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# REPORT OF THE AUDITORS

To settle with the Selectmen for the  
year A. D., 1859.

The Auditors, having thoroughly examined the accounts and vouchers of the Selectmen of Littleton, report as follows:—That the Selectmen appointed one of their number, James J. Barrett, Treasurer, and all receipts and payments have been made through him, and no orders have been given out, all bills having been paid in cash and all claims against the town, accruing this year, have been cancelled, as far as we can learn.

The Treasurer has received from different sources the following sums, viz :—

Taxes raised by the town to defray town charges,	\$2,000 00
Taxes raised for the support of schools,	1,700 00
Received from Literary and Railroad funds,	177 52
Raised in School District No. 17 for building purposes,	103 00
Raised in School District No. 11 for repairs,	7 85
“ “ “ “ 8 “	60 00
“ “ “ “ 14 “	75 00
“ “ “ “ 4 for building purposes,	512 25
Received from	
W. H. H. Millen, Liquor Agent, 1858,	32 73
W. W. Howland, Liquor Agent, 1858,	3 67
Joseph Burnham, town funds,	111 50

County for support of paupers, 1858,	\$ 179 83
Town of Lyman, support of paupers,	36 17
Circus license,	30 00
S. H. Rowell for Margaret Lewis,	8 00
Joseph M. Bickford on note given by the town,	210 00
S. B. Johnson, on note given by the town,	350 00
George Bowman, on note given by the town,	360 00
Eli D. Sawyer, old collector,	100 00
E. O. Kenney, for fines for breach of the peace,	3 00
4 3-4 gallons (old stock) brandy, sold Town Agent, Concord, Vt.,	19 50
John D. Chandler, for liquor barrels,	3 00
M. T. Durgin, Liquor Agent, 1859,	443 85
Lindall Bishop, Liquor Agent, 1859,	267 54
Henry Thomas, Liquor Agent, 1859,	1,135 88
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	\$7,930 29

#### PAID ON OLD CLAIMS AGAINST THE TOWN.

Noah W. Ranlet note,	\$211 15
Joseph Tilton note,	247 19
Henry L. Tilton, on W. B. Palmer note,	239 88
M. L. Goold, " " "	220 47
Bellows & Farr,	24 00
I. S. Hutchins,	125 00
County Commissioner for 1858,	17 68
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	\$1,085 37

Paid,

To the several School Districts, for schools,	\$1,877 52
For the support of the town poor,	1,378 28
"        "        County paupers,	300 00
For repairing roads and bridges,	61 19
For constructing lobby in Littleton village,	19 94
For printing, postage, stationery, books and sundry expenses of Selectmen,	64 69



To County School Commissioner for 1858 and 1859,	\$ 35 36
To M. L. Goold, on town note given to W. B. Palmer,	220 47
To H. L. Tilton, on town note given to W. B. Palmer,	239 88
To Joseph Tilton, on town note,	247 19
N. W. Ranlet, on town note,	211 15
Town Superintending School Committee,	99 50
Bellows & Farr, professional services, 1858,	34 00
Building Committee in School District No. 4,	511 46
"          "          "      No. 14,	75 00
"          "          "      No. 8,	60 00
Boston Liquor Agent for New Hampshire,	1,153 51
M. T. Durgin, Liquor Agent,	37 50
Lindall Bishop, Liquor Agent,	37 50
Henry Thomas, Liquor Agent,	75 00
J. J. Barrett, services as Selectman,	92 12
M. T. Durgin, services as Selectman,	50 02
Nathaniel Bishop, services as Selectman,	53 00
Freight on liquor,	131 97
J. S. Hutchins' claim for horse as per report of Committee,	125 00
For guide boards,	3 00
For repairs on burying ground fence, etc.,	2 50
Town Clerk,	28 00
Town Treasurer,	10 00
L. L. Merrill, for wood, repairs and taking care of town house,	5 00
For cleaning fifty stand of arms,	2 00
For abatement of taxes,	7 51
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Amount of available funds in the hands of the Treasurer,	691 03
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Cash in the Treasury,	\$691 03	
Note against L. B. Towns,	136 75	
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Due from the county,		300 00
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		\$1,127 78
There is on hand one barrel of brandy,		75 00
Claim against E. L. Hall, estimated at		225 00
There is due to John M. Charleton, Joseph Tilton, Henry L. Tilton, Timothy Gile, Julia Sargent, William B. Palmer, Albert Love- joy and N. W. Young, on old notes,	\$4,272 49	
There is due to Joseph M. Bickford, S. B. Johnson and George Bow- man, on notes given this year,	920 00	
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Available assets of the town,		1,127 78
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Indebtedness of the town,		\$4,064 71

We are fully satisfied that the affairs of the town have been well and judiciously managed. The bills of all the town officers are reasonable and somewhat below former years. If it would not be improper we would urge the town to provide a farm on which to support the poor. We are satisfied that if the town would provide a suitable farm our expenses for the support of the poor would be lessened nearly one half.

CYRUS EASTMAN,  
ALONZO WEEKS,  
WARREN McINTIRE, } Auditors.

Littleton, N. H., March 6, 1860.