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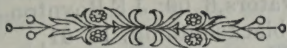
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Report of the Overseers of the Poor.



Inventory of Personal Property on the Pauper Farm, Feb. 13th, 1864.

1 horse, 125 00 ; 8 cows, 255 00,	\$380 00
1 cosset sheep, 14 00 ; 1 hog, 20 00,	34 00
20 fowls, 8 00 ; shorts, 17 00,	25 00
15½ tons Eng. hay, 279 00; 3 tons stock hay, 24 00,	303 00
3½ tons straw, 31 50 ; corn stalks, 4 00,	35 50
60 bush. corn, 90 00; 15¼ bush. white beans, 41 94,	131 94
49 bushels oats, 36 75 ; colored beans, 2 00,	38 75
Peas, 1 50 ; beef, 7 00 ; vinegar, 4 00,	12 50
Lumber, 10 00 ; turnips, 5 00,	15 00
78 bushels potatoes, 38 00 ; 1½ bbls. soap, 6 00,	44 00
Soap grease, 2 50 ; boiled cider, 2 00,	4 50
4½ bbls. cider, 13 50 ; apples, 5 00,	18 50
Cabbage, 4 00 ; pickles, 2 00,	6 00
Corned beef, 7 00 ; salt pork, 40 63,	47 63
150 lbs. hams and shoulders, 18 75 ; candles, 2 00,	20 75
12 lbs. butter, 2 36 ; 35 lbs. dried apple, 3 50,-	5 86
Tallow, 80 ; 40 lbs. lard, 6 40,	7 20
10 lbs. sugar, 1 50 ; molasses, 60,	2 10
Dried Pumpkin, 75 ; salt fish, 25,	1 00
Flour, 2 50 ; tea, coffee and spices, 2 00,	4 50
Meal, 2 00 ; rolls and yarn, 4 00,	6 00
Tobacco, 80 ; eggs, 24 ; ashes, 3 00,	4 04
Beets, 1 00 ; grass seed, 1 75,	2 75 —1150 52.

DR. *To Cash received for articles sold from Farm.*

Beef, 7 00 ; oats, 21 25 ; wheat, 13 50,	41 75
Eggs, 11 23 ; pigs, 19 00 ; white beans, 21 93,	52 16
Milk, 296 39 ; old lumber, 1 50 ; use of saw, 75,	298 64
Ties, 1 25 ; grapes, 1 50 ; paper rags, 43,	3 18
Boiled cider, 50 ; seed corn, 17 ; potatoes, 1 20,	1 87
Hides and calves, 18 10 ; chickens, 1 50,	19 60
Labor done off of farm, 26 25 ; cabbages, 1 44,	27 69
8 pairs of oxen, 415 00 ; cow, 34 00; harness, 3 00	452 00—896 89
Received of County for support of paupers,	148 11
“ “ Moses Foster, for L. Birch,	65 00
“ “ City of Nashua, for J. P. Barns,	7 00
“ “ Wilton,	1 50
“ “ Hollis, for Mrs. Twiss,	3 00
“ “ Wilton Railroad Co., for John Pegman,	113 00
“ “ Town Treasurer,	393 51—731 12

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By paying as follows :

Cow and calf, 40 00 ; oxen, 125 00; oxen, 155 00,	320 00
Difference between cows, 10 00; pasturing do. 11 00,	21 00
1 shote, 10 00; shorts, 42 42 ; ashes, 18 50,	70 92
D J Pearsons, 2 85 ; P M Rossiter's expenses 5 59,	8 44
Coburn & Hamblett, 5 88 ; use of boar, 50,	6 38
Balance between cultivators, 6 00; J F Boynton, 5 22,	11 22
Making Cider, 5 00 ; blacksmithing, 17 61,	22 61
Taxes in Milford, 25 82 ; taxes in Amherst, 5 19,	31 01
Use of cart, 50 ; hats, 2 40 ; shoes, 1 50,	4 40
Hall & Marvell, 13 82 ; carpenter work, 2 75,	16 57
Parker & Tarbell, 3 50 ; use of bull, 2 00,	5 50
L. C. Dunclee, 3 05 ; N. Stone, 36 ; snath, 75,	4 16
C. Tuttle, 1 87; vinegar, 1 25; whitewashing, 2 50,	5 62
Dr. Eldredge, 6 34 ; Dr. Dearborn, 13 25,	19 59
Potatoes, 30 ; freight, 2 96 ; sawing lumber, 3 70	6 96
E. Goodwin, 1 20 ; carding wool, 46 ; oats, 2 93,	4 59
Cheese, 2 02 ; butter, 30 51 ; meat, 17 14,	49 67
Fish, 2 84 ; H. O. Draper's bill of sundries, 5 17,	8 01
Purchasing cattle, 4 50 ; errors and omissions in last year's account, 4 90,	9 40
W. B. Peacock, for barrels,	1 68
Putnam, Chase & Co., 10 74 ; Barr & Co., 6 54,	17 28
Extra labor on the farm,	101 20
	746 21

Store Bills.

Goodell & Lancaster,	110 81
Sawyer & Hamblett,	35 59
J. E. Bruce,	41 02
Kidder & Whitney,	15 97
E. C. Batchelder,	1 05
	204 44

Support of County Paupers.

Mrs. Hallian, 10 50 ; Mrs. McRobbie, 10 50,	21 00
A. Burnham, 10 50 ; L. H. Burnham, 50,	11 00
Wm. A. Hill, 38 75 ; Wm. Garven, 29 21,	67 96
C. Nutting, 12 25 ; Morris Bain, 7 00,	19 25
Devens Family, 12 25 ; John Pegman, 113 00,	125 25
	244 46

Support of Paupers not on the Farm.

A. Melzar, 49 50 ; J. P. Barns, 4 50,	54 00
H. M. Twiss, 2 00 ; E. Blanchard, 40 25,	42 25
T. J. Wilkins, 2 00 ; transient persons, 8 00,	10 00
Asa Goodell, 32 78,	32 78
Superintendent's services to Feb. 15, 1864,	246 87
Overseers' services, {	
L. Curtis,	1 00
P. M. Rossiter,	25 00
John Marvell,	8 00
Wm. P. Richardson,	5 00
J. L. Spring,	8 00
	47 00

1628 01

To inventory of stock & provisions, Feb. 14, 1863,	1221	55	
“ amount of expenditures,	1628	01	
“ interest on farm, stock, furniture, tools, &c.,	270	00	—3119 56
By inventory of stock and provisions, Feb. 13, 1864,	1150	52	
“ income,	1234	50	
“ due from County,	12	25	
“ “ “ Nashua,	4	50	
“ “ for board of L. Birch,	7	72	
“ “ “ milk,	42	70	—2452 19
Expense of supporting the poor,			667 37
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			3119 56

Deducting from \$667 37, charged for the support of the poor, the amount paid for the support of the poor not on farm, \$139 03, we have as the actual cost of supporting eight persons during the year, \$528 34, or about \$1 27 per week.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JOHN MARVELL, } Overseers
 WM. P. RICHARDSON, } of
 J. L. SPRING, } the poor.

MILFORD, FEB. 24, 1864.—We have examined the foregoing accounts and find them properly vouched and correctly cast.

WM. RAMSDALL, } Auditors.
 WM. R. WALLACE, }
 C. S. AVERILL, }

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Report of the Selectmen.

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By Cash paid Soldiers' Families.

Mrs. Jane McRobbie,	\$105 50	Mrs. R. L. Gordon,	\$125 00	\$230 50
" Ann O'Conner,	74 00	" Mary Gourley,	141 00	215 00
" Mary Lyon	101 00	" Jane McKensie,	141 00	242 00
" R. A. Shattuck,	141 00	" Mary Bonner,	141 00	282 00
" Harriet Mills,	141 00	" Isabella McRobbie,	50 00	191 00
" Mary Mickle,	141 00	" Cath. Devin,	141 00	282 00
" H. A. Felch,	141 00	" Elizabeth Drew,	141 00	282 00
" P. A. Fretts,	141 00	" E. Holland,	141 00	282 00
" Jane Morlock,	141 00	" Cath. Ryan,	141 00	282 00
" Bridgett Hallogan	94 00	" M. Woods,	94 00	188 00
" Susan Lund,	94 00	" E. R. Clark,	94 00	188 00
" M. J. Hartwell,	94 00	" O. P. Shedd,	79 00	173 00
" H. M. Spalding,	94 00	" P. Robbins,	47 00	141 00
" C. M. Dimmick,	47 00	" Julia Herrick,	47 00	94 00
" S. M. Stickney,	31 00	" M. Richardson,	47 00	78 00
" Cath. Merrilles,	47 00	" Mary Dillon,	47 00	94 00
" R. H. Stimpson,	47 00	" B. F. Potter,	43 00	90 00
" Naomi Twiss,	36 00	" E. Conrey,	141 00	177 00
" Olive Howe,	36 00	" M. W. Crosby,	8 00	44 00
" E. J. Crosby.	40 00	" M. J. Gilpatrick,	16 00	56 00
" Agnes McRobbie,	28 00	Mr. C. F. Aikin,	24 00	52 00
" S. J. Marvell,	22 00	Mrs. Isabelle Mahar,	12 00	34 00

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State Aid to Families of Nine Months Volunteers.

Mrs. A. L. Crosby,	\$87 67	Mrs. M. E. Stimpson,	\$78 00	\$165 67
J. Wright's 2 children	52 00	" D. J. Chase,	52 00	104 00
Mrs. Ellen Garvin,	26 00	" S. L. Osgood,	26 00	52 00
" L. J. Cushing,	26 00	" Sarah Stone,	26 00	52 00
" C. E. Wyman,	40 00	" M. B. Osgood,	43 00	83 00

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Town Aid to Families of Nine Months Volunteers.

G. R. Hartshorn,	\$42 00	Chas. Mills,	\$42 00	\$84 00
W. P. Conrey	28 00	John Wright,	49 00	77 00
C. C. Bartlett,	70 00	J. D. Crosby,	35 00	105 00
Joseph Cushing,	42 00	John F. Crosby,	42 00	84 00
G. F. Stone,	49 00	Noah Lund,	35 00	84 00
Frank Clark,	42 00	M. H. Osgood,	42 00	84 00
L. A. Duncklee,	42 00	J. S. Conrey,	42 00	84 00
H. M. Mills,	42 00	H. C. Stimpson,	42 00	84 00
E. K. Jewett,	42 00	J. G. Fuller,	42 00	84 00
C. H. Osgood,	49 00	E. Howard,	49 00	98 00
A. B. Chase,	42 00	J. Hutchinson,	42 00	84 00
A. Wyman,	70 00	Wm. Abbott,	70 00	140 00
Wm. Garvin,	56 00	A. T. Crosby,	70 00	126 00
A. H. Hood,	70 00			70 00

--1288 00

Mrs. Grosvenor A. Colby, as per vote of town, 21 00

5463 17

L. Curtis, balance for last year's services as disbursing agent, 3 00

Disbursing Agent, 33 00

Journey to Concord and expenses, 5 70

\$5504 87

DR. To Cash from Town Treasurer, to balance account, \$5504 87

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. SPRING, for the Selectmen.

MILFORD, FEB. 23, 1864.—We have examined the foregoing accounts, and find them properly vouched and correctly cast.

WILLIAM RAMSDELL, }
WM. R. WALLACE, } Auditors.
C. S. AVERILL, }

Report of the Treasurer of Town of Milford,

For the year ending February 14th, 1864.

DR. FOR AMOUNT,

On hand Feb. 14, 1863,	\$566	66
In the Collector's hands, Feb. 14, 1863,	266	23
Due on note,	86	05
Received as Literary Fund,	156	60
" Rail Road Dividend,	645	83
" Rent of land,	36	00
" for use of Town Hall,	77	66
" rent of Town House and basement,	185	00
" for grave lots,	12	00
" of H. Moore, right of way,	100	00
" license for circus,	30	00
" sale of liquors,	144	66
" on loan of Milford Five Cts. Sav. Inst.,	12400	00
" D. G. Hartshorn,	200	00
" E. L. Bragg,	220	00
" of State as aid to families of soldiers,	3970	00
" as " bounty to 23 subst's to fill quota,	2300	00
" taxes assessed,	9096	66—30493 35

CR. BY AMOUNT PAID.

State tax,	2130	30
County tax,	1230	33
C. S. Averill Trustee, interest on note,	83	47
Wm. Ramsdell, interest on note,	73	62
D. W. Foster, " " "	13	83
G. Wadleigh, " " "	80	
Milford Five Cents Saving Institution, int. on notes,	399	22
Souhegan Bank, do.,	38	17
Nancy Averill, interest on note,	33	75
Ezra Batchelder, do.,	34	25
Martin Hall, do.,	57	16
Daniel Ferrell, do.,	86	45
D. C. Rich, do.,	28	80
E. L. Bragg, do.,	47	26
N. Hunt, do.,	251	20
Dodge G. Hartshorn, do.,	3	30
A. W. Sawyer, damage to carriage,	10	95
M. M. Marvell, watching fires in 1862,	1	00
David Goodwin, services as historian of the town,	3	00
A. Page, varnishing hearse,	10	00
Hoar & Osgood, repairs to hearse,	3	00
A. W. Hill, snowing county bridge,	1	65
Putnam, Chase & Co., repairing plow,	1	75
Widder & Whitney, paper, rope, crayons oil and lead,	19	17

Amount carried up,

4,562 43

Amount brought over,	4,562 43	
John Marvell, perambulating town lines,	5 00	
Wm. P. Richardson, do.,	3 00	
John L. Spring, do.,	1 50	
John Marvell, extra services on bridges,	10 00	
Wm. P. Richardson, do.,	5 00	
J. L. Spring, fare and expenses to Concord,	3 70	
J E Mackay, rep. at hearse house and painting stand,	7 51	
D. W. Foster's note, principal,	200 00	
D. C. Rich, do.,	240 00	
Edward L. Bragg, do.,	180 69	—5218 83

School Money.

District No. 1	1101 05	
" " 2	176 22	
" " 3	184 49	
" " 4	102 46	
" " 5	174 86	
" " 6	99 12	
" " 7	111 01	
" " 8	57 31	
" " 9	493 48	—2500 00

Literary Fund.

District No. 1	68 98	
" " 2	11 05	
" " 3	11 55	
" " 4	6 41	
" " 5	10 95	
" " 6	6 21	
" " 7	6 95	
" " 8	3 59	
" " 9	30 91	—156 60

School House Tax.

District No. 1	618 50	
" " 2	30 00	
" " 8	22 00	—670 50

Extra Repairs on Highways.

District No. 4	44 33	
" " 5	75 35	
" " 6	20 25	
" " 7	30 11	
" " 8	7 25	—177 29

Breaking Roads.

District No. 4	2 70	
" " 5	4 95	
" " 6	4 63	
" " 7	9 15	
" " 8	4 20	—25 63

Amount carried up, 8,748 85

Amount brought over, 8,748 85

Bridges.

Extra repairs throughout the town, —303 88

Watering Troughs.

M. Gray, 3 00
E. B. Gutterson, 3 00
Abel C. Crosby, 3 00
Luke Smith, 3 00
Moses Foster, 3 00 —15 00

Town House.

Joseph Crosby, for shingles, 78 00
John Marvell, for lumber and material, 6 68
Sawyer & Hamblett, repairs and material, 8 12
John A. Powers & Co., lamp and zinc, 6 04
Sundry persons for labor, 34 94 —133 78

Fire Department.

Enginemen No. 1, services for the year, 122 50
" " 2, " " " " 135 81
Horses to four fires, 9 25
Horse pole to engine carriage, 10 45
Repairs on engines, hose, and steward's services, 13 92
Firewards for the year, 20 00 —311 93

Sundry Bills.

Printing, 37 75
Stationery, 15 56
Auditors, 6 00
Books furnished poor children, 16 80
E. S. Trow as sexton, 85 28
H. N. Dunbar, do., 1 75
H. M. Tyler, services as constable, 1862-3, 7 50
D. K. Marvell, " " " 1863, 5 50
Daniel Russell, services as town clerk, 40 00
G. Wadleigh, " " " treasurer, 42 00
C. S. Averill, " " sup. sch'l committee, 70 18
E. Mills, " " collector, 92 00
H. Eldredge, " " liquor agent, 100 00
Policemen, 32 00
Bounties to nine drafted men, 27 00
Ag't to procure 23 sub'tes at \$438 89 1/2 apiece, 10094 60
State aid to families of soldiers, 5504 87
Overseer of the poor, 393 51 —19245 30

Selectmen's Services.

John Marvell, 85 00
Wm. P. Richardson, 68 00
John L. Spring, 82 00 —235 00

Amount carried up, 28,993 74

Amount brought over,	28,993 74
<i>Overtaxed.</i>	
Sundry persons,	—24 63
<i>Taxes of 1863 abated.</i>	
John R. Green,.....	2 42
Wm. Lovejoy, 3d,.....	2 42
Garey Ober,.....	2 42
W. Woods,.....	2 00
Note due the town,.....	86 05
In the hands of the collector,.....	197 79
In the hands of the treasurer,.....	1181 88
	—1465 72
	<u>\$30,493 35</u>

Estimated Outstanding Debts.

Due on Edward L. Bragg's note,.....	220 00
Dodge G. Hartshorn's ".....	200 00
Wm. Ramsdell's ".....	700 00
Martin Hall's ".....	500 00
C. S. Averill, trustee ".....	500 00
Ezra Batchelder's ".....	200 00
Nancy Averill's ".....	300 00
Daniel Ferrell's ".....	1650 00
Nehemiah Hunt's ".....	2400 00
Milford Five Cents Saving Institution notes,.....	15400 00
	—22,070 00

From which Deduct

Amount of note due the town,.....	109 66
In the collector's hands,.....	197 79
Liquors on hand,.....	148 37
Due from the State for aid,.....	3356 17
“ “ General Government,.....	6946 00
“ “ County,	12 25
“ “ City of Nashua,.....	4 50
“ “ Mrs. Birch, for board,.....	7 12
“ for milk,.....	42 70
In the hands of the treasurer,.....	1181 88
	—12007 04
Leaving the town indebted in the sum of.....	<u>10,062 96</u>

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

G. WADLEIGH, *Treasurer.*

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