Mrs. M. A. Dalrymple, washing for E. E. Jewell,	1 10
A. M. Burbank, goods for Lottie Moore,	48

Paid A. M. Burbank, goods for Emily Rumrell,	\$0 73
W. L. Rixford, carrying Sidney Carlton to County Farm,	5 00
E. L. Holton, shoes for Lottie Moore,	1 75
E. L. Clogston, goods for Emily Smith,	1 13
E. L. Clogston, goods for Emily Rumrell,	27 88
E. L. Clogston, goods for E. E. Jewell,	7 38
W. A. Alexander, goods for John Cook,	1 00
W. F. Sanders, goods for Emily Rumrell,	1 10
W. F. Sanders, coffin and robe for John Cook,	17 50
W. F. Sanders, coffin for E. E. Jewell,	10 00
Emily Smith, aid from town,	58 00
Earl Evans, professional services for Mrs. Samuel Kelley,	33 50
Earl Evans, professional services for Sidney Carlton,	3 75
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	8 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	6 00
Daniel Dugan, board of James Dunlavy,	30 00
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	6 25
Henry Cook, support of John Cook,	17 50
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	14 00
A. H. Taft, professional services for Lucia Hammond,	3 50
A. H. Taft, professional services for Emily Smith,	43 50
A. H. Taft, professional services for Lucy Pickering,	6 75
A. H. Taft, professional services for Lottie Moore,	2 25
A. H. Taft, professional services for James Dunlavy,	1 35
W. S. Leonard, professional services for Mary Baker,	12 00
Philip Guilfoile, board of Maurice Cunningham,	30 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	6 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00

Paid Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	\$14 00
C. S. Baker, support of Mary Baker,	17 00
C. S. Baker, cash paid for clothing for Mary Baker,	6 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	6 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	6 00
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	14 00
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	6 00
D. H. Thompson, wood for Lucy Pickering,	5 50
Lucy Pickering, aid from town,	5 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
Daniel Dugan, support of James Dunlavy,	12 00
Thomas Rumrell, support of Emily Rumrell,	14 00
Baker & Metcalf, wood for Lucy Pickering,	4 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	6 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	4 50
Thomas Rumrell, board and care of Emily Rumrell,	10 00
G. W. Pierce, professional services for Emily Rumrell,	20 55
E. L. Clogston, goods for Emily Rumrell,	9 10
Frank Busha, board and care of John Beaufor,	16 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	6 00
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	6 25
W. E. Saben, coal for Mrs. Jennie Raymond,	7 00
R. W. Pratt, wood for Lucy Pickering,	6 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
Mrs. C. W. Wyman, work for Jennie Raymond,	75
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	6 00
Mary Hayes, aid from town,	6 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	6 00
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Daniel Dugan, support of J. Dunlavy,	12 00
Mrs. J. Porey, aid from town,	6 00

Paid Mary Hayes, aid from town,	\$6 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
A. H. Taft, professional services for E. E. Jewell,	24 10
E. L. Clogston, goods for Helen Hill,	4 50
E. L. Clogston, goods for Emily Smith,	75
E. H. & A. W. Naramore, wood for Jennie Raymond,	3 00
E. L. Holton, goods for Jennie Raymond's children,	6 70
Daniel Dugan, board of James Dunlavy,	4 50
Wright Wood, goods for Robert Turnstall,	3 08
J. H. Bliss, goods for Lottie Moore,	30
J. H. Bliss, goods for Jennie Raymond,	15 09
Sarah Stone DeBell, care of Jennie Raymond,	4 00
A. M. Burbank, goods for Helen Hill,	8 10
A. M. Burbank, goods for Jennie Raymond,	1 02
A. M. Burbank, goods for Lottie Moore,	2 51
Mrs. G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Ball & Ripley, butter for Jennie Raymond,	25
W. F. Sanders, coffin for Emily Rumrell,	10 00
Mrs. J. Porey, support of Porey family,	6 00
J. A. Powers & Son, medicine for Emily Smith,	1 00
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SUNDRIES.

Paid C. E. Slate, P. M., postage stamps and sta- tionery,	\$2 10
J. M. Currier, cancelling contract for plans for town hall,	100 00
Mrs. Janette Fairbanks, land for road,	15 00
C. E. Slate, P. M., postage stamps and envelopes,	1 30
A. Warner, recording births,	75
C. D. Seaver, moving safe,	6 25
C. E. Slate, postage stamp envelopes,	55
W. M. Baker, team for town,	9 00
E. H. Brown, filling cellar to Conant Library,	30 00
John Cantlin, shoveling for fill in Conant Library,	7 50

Paid C. E. Slate, postage stamp envelopes,	\$0 60
W. S. Shepardson, damage to wheel,	2 50
F. J. Willard, filling cellar to Conant Library,	31 80
Boston Daily Advertiser, advertising for library building loan,	3 00
C. S. Massock, seal for town,	6 00
G. Wardwell, committee, cash paid L. M. Kent putting in sewer for Conant Library,	3 00
G. Ames, running electric lights all night July 4,	2 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town bonds,	19 50
D. H. Thompson, cash paid for postage stamps,	55
Octave Orscenau, public water,	3 00
P. C. Thompson, cutting brush in cemetery,	2 25
W. M. Towne, sheep killed by dogs,	14 00
C. D. Seaver, expense putting in water tank,	14 32
E. Alexander, agent, express on water tanks,	25
A. J. Harvey, painting and repairing water tanks,	1 50
Hiram Doolittle, damage to wagon on highway,	6 90
Valley Record, printing for town,	1 25
R. F. Hawkins & Co., water tanks,	40 00
E. S. Adams, damage to sheep by dogs,	5 25
Willard Field, damage to land on account of defective culvert,	5 50
C. E. Slate, P. M., stamps and stationery,	85
G. R. Taft, sheep killed by dogs,	4 00
G. R. Taft, public water,	3 00
E. H. Brown, filling cellar and around Conant Library,	40 00
H. B. Robbins, land damages for new road,	25 00
E. L. Roberts, filling around Conant Library,	18 15
A. G. Sargent, damages to wagon,	3 75
John Cantlin, shoveling for fill of Conant Library,	22 35
Ball & Ripley, paint for water tank,	53
Ball & Ripley, goods for tramp house,	1 40
Ball & Ripley, drain tile for Conant Library,	12 15

Paid J. H. Bliss, goods for tramp house,	\$0 60
Edward Barber, services as Sexton,	10 00
J. H. Manning, public water,	1 50
C. P. Britton, sheep killed by dogs,	46 00
F. J. Willard, filling around Conant Library,	52 80
D. H. Thompson, expenses to Keene to see County Commissioners,	1 30
H. G. Pickett, public water,	1 50
E. B. Willard, sheep killed by dogs,	10 00
A. G. Willard, public water,	3 00
E. Alexander, express on invoice books,	15
E. H. Brown, filling around Conant Library,	25 60
H. W. Smith, sand for fill around Conant Li- brary,	10 00
W. R. Bullock, public water,	3 00
H. V. Prime, labor around water tank,	1 00
Daniel Dugan, sheep killed by dogs,	5 00
J. R. Ware, public water,	3 00
C. J. McColley, care and oil for street lamps at Ashuelot,	8 00
John F. Field, public water,	3 00
C. E. Slate, Postmaster, stationery for town,	1 45
H. M. Fletcher, cutting and clearing away trees from river bank,	3 00
W. H. Guernsey, stationery for town,	2 50
C. P. Lawrence, public water,	3 00
John A. Smith, public water,	1 50
John Hutchins, goods for town as per bill,	23 11
C. E. Capron, cap for sewer pipe,	50
J. H. Bliss, goods for tramp house,	15
A. H. Taft, reporting births and deaths,	4 25
W. S. Leonard, reporting births and deaths,	5 00
O. C. Burt, care and expense of street lamps at Ashuelot,	22 75
W. F. Sanders, goods for tramp house,	1 88
W. M. Baker, use of team for town,	11 25
W. M. Baker, cash paid for stamped envelopes,	55

Paid J. A. Powers & Son, stationery for town,	\$0 84
S. M. Morse, services as committee on Conant library building committee,	10 00
W. L. Rixford, sundries as per bill,	16 65
Philip Germain, public water,	3 00
Geo. W. Pierce, recording births and deaths,	5 00
E. Evans, recording births and deaths for three years,	7 25
Levi Saben, time and expense to Concord on Towne case,	9 60
Levi Saben, expense on school house building committee at Ashuelot,	3 25
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TOWN PAUPERS.

Paid N. H. Asylum, support of Geo. Towne,	\$55 32
L. W. Wright, keeping tramps,	14 75
Mrs. P. Sibley, board of Augusta Pickett, County Commissioners, board of Geo. Doucette at State Industrial School,	37 50
	47 78
Mrs. Mary Hall, care of Mrs. Geo. Bragg,	5 00
Wright Wood, goods for Geo. Bragg,	18 00
A. M. Burbank, goods for Geo. Bragg,	1 50
Bridget O'Brien, aid from town,	5 00
Mrs. P. Sibley, board of Augusta Pickett,	37 50
E. L. Clogston, goods for Augusta Pickett,	1 90
Mrs. Alvin Kempton, support of John Kemp- ton's children,	42 00
N. H. Asylum, support of Geo. Towne,	53 54
A. H. Taft, time and expense taking Geneva Jebb to asylum,	8 55
Mrs. Alvin Kempton, board of John Kempton's children,	84 00
G. W. Pierce, professional services for Augusta Pickett,	4 25

Paid N. H. Asylum, board of Geneva Jebb,	\$25 05
N. H. Asylum, board of Geo. Towne,	52 59
Mrs. P. Sibley, board of Augusta Pickett,	37 50
A. M. Burbank, goods for Augusta Pickett,	69
J. H. Bliss, goods for Geo. Bragg,	2 00
E. L. Clogston, goods for Augusta Pickett,	4 50
W. M. Baker, expense taking Geneva Jebb to asylum,	10 60
Mrs. P. Sibley, board of Augusta Pickett,	39 50
E. Alexander, agent, railroad ticket for pauper,	2 05
N. H. Asylum, support of Geo. Towne,	55 61
Mrs. C. L. Phelps, board of Abraham Baker,	15 00
Mrs. G. Thayer, medicine for Augusta Pickett,	50
E. L. Clogston, goods for Augusta Pickett,	3 85
E. A. Winter, keeping tramps,	3 00
E. L. Holton, goods for John Kempton's child- ren,	4 00
L. W. Wright, keeping tramps,	2 70
W. A. Alexander, goods for John Kempton's children,	1 00
J. H. Bliss, goods for Geo. A. DeBell,	11 73
J. A. Gale & Son, goods for Geo. A. DeBell,	75
B. E. Robertson, goods for Geo. A. DeBell,	1 00
A. M. Burbank, goods for John Kempton's children,	11 31
A. M. Burbank, goods for Geo. A. DeBell,	1 15
A. M. Burbank, goods for Augusta Pickett,	1 00
Geo. H. Snow & Co., goods for John Kemp- ton's children,	7 75
B. E. Robertson, goods for Geo. A. DeBell,	2 18
Mrs. C. Phelps, board of Abraham Baker,	12 00
G. W. Pierce, medicine for Augusta Pickett,	1 18
Mrs. P. Sibley, board and care of Augusta Pickett,	24 25
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TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid R. W. Boyce, services as Selectman from March 1 to 6,	\$5 00
H. Abbott, services as Moderator,	5 00
C. E. Slate, services as Selectman from March 1 to 11,	7 00
D. H. Thompson, services as Selectman from March 1 to 11,	7 00
C. J. McColley, services as Police at Ashuelot,	8 00
G. W. Pierce, services on Board of Education,	150 50
George H. Snow, services as Town Clerk,	60 00
George H. Snow, services as School Clerk,	5 00
C. J. McColley, services as Police at Ashuelot,	7 00
Henry Abbott, services as Moderator,	10 00
C. B. Mansfield, services as Supervisor,	22 00
E. S. Taylor, services as Supervisor,	10 00
Wm. F. Flint, services on Board of Health,	6 00
S. W. Maxfield, services as Supervisor,	20 00
C. J. McColley, services as Police at Ashuelot,	10 50
H. Abbott, services as Town Treasurer,	60 00
C. J. Fosgate, services on Board of Education from Feb. 28 to March 8, 1890,	7 45
W. S. Bullock, services as Police,	33 70
H. H. Pratt, services as Fireward three years,	15 00
E. Barber, services as Sexton,	3 50
Geo. F. Howard, services as Sexton,	118 25
H. W. Tuttle, services as Police,	9 60
W. L. R. Felch, services as Fireward three years,	20 57
C. J. Fosgate, services on Board of Education,	110 50
M. A. Brown, services on Board of Education,	120 00
W. L. Rixford, services as Fireward,	5 00
W. L. Rixford, services as Police,	51 25
Geo. W. Pierce, services on Board of Health,	10 95
C. E. Slate, services as Selectman and Assessor,	207 00
C. E. Slate, services as Overseer of Poor,	40 50
D. H. Thompson, services as Selectman and Assessor,	158 00

Paid D. H. Thompson, services as Overseer of Poor,	\$11 50
W. M. Baker, services as Selectman and Assessor,	152 50
W. M. Baker, services as Overseer of Poor,	15 05
Levi Saben, services as Collector of Taxes,	200 00
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TOWN HALL.

Paid A. J. Harvey, cleaning and repairing town clock,	\$5 00
W. S. Burbank, tuning piano,	2 50
C. I. Carter, wood for hall,	4 75
A. J. Harvey, care of town clock,	14 00
John Wyman, sawing wood for hall,	1 00
Walter Fairbanks, sawing wood for hall,	1 00
Ball & Ripley, goods for hall,	2 20
Amos Lawrence, repairs on underpinning to hall,	3 90
E. S. Adams, wood for hall,	16 00
A. W. Nason, furnishing and setting glass,	1 00
Ball & Ripley, bolts for bell frame,	15
J. H. Bliss, goods for hall,	7 96
Baker & Metcalf, wood for town hall,	6 00
A. J. Harvey, lock for town hall,	75
W. H. Horton, repairs and tuning piano,	25 00
C. E. Slate, wood for hall,	12 00
E. H. Brown, cutting and drawing wood for hall,	3 00
E. C. Thorn & Co., goods for town clock,	50
J. H. Bliss, goods for hall,	3 57
A. J. Harvey, repairs on pulleys and clock cords,	3 62
A. J. Harvey, care of clock,	1 00
Ball & Ripley, glass for windows,	36
Baker & Metcalf, wood for hall,	1 00
W. L. Rixford, services as janitor,	45 00
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid E. D. Stowell, services of fire company at J.	
E. Coxeter's fire,	\$20 50
American Hose Co., hose for Fire Department,	238 97
Bay State Belting Co., hose for Fire Department,	154 00
Ball & Ripley, goods for Fire Department,	2 70
E. D. Stowell, services of fire company at L.	
F. Doolittle's fire,	23 92
E. D. Stowell, pay roll of Neptune Engine Co.	
No. 2,	150 00
T. J. Donivon, pay roll of Ashuelot Engine Co.,	120 00
Wm. Qualters, services as Steward of Ashuelot	
Co.,	10 00
T. J. Donivon, services of Ashuelot Engine Co.	
April 4,	5 25
E. C. Thorn & Co., goods for Fire Department,	2 15
M. D. Spaulding, repairs on engine house and	
engine,	2 75
H. H. Pratt, goods for Fire Department,	1 75
L. F. Buffum, labor for Fire Department,	4 75
Ball & Ripley, goods for Fire Department,	1 60
G. H. Norwood, care of pumps,	10 00
W. L. Rixford, paid freight on hose,	1 05
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	\$749 39

SCHOOLS.

Paid G. W. Pierce, Treasurer, school supplies,	\$800 00
" " appropriation for schools,	200 00
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Paid G. W. Pierce, appropriation for schools,	\$500 00
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G. W. Pierce, repairs on school house in District No. 6,	100 00
G. W. Pierce, appropriation for building school house in District No. 19,	750 00
G. W. Pierce, literary fund,	449 54
G. W. Pierce, dog tax,	130 00
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	\$7,229 54

ERROR IN TAXES.

Paid W. J. Ballou, error in tax on dog,	\$1 00
W. A. Alexander, “ “ money at interest,	8 00
Mrs. M. E. Adams, “ “ real estate,	6 40
Wm. A. Cooligan, “ “ “	2 40
James Neville, “ “ poll,	1 60
J. E. Coxeter, “ “ Holman place,	4 80
F. L. Hildreth, “ “ barn,	1 60
A. S. Seaver, “ “ poll,	1 60
H. W. Smith, “ “ real estate,	8 00
John Hutchins, “ “ stock in trade,	16 00
Frank White, “ “ horse,	80
J. F. Field, “ “ horse,	1 60
Levi Saben, Collector's abatement,	152 17
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	\$205 97

SIDEWALK AT ASHUELOT.

Paid Seaver & Rixford, building walk,	\$672 17
W. L. Rixford, labor on walk,	6 00
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	\$678 17

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid H. Abbott, Administrator, interest on note,	\$53 50
Amos B. Atherton, interest on note to March 1, 1890,	60 00
J. Grace Alexander, Treasurer, note and interest,	2,039 67
F. Weeks & Co., note and interest,	2,058 66
H. Abbott, Cashier, note and interest,	516 25
H. Abbott, interest on town bonds for Conant library,	300 00
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STATE TAX, 1890.

Paid H. Abbott, Treasurer, State tax,	\$3,485 00
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COUNTY TAX FOR 1890.

Paid H. Abbott, Treasurer, County tax,	\$2,727 64
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EVERGREEN CEMETERY.

Paid N. P. Burbank, care and improvement,	\$295 00
D. H. Thompson, pins for staking out lots,	3 00
N. P. Burbank, care of cemetery,	4 24
N. P. Burbank, breaking roads in cemetery,	3 25
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	\$305 49

SEWER AT ASHUELOT.

Paid Ball & Ripley, tile for sewer,	\$45 55
Rixford & Seaver, labor putting in tile for sewer,	29 85
Ball & Ripley, tile for sewer,	2 00
W. L. Rixford, labor on sewer,	9 00
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	\$86 40

DECORATING SOLDIERS' GRAVES.

Paid D. H. Thompson, appropriation,	\$75 00
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TOWN HALL CHIMNEY.

Paid D. T. Saben, committee, one-half expense,	\$106 85
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TOWN LIBRARY.

Paid J. Grace Alexander, appropriation,	\$300 00
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SIDEWALKS IN CENTRE VILLAGE.

Paid Rixford & Seaver, building sidewalk in school- house yard,	\$80 00
Rixford & Seaver, building walk on Parker street,	491 10
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AID FOR DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR
FAMILIES.

TOWN.

Paid for support of dependent soldiers and their families,	\$1,565 63
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AID FOR DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR
FAMILIES.

COUNTY.

Paid for support of dependent soldiers and their families,	\$320 80
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OLD BILLS FOR ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Paid G. W. Ames, care of lights,	\$20 00
G. P. Warner, rent for lights,	20 00
A. M. Howard, rent for room and power,	<u>137 50</u>
	\$177 50

RECAPITULATION.

Highways,	\$3,608 53
Town paupers,	751 03
County paupers,	1,839 02
Aid for dependent soldiers and their families,	1,886 43
Town officers,	1,683 32
Evergreen cemetery,	305 49
Fire Department,	749 39
Sewer at Ashuelot,	86 40
Schools,	7,229 54
Electric lights,	177 50
Sundries,	788 73
Town hall,	161 26
Old bills,	120 65
Decorating soldiers' graves,	75 00
Town library,	300 00
Sidewalks in Centre village,	571 10
Error in taxes,	205 97
Sidewalks at Ashuelot,	678 17
Notes and interest,	5,028 08
State tax,	3,485 00
County tax,	2,727 64
Ordinary,	178 58
Town hall chimney,	106 85
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	\$32,743 68
Balance in treasury,	3,684 87
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	\$36,428 55
Receipts,	\$36,428 55

CONANT LIBRARY BUILDING LOAN ACCOUNT.

Received on town bond loan,	\$15,000 00
Paid building committee,	\$9,000 00
Cash in treasury, due building,	6,000 00
	—————\$15,000 00

C. E. SLATE,
D. H. THOMPSON,
W. M. BAKER,
Selectmen of Winchester.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer for the year ending March 1, 1891, and find them correct.

LIABILITIES.

Literary fund due schools,	\$546 77
Dog tax due schools,	112 00
Due Thomson-Houston Electric Light Co.,	550 00
Due Frank Holton, on Kempton land for cemetery,	175 00
Due Samuel Kempton estate, for same,	35 00
Due Amos B. Atherton, note and interest,	1,060 00
Due Mrs. Henry Abbott, note and interest,	1,590 00
Bills outstanding, estimated,	150 00
	\$4,218 77

ASSETS.

Cash in treasury March 1, 1891,	\$3,684 87
Due from county for support of paupers,	357 40
“ county for support of dependent soldiers,	130 15
“ Geo. Hutchins, abutter on sidewalk,	10 80
“ A. S. Eaton, for brick,	2 96
“ John Hutchins, abutter on sidewalk,	10 87
“ F. Weeks, “ “	11 17
“ B. P. H. Randall, “ “	23 87
“ Mrs. Abby Alexander, “ “	39 10
“ E. L. Holton, “ “	12 63
“ R. W. Leith, “ “	21 67

Due from C. D. Seaver,	abutter on sidewalk,	\$11 17
“ Ashuelot Mfg. Co.,	“ “	43 52
“ Mrs. Patrick Rowan,	“ “	20 92
“ Mrs. Patrick Quigley,	“ “	9 87
“ William Qualters,	“ “	10 12
“ B. Qualters,	“ “	10 00
“ John Warren,	“ “	10 54
“ Patrick Kelley,	“ “	10 00
“ John Qualters,	“ “	10 00
“ Patrick Qualters,	“ “	10 26
“ A. Dickinson estate,	“ “	16 94
“ Michael Lally,	“ “	21 07
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		\$4,489 90
Liabilities,		4,218 77
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Balance in favor of town March 1, 1891,		\$271 13

CONANT LIBRARY BUILDING LOAN.

Borrowed of E. Murdock estate,	\$15,000 00
Paid over to building committee,	9,000 00
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Balance in treasury due committee,	\$6,000 00

HENRY GOULD,
WILLARD HAMMOND,
CHARLES W. SCOTT,
Auditors.

We have examined the vouchers of the library committee ending March 1, 1891, and find them correct.

HENRY GOULD,
WILLARD HAMMOND,
CHARLES W. SCOTT,
Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Auditors of the town of Winchester:

Gentlemen,—Agreeably to the law of the State I herewith submit to you the following report of the receipts and disbursements as Town Treasurer for the year ending March 1, 1891.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury March 1, 1890,	\$1,819 88
Rec'd for county paupers,	1,983 64
From county soldiers' aid,	270 15
Money borrowed of Winchester National Bank,	500 00
From Mrs. S. Smith estate,	22 26
Money borrowed of F. Weeks & Co.,	2,000 00
Taxes of 1889,	8 04
License of pool table, J. Pickett,	10 00
Money borrowed Security Savings Bank,	2,000 00
Bridge plank,	5 00
J. L. Nickerson, sidewalk assessment, 1889,	27 84
H. Abbott, sidewalk assessment, 1890,	10 84
Mrs. A. Hammond, sidewalk assessment, 1889,	14 25
Mrs. F. E. Carpenter, sidewalk assessment, 1890,	17 35
Granville Wardwell, sidewalk assessment, 1890,	16 67
James Coxeter, sidewalk assessment, 1889,	29 70
Police fines,	21 00
Use of town hall,	85 00
Rixford road case,	21 17
Grace Ball, on Mrs. Jebbs' account,	24 20

Rec'd W. W. Ball, on Mrs. Jebbs' account,	\$20 00
Wood of Wood Bros.,	6 50
Selectmen, cash returned on order,	6 64
State Treasurer, Savings Bank tax,	3,355 37
State Treasurer, railroad tax,	86 30
State Treasurer, literary fund,	546 77
Town bonds sold,	15,000 00
Premium on town bonds,	150 00
Interest on town bonds from July 1, 1890,	124 44
Levi Saben, Collector, taxes,	23,190 57
Levi Saben, Collector, interest on taxes,	50 72
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	\$51,424 30

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid on highways and bridges,	\$3,608 53
County paupers,	1,839 02
Town paupers,	750 28
Aid dependent soldiers and families,	1,886 43
Notes, interest and coupons,	5,028 08
Town officers,	1,679 82
Miscellaneous,	788 73
Old bills,	120 65
Town hall,	161 26
Town hall chimney,	106 85
Schools,	6,479 54
School house, new,	750 00
Electric lights,	177 50
Sidewalk Centre Village,	571 10
Sidewalk Ashuelot Village,	678 17
Fire department,	749 39
Ordinary town charges,	178 58
Evergreen Cemetery,	305 49
Decorating soldiers' graves,	75 00
Town library,	300 00
Conant Library Building,	9,000 00
Sewer at Ashuelot,	86 40

Paid Errors and abatement of taxes,	\$205 97
County tax,	2,727 64
State tax,	3,485 00
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	\$41,739 43
Balance in hands of Treasurer March 1, 1891,	9,684 87
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	\$51,424 30

DEBTS.

Town bonds outstanding March 1, 1891,	\$15,000 00
Town notes outstanding March 1, 1891,	2,500 00
Town orders outstanding March 1, 1891,	4 25
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	\$17,504 25

H. ABBOTT,
Treasurer.

REMARKS.

In justice to ourselves and our constituents, and for the benefit of those who will be our successors in office, we offer the following remarks in explanation of our acts in the discharge of our duties as Selectmen for the past year. The expense of keeping the roads in repair for the past year as by our report, appears to be large, yet when we consider that the amount paid for building the new road is included in the sum total, and that, as by vote of the town March 11, 1890, we were instructed to set aside a sum sufficient to pay for the building of the said new road, and by deducting the expense of same from the amount expended, we feel that the cost of keeping our roads in repair is not above an average with the cost for same for the past four years. We have newly planked the iron bridge, and bought and put in a large quantity of drain tile in place of old plank sluices, which we believe to be good policy. The expenses for paupers and aid for dependent soldiers and their families have been large, and although we have been quite severely criticised by some for this outlay, we feel that we have acted cautiously and lawfully, and for the same we have no apologies to offer.

For which there was no appropriations we have paid the following amounts: Paid \$100 for cancelling contract for making plans and specifications for Town Hall. Paid \$250 filling in and around Conant Library Building as by vote of town. Paid \$300, interest on Town Bond, Library Building Loan. Paid Wm. Rixford, land damages for land taken for new road, \$225. Paid for building sidewalks in Centre Village, \$571.10. There are many other items of smaller note but time and space forbid us to mention. The report of 1890 shows that the town was in debt \$952, the report of this year shows a balance in favor of the town of \$271.13. This amount has nothing to do with the town bond loan. As our time is limited by which to get our report ready for the printer, we are prevented from making more explanations or offering suggestions.

Thanking our friends and constituents for their past favors and for the respect which they have shown us, we submit the above to your consideration.

C. E. SLATE,
D. H. THOMPSON,
W. M. BAKER,
Selectmen of Winchester.

MEMORIAL DAY.

To the Selectmen of Winchester :

Being appointed committee for decorating soldiers' graves,
I herewith submit the following report :

Received town appropriation,		\$75 00
Paid O. H. Parsons, as orator,	\$31 00	
Ashuelot Band,	28 00	
E. A. Winter, band supper and teams,	7 50	
Patch & Fellows, for flags,	4 75	
E. Alexander, express on flags,	45	
A. M. Burbank, gloves,	1 50	
O. L. Howard, teams,	1 00	
E. Wilbur, teams,	1 00	
	————	\$75 20

D. H. THOMPSON,
Committee.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen :

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following :

Births Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Par- ents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.									
Jan. 8		M	L	Wm. Naramore.	Lottie.	W	Winchester.	Mechanic.	Richmond.	Winchester.	43	29
Feb. 8		M	"	John Hill.	Delia T.	"	"	Farmer.	"	Newton.	25	21
Mar. 5	Josephine M.	M	"	Ira Perham.	Georgiana F.	"	"	Druggist.	Cambrid'rt Ms	Templeton, Ms	23	22
Mar. 19	John.	M	F	E. L. Clogston.	Florida B.	"	"	Lumberman.	Canada.	Canada.	42	35
Apr. 14		M	"	A. Senechal.	Lilla L.	"	"	Box maker.	Nelson.	Stoddard.	45	36
" 14	Geo. A.	M	"	M. J. Barreff.	Sarah J.	"	"	Harness mak'r	Winchester.	Danville, Vt.	34	32
" 20		M	"	G. W. Brown.	Emma C.	"	"	Tanner.	Northfield, Ms.	Royalston, Ms.	25	24
" 28	Joseph N.	M	"	H. D. Smith.	Mary R.	"	"	Carpenter.	Canada.	Canada.	21	19
May 7	Edith Wilkins.	M	F	A. Aubh.	Mary R.	"	"	Farmer.	Stoneham, Ms.	N. Orleans, La	27	20
" 14	Gladys Irene.	M	F	W. F. Flint.	Mary M.	"	"	Mill hand.	Canada.	N. Orleans, La	36	25
" 26		F	F	A. Remiland.	Carrie R.	"	"	Manufacturer.	Holyoke, Ms.	Hinsdale.	23	20
June 12		F	F	F. G. Maxfield.	Della A.	"	"	Salesman.	Winchester.	Winchester.	24	22
" 21		M	F	S. W. Woodbury.	Katie B.	"	"	Student.	Montague, Ms.	Richmond.	23	20
" 30		M	F	C. Barreff.	Lizzie K.	"	"	Mill.	Danvers, Ms.	Conway.	24	24
July 10		M	F	G. F. Monks.	Gertrude L.	"	"	Merchant.	Winchester.	Lyman.	29	28
" 11		M	F	W. B. Fosgate.	Corra H.	"	"	Mechanic.	"	Winchester.	46	39
Aug. 3		M	F	W. M. Baker.	Jennie N.	"	"	Farmer.	Sandwich.	Antrim.	23	24
" 18	John J.	M	F	D. H. Thompson.	Elizabeth.	"	"	Farmer.	Ireland.	Ireland.	30	24
" 22		M	F	J. J. Belue.	Ieabel.	"	"	Farmer.	Waywick, Ms.	Dorchester NB	23	18
" 24		M	F	Geo. R. Taft.	Josie G.	"	"	Tanner.	Hudson, Ms.	Winchester	23	18
" 26		M	F	L. C. Lovering.	Maggie C.	"	"	Mechanic.	Winchester.	Denamora NY	35	22
" 26	Nellie.	M	F	E. W. Hume.	Eva M.	"	"	Hatter.	Paterson N.J.	Milford, Ms.	29	20
" 27	Nora Lena.	M	S B	Chas. Boorn.	Jennie M.	"	"	Painter.	Winchester.	Plattsburg N Y	33	37
Sept. 11		F	L	P. J. Qualiers.	Margaret K.	"	"	Overseer.	Ireland.	Winchester.	45	40
Oct. 1		F	F	Joseph Little.	Kate N.	"	"	Paper maker.	Canada.	Canada.	28	28
Nov. 17	Prentiss W.	M	F	P. C. Guilloyle.	Ellen E.	"	"	Hotel keeper.	N. Brunswick,	Balston SprNY	27	26
" 18	Ernest G.	M	F	J. H. Eaton.	Maggie F.	"	"	Mill	WarehamPtCt	Hinsdale.	26	25
		M	F	H. W. Taylor.	Lilla A.	"	"	Clerk.	Hinsdale.	W. Swanzey.	26	25
		M	F	F. A. Bryant.	Hattie M.	"	"	Tanner.	Richmond.	Worthington Ms	29	29

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		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.									
Nov. 27	Richard L.	M		L	1st	W	Wm. F. May.	Annie C.	Winchester.	Mechanic.	Wilmington Vt	30	20
Dec. 6		M		"	8th	"	Daniel Pickett.	Hannah S.	Winchester.	"	Winchester.	34	36
" 23		M		"	1st	"	Geo. B. Kibby.	Elizabeth Q.	St. Albans, Vt.	Mill.	Winchester.	23	22
" 30		M		"	7th	"		Jennie D.	"		New York.	23	33

Marriages Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan. 6	Hinsdale.	Leander Turcott.	Winchester.	19	W	Chopper.	Canada.	L. Turcott.	Canada.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. L. M. Wilde
		Mary Ducette.	"	17	"	Mill.	Winchester.	Mary H. Ducette.	Canada.	Laborer.	1st	Hinsdale.
" 16	Winchester.	John Janshen.	"	29	"	Tanner.	Norway.	J. Janshen.	Norway.	Housewife.	1st	Rev H A Hanaf'd
" 25	"	H. M. Haggan.	Hinsdale.	27	"	Housewife.	"	Hannah.	"		1st	Winchester.
" 27	Hinsdale.	Frank Byrant.	Winchester.	27	"	Laborer.	Richmond.	J. Bryant.	Canada.	Farmer.	1st	Rev H A Hanaf'd
		H. M. Button.	"	28	"	Housewife.	Winchester.	J. Carey.	"	Housewife.		Winchester.
" 27	Hinsdale.	John Goslin.	"	21	"	Mill.	Winchester.	C. Goslin.	Canada.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. L. M. Wilde
		Lomy Barrabee.	"	15	"	"	"	Annie J. Barrabee.	"	Housewife.		Hinsdale.
Feb. 1	Winchester.	T. E. Hill.	"	45	"	Farmer.	Chesterfield.	Elisha Hill.	"	Farmer.	1st	E. M. Forbes, J. P.
		M. S. Spooner.	"	17	"	Housework.	Winchester.	Harriet Taylor	"	Housewife.		Winchester.
" 12	Boston, Ms.	W. F. May.	"	29	"	Carrier.	Wilmin'on Vt	W. F. May.	"		1st	Rev. R. Kidner,
		A. C. Anderson.	Cambridge, Ms	20	"	Dressmak'g	Boston, Ms.	S. Staples.	"		1st	Boston, Ms.
" 18	Hinsdale.	J. P. O'Rourke.	Winchester.	19	"	Housework.	Ireland.	J. Anderson.	"		1st	Rev. L. M. Wilde
		Katie A. Dee.	"	20	"	Housework.	England.	P. O'Rourke.	"			Hinsdale.
Mar. 20	Winchester.	J. H. Bliss.	"	29	"	Merchant.	Royalsto' Ms	H. Sullivan.	"		2d	Rev H A Hanaf'd
		A. R. Foster.	"	20	"	Teacher.	Winchester.	Mary H. W. Bliss.	"		1st	Winchester.
								S. M. Tower.	Royalston, Ms	Clerk.		
								C. Foster.	Lancaster, Ms.	Farmer.		
								E. Foster.	Winchester.	Housewife.		

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—1st, 2d, etc.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

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Apr. 21	Hinsdale.	W. H. Lynde.	Winchester.	65	W	Laborer.	Guilford, Vt.	Lyman. R. Wilcox.			2d	Rev. D. L. Fisher, Hinsdale.
"	"	Helen M. Hale.	S. Deerfield, Ms	47	"	"	Gill, Ms.				1st	Rev. L. M. Wilde Hinsdale.
"	"	Joseph Cotey.	Winchester.	28	"	Mill.	Canada.				1st	Hinsdale.
"	"	V. Boucher.	"	23	"	"	"				1st	Rev. H. A. Hanaf'd Winchester.
"	Winchester.	H. L. Baldwin.	"	30	"	Mechanic.	Winchester.	R. Baldwin S. Danforth.			2d	Winchester.
"	"	L. S. Reed.	"	36	"	Housework.	"	V. Willoughby Julia Cram.			1st	Rev. D. L. Fisher, Hinsdale.
May 21	Hinsdale.	A. E. Barrett.	"	21	"	Mechanic.	Keene.	L. Barrett. F. Sewall.	Washington. Westminster, Vt.	Mechanic. Housewife. Merchant.	1st	Rev. D. L. Fisher, Hinsdale.
"	"	J. S. Sinclair.	"	30	"	Housework.	Winchester.	S. Barrett. S. Caswell.	Hinsdale. Brompton, Ont.		2d	Hinsdale.
"	Winchester.	W. L. D. Bennett.	Richmond.	22	"	Laborer.	Richmond.	J. M. Bennett. S. Boyce.	Richmond.		1st	Rev. H. A. Hanaf'd Winchester.
"	"	N. L. R. Pratt.	Winchester.	17	"	"	"	A. Pratt. M. Munsell.			1st	Winchester.
June 3	Hinsdale.	H. W. Glover.	"	22	"	Currier.	Warwick, Ms	S. Glover. L. M. Perry.	Quincy, Ms. S. Boston, Ms.	Shoe maker Housewife. Manufactur' Housewife.	1st	Rev. D. L. Fisher, Hinsdale.
"	"	M. E. Laurence.	"	18	"	At home.	Swansey.	A. Laurence. E. Cook.	Winchester.		1st	Hinsdale.
July 1	Northfield Ms	Ansel Moore.	"	49	"	Hotel clerk.	Newfane, Vt	R. Moore. M. F. Temple.	Warwick, Ms. Orange, Ms.		1st	Rev. S. R. Frie, Northfield, Ms.
"	"	M. H. Osgood.	"	38	"	Dressmakin'	"				2d	Northfield, Ms.
"	Hinsdale.	W. H. Gooslin.	"	24	"	Mill.	Canada.	C. Gooslin. Anna.	Canada.	Laborer. Housewife.	1st	Rev. L. M. Wilde Hinsdale.
"	"	Mary Miller.	"	21	"	At home.	York state.	J. Miller. Sophia.	York State.	Laborer. Housewife.	1st	Hinsdale.

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—1st, 2d, etc.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

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Aug. 2	Hinsdale.	Amos Bullis. Lucy Lacoss.	Winchester.	26 20	W "	Railroad em. Mill.	Canada. York state.	J. Bullis. Julia. L. Lacoss.	Ireland. "	"	1st 2d	Rev. D. L. Fisher, Hinsdale.
Oct. 29	"	T. J. Donovan. Sarah A. King.	" "	25 23	" "	" "	Winchester. Huntin'n, Ms	D. Donovan. J. C. King. E. Brussitt.	Canada. "	At home. Housewife.	1st 1st	Rev. L. M. Wilde, Hinsdale.
Nov. 15	Winchester.	E. L. Loveland. G. L. Higgins.	Northfield, Vt. Winchester.	25 18	" "	Salesman. Table work.	Munsonville. Worcester, Ms	F. Loveland. W. F. Higgins. Mary. D. Abbott. P. Brown.	Stoddard. Nelson. Hardwick, Ms. Worcester, Ms Surrey. Westmoreland	Farmer. Housewife. Wireworker. Housewife.	1st 1st 1st	Rev. H. A. Hanaf'd Winchester.
" 18	"	Henry Abbott. M. M. Turner.	" "	58 49	" "	Cashier. At home.	Keene. N. Adams Ms	"	"	"	2d 2d	Rev. M. T. Cilley, Winchester.
" 26	Swanzey.	D. A. Coudrey. M. L. Coolligan.	" "	23 18	" "	Box shop. Mill.	Westmorela' Winchester.	J. Coudrey. A. Bemis. A. W. Coolligan. A. Kenney.	Chesterfield. Canada. Richmond.	Carpenter. Housewife. Paper mill. Housewife.	1st 1st	Rev. T. L. Fowler, Swanzey.
Dec. 31	Winchester.	B. N. Safford. M. J. Seaver.	" "	21 19	" "	Mechanic. At home.	Chesterfield. Winchester.	N. D. Safford. J. R. Frink. L. W. Seaver.	"	"	1st 1st	Rev. H. A. Hanaf'd Winchester.

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—1st, 2d, etc.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition			Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.		S, M, W.*	Father.			Mother.
Jan. 8	S. M. McDuffee.	81	8	23	Bradford, Vt.	M	W	S	Shoemaker.	Winchester.	Winchester.	Paul Willard.	Sarah Butler.
26	Sarah B. Willard.	77	5	6	Winchester.	M	W	S	Farmer.	"	"	C. Fairbanks.	Elizabeth Prue.
Feb. 6	Chas. W. Brown.	81	6	6	Swansey.	M	W	S	At home.	Winchester.	Albany, N. Y.	D. Brown.	Wetherbee.
" 16	Elva Truffs.	41	5	24	Winchester.	F	W	M	"	Winchester.	Winchester.	A. Putnam.	Emeline Smith.
Apr. 17	Marion Stevens.	30	3	11	Warwick, Ms.	F	W	S	Housewife.	Warwick.	Warwick.	N. E. Stevens.	Elizabeth Jones.
May 21	Elia Howard.	39	9	28	Weare, Ms.	F	W	M	Farmer.	Weare, Ms.	Weare, Ms.	Emery Ball.	H. Converse.
" 31	Wm. R. Hunt.	65	1	20	Winchester.	M	W	M	"	Swansey.	Swansey.	J. F. Hunt.	S. P. Robinson.
June 3	Geo. Rockwood.	73	4	8	"	M	W	S	"	"	"	"	"
July 6	Octave Bergeron.	73	4	8	Canada.	M	W	M	Shoemaker.	Canada.	Canada.	"	"
" 17	L. F. Doolittle.	71	1	8	"	M	W	M	Farmer.	"	"	"	"
" 18	Anna K. Proctor.	79	8	8	Watertown, Ms.	F	W	M	Housewife.	Lancaster, Ms.	Richmond.	C. E. Safford.	Alecia Ballou.
" 26	Emma J. Aldrich.	23	23	8	Richmond.	F	W	M	"	Canada.	Canada.	O. Bergeron.	O. Bellville.
Aug. 5	Delina Bergeron.	28	28	5	Canada.	F	W	M	Housewife.	Winchester.	Winchester.	Henry Lyman.	S. Cobleigh.
" 5	J. E. Hutchins.	35	25	6	Winchester.	F	W	M	"	Richmond.	Richmond.	Silas Ballou.	Annie Sapiers.
" 11	Lucinda M. Ballou.	66	66	2	Richmond.	F	W	M	Housewife.	"	"	Silas Priest.	— Food.
" 16	Silas Priest.	72	3	2	Marlboro'.	M	W	M	"	Marlboro'.	Nelson.	Edwin Jewell.	M'ra Wright.
" 19	Elbridge Jewell.	56	3	2	"	M	W	M	"	Canada.	Canada.	A. Hebert.	Emma Ella.
" 23	Edmund Hebert.	1	1	6	Winchester.	M	W	S	"	Canada.	Canada.	Edwin Jewell.	Emma Ella.
" 24	A. L. Maxfield.	72	1	6	"	M	W	S	"	Hudson, Ms.	Winchester.	Jerry Shea.	J. Goslin.
" 28	Rosella Nedd.	69	69	4	Winchester.	M	W	M	Manufacturer.	Canada.	Canada.	F. Blanchard.	Kate Kidney.
Sept. 4	W. J. Sullivan.	17	4	22	Canada.	F	W	S	Housewife.	Athol, Ms.	Vernon, Vt.	P. Sullivan.	M. McCarthy.
Oct. 9	Mary A. Hedron.	63	2	11	Winchester.	F	W	S	"	Ireland.	Ireland.	J. Hedron.	N. Harrington.
" 18	Merrick Burpee.	63	2	3	Sterling, Ms.	M	W	M	Laborer.	Sterling.	Sterling.	Abel Burpee.	Annie.
Nov. 24	Geo. J. Kober.	63	1	3	Winchester.	M	W	M	"	Germany.	Austria.	J. Kober.	Mary Lavello.
Dec. 2	Anthony Magnan.	51	51	26	Ireland.	F	W	M	Laborer.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Edw. Magnan.	Lydia Watson.
" 5	L. Eliza Morse.	65	65	2	"	F	W	M	Housewife.	"	"	W. Esterbrook.	"
" 8	Mary A. Doolittle.	72	6	6	Halifax, Vt.	F	W	M	Housekeeper.	Whiting'm Vt	Whiting'm Vt	E. Grover.	"
" 19	Hattie L. Ballou.	34	6	22	Swansey.	F	W	M	Housewife.	Winchester.	Swansey.	W. N. Ripley.	L. S. Worster.

* Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE H. SNOW,
Town Clerk.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

CHESHIRE, SS.

To the inhabitants of the town of Winchester qualified to vote in town affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1891, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects :

ARTICLE 1.—To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

ART. 2.—To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

ART. 3.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for ordinary town charges for the ensuing year.

ART. 4.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise to keep the roads in repair the ensuing year.

ART. 5.—To see what method the town will vote to take to support the poor the ensuing year, and raise money therefor.

ART. 6.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the support of the Fire Department for the ensuing year.

ART. 7.—To see if the town will vote to pay the firemen anything in addition to what is allowed them by law.

ART. 8.—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed seventy-five dollars to defray the expense of painting the engine house in the Center Village.

ART. 9.—To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen or Firewards to take down the tower on the

engine house in the Center Village, and build a new tower on the outside of the west end of the said engine house, to raise money therefor or act thereon.

ART. 10.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for decorating soldiers' graves.

ART. 11.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the Town Library the ensuing year.

ART. 12.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the care of Evergreen Cemetery for the ensuing year.

ART. 13.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for improvements in Evergreen Cemetery for the ensuing year.

ART. 14.—To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to pay Charles F. Plastridge \$48.84, on account of damages to goods and cart in 1877, occasioned by a defective highway.

ART. 15.—To see what disposition the town will vote to make of the unexpended balance of any or all the several appropriations by the town for the year ending March 1, 1891, as reported by the Selectmen, or act thereon.

ART. 16.—To see if the town will vote to purchase the electric light plant now in operation in the Center Village, raise money therefor or act thereon.

ART. 17.—To see if the town will vote to build a concrete walk from the residence of F. P. Willis to Maple Avenue on Mechanic street (the street crossings being already laid), to raise money therefor or act thereon.

ART. 18.—To see if the town will vote to put in drain tile from the old school house lot in Ashuelot, on Broad Brook road to the Ashuelot river, raise money therefor or act thereon.

ART. 19.—To see if the town will vote to choose a board of three appraisers to appraise the real estate property in the town of Winchester, or act thereon.

ART. 20.—To see if the town will vote to adopt a code of by-laws for managing and ordering its prudential affairs, and annex penalties thereto, as is provided by statute for towns to regulate.

ART. 21.—To see if the town will consider and adopt the report, or any portion thereof, made by the Board of Firewards in the year 1889 (and overlooked by mistake), in regard to the laying of pipe and setting of hydrants for fire purposes, raise and appropriate money therefor or act thereon.

ART. 22.—To see if the town will vote to lay a tile drain pipe and connect with sewer, to relieve the annoyance of water often accumulating on the common, raise and appropriate money therefor or act thereon.

ART. 23.—To see if the town will vote to purchase land and buildings to be known and used as the Winchester Poor or Town Farm, raise money therefor or act thereon.

ART. 24.—To transact any other business that may legally come before the said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 23d day of February, 1891.

C. E. SLATE,
D. H. THOMPSON,
W. M. BAKER,
Selectmen of Winchester.

A true copy of warrant. Attest :

C. E. SLATE,
D. H. THOMPSON,
W. M. BAKER,
Selectmen of Winchester.



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