ANNUAL REPORT

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SHOWING THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

FOR THE

FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING FEB. 28, 1879.

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REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 28, 1879.

Births recorded — males, 19; females, 20; total	39 20
Births of foreign parentage	12
Births of native and foreign parentage	7
Marriages recorded	21
Marriages between natives	17
Marriages between natives and foreigners	4
Deaths recorded — males, 19; females, 23; total	42
	
Number of dogs licensed — males, 105; females, 3; total, 108.	00
Amount received for licenses\$225	
Amount of fees for licenses, 108 at 20 cts. each	
Balance paid into the county treasury 203	40

GEO. A. PARKHURST,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 28, 1879.

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Your Treasurer charges himself with balance in treasury,	\$1,146	94
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Received of State Treasurer, on account of State Aid for	4.00	00
1877	468	UU
of State Treasurer, on account of corporation tax,		
1878	538	02
of State Treasurer, on account of National Bank tax,		
1070	1,286	95
1878 of grandry rout	50	00
of State Treasurer, on account of armory rent	170	00
" " income Massachu-	208	10
setts school fund		
of County Treasurer, on account of dog licenses	199	
of R S Rupham on account of liquor licenses	200	
of J. A. Bartlett, " " taxes for 1877	1,715	17
" " interest on same	55	
of A. H. Sheldon " taxes for 1878	9,257	96
of J. A. Bartlett, " " taxes for 1877 " " " interest on same of A. H. Sheldon, " " taxes for 1878 " " " interest on same	79	80
of Ziba Gay, on account of sale of ell of school-	• •	-
house at North Chelmsford	75	۸۸
	10	00
of J. B. Emerson, on account of sale of old school-	0.4	F 0
house Number Seven	24	90
of N. J. Duncan, on account of use of town hall, at		
North Chelmsford	5	00
of Levi Lamphere, on account of use of town hall,		
at Chelmsford Centre	. 2	50
of Dawson Pollard, on account of sale of lots in	_	
cemetery, at West Chelmsford	1.4	00
	14	00
of D. W. Lane, on account of proceeds of town	0.0=	00
farm	397	
of D. W. Lane, an account of work by town team	23	
of Selectmen, " error in orders		58
of money hired for use of town (temporary loan)	1,300	00
Making a total of.	\$17,048	64

And	10	credited	log f	ollowe	
VVIICE	18	creame	1 as 1	OHOWS	

By cash pa	id State ta	x for 1878	\$ 830	00
" "	State T	reasurer, on acc't of liquor licenses.	50	00
"		outstanding orders of last year	64	40
"	"	orders drawn present year	13,959	85
66	"	temporary loan	1,300	
"	46	interest on same		32
Balance in	treasury	•••••	817	07
			\$17,048	64

Respectfully submitted by

E. H. WARREN,

Treasurer.

COLLECTORS' REPORTS.

Taxes on list of 1877, uncollected Feb. 28,				
1878	. \$2,283	75		
Interest on the same to Feb. 28, 1878	. 57			
Interest on uncollected balance, Feb. 28, 1879		17		
interest on unconceded barance, 100, 20, 100	, 101	Ι,	\$2441	09
			\$2 11 1	34
Cash paid Town Treasurer as tax	. 1,715	17		
" " " interest	55	00		
Tr - II - t - I t - t	, 00 ECO			
Uncollected tax to new account				
Uncollected interest " "	. 103	17		
-			\$2441	92
·				
J. A. BAR	TLETT.			
			or for 187	77
	000	ieci	or jor 10	
Tax list for 1878	\$12,439	80		
Interest collected since Oct. 1, 1878	79			
Interest accrued on uncollected taxes		56		
interest accruca on uncorrected taxes	04	90		
-			****	4.0
			\$12,584	16
Cook poid County Tronggroup (county to-)	Ø 500	50		_
Cash paid County Treasurer (county tax)	\$ 599			
Town Treasurer as tax	9,257			
" " as interest	79	80		
Uncollected taxes to new account	2,582	28		
Interest accrued to " "		56		
	01			
			#10501	1.0
			\$12,584	10

A. H. SHELDON,

Collector for 1878.

REPORT OF THE ASSESSORS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 28, 1879.

VALUATION MAY 1, 1878.

610

Value of personal estate	\$ 240,730 00 1,161,745 00	
Total valuation		\$1,402,475 00
Number of dwelling houses " " horses " " cows " " sheep " " acres of land taxed	494 363 770 8 14,132	
Assessment M	AY 1, 1878.	
State tax County tax Appropriation for public schools " "school-house repair " school supplies " "school supervision " "the poor " "highways " "town officers and tees Appropriation for collection and all of taxes Appropriation for enlargement of house No. 8	599	56 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
Amount carried forward	\$13,079	56

Amount brought forward	100 50	00 00 00 00	40.500	5.0
Overlayings			410	
Less estimated receipts			\$13,939 1,500	
Total tax			\$12,439	80
Assessed on 610 polls at \$2.00 each	,	80	\$12,439	80

ZIBA GAY, J. B. EMERSON, J. J. HOYT, WILLIAM MANNING, E. P. BEAN,

Assessors.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 28, 1879.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

PAID FOR TEACHING.

Eliza M. Robinson,	10	weeks	at \$17.00,	No	. 1	\$170 00	
" "	23	66	18.75,	66		431 25	
Charlotte E Page,	34	"	10.00,	66	1	340 00	
Adelaide C. Barnard	,10	"	8.00,	66	1	80 00	
çç çç çç	10	"	8.50,	66	1	85 00	
Abbie S. Brown,	10	"	9.00,	66	1	90 00	\$1,196 25
Hannah C. Hunt,	20	"	7.00,	"	2	140 00	,
	10	66	7.50,	"	2		215 00
Jessie A. Upton,	20	" .	8.00,	"	3	160 00	
Sarah Crane,	10	"	10.00,	"	3	100 00	260 00
Frances M. Talbot,	19	"	7.00,	"	4	133 00	
	11	66	8.50,	66	4	93 50	226 50
Nellie M. Perham,	6	66	7.00,	"	5	42 00	
Alice M. Mansfield,	9	"	6.00,	"	5	54 00	96 00
Ella F. Whitcomb,	3	"	8.00,	"	6		
« « «	$4\frac{3}{5}$	66	7.00,	66	6	32 20	
Dora I. Moody,	6	66	7.00,	44	6	42 00	
	16	"	8.00,	66	6	128 00	226 20
Jennie A. Garland,	16	"	6.50,	66	7	104 00	
Nellie M. Perham,	21	"	7.00,	44	7		119 40
Benj. F. Harmon,	3 <u>š</u>	"	22.50,	44	8	742 50	
S. Maria Taylor,	33	"	9.00,	46	8	297 00	
Louie A. Allen,	32	66	8.50,	"	8	272 00	
Emma L. Burgess,	31	"	8.50,	"	8		1,575 00
Clara A. Bearce,	21	66	8.00,	"	9	168 00	_,
« « «	9	"	9.00,	66		81 00	
Aline E. Gardner,	21	"	8.00,	"	9	168 00	
	9	"	9.00,	"	9	81 00	498 00

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

PAID FOR CARE OF SCHOOL-HOUSES.

George W. Streeter,	10	moolza	Mo	. 1	\$17	25		
George W. Streeter,	12	weeks,	74.0	1	-	5 00		
"	12	66	66	1	19		\$49	00
George A. Davis,	30	44	66	$\hat{2}$		2 00		00
Newton E. Bean,	10	"	66	3		2 50		
Alexander Park,	10	66	46	3		2 50		
" "	10	"	66	3		00	10	00
Charles Sweetzer,		"	"	4		75	$\tilde{2}$	
James S. Byam,	9	66	66	5		50		50
J. A. Wyman,	14	44	66	6		75	- î	
" "	6	44	"	6		3 00		
T. M. Edmands,	10	46	"	6		00	16	75
B. J. Spalding,		"	"	7	ϵ	00		00
Herman W. Flint,	22	"	44	8		00	, and the second	
66 66 66	11	44	66	8		75	57	75
Joseph Knight,	10	66	66	9		50	•	•
John Agnew,	$\tilde{1}\tilde{1}$	٤٤	66	9		00		
C. A. Parker,	$\hat{1}\hat{0}$	"	46	9		00	25	50
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	10			0		_		
							\$184	25
		PAID	FOR	FUEL.				
			No.					
I D IT: 1.11 01 6	1.				ф. С	11		
J. B. Kimball, $8\frac{1}{2}$ feet					\$ 6			
32 1000				\$4.00	4	75		
measu.						20		
J. M. Fletcher, $22\frac{1}{2}$ for						95		
				, at \$5.75	40	43		
						80		
C. H. C. Hall, prepar	ıng	644 te	et (oak wood,	0	0.0		
at \$1.00 C. H. C. Hall, prepari	• • •		• ; ;		8	09		
C. H. C. Hall, prepar	ıng	32 feet	D1:	ren wood,	~	0.0		
at \$1.20					9	00	₩ == ==	00
George W. Streeter,	puu	ing in	snin	igies		50	\$77	83
]	No.	2.				
H. H. Emerson, 24 fe					18	00		
" " " 4 fe	et	pine w	ood	, at \$4.00	2	00		
" " prepar	\mathbf{ring}	28 feet	t	• • • • • • • •	3	75	23	75
]	No.	3.				
Josiah Vose, 161 feet	al				10	16		
" " measuri					10	12		
B. M. Fletcher, 4 feet					9	50		
				\$4.00		00		
				••••••	4	06		
ineas		5	• • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •				
Amounts carrie	d fo	rward		,	\$14	84	\$101	58

Amounts brought forward	\$14 84	\$101 58
Oscar Pearson, 24½ feet wood, at \$1.00	3 03	
" " preparing $14\frac{1}{2}$ feet wood	1 81	
William M. Vose, 121 feet oak wood, at \$5.00 " " 2 feet pine wood, at \$3.00	7 81 75	
" " measuring	10	28 34
No. 4.		
Charles Sweetzer, 16 feet oak wood, prepared,	14.00	
at \$7.00	14 00	
at \$5.00	5 00	19 00
No. 5.		
Charles Adams, 8 feet oak wood, prepared, at	- 4	
\$6.50	6 50	7 50
E. Dalton, wood, prepared	1 00	7 50
No. 6.	75	
George F. Dyar, preparing 4 feet pine wood " " 4 feet pine wood, at \$4.00	$\begin{array}{c} 75 \\ 2 \ 00 \end{array}$	
" " preparing pine wood	50	
" " preparing oak wood	65	
B. P. Marshall, 3 feet pine wood, at \$4.00 J. A. Dix, 4 feet oak wood, at \$6.50	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	8 65
	.	0 00
No. 7. B. J. Spalding, 28 feet hard wood, at \$6.00	21 00	
" " 4 feet pine wood, at \$4.00	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	23 00
No. 8.		
S. P. Sampson, 99½ feet oak wood, prepared,		
at \$6.56\frac{1}{4}	81 62	
S. P. Sampson, 16 feet pine wood, prepared, at \$5.00	10 00	
S. P. Sampson, measuring	75	
S. T. Wright, 12 feet oak wood, prepared,	0 55	
at \$6.50 S. T. Wright, measuring	9 75 05	
" " 15 feet pine wood, at \$3.75 " " measuring	7 03	
" " measuring	05	
H. E. Bosworth, preparing wood	1 42	110 67
No. 9. William C. Edwards, 40 feet oak wood, at		
\$5.75	28 75	
\$5.75		
\$4.00 J. P. Winn, preparing 48 feet wood	4 00 4 50	
		
Amounts carried forward	\$37 25	\$298 74

Amounts brought forward	\$37 25	\$298	74
William C. Edwards, 8 feet oak wood at			
\$5.50 William C. Edwards, 12 feet pine wood, at	5 50		
William C. Edwards, 12 feet pine wood, at	6 00		
J. P. Winn, preparing 20 feet wood	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	50	75
J. 1. Winn, preparing 20 feet wood			
		\$349	49
PAID FOR APPARATUS.			
John A. Boyle, 1 set Munroe's Charts, No. 1		\$ 7	50
Benj. F. Harmon, Chemical Apparatus, No. 8		10	00
	-		
		\$17	50
PAID FOR SCHOOL-HOUSE REPA	IRS.		
John Boyd, repair clock, No. 1	1 00		
George W. Streeter, cleaning, No. 1	$\frac{5}{1} \frac{00}{07}$		
Jonathan Larcom, repairing, No. 1	1 87		
J. R. Fletcher, repairing, No. 1,	$\begin{array}{c}2 & 64\\2 & 25\end{array}$		
S. G. Mack & Co., hod, shovel, etc., No. 1 E. H. Marshall, scrapers, etc., No. 1	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		
John Farwell, drilling stone, No. 1	3 <u>2</u> 5 75	16	76
E. P. Parker, repairing fence, No. 3	60	10	• •
" setting glass and repairing, No. 3	1 75		
J. H. Lane, repairing stove, No. 3	50		
Oscar Pearson, grading, No. 3	1 60		
N. E. Parker, key, No. 3	25		
" grading, No. 3	75	5	45
Charles Sweetzer, cleaning, No. 4	1 50		
" setting glass, No. 4	75	10	05
" "repairing pump, No. 4 L. M. Dutton, setting glass, No. 5	$ \begin{array}{ccc} 10 & 00 \\ 50 \end{array} $	12	23
" " whitewashing, No. 5	3 00		
" " grading, No. 5	45	3	95
George F. Dyar, repairing lock and setting			
glass, No. 6	65		
George F. Dyar, setting glass, No. 6	1 66		
" repairing chairs, No.6	80		
" setting trees, No. 6 " cleaning ink-bottles, No. 6	1 50 1 00		
" cleaning ink-bottles, No. 6 " repairing lock, No. 6	100		
" grading, No. 6	5 00		
" " lock and keys, No. 6	75		
" cleaning inkstands, No. 6	25		
Mrs. Young, cleaning, No. 6	90	12	61
S. G. Mack & Co., repairing stoves, No. 8	10 00		
Charles Hyde, stove pipe, No. 8	2 45		
Amounts carried forward	\$12 45	\$51	02

Amounts brought forward	\$12 45	\$51 02
S. T. Wright, stove, No. 8	6 00	
No. 8	1 16	
No. 8 Fred K. Ripley, repairing, No. 8	2 00	
S. P. Sampson, cleaning, No. 8	1 00	
Charles W. Flint, labor repairing, No. 8	7 75	99 61
" expense repairing, No. 8	$\frac{2}{9} \frac{25}{40}$	32 61
George C. Parker, cleaning, No. 9	$\begin{array}{ccc}2&40\\4&00\end{array}$	
R. Ackroyd, cleaning, No. 9	600	
J. C. Butterfield, repairing, No. 9	1 00	13 40
, 1 3,		\$97 03
	7	
PAID FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIE	s.	
J. Merrill & Son, 1 case crayons	\$14 00	
" " 10 gallons ink	12 50	
J. L. Hammett, 3 dozen lambs' wool erasers	9 00	
N. E. S. Fur. Co., 1 gross Wilton erasers	16 00	
12 dozen erasers	$\frac{2}{2} \frac{00}{50}$	
" " 1 dozen pointers " " 10 pints ink,	$\begin{array}{cccc} & 2 & 50 \\ & 1 & 50 \end{array}$	
" " 1 gross Gillott's 303 pens	1 25	
J. R. Fletcher, books for desks	5 77	
George F. Dyar, supplies	3 00	
" rulers	30	
" express on erasers	15	
" " 2 ink jars	75	
distributing supplies	3 00	
" " postage on supplies " 2 ink jars	$\frac{20}{70}$	
" express on erasers	$\begin{array}{c} 70 \\ 25 \end{array}$	
" " distributing erasers	$1 \begin{array}{c} 25 \\ 1 \end{array}$	
" eraser covering	20	\$ 74 32
J. R. Fletcher, 3 drinking cups, No. 1	30	* .1 02
" 2 brooms, No. 1	70	
" postage on call bell, No. 1	09	
express " "	15	
" money order on call bell, No. 1, J. L. Hammett, 1 call bell, No. 1	10	
H. H. Emerson, 1 broom, No. 2.	1 50	2 84
T. M. Gerrish, 1 broom, No. 3	$\frac{30}{35}$	30
" 1 pail, No. 3	$\frac{55}{25}$	
N. E. Parker, 1 dipper, No. 3	15	75
Charles Sweetzer, 2 drinking cups, No. 4	08	, ,
" 1 book, No. 4	25	33
Amount carried forward		070 54
The same our root for warm		\$78 54

Amount brought forward		\$78	54
L. M. Dutton, 1 tub, No 5.	\$ 35		
" " 1 broom, No 5	$\frac{1}{25}$		60
D. L. Dimock, 1 arm chair, No. 6	1 10		
N. E. S. Fur. Co., 1 hand bell, No. 6	85		
George F. Dyar, pail and dipper, No. 6	75		
" 1 broom, No. 6	35		
mk-bottles, No. 6	10		~ ~
r duster, No. 0	20	3	35
B. J. Spalding, 2 books, No. 7	$egin{array}{ccc} 2&06\ 75 \end{array}$		
" 2 brooms, No. 7	$\frac{75}{25}$	3	06
H. B. & H. M. Bacon, 2 call bells, No.8	$2 \begin{array}{c} 25 \\ 50 \end{array}$	J	vo
A. Sanborn & Co., clock, bells and thermome-	200		
ter, No. 8	7 50		
E. Shaw & Son, 2 brooms, No. 8	60		
" " 1 pail, No. 8	15		
" " 1 pan, No. 8	50		
" " 1 damper, No. 8	10		
" " 1½ dozen knobs, No. 8	50		
" " nails, No. 8	08		
stove polish, ivo. o	$\frac{22}{66}$		
" " brushes, No. 8" " " 1 book, No. 8	$\frac{12}{12}$		
Silver & Gay, 1 forged poker, No. 8	30	13	23
J. N. Perry, 2 books, No. 9	63	10	20
" " 2 brooms, No. 9	60		
" " 1 bottle ink, No. 9	50		
J. C. Butterfield, 1 bottle ink, No. 9	25		
" " 2 dippers, No. 9	30	2	28
	_	****	
		\$101	06
PAID FOR SCHOOL SUPERVISION	N.		
Ct. III & Ct. #00hI			
Stone, Huse & Co., 500 school reports and	#E7 CC		
tables, 1877,	\$57 66 1 37	\$59	03
Stone, Huse & Co., extra on tables Bacheller, Dumas & Co., 1 school expense	1 31		V3
book	5 00		
Bacheller, Dumas & Co., printing on expense	0 00		
book	50		
Joshua Merrill & Son, ½ gross 303 Gillott's pens	63		
Joshua Merrill & Son, ½ gross 404 " pens	50		
Joshua Merrill & Son, 2 pencils	$\frac{12}{100}$		
Joshua Merrill & Son, 4 ream letter paper	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \ 00 \\ 65 \end{array}$		
Joshua Merrill & Son, ¼ M envelopes Joshua Merrill & Son, 1 bottle mucilage	10		
Joshua merrin & Bon, 1 bottle machage			
Amounts carried forward	\$8 50	\$59	03
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$Amounts\ brought\ forward\dots\dots$	\$ 8 50	\$59 03
N. E. S. Fur. Co., 1 pad blotter	65	
George F. Dyar, red ink	60	
George F. Dyar, stamps and postals	1 83	
George F. Dyar, stamps	1 98	
George F. Dyar, postals	65	
George F. Dyar, books	90	
J. R. Fletcher, postage and stationery	1 26	16 37
J. R. Fletcher, attending 5 committee meetings	6 04	
J. R. Fletcher, examining teachers	5 00	
J. R. Fletcher, making report	2 50	
J. R. Fletcher, 15 days visiting schools Nos.		
1, 8, and 9	$37 \ 50$	
J. R. Fletcher, use of horse to Nos.8 and 9	5 50	
H. H. Emerson, attending 6 committee meet-		
ings	7 50	
H. H. Emerson, use of horse to 5 meetings	5 00	
H. H. Emerson, 4½ days visiting school No. 2	11 25	
N. E. Parker, attending 5 committee meetings	5 00	
N. E. Parker, use of horse to 5 meetings	250	
N. E. Parker, 6 days visiting school No. 3	12 00	
Charles Sweetzer, services as school com-		
mittee, No. 4	15 00	
L. M. Dutton, services as school committee,		
No. 5	5 00	
No. 5		
ings	8 75	
George F. Dyar, use of horse 7 committee		
meetings	7 00	
George F. Dyar, 5 days visiting school No. 6,	12 50	
George F. Dyar, ½ day to procure teacher	4 05	
for No. 6	1 25	
George F. Dyar, examining teacher for No. 6,	1 00	
George F. Dyar, services as school committee	$25 \ 00$	
B. J. Spalding, services as school committee,	F 00	
No. 7	5 00	
Charles W. Flint, services as school committee,	00 75	
No. 8	23 75	
Charles W. Flint, expenses as school com-	4 07	
mittee, No. 8	4 87	
J. C. Butterfield, 4 days visiting school No. 9,	10 00	
J. C. Butterfield, use of horse to Centre, 9	9 00	
timesLevi Lamphere, making fire for 2 committee	9 00	
meetings	75	228 66
Jesse L. Robinson, services as truant officer,	10	220 00
No. 1	1 00	
John H. Whidden, services as truant officer,	1 00	
No. 9	1 00	2 00
		\$306 06

SUPPORT OF THE POOR.

Soft off the rook.			
PAID FOR EXPENSES OUTSIDE OF ALMSHO	TIST		
	0 13.11.		
Asylum for the Chronic Insane,			
Board of Daniel Gilligan, 1 year		\$182	
Clothing of Daniel Gilligan, 1 year		46	14
Hospital for the Insane,			
Board of Michael McKeon, 1 year		182	50
Clothing of Michael McKeon, 1 year		24	48
City of Lowell, in aid of Mrs. R. Mealey		$\frac{1}{26}$	
City of Lowell, in aid of Mrs. E. Donahoe	• • •	60	00
City of Fitchburg, in aid of Mrs. Johnson	• • •	14	00
Town of Westminster, in aid of F. A. Peckins	• • •		
Charles I Adams support of Issues Co. 11	• • •	72	03
Charles J. Adams, support of James Connelly	• • •	25	
Emma S. Dutton, in aid of S. S. Dutton	• • •	48	
G. E. Chamberlin, in aid of S. S. Dutton		2	75
D. M. Mills, in aid of S. S. Dutton		12	00
Henry S. Byam, assistance		56	00
N. M. Wright, in aid of A. H. Kemp		1	20
Putnam & Son, in aid of A. H. Kemp		11	50
Levi Howard, in aid of A. H. Kemp		11	71
Charles Proctor, burial of Mrs. Charles Brown	• • •	$\frac{11}{21}$	75
S. W. Parkhurst, in aid of Charles Brown	• • •	2	05
D. A. Candrain among to New Podford	• • •	8	72
R. A. Goodwin, expense to New Bedford	• • •		
J. B. Emerson, expense to New Bedford	• • •	5	50
C. A. Frost, in aid of E. Lovejoy, state pauper	• • •	5	71
James Whittemore, in aid of E. Lovejoy, state paupe	r	1	50
R. S. Burnham & Son, in aid of E. Lovejoy, state pau	per	4	83
Ziba Gay, in aid of E. Lovejoy, state pauper		15	79
William McClure, entertaining 6 tramps		4	50
John H. Whidden, entertaining 99 tramps			65
one in the state of the state o			
		\$881	21
		фоот	44
PAID FOR EXPENSES AT ALMSHOUSE.			
D. W. Bickford & Son, flour \$ 15	50		
	25		
	87	\$108	62
	61	φισο	02
	50	32	11
	00	34	11
D. W. Dorlehand and Son, globeries		951	117
	17	351	11
Intollinois de de la	20		
II. Hundook & Sou, province	55		
	32		
D. R. Deater, province	04		
T. G. MOGICEON, Province	03		
L. I. Wiggin, provisions	03		
Smith Adams, provisions	50		
Joseph Warren, provisions 5	12		
			_
Amounts carried forward \$261	79	\$491	90
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Amounts brought forward	\$261	79	\$491	90
Adams, Chapman & Co., provisions	20	89		
D. C. Perham, provisions	11	33		
L. J. Mansfield, provisions	14	25		
P. P. Perham, provisions	20	51		
J. A. Burbank, provisions	2	98		
Ira_Atwood, provisions	6	38		
J. B. Emerson, provisions	21	98		
B. P. Marshall, provisions	· 1	00		
R. G. Hildreth, butchering	1	00		
B. M. Hildreth, salting pork		50		
Hunt & Wilder, curing hams	1	00	363	61
G. W. Miller, fish			2	01
David Perham, grain			132	
E. E. Lapham, soap	12	73		
C. W. Livingston, soap		50	23	23
D. W. Bickford & Son, supplies		50		
S. W. Parkhurst, supplies		93		
H. A. Fielding, supplies		60		
S. G. Mack & Co., supplies		00		
J. B. Emerson, supplies		00	29	03
D. W. Bickford & Son, clothing	$5\overline{4}$		20	V S
S. W. Parkhurst, clothing	19			
Putnam & Son, clothing		50		
J. B. Emerson, cap and gloves		25		
D. Kittredge & Son, shoes		50		
James Mellen, repairing boots		00		
Mrs. J. B. Kimball, sewing		00		
Mrs. L. A. Andrews, sewing	-	$\frac{12}{12}$		
Sarah T. Wahbar sawing		20	00	വാ
Sarah L. Webber, sewing		73	99	93
E. K. Parkhurst, 17,515 lbs. of coal		00		
Whithed & Co., 4000 lbs. of coal			0.9	0.0
W. E. Livingston, 4350 lbs. of coal		13	00	86
Benner Bros., furniture	21			
G. H. Wood, clock		50		
G. E. Clogston, boiler and coffee pot		05		
S. W. Parkhurst, crockery	11			
D. W. Bickford & Son, crockery		55		
W. Manning, washing-machine		00		
Harrison Hall, wagon harness	21	00	77	
S. W. Parkhurst, seeds			3	89
P. Hogan, tomato plants		- 0		4 0
S. G. Mack & Co., repairing pump		56		
T. R. Garity, repairing pump		14		
H. R. Barker, repairing pump		10		
H. H. Wilder & Co., repairing furnace	11			
Harrison Hall, repairing harness		00		
J. Larcom, repairing bell	-	15		
E. H. Marshall, blacksmithing	1	10		
	*00			
$Amounts\ carried\ forward\ldots\ldots$	\$29	00	\$1, 308	58

Amounts brought forward. T. Durant & Son, blacksmithing. J. S. Shed, repairing.	\$29 00 1 80 6 67 8 53	\$1,308	58
Chas. Proctor, repairing. W. E. Livingston, lime. D. C. Perham, cow. Jas. P. Emerson, cow. G. E. Forbush, difference in cows.	25 40 00 37 00 20 00	46	25
L. K. Howard, difference in horses B. J. Spalding, 4 pigs A. H. Sheldon, tax on farm Levi Howard, medical attendance at almshouse 271\(\frac{3}{4}\) days' male labor	25 00 10 00 133 12	132 38 6	
463 weeks' female labor	$ \begin{array}{c} 133 & 12 \\ 69 & 25 \\ 12 & 00 \\ 25 & 00 \\ 4 & 25 \end{array} $	202	37
J. J. Hoyt, services as overseer E. P. Bean, services as overseer D. W. Lane, services as superintendent	8 00 5 00	$\begin{array}{c} 54 \\ 350 \end{array}$	
Expense at almshouse Expense outside of almshouse		\$2,138 881	- 1
Total expense		\$3,019 75	
Charged to highway account, for 6 tons hay " " " 198½ weeks' board	\$102 00 595 50	\$3,094	_
-		697	50
Received and paid to treasurer, for milk " " " " eggs " " " " cow " " " " wood	\$325 24 3 00 30 00 13 62	\$2,397	00
	26 12		
Inmates of almshouse — males, 7. " " — females, 4.	\$397 98		
" " — females, 4. Tramps at almshouse, 498. WM.	\$397 98 Manning, Emerson, Gay, Ioyt,		

APPRAISAL OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AT ALMS-HOUSE, FEB. 28, 1879.

1 horse	\$150 00
	140 00
4 cows	
4 shoats	$20 \ 00$
30 fowls	15 00
8 tons English hay	$120 \ 00$
2^1_z tons stock hay	$25 \ 00$
Lot oat fodder, stalks, and rowen	9 00
1 covered wagon	70 00
1 farm wagon	30 00
1 horse-cart	25 00
1 pung sleigh	5 00
1 heavy harness	32 00
35 cords H. P. wood	105 00
Lot of wood, prepared	60 00
Lumber	30 00
Farm implements	91 65
Provisions and supplies	106 34
Household furniture and bedding	257 87

\$1,291 86

James P. Emerson, Daniel P. Byan,

Committee.

HIGHWAYS.

Paid David Perham, for grain	\$273 97 24 03 13 92 31 70 30 00 18 70	
E. Vickery, 100 pounds hay	1 00	
J. T. Fletcher, 870 pounds hay	8 80	
Town, 12,000 pounds hay	102 00	\$504 12
R. S. Burnham & Son, condition powders,	20	
" sulphur	03	
" ginger	05	
" rope	35	
" use of stable and	00	
bedding	2 00	
H. A. Fielding, 9 round-point shovels	10 17	
" 5 picks	5 25	
" A niek handleg		
# plok nandles	1 00	
" 1 lock	35	
Amounts carried forward	\$19 40	\$504 12

Amounts brought forward	\$19	40	\$504	12
Paid J. A. Brabrook, 1 collar	5	00		
" 1 collar, second-hand		50		
" 1 collar	•	60		
" 3 hame-straps		75		
W. P. Brazer & Co., 1 blanket	3	50		
John Parkhurst, 2 chains		00		
J. B. Emerson, 1 drag	_	62		
Smith Adams, 2 gallons neats' foot oil.		00		
F. W. Robinson, difference in sleds		00	51	97
J. A. Brabrook, repairing harness	10	$\frac{25}{25}$	91	01
Charles Proster "	9	70		
Charles Proctor, "	4	90		
77. 11. 15.16.5613	99	68		
		40		
M. V. B. Libby, shoeing				
C. D. Bisbee, "		20		
N. P. Dadmun, shoeing and repairing		21		
9. II. Lane,		03		
2 (11 (12) 00 10 011)	5	80	00	07
E. Vickery, repairing	20	50	98	01
Joseph Reed, gravel		00		
S. S. Sleeper, gravel		76		
Joshua F. Davis, gravel		00		
E. F. Richardson, gravel		05		
L. Loker, plank	12	00		
R. S. Burnham & Son, nails,		08		
E. Vickery, lumber	1	50	78	
F. W. Blodgett, serving notices				75
A. H. Sheldon, tax on teams,			4	64
E. Vickery, twenty-three days		85		
S. S. Sleeper, 4½ days, self and team		25		
Warren Chandler, 10 days, self and team		50		
F. W. Blodgett, $10\frac{1}{2}$ days, self and team.	26	25		
" $1\frac{3}{10}$ days	1	63		
E. D. Smith, 4 days	4	00		
Patrick Ward, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days	4	50		
Marcus McGrath, 2½ days	2	50		
E. Shaw & Son, 3 days	3	00		
G. G. Stetson, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days	1	87		
Silas Holden, 2 days	2	25		
W. Simonds, $\frac{1}{2}$ day		50		
P. McEneaney, 1½ days	1	50		
Patrick Hogan, 1 day	1	00		
Robert Fletcher, $3\frac{1}{10}$ days	5	35		
J. P. Winn, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days	5	25		
" " $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, team	2	25		
John F. Maxwell, 1 day		75		
				_
Amounts carried forward	\$133	20	\$739	94

Amounts brought forward	\$1 33 2 0	\$7 39 94
Paid Isaiah Spalding, 1 day	1 00	
Robert Lord	1 60	
H. P. Davis, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, 2 men and horse	14 00	
Smith Adams, 4 days, 2 men and team	18 00	
J. B. Emerson, 3 4 days	5 10	
" " $\frac{8}{10}$ days, team	1 20	
Frank Putney, 4 days	6 00	
Fred Simpson, $6\frac{1}{2}$ days	6 50	
Jacob Spalding, 2 days	2 00	
Jas. H. Hazen, labor	2 50	
E. P. Bean, labor	3 33	
E. F. Dupée, 1 1 days	1 65	
" " 3 day, team	45	
O. Adams, Jr., 1 day	1 00	
T. M. Edmands, 31 days	3 00	
Eugene Sullivan, $\bar{3}\frac{1}{2}$ days	5 00	
" " $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, team	2 25	
B. P. Marshall, 24 days	18 00	
John A. Dix, labor	6 88	232 66
Warren Chandler, breaking roads	8 85	
Robert Fletcher, breaking roads	1 13	
J. P. Winn, breaking roads	3 00	
Thomas Shehan, breaking roads	88	
G. F. Locke, breaking roads	2 75	
A. M. Blaisdell, breaking roads	1 50	
C. Dunn, breaking roads	1 25	
Smith Adams, breaking roads	7 00	
P. P. Perham, breaking roads	3 00	
B. M. Hildreth, breaking roads	5 00	
Geo. E. Hall, breaking roads	1 50	
J. R. Bowley, breaking roads	1 00	
M. McMorrow, breaking roads	$3 \ 92$	
J. L. Roberts, breaking roads	$2 \ 00$	
G. W. Chamberlin, breaking roads	1 00	
James McFarlin, breaking roads	3 00	
T. O'Keefe, breaking roads	1 25	
James H. Hazen, breaking roads	7 75	
E. P. Bean, breaking roads	2 65	
J. C. Mansfield, breaking roads	6 00	
O. Adams, Jr., breaking roads	2 60	
H. B. Adams, breaking roads	1 25	
A. B. Adams, breaking roads	6 00	
S. C. Hunt, breaking roads	3 00	
H. B. Hunt, breaking roads	8 10	
John Finnick, breaking roads	2 50	
Charles N. Cutler, breaking roads	2 00	
Amounts carried forward	\$89 88	\$972 60

Amounts brought forward	\$89 88	\$972 60
Paid James McKennedy, breaking roads Samuel Blood, breaking roads E. J. Edmands, breaking roads Hugh Keiren, breaking roads B. P. Marshall, breaking roads	78 1 33 1 00 80 4 88	5))
Eugene Sullivan, breaking roads	10 00	108 63
$120\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor at \$1.25	150 69 $226 50$	
10 " " at \$15 per month	5 80)
503 " " " 13 " " 157 " " " 12 " "	$\begin{array}{c} 251 & 50 \\ 70 & 34 \end{array}$	
$599\frac{1}{2}$ " " 10 " "	230 5	
26 " " " 8 " " 26 " " " 6 " "	8 00 6 00	
E. Vickery, 8 weeks' part board at \$2.50	$\frac{0}{21} \frac{0}{50}$	
R. S. Burnham, 5 weeks' part board at	40 *	^
\$2.50	12 5	U
weeks' board at \$3.00	595 5	0 629 50
Paid D. W. Lane, services as surveyor		350 00
		\$3,010 02
RECAPITULATION.		
Hay and grain	504 1:	2
Supplies and sundries	51 3	7
Shoeing and repairing	$\begin{array}{c} 98 \ 6 \\ 78 \ 3 \end{array}$	
Serving notice	2 7	
Tax on teams	4 6	
Extra labor on highways Extra breaking roads	$\begin{array}{c} 232 \ 6 \\ 108 \ 6 \end{array}$	
347 days' labor	377 1	
1,321½ days' labor with board	$\begin{array}{c} 572 \ 1 \\ 629 \ 5 \end{array}$	•
Surveyor		
	350 0	-
<u> </u>	350 0	0
Charged to account of the poor for cutting		0
Charged to account of the poor for cutting and teaming wood and logs	350 0	0 - 2 0
Charged to account of the poor for cutting	\$3,010 0	0 - 2
Charged to account of the poor for cutting	\$3,010 0	0 -2 0 - \$2,935 02

D. W. LANE,

Highway Surveyor.

HIGHWAY TEAMS AND TOOLS.

Paid Daniel Duren, 1 horse	60	00°
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APPRAISAL OF HIGHWAY TEAMS AND TOOLS,

FEBRUARY 28, 1879.

1 horse	\$125	00
1 horse	75	00
1 horse	75	00
1 horse	75	00
1 cart	70	00
1 cart	30	00
1 wagon	40	00
1 scraper	25	
1 scraper	8	00
2 scrapers	10	00
3 scrapers		00
1 plow	10	00
2 eveners	3	50
		00
1 drag	30	
2 sleds		
2 double harnesses	140	
4 wrenches	1	25
12 shovels	8	00
5 pieks		00
Stone tools		50
2 chains	3	00
4 blankets	5	00
3 whips		75
1 pair pole straps	1	00
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\$750 00

James P. Emerson, Daniel P. Byam,

Committee.

ENLARGEMENT OF SCHOOL-HOUSE NO. 8.

Paid Jonathan Larcom, contract	\$1,334	00
Jonathan Larcom, lumber for old privy,	3	59
S. P. Sampson, stone for bank wall		75
S. P. Sampson, 7\frac{3}{4} days grading and re-		
pairing fence	9	68
S. P. Sampson, moving wood	2	00
H. W. Flint, putting in wood	3	50
Amount carried forward	\$1353	52

Amount brought forward	\$1353	52		
Paid Rogers, Taylor & Co., zinc, tacks, etc		49		
O. A. Richardson, keys		90		
E. Shaw & Son, screws	1	33		
Charles W. Flint, cleaning	3	00		
Charles W. Flint, labor on furniture and				
hooks	7	25		
J. C. Butterfield, services as building				
committee.	2	00		
J. J. Hoyt, services as building com-				
mittee	2	00	\$1,372	49
Received for ell sold\$75 00			,	
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FURNITURE FOR SCHOOL-HO	USE N	IO.	8.	
Paid Joseph L. Ross, for furniture	\$207	00		
B. & L. and N. & L. R. R., freight		09		
G. W. Aborn, stove		00		
B. & M. R. R., freight	, and the second	50		
A. L. Brooks & Co., lumber for crayon				
boxes	5	44		
Rice & Co., tinned wire cloth		00		
Silver & Gay, lumber, paint, and varnish,		94		
E. Shaw & Son, screws, nails, etc		43		
H. H. Wilder & Co., zinc, pipe and fix-	_	10		
tures	13	00		
W. T. Bradley, 3 chairs		75		
F. K. Ripley, labor		00		
Charles W. Flint, expense as committee		00		
Charles W. Flint, 12 days' labor		00	\$282	15
onaires (172 may 22 anje maeri)	20		\$202	10
FENCE AT SCHOOL-HOUSE	e No.	4.		
Paid Israel Putnam, building fence			\$50	00
STATE AID.				
Paid State aid, 1 year to February 28, 1879,	\$533	00		
State aid, under Chapter 282, acts of				
1878	100	00	\$633	00
Received from State for 1877 \$468 00				
CEMETERY AT WEST CHE	LMSFC	RI).	
Paid J. C. Butterfield, 380 ¹ feet fence			\$106	49
COLLECTION AND ABATEMENT	r of	TA	XES.	
Paid J. A. Bartlett, collecting taxes of 1877,	\$ 26	89		
A. H. Sheldon, " " 1878,			175	88
2010,		03	1,0	

TOWN OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES.

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Paid Dan'l P. Byam, reporting 3 deaths, 1877,	\$ 75		
Amos Glines, services as constable, 1877,	5 00		
I. Putnam, services as auditor, 1876-7	4 00		
Geo. A. Byam, " " 1877	2 00		
L. H. Sargent, " " 1877	2 00	13	75
Charles Proctor, reporting 13 deaths	3 25		
Dawson Pollard, " 10 "	$2\ 50$		
Dan'l P. Byam, " 11 "	275		
A. H. Sheldon, " 14 "	3 50	12	00
J. H. Whidden, services as constable	1 50		
C. L. Fuller, " "	5 00		
James P. Emerson " "	$29 \ 50$	36	00
Geo. A. Parkhurst, services as town clerk,	38 97		
" expense " "	8 80	47	77
E. H. Warren, services and expenses as		R.	
treasurer	58 00	58	00
Ziba Gay, services and expenses as as-			
sessor	19 00		
J. B. Emerson, services and expenses as			
assessor	61 75		
J. J. Hoyt, services and expenses as as-			
sessor	64 50		
E. P. Bean, services and expenses as as-			
sessor	6 00	151	25
J. B. Emerson, services and expenses as			
selectman	76 00		
Ziba Gay, services and expenses as select-			
man	80 00		
J. J. Hoyt, services and expenses as se-			
lectman	72 50		
Wm. Manning, services and expenses as			
selectman	12 00		
E. P. Bean, services and expenses as se-			
lectman	10 00	250	50
James P. Emerson, services as appraiser,	4 00		
D. P. Byam, "	2 00	6	00
		\$575	27

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid Stone, Huse & Co., order book, 1877 " 500 town reports,	\$ 4 00
1877	39 38 75
L. H. Sargent, registration notices " notices of board of health,	1 50
Amount carried forward	\$45 63

Amount brought forward	\$ 45	63		
Paid J. B. Emerson, postage and stationery.	7	89		
" " guide post and setting		75		
L. Lamphere, fuel for town hall, at Centre,	3	50		
" care of hall, November				
meeting	3	00		
L. Lamphere, repairs of hall, at Centre	1	00		
S. P. Sampson, " " "	1	00		
N. J. Duncan, repairs of hall at North				
Chelmsford	2	00		
N. J. Duncan, heating and lighting hall,				
for cavalry	23	75		
Charles Proctor, repairing pump		75		
A. H. Sheldon, 4½ days' labor at Ceme-				
tery	5	62	\$94	89
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Received of L. Lamphere, for use of hall, at				
Centre	2	50		
of N. J. Duncan, for use of hall, at North				
Chelmsford	5	00		
of Dawson Pollard, for sale of lots in				
Cemetery, West Chelmsford	14	00		
of State, for armory rent, to Jan. 1, 1879,	50	7.7		
	\$71	50		
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AGGREGATE OF APPROPRIATIONS, RECEIPTS, AND EXPENDITURES.

ACCOUNTS.	Appropr tions a Receip	ınd	Expen tures		Exc	ess.	Defic	ie'y.
Public Schools, appropriation	4,500						İ	
School fund	190							
Dog tax	199	33		~~	1			
Teaching			4,412					
Care			184					
Fuel			349	_			56	13
School apparatus, school fund	17	-		50				
School-house repairs, appropriation.				03	2	97		
School supplies, appropriation	100		101		- 3			06
School supervision, appropriation	250		306	06			56	06
Support of poor, appropriation	2,000							
Receipts	397		2,397	00	İ	98	ļ	
Highway repairs, appropriation	2,500							
Receipts	23	75	2,935	02			411	27
Highway teams, appropriation bal	58		60	00			1	34
School-house No. 8, appropriation	1,300	00					ĺ	
Receipts	75	00	1,372	49	2	51		
School furniture No. 8, appropriation	280	00	282	15			2	15
Fence, School No. 4, appropriation.	50	00	50	00			ļ	
Well, School No. 7, appropriation	100	00			100	00		
Cemetery W. Chelmsford, appr'n bal	423	02	106	49	316	53		
State aid, receipts	468	00	633	00			165	00
Collection of taxes, appropriation	250	00	175	88	74	12		
Repairs public buildings, appropri'n	200	00	248	05			48	05
Town officers and committees, appr'n		00	575	27	74	73		
Miscellaneous expenses, appropria'n	100	00						
Receipts	71		94	89	76	61		
Error in orders, receipts		58		58				
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			***************************************					_
	\$14,305	95	\$14,398	56			\$741	06
Balance	92	61			92	61		
	\$14,398	56	\$14,398	56	\$741	06	\$741	06
	" /		, , , , , ,				["	
Appropriations \$12,861 68	1 Am	onn	t of ord	ore		0.1	4,398	
Receipts	Am	Jun	o or ord	CIS.	• • • • •	ф1	x,000	90
Balance overdrawn 92 61								
Databee Overdrawn 32 01	•							
\$14,398 56						\$1	4,398	56
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J. B. EMERSON, ZIBA GAY, J. J. HOYT, WILLIAM MANNING, E. P. BEAN,

Selectmen.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

The auditing committee submit the following report on the accounts of the town for the year ending Feb. 28, 1879, which they find correctly cast and properly vouched for.

We find that the amount of orders drawn and vouched for by the selectmen, for the financial year ending at date, is	\$14,398	56		
And that the amount of orders outstanding at date of last settlement, was	64	40	\$14,462	96
And that the amount of orders paid by the		-		
treasurer in the year ending at date, is	\$14,024	25		
And that the amount of orders outstanding at date, is	438		#14 400	0.6
			\$14,462	96
We further find that there is due the town:				
from treasurer, cash on hand	\$817	07		
from J. A. Bartlett, collector of taxes 1877, for taxes	568	58		
from J. A. Bartlett, interest on taxes, 1877	103			
from J. A. Bartlett, overpayment for col-	100			
lection	2	56		
from A. H. Sheldon, collector of taxes				
1878, for taxes	2,582	28		
from A. H. Sheldon, interest on taxes,	C.A	= 0		
1878 from State, for State aid to January 1st,	64	96		
1879	616	50		
from State, for State aid for Jan. and	010	00		
Feb., 1879	89	00		
from State on pauper account	27	83		
from State, balance on corporation tax	82	73		
from book agency, cash, and books on				
hand	263	01	#.F 04 F	00
And that the town is indebted:			\$5,217	29
for Kimball fund	\$100	60		
for interest on do		50		
for estimated liabilities	220			
for estimated abatements on list of 1877.	100			
for estimated abatements on list of 1878.	100			
for outstanding orders	438	71		
			969	21
Assets over liabilities			\$4,248	08

LUTHER H. SARGENT, ISRAEL PUTNAM,

