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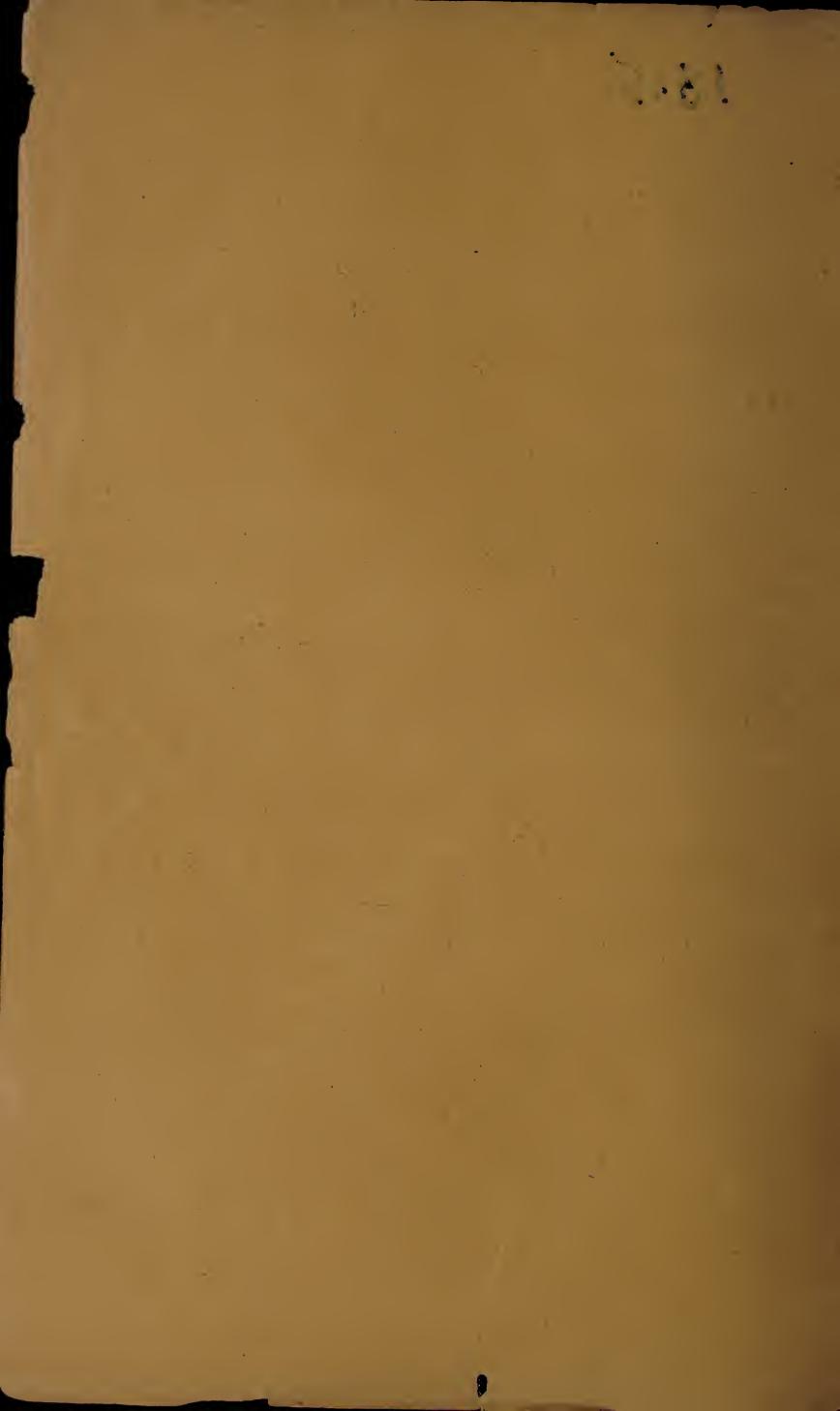
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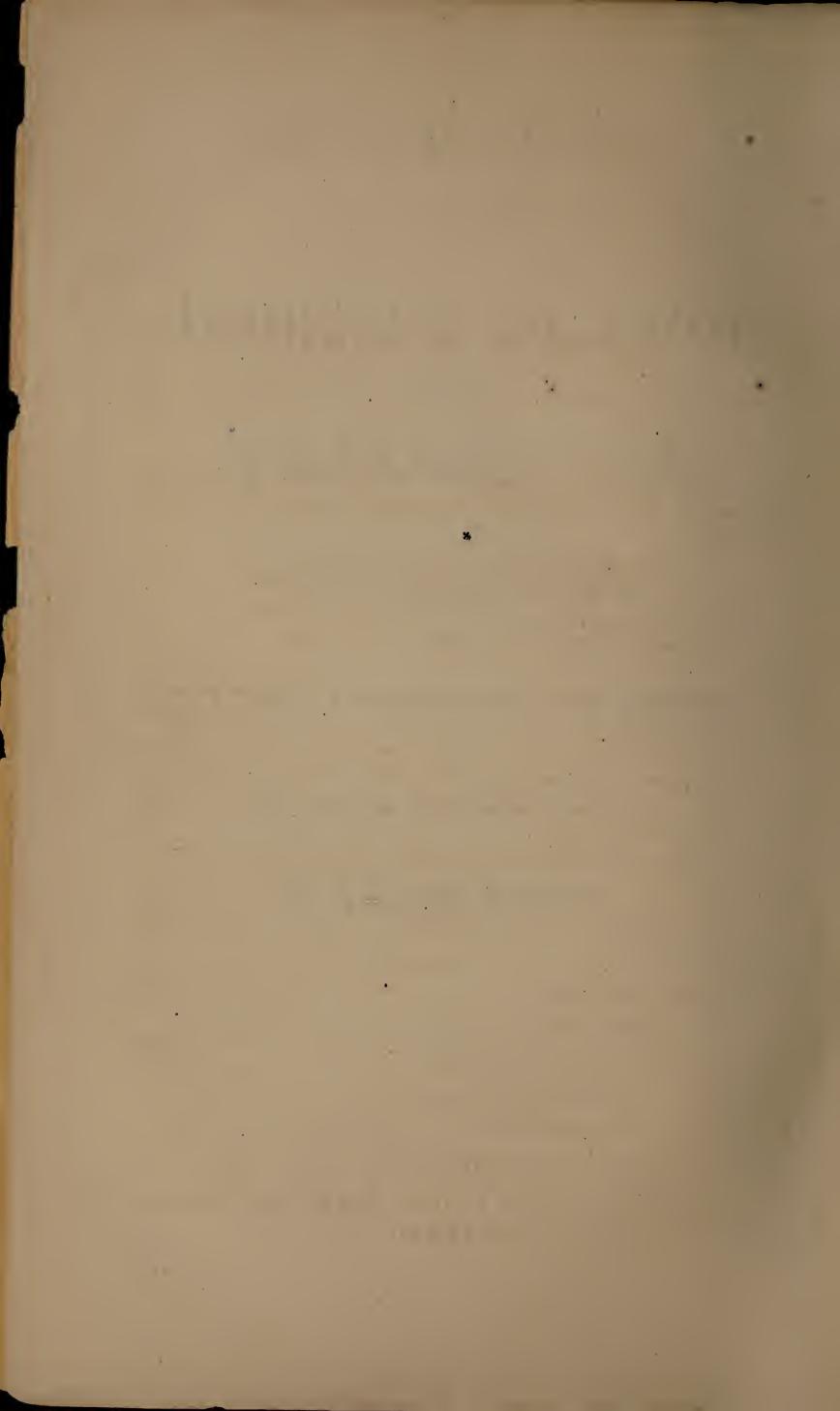
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REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

The Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth, for the year ending March 19, 1866, respectfully submit the following Report:—

We are happy in being able to congratulate the town on the fact that the favorable expectations which were expressed in the last Annual Report of the Selectmen, respecting the future expenditure of life and treasure for the maintenance of the integrity of the Union, have been fully justified by the fortunate result. During the year just closed, armed rebellion has been completely crushed, and the vanquished rebels subjected to the rightful authority of the government, with, comparatively, but slight additions to the vast sacrifice of wealth and blood which had already been so freely poured in defence of the National Unity.

Municipal, as well as the States and the National Government have entered upon the duty of reducing their expenditures to an amount less than that of their ordinary income; and we do not doubt that this town will, by her example and influence, desire to co-operate in the attainment of this object.

The expenditures of the past year have somewhat exceeded the estimates made at the last annual meeting, and this is largely due to the fact that the wages of labor have averaged higher than during any former year, in connection with the large exceptional expense incurred in the repair of the bridges over the Weymouth, Fore and Back Rivers; but owing to a change in the law respecting the manner of taxing bank shares, made since that meeting, the receipts for taxes have been less by some six or seven thousand dollars, than they would have been under the previously existing law.

Under the authority granted for that purpose, six per cent. bonds of the town to the amount of thirty thousand dollars, payable in five, nine and twelve years from date, have been issued and sold at a fraction less than two per cent. discount, which price is fully equal, we believe, to the highest quotations during the year for similar securities of any city or town in the State.

The town-way leading from High Street has been built in a superior manner the past year, under the superintendence of Mr. George W. Pratt, with the aid of the inmates of the almshouse; and we recommend that those new streets recently accepted by the town, which are situated within a convenient distance of the town-farm, should be worked under the charge of Mr. Pratt.

Guide-boards have been maintained substantially in accordance with the requirements of law.

The Liquor Agency has been continued in charge of Amos S. White, Esq., and his transactions are indicated in the amount annexed.

LIQUOR AGENCY.

	A. S. WHITE, A	gent f	for T	own (of Wey	mou	th.		
1866.								$\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{R}}$	
March 1.	To amount of cash	on h	and, l	ast s	ettleme	ent,		\$109	91
	amount of liqu	or on	hand	, last	settler	nent,	•	580	50
	amount of liqu	or pur	chase	ed sin	ce sett	leme	nt,		
	with percent	age a	dded,	•	•	•	•	2,467	90

								\$3,158	31
						CR.			
By amoun	t paid as per bills,	•		•	. \$2,	359	98		
amoun	t on hand, .	•		•		342	18		
amoun	t cash to balance,			•	•	456	15		
								\$3,158	31

Respectfully submitted,

A. S. WHITE, Agent.

SCHEDULE

OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH
—, 1866.

Received Town, County and State taxes,	\$57,541	73
State School Fund,	419	
for use of Town Hall,	. 123	0Ò
from Josiah Q. Spear, on note,	. 200	00
from Weymouth Bank, on notes,	63,000	00
from Town Bonds,	. 30,000	00
from Interest on Bonds,	419	95
from South Weymouth Bank, on note, .	6,000	00.
from Provost-Marshal of Commonwealth,	2,025	00
of Districts for assessing taxes,	. 115	00
of State Treasurer, to refund State Aid, 1864,	, 24,000	00
" " " 1863,	, 1,531	96
" " corporat'n taxes	, 1,052	14
on account of subscription Bounty Fund,	285	00
cash refunded by volunteers,	55	00
from Town of Hingham,	. 97	65
from Town of Braintree,	. 37	70
from Town of East Bridgewater,	. 10	00
from George Derby, board of wife,	. 32	00
from Albert Joyce, board of wife,	. 21	00
for license for circus,	. 10	00
from School Districts, for collecting taxes,	. 20	29
	#100007	9.4
	\$186,997	34

SCHOOLS.

		\$11,171	92
town's portion of the State School Fund was,	• •	419	92
increase of Alewive Fund,	•	252	00
The town grant for support of schools was, .		\$10,500	00

The town voted that the money raised for the support of schools should be expended under the direction of the school committee.

There was expended for the High Schools, and those in the several districts, as follows, viz.:—

NORTH 1	HIGE	I SC	HO	DL.				
Paid L. Z. Ferris, teacher, .							\$356	25
L. Z. Ferris, incidentals, 1	864.						3	
Nathan E. Willis, teacher,	•						562	50
William White, maps, fixtu		ec., 1	864,				8	
Bicknell & White, removir			. 1				22	50
Daniel Dyer, removing des	•	· ·						50
William White, rent of ro	-						105	00
William White, repairs,	· •			•	•		8	55
F. N. Tirrell, incidentals,	•		•		•		5	70
A. S. White, ink and craye	ons,	• •	•				3	49
						\$	1,080	04
SOUTH I	HIGH	SC	HOC	L.				
							\$850	00
Paid George A. Miller, teacher, Josiah Thompson, labor on		•	••	•	•	•		57
E. S. Wright, screws, .			•	•	•	•		31
John O. Foye, screws, .			•	•	•	•		25
F. H. Fearing, books and i			•	•	•	•		64
Freeman Curtis, books and				•	•	•	$\frac{33}{2}$	70
Jacob Loud & Co., gran. fu		Cittai		•	•	·		22
Peter W. Marlow, locks, &	•	•	•	•	•	·	3	77
C. C. Tower, desks, &c.,						·	36	82
Edgar S. Wright, fuel,							$\frac{1}{2}$	50
Edgar S. Wright, care of 1		•						00
Oran White, rent of room,							125	00
Oran White, use of room fo		ening	rs.					00
L. Tuck, repairing stoves,		•	•					55.
Joseph Loud & Co., coal,			•	•	•		33	
, ,								
						\$1	,171	08
DISTI	RICT	No.	1.					
Paid Susan B. Porter, teacher,						. 5	\$266	00
L. Maria Pratt, teacher,	•				•		228	00
Maria F. Burrell, teacher,		•		•		• .	209	00
A. Warren Stetson, coal,		•	•			•	100	00
Asa Nash, fuel,		•			•		7	20
Joseph Loud & Co., coal,	•	•			٠.	•	30	00

Paid Thomas Cleverly, care of rooms,	•	•	•	•	. \$75 00
John W. Bartlett, incidentals,	•	•	•		. 1 19
					\$916 39
					— фэто ээ
DISTRICT	No.	2.			
Paid Lucy W. Bisbee, teacher, .	•	•	•		. \$266 00
Joseph Loud & Co., coal, .	•	•			. 40 25
Jacob Loud & Co., gran. fuel,	•		•	•	. 7 00
Gilbert Nash, books for teacher,	•	•			. 11 12
John Nash, care of room, .	•	•			. 19 00
					\$343 37
DISTRICT	No.	3.			
Paid Franklin Jacobs, teacher, .					. \$475 00
S. Ellen Nash, ".				į	. 30.00
Hattie E. Bates, "		·	·	•	. 228 00
M. V. Raymond, "	•	•	•	•	. 214 00
M. D. Bicknell, ".	•	•	•	•	. 138 00
Maria L. Bates, ".	•	•	•	•	. 85 00
Kate E. French, ".	•	•	•	•	. 209 00
	•	•	•	•	. 126 50
Martha J. Stevens, "	•	•	•		
Saran o. Cushing,	•	•	•	•	. 60 00
Elijah Hobart Jr., fuel,	•	•	•	•	. 99 00
William Rice, "	•	•	•	•	. 35 50
Jotham Pratt, preparing fuel,	•	•	•	•	. 48 50
William W. Raymond, care of re	Ť	•	•	•	. 90 30
Henry Loud, books, crayons, &c.	, ,	•	•	•	. 20 29
Bicknell Brothers, ink, &c.,	•	•	•	•	. 8 .05
					\$1,867 14
					Ψ1,001 14
DISTRICT	No.	4.			
Paid Mary E. Dowse, teacher, .	•	•	•	•	. \$228 00
Mary Ella Hunt, " .	•	•	•	•	. 209 00
Joseph Loud & Co., coal, .	•	•	•	•	. 33 00
Jacob Loud & Co., gran. fuel,	•	•	•	•	. 14 00
A. W. Tilden, care of rooms,		•		•	. 25 00
					\$509 00
DISTRICT	No.	5.			
Paid Priscilla B. Shaw, teacher, .					. \$266 00
Lydia T. Cushing, " .					. 209 00
Lizzie L. Cushing, ".					. 209 00
Zizzio Zi. Cushing,		•		•	200 00

Paid	Joseph Loud & Co., coal, .		•	. 7		\$44	00
	Jacob Loud & Co., gran. fuel,					7	00
	Asa Pool, care of rooms, .	•	•	•		38	50
	Lydia T. Cushing, care of rooms	,	•	•		5	00
	Asa Pool, care of rooms, 1864,	•	. *	•		. 11	20
						\$789	70
	DISTRICT	No.	6.				
Paid	Alline S. Williams, teacher,					. \$266	00
Laid	Jennie Fairbanks, ".					209	
	Joseph Loud & Co., coal, .		į			91	
	Jacob Loud & Co., gran. fuel,	į	·				28
	Charles Andrews, care of rooms,	•	•	•		35	
	Charles Illiurows, care or rooms,	•					
•						\$608	66
	DISTRICT	No.	7.				
Poid		2.00	••			. \$266	00
1 aiu	S. Louisa Vining, teacher, . Mary E. Allen. "	•	•	•	•	. 209	
	mary D. Allon,	•	•	•		. 228	
	Carrie 11. Dovert,	•	•	•	•		
	maira A. moirin,	•	•	•	•	. 209	
	inzzie m. maie,	•	•	•	•	. 91	
	Sarah D. Lackard,	•	•	•	•	. 228	00
	Mary D. Williams,	•	•	•	•	. 84	00
	Liairico L. Willing	•	•	•	•		
	Joseph Loud & Co., coal, .	•	•	•	•		00
	A. Warren Stetson, ".	•	•	•	•		50
•	Jacob Loud & Co., gran. fuel,	•	•	•	•	•	82
	John Shores, fuel,	•	•	•	•	. 21	
	John M. Whitcomb, care of room	ıs,	•	•	•		00
	J. B. Howe, care of rooms, .	•	•	•	•		00
•	John Shores, care of rooms,	•	•	•	•		00
	Charles Hollis, care of rooms,	•	•	•	•	. 15	50
						\$1,687	82
	DISTRICT	No.	8.				
Paid	Carrie M. Parker, teacher,					. \$228	00
	A. Clementine Orcutt, "					. 209	00
	A. Clementine Orcutt, " 1864	4.				. 19	00
	Joseph Loud & Co., coal, .	-,					25
	A. Warren Stetson, "						75
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	•	•	•	•	12	

Paid	Warren Thayer, fuel, Warren Thayer, care of rooms,	•	-		٠	. \$10	
	warren Thayer, care or rooms,	•	·	·	7		
						\$532	00
	DISTRICT	N	o. 9.				
Paid	Thomas H. West, teacher,	•			4.	. \$475	00
	Carrie F. Trott, "		•	•		. 228	00
1	Julia A. Baker, "		•	. •		. 228	00
	Amy M. Adlington, "	•				. 209.	00
	Adalaide A. Keeler, "		•			. 209	00
	Joseph Loud & Co., coal, .					. 123	90
	Jacob Loud & Co., gran. fuel,	•		•		. 17	00
	R. K. Trott, care of rooms,	•	•	•		. 100	00
	George A. Bailey, care of room	ns,	•	•	•	. 2	10
	A. S. White, books, &c.,	•	•	•	•	. 53	47
						\$1,645	<u></u>
						Ψ1,040	X 1
	DISTRICT	No	. 10.				
Paid	Lizzie L. Howe, teacher, .					. \$168	00
	M. Louisa Graves, ".	•	•	•			00
	Lizzie A. Rice, ".	•	•	•			00
	George W. Fay, dictionary,						00
	Joseph Loud & Co., coal, .						
	A. Warren Stetson, " .					. 12	
	J. N. Bates, ink, &c.,				•	. 5	
	Henry Loud, books, &c., .	•		•		. 12	30
	Samuel W. Kingman, care of ro	oms	, .			. 25	00
	Daniel Dyer, gran. fuel, .	•	•		•	. 7	00
						\$568	90
Expe	ense of High Schools,					\$2,251	12
•	of District Schools,	•	•		. "	9,468	
						\$11,719	 57
Amor	unt expended for Schools, .					\$11,719	57
	and on pondod for pondois.						
	appropriated,	٠	•	•	•	11,171	

HIGHWAYS, TOWNWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid	Elisha Pratt, 1st District, .	•	•	•	•	•	\$277	27
	Charles Humphrey, 2d District,			•			241	85
	Jacob French, 3d District, .					:	385	92
	Charles E. Hunt, 4th District,	•	•				261	72
	Loring Tirrell, 5th District,	•	•				276	66
	Joseph Hawes, 6th District,		•				361	15
	Ezra Reed, 7th District, .						279	87
	Joseph B. Howe, 8th District,						277	27
	Charles H. Williams, 9th Distri	ict,	•				335	75
	David Pratt, 10th District, .	·					306	$5\dot{5}$
	Eliphalet Loud, 11th District,						215	00
	George Bennett, 2d District,						14	53
	, ,					-		
						\$	3,233	54
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~	Land Damage and		•					~ ^
Paid	George W. Huntress, interest or				٠	•	\$1	50
	Albert Humphrey, land for str	reet fr	om (Comme	ercial			
	to Broad Street,	•	•	•	•	٠	6	00
	George W. Pratt, building stree	t from	High	n to S	chool			
		•		•	•	٠	225	00
	John C. Rhines, lumber for	bridge	e on	Colu	mbia			
	Street,	•	•	•	•	•	46	20
	Quincy L. Reed, lumber for	bridg	e on	Colu	mbia			
	Street,			•	•	•	30	42
	Ephraim Bradford, labor on	bridge	e on	Colu	mbia			
	Street,	•	•	•	•	•	28	00
	Jacob French, labor and lumber	for b	ridge	over	canal			
	•	•	•	•	•	•	131	01
	Jacob French, railing on Broad	Stree	et,	•		•	47	27
	Joseph Hawes, railing on Waln	ut Str	eet,	•	•	•	20	75
	Charles H. Williams, building	drain	corne	r Was	hing-			
	ton and Broad Streets, .	• .	•			•	63	73
						-	# * 0 0	
							\$599	88
	Hingham and Q	uincu	Brid	lges.				
Paid	James Humphrey, Treasurer of	•		•		4	2,047	00
T and	coames frumphrey, freasurer of	LTUS	ices,	•	1	40	2,041	00

Exp	ense of re	moving	Snor	w.			,
Paid Elisha Pratt, .			•	•	4.	. \$10	60
Charles Humphrey,	• •	•	•	•		. 8	50
Jacob French, .	•	•	•			. 20	83
Charles E. Hunt,		•			•	. 27	00
Loring Tirrell, .						. 12	00
Joseph Hawes, .		•	•	•	•	. 7	50
Ezra Reed, .		•	•	•	•	. 5	75
Joseph B. Howe,		•	•	•	•	3	15
Charles H. Williams	s,		•	•	•	. 10	00
David Pratt, Jr., .		•	•	•	•	. 11	60
Eliphalet Loud, Jr.,		•	•	•	•	. 3	00
						\$119	93
Summ	nary of Es	rnense (m Ro	ads.			
Paid to Highway Survey		op omoo	770 100			\$3,233	51
for land damage and		ronda	•	•	•	φυ,200 599	
for repairs of Hingh	_			•	•	2,047	
for removing snow,		•		·, •	•	119	
for removing show,	•	•	•				
						\$6,000	35
There is due from the T	Turako a a	£ 41.0	TT: ~1		and		
There is due from the T	rustees o	or the	Hingi	nam	and	1.00	00
Quincy bridges, .	• •	•	•	•	•	160	
						\$5,840	35
						" /	
			-				
ТО	WN	HOU	USI	E .			
Paid J. C. Ford, labor and	d stock,	•		•		. \$16	53
Samuel Burrell, oil,	·	•		•	•	. 26	
Joseph Loud & Co.,				•		. 12	
Jacob Loud & Co., g	·	•			•		32
L. M. Pratt, stove pi			•				70
Francis Tirrell, care		•	•	•	•	. 38	
	,						
						\$99	61

TOWN OFFICERS.

		. 4	Town	Cle	rk.					
Francis Ambler, .			•	•			\$42	00		
Francis Ambler, for				rd,	•	•	165		#207	00
		Treasi		J (Y . 77			_	\$207	00
TU - D'-1 - Jr							መ ያል 2	00		
Elias Richards, serv					•	•	\$325			
Gilman Burrell, .	•	•	•	•	•	•	5	00	330	00
. See	electn	nen an	d Ove	ersee	rs of	the I	Poor.			
James Humphrey, s					•			26		
Z. L. Bicknell,	66	66	_	6	•		218			
Oliver Loud,	"	"	4	6		•	183			
Noah Vining,	"	"	6				3	50		
Samuel Curtis,	. 66	"	•	6	•		11	00		
									691	16
			Asse	ssors	•					
Elias Richards, serv	rices	and e	xpens	es,		•	\$194	70		
William W. Raymo			-		enses	, .	224	00		
Quincy L. Reed,	ŕ	"	"	"		•	210	75		
-1									629	45
		Sch	iool C	omm	ittee.					
John W. Loud,					•		\$46	7 5		
Josiah H. Pratt,				•			16	00		
Gilbert Nash, .		•			•		24	00		
George W. Fay,	•		•			•	38	25		
Benj. T. Dowse,	•		•	• -	•	•	67	08		
Oliver Loud,	• -	6.	• =	•`			11	25		
William Dyer,	• •	•		•	•	•	33	00		
C. C. Tower,	•	• •	•	•			45	65		•
S. H. Hayes, .		•	•)	. •		•	72	39		
Geo. M. Reed,		•	•	•	•	•	15	75		
J. N. Bates, .			•	• •	•	•	20	00		
George N. Blancha	•	•	•	•	•	•	22	50		
Leonidas F. Pratt,	•	•	•	•	•	•	6	25	410	0.77
-									418	87
	Con	stables	and	Pol	ice C	fficer	rs.			
George W. White,							\$19	70		
William Stoddard,	•		•	•				00		
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		•			,				
Jacob N. Bates,	•	•		•		•	\$5 50		
Benjamin H. Evere	tt,	•					16 00		
Wilmot Cleverly,	• 111	• 0		•			14 01		
Samuel Curtis,			• .	•			9 00		
A. J. Mason, .	• .	• ,		•	•		9 00		
Charles Humble,							9 00		
George Shaw, .	• ,	• .	• .		• .		9 00		
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				٠				\$2,398	<u></u>
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MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid	Wright & Potter for	r printing	, •	•	•	•		\$630	06
	Andrew J. Randall,	. "					31.	6	00
	Samuel P. Brown,	. "	•			•		20	00
	E. F. Hall, rent of	lock-up,	•,			•		40	00
	Ephraim Bradford,	returning	deaths,	•	•	•		1	50
	Isaac Lawrence,	"	"	•	•			2	90
	Samuel Curtis,	66	"					8	50
	Dr. C. C. Tower, re	turning b	irths,			•		10	00
	Dr. G. W. Fay,	"	66	•	•	•		6	25
	Dr. N. Q. Tirrell,	"	66	•	•			10	25
	Dr. E. L. Warren,	"	"		•	•	•	4	50
	Noah Vining, distrib	buting sch	edules,	•	•	•		4	00
	Cotton Bates,	"	66		•	•	•	2	00
	Hallgreen & Warre	n, blank l	books,		•	•	•	6	00
	Thomas Groom,	66	66	•			. 1	22	15
	Stephen Smith, desl	χ, .			•		•	45	00
	Asa B. Wales, Com	mittee on	School	Distr	icts,		•	6	00
	M. K. Pratt, refresh	iments at	fire at 1	Dr. $\dot{\mathbf{F}}$	ifield,		.0	14	90
	State Reform School	l, for Joh	n P. Da	iley,			•	16	71
	Nautical School, for			•	•		•	14	00
	John Tirrell, dinner	s School	Committ	tee,				5	00
	Gilbert Nash, "	66	"		•	•		10	00
	William Bartlett, co	unterfeit	money,	•		•	•	2	00
	Oran White, ex-Tre							3	00
	Elias Richards, ex-	reasurer'	's accour	nt,	•	•		4	00
	Wilmot Cleverly, ex	x-Treasur	er's acco	ount,	•			2	00
	Wilmot Cleverly, di						11.	2	00
	Frank Nash, distrib	O		- 11				1	00
	Weymouth Post Off							12	97

Paid White & Burrell, carriage hire,		\$13 00
B. F. White, commissioner on claim of Jacob Loud,	, .	4 00
F. Ambler, stationery,		2 25
A. Mudge & Son, printing,		10 00
E. L. Haskins, transporting soldiers,		15 00
J. Binney & Co., refreshments, funeral of F. J. Ga	ım-	
mons,		24 98
A. S. White, books family William Sliney,		1 00
" " John Connor, . · .		25
" " " Widow J. Binney, .		25
" " " J. Hassett,		1 00
" " " R. Sealy,		2 20
" " " Mrs. Viger,	•	25
Asa B. Wales, dinners to county commissioners, .		6 75
Dr. F. F. Forsaith, returning deaths,		6 50
Quincy L. Reed, surveying,	1.	24 00
Bicknell Brothers, stationery,		20 82
Samuel Curtis, printing,	•	6 25
	\$	1,051 23

AID FURNISHED TO FAMILIES OF VOLUNTEERS.

George M. Adams,	\$18	00	Boyle D. Hill, \$104 00
Austin P. Beard,	18	00	Lyman T. Holmes, 5 00
Simeon Bearce,	48	00	Thomas B. Loud, 18 00
Ferdinand J. Barnes,	48	00	Charles G. Morrill, 18 00
Frederick T. Bicknell, .	52	00	Terrence Murphy, 5 00
Charles E. Bicknell,	18	00	Samuel Pray, 48 00
Henry F. Cushing,	48	00	Asa B. Pratt, 32 00
William Carney,	20	00	Benjamin F. Pratt, 2d, . 10 00
Charles A. Crocker,	77	00	Benjamin F. Pratt, 3d, . 36 00
Benjamin L. Cady,	48	00	William P. Rice, 48 00
Daniel L. Chapman,	36	00	Michael Riley, 161 50
John W. Dalton,	66	00	William H. Richards, 18 00
Frederick J. Gammons, .	104	00	David P. Richards, 48 00
Jasen A. Gardner,	48	00	Edgar H. Trufant, 24 00
Patrick Gloster,	5	00	Alfred W. Tirrell, 12 00
Richard M. Holbrook,	18	00	Stillman Thayer, 48 00
John Q. Hunt,	48	00	Lawrence A. Ware, 18 00
Adoniram B. Hollis,	48	00	Anson F. Bicknell, 38 00

Leavitt Bates,	\$20 00	George Hollis, \$40 00)
Levi L. Bates,			
Charles W. Bates,)
Charles H. Baker,	40 00		
Thomas S. Blanchard,			
John Blanchard, Jr.,	54 00	Samuel R. Loud, 40 00	0
Michael Buckmaster,	40 00	John A. Loud, 20 00	0
John G. Burrell,	54 00	Charles H. Leonard, 20 00)
S. Edgar Burrell,			
Joseph H. Burrell, Jr., .	54 00	Jacob R. Lovell, 54 00	C
William H. Clapp,	54 00	Frank G. Lovett, 40 00	0
George C. Cushing,			0
Bradford Chandler,			0
Daniel Connor,	54 00	Alonzo R. Miller, 40 00	0
Roswell L. Corban,	54 00	James F. Moran, 40 00	0
Andrew Culley,	40 00	Royal Norton, 54 00	0
Elbridge G. Cushing,	54 00	Charles Orcutt, 40 0	0
Frederick O. Cushing,	54 00	William Orcutt, 54 0	0
Israel A. Daily,	54 00	Benjamin W. Orcutt, 25 0	0
Benjamin R. Dean,			0
George H. Doble,	40 00	Stephen K. Philbrick, . 54 0	
Stephen Donahue,	54 00	Martin L. Randall, 54 0	0
		Winslow M. Rickard, 54 0	
Patrick O. Donnell,	54 00	Charles N. Richards, 40 0	0
David Dunbar,	20 00	George Shaw, 40 0	0
Edward A. Falvy,	54 00	Elisha F. Shaw, 20 0	0
William H. Farmer,	40 00	Robert G. Skinner, 54 0	0
Harrison Faulkner,	40 00	Addison Stoddard, 38 0	0
Michael Ford,	40 00	Joseph F. Taylor, 40 0	0
Samuel E. Gay,	54 00	Zenas M. Thompson, 20 0	0
John O. Gay,	54 00	Allen Thomas, 40 0	0
Henry A. Gardner,	20 00	Edwin Thomas, 40 0	0
John Gillegan,	40 00	John Thomas, 54 0	0
William A. Goodwin,	20 00	Charles R. Trott, 10 0	0
William O. Holbrook,	31 00	Winfield B. Tirrell, 20 0	0
Jeremiah Holbrook,	54 00	Joseph E. Torrey, 54 0	0
George Holbrook,	38 00	F. Sumner Torrey, 40 0	0
Edward Halligan,	54 00	•	
Samuel W Hunt,	54 00		
John F. Hollis,			0
Isaac N. Hollis, Jr.,	54 00	Calvin F. White, 40 0	
John Q. Hollis,	54 00	Nathan Weeks, 40 0	0

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Alfred G. Adlington, \$30 00 Francis Allen, 52 00	John Fennell, 104 00
Walter B. Allison, 52 00	
Christopher T. Bailey, . 72 00	
George W. Bicknell, 26 00	Patrick Fraher, 44 00
Mark M. Blanchard, 72 00	
Thomas Brady, 69 00	Gerry Fairbanks, 48 00
Richmond Burrell, 54 00	Nicholas Fitzsimmons, 26 00
Leonard E. Baker, 104 00	John Flynn,
Lewis D. Bates, 24 00	John M. Goodwin, 104 00
Andrew J. Baker, 48 00	
George E. Bates, 95 00	Otis R. Hamilton, 70 00
Frederick H. Bowditch, . 62 00	Augustus Hesse, 36 00
Robert B. Barnes, 36 00	
George W. Bodge, 54 00	Henry M. Hunt, 6 00
Otis S. Blanchard, 48 00	Michael Hart, 84 00
John Carroll, 52 00	
Edward Cushing, 106 00	Lucius M. Hamilton, 36 00
Frederick B. Colson, 35 00	Lewis M. Howard, 26 00
Edward B. Chessman, 197 50	
Stephen Cain, Jr., 44 00	
Patrick Cotter, 52 00	Nelson E. Hayden, 84 00
William L. Cummings, . 42 00	Oliver Houghton 40 00
	Warren E. Holt, 70 00
Galen A. Carter, 68 00	
John Childs, 84 00	Nelson S. Jackson, 60 00
Amos R. Cooledge, 36 00	
George F. Cushing, 36 00	
William N. Cushing, 44 00	
James M. Cutting, 108 00	Samuel D. Linnell, 59 00
Jason L. Deshon, 26 00	Lemuel P. Littlefield, 5 00
Joshua Day, 22 00	Patrick Lines, 131 00
Elias H. Deere, 31 00	David J. Lantz, 108 00
Isaac B. Damon, 12 00	Daniel E. Louney, 95 74
John Dunn, 70 00	Ezra W. Leach, 88 00
Frank Derby, 74 00	George F. Lindsey, 104 00
Jesse L. Davis, 38 00	
Lewis Duval, 18 00	Henry Leach, 52 00
Paul A Dudley, 104 00	
Greenleaf C. Day, 106 00	
George F. Durgin, 46 00	Henry B. Makepeace, 18 00
Edward Early, 104 00	William H. Matthews, . 38 00

Joseph Moran, \$96 00	Francis Smith, \$104 00
William McDavitt, 18 00	Albert Thomas, 95 00
William C. Nash, 36,00	1
Daniel Nolan, 18 00	
James Nolan, 36 00	
Benjamin Naylor, 26 00	-
Frank Osborne, 20 00	
James Oliver, 52 00	
Josiah Q. Pratt, 100 00	
Henry Perry, 16 00	
William J. Pedman, 80 00	Sumner Thompson, 144 00
George H. Pratt, 88 00	George H. Vining, 31 00
Leander Pratt, 106 00	Sanford White, 68 00
Thomas W. Pray, 84 00	Charles D. Whiting, 35 00
Clinton F. Pope, 18 00	
George Hiram Pratt, 60 00	Gilbert F. Willett, 168 00
John Parry, 18 00	Eugene F. Williams, 22 00
Francis A. Puttillow, 44 00	_
Jeremiah Quinn, 78 00	James Ward, Jr., 63 00
Daniel F. Rogers, 104 00	Lorenzo White, 44 00
Franklin Reed, 42 00	James Welch, 62 00
Joseph H. Reamy, 39 00	Thomas M. Whitcher, 26 00
Stephen L. Rice, 18 00	Rocius Walker, 104 00
James Ryan, 104 20	Job Young, 36 00
Horace B. Raymond, 10 00	E. L. Warren, medical at-
Henry T. Rennard, 30 00	tendance M. Riley, 125 00
Benjamin F. Robinson, . 24 00	Dr. Cabot, medical attend-
Lucius M. Risley, 52 00	• ance M. Riley, 30 00
Walter H Sargent, 36 00	L. T. Brown, medicines
Reuben Sutton, 10 00	M. Riley, 114 14
Edmund Slattery, 96 00	N. Stowell, Jr., goods M.
Patrick J. Shaw, 60 00	Riley, 223 28
Gideon R. Swan, 40 00	
Charles Smith, 26 00	\$13,700 09
Richard B. Smith, 36 00	
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Francis Allen, .	•	•		•		•		. 12	5 00
Augustus Hanks,	•	•	•	•	•			. 10	0 00
Lawrence Turner,	•	•		•	•			. 10	0 00
John Ward, .	•	•			•			. 10	0 00
George Foster, .	. 1		•		•			. 10	00 0
H. Newton, .					•			. 10	0 00
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John A. Loud,	"	•	•	•	•	100 00
Henry F. Pratt,	"	•	•	•	·	200 00
Anson F. Bicknell,	"	-	•	•	.•	175 00
William A. Goodwin,	"	•	•	•	•	150 00
Stephen McGill,	"	•	•	•	•	600 00
William Long,	"	•	•		·	100:00
John Parry,	"	į	•	•		350 00
J. P. Terry,	"	Ţ			Ţ	500 00
Edmund G. Bates,	"					800 00
Leavitt Bates,	"					200 00
E. Baldwin,	"					200 00
E. C. Crocker,	"					200 00
Timothy Carey,	"					190 00
I. N. Hollis, Jr.,	"	•	•	•		75.00
Mary E. White,	"	•		•	•	200 00
Seldon Kimball,	"	•		•	•	3 25 00
Alonzo H. Leonard,	"	•	•	•	•	200 00
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Provident " "	"	•	•	•	•	360 00
Weymouth Bank,	"	•	•	•	•	2,151 00
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Everett Baldwin,	" .	•	•	•	. 12 83	
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Eugene S. Williams,	"	•	•	•	. 24 00	
Ellery C. Crocker,	"	•	•	•	. 13 00	
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RECAPITULATION.

EXPENDITURES.

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On account of Schools, .							
of Roads, .	•	•	•	5,840	35		
of Town House,		•	•	99	61		
of Town Officers,	•		•	2,398	69		
Miscellaneous,	•	•	•	1,051	23		
Aid to Families of Volunteer	rs, .	•		13,7 00	09		
Reception of Returned Volume	nteers,	•	•	890	00		
Bounties to Volunteers, .	•	•	•	875	00		
Town Aid to Drafted Men,	•	•	•	384	00		
Town Poor,							
On Notes,	•		•	116,008	47		
Interest,	•	•	•	7,686			
State Tax,	•	•	•	18,565	00		
County Tax,	•	•	•	2,530	43		
Discount and Remittances, .	•	• *	•	2,325	21		
On account of House of P. 1	Nadell,	•	•	293	00		
of Salt Meadow,	•	•	•	130	00		
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Note due Horatio A. Davis,	. \$160 00
Thomas Derby. Jr.,	. 150 00
Harrison Faulkner,	. 100 00
· Albert Sumner,	. 250 00
Josiah Q. Spear,	. 200 00
Ten Bonds due 1871—5 per cent.,	. 10,000 00
" " " 1873—5 " "	. 10,000 00
" " " 1875 <u>—</u> 5 " " . · ·	. 10,000 00
Twenty-five Bonds, due 1870—6 per cent.,	. 2,500 00
Twenty-three " " 1874—6 " "	. 11,500 00
Sixteen " 1877—6" "	. 16,000 00
	. 10,000 00
	\$85,450 00
Due on unpaid Orders,	. 3,135 36
,	
	\$88,585 36
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ASSETS.	
Cash in hands of Treasurer, \$1,244 95	
Balance of Aid due from State, for 1864, . 1,366 86	
" " " " 1865, . 16,498 12	
" " from January	
1st to March 1st, 1866, . 300 00	
Nadell House, in Marshfield, 425 00	
Due from Trustees of Hingham and Quincy	
Bridges, 160 00	
	19,994 93
-	\$68,590 43

JAMES HUMPHREY, Z. L. BICKNELL, OLIVER LOUD,

Selectmen of Weymouth.

REPORT OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

The undersigned, Overseers of the Poor of the Town of Weymouth for the current year, respectfully submit the following Report:—

In accordance with the custom of our predecessors, the schedule of receipts and expenditures, hereto annexed, embraces the year ending February 1, 1866, thus covering a portion of the accounts of the former Board. The Almshouse remained in the charge of Mrs. Martin until April 1, 1865, when Mr. George W. Pratt assumed the superintendence of the house and farm under a contract for one year, at a salary of three hundred and fifty dollars. Mr. Pratt's long experience in the duties of his position has enabled him to discharge them to our entire satisfaction; and we are happy to believe that the paupers under their charge have been treated by both Mr. and Mrs. Pratt with the most humane consideration, and that the condition of the house and of its inmates has been in the highest degree creditable to the present master and matron, and to the town.

The number of paupers in the house at the commencement of the year was twenty-two; the whole number during the year, thirty-eight; the number at the close of the year, twenty-nine; and the average number, twenty-three.

The products of the farm during the year, owing to the extreme drought, were much less than usual; and this result, in connection with the omission of the town at the last annual meeting to make an appropriation for highway purposes, to be worked by the inmates of the Almshouse, has caused a very considerable reduction in the receipts of the house, and consequent increase in the cost of the support of the paupers.

The change in the manner of making the inventory of stock, &c., on the farm, and in making up the accounts of the Almshouse adopted this year, and the large expenditures absolutely

required for refurnishing the house with those articles of which the stock had become exhausted, in consequence of the long continuance of high prices, (none of which additions appear in the inventory,) have also materially contributed to swell the apparent expense of the support of the poor in the house, which has been two dollars and forty-two cents per week for each pauper.

The large expense annually incurred for the support of insane paupers in the State Lunatic Asylums, render it expedient, in the judgment of the undersigned, that those of them whose cases offer no reasonable hope of present recovery, should be removed to the Almshouse, after making such arrangements as will secure their safe and comfortable keeping.

Account of Goods, &c., bought and Bills paid 1865-66.

Account of Goods, &c.	., oou	jiu an	u Du	us pur	<i>a</i> 100	–رر	.00.	
Bicknell Brothers, goods	, •	•	•				\$1,013	58
Joseph Loud & Co.,.	•	•			•		639	76
M. H. Read,	•	• ·		•		•	74	33
Henry Loud,		•		•	•	•	78	66
M. K. Pratt,	•	•			•	•	54	38
J. Binney & Co		•	•				92	19
L. P. Hatch,		•	•	•	•	•	15	19
N. Stowell, Jr.,			•	•	•	•	8	22
John O. Foye,.	•			•	•	•	30	81
J. M. Goodhue, .	•	•	•	•		•	3	90
B. F. Shaw,				•	•			75
George W. Simmons & (Co.,						14	50
George A. Fenno, .	•	•	•	•	•	•	5	50
Josiah Martin, meat,			•	•	•		139	06
Joseph Crane, meat,.	•		•	•	•	•	45	12
Clapp & Willis, meat,		•	•	•			21	51
A. Raymond, Jr., meat,	•	•	•	•	•		4	61
Dyer & Frost, meat,			•	. 1		•	5	20
		•				•	5	06
		•		•	•		19	68
-	•			•			26	20
A. S. Howe, bread, .		•	•			•	23	95
Dried apples and vegetab	les,					•	4	95
T. B. Porter, potatoes,	•	•		•			2	00
J. Torrey, soap, .							8	25
L. M. Pratt, tin ware,								87
H. W. Sinclair, tin ware,		•					8	17
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Paid	J. I. Bates, tin ware, .	•		•	•	\$10	02
	N. F. Smalley, tin ware, .	•			•	2	35
·	Milk pails,					1	24
	N. Corthell, cheese tub, .	•			•	3	50
	Alewives,	•		•	•	3	00
	R. Lowell, butchering, .	•		•	•	1	25
	R. V. Barnes, butchering,	•			•	8	75
	Solomon Lovell, ice, .	•				12	00
	P. Lane, seed,	•	• 1				60
	J. Breck & Son, seed, .	•			•	12	85
	Garden seed,	•	•	•		3	03
	N. Fifield, wood,	•	•		•	17	50
	Calvin Dyer, wood,	•				23	75
	C. W. Seymour, wood, .					25	
	Thomas White, wood,					9	50
	S. Estes, cutting wood, .						25
	P. Sullivan, cutting wood,	·				9	00
	A. Morrison & Sons, yarn,	•			į	11	24
	Boot and shoe stock,	•	•				89
	Findings,	•	•		į		25
	John Crane & Son, shoes, &c.,	•	•	•	•	10	18
	E. Pearce, N. F. oil,	•	•	•	•	1	25
	Dr. E. L. Warren, medical att	· ·	•	•	•	12	50
	Dr. G. W. Fay, medical attended			•	•	6	
	Dr. A. G. Nye, medical attend	•		•	•	1	50
	•		•	•	•	17	70
	A. S. White, books and medici		•	•	•	1	24
	Medicine, &c.,	•	•	•	•		
	Samuel W. King, services,	•	•	•	•		75
	E. Nickerson & Co., fish, .	•	•	•	•	10	00
	Goss & Crosby, butter, .	•	•	•	•	20	79
	A. B. Wales, curing hams,	•	• ·	•	•		80
	S. Curtis, funeral expenses, W				•		00
	S. Curtis, funeral expenses, St			•	•		00
	S. Curtis, funeral expenses, As		· 1	•	•		00
	F. Whitmarsh, watching with		att,	•	•	1	00
	F. Whitmarsh, shaving S. Pra	itt,		•	•	4.	38
	Pew rent,	•	•	•	•	10	
	B. H. Everett, labor and stock	•	•	•	•	60	22
	J. C. Ford, labor and stock,	•		•	•	22	06
	M. Burrell, Jr., labor and stock	•		•	• •	7	54
	W. T. Burrell, labor and stock	ζ,	•	•	•	12	67
	William Coyle, labor, .	•	•	•	•	25	00
	Chandler Ratcliffe, labor,			•	•	12	50

Paid	Josiah Copeland, labor,							\$2	00
1 010	Daniel Cohan, labor,				•				50
	Francis Shaw, labor,	:	•	•	•			19	
	Isaac Binney, labor,	•	•	•	•	•			00
	Mrs. French, labor, .	•	•	•	•	•	•		50
	Mrs. Richards, labor,	•	•	•	•	•	•	10	
	Mrs. Davis, labor,	•	•	•	•				50
	Mrs. Evans, labor, .	•		•	•		•		75
		•	•		•	•			00
	J. W. Welch, labor, .	•	•	•	•	•	•		46
	W. R. Baker, expressing,		•	•	•	•.	•		
	F. H. Cowing, 2d, freight		•	•	•	•	•		50
	Stephen Humphrey, labor			•	•	•	•	13	
•	Daniel Dyer, removing M		reen,	•	•	•	•		00
		•	•	•	•	•	•		58
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		•	•	•	•	•		00
	G. W. Pratt, fares to Brig	ghton,	•	•	•	•	•		20
***	Lemuel French, sand,	•	•	•	•	•	•		98
	Knives, for mowing mach	1	•	•	•	•	•		45
	Horse collars, halter, &c.,		•	•	•	•			75
	One yoke oxen, .	•	•	•		•	. 2	54	
	Loring Tirrell, one cow,	•	•	•	•	•	•	75	00
	George W. Pratt, cow,	•		•	•	•	•	65	00
	John P. Lovell, cow,	•	•	•	•,	•	•	85.	00
	Thomas Quinn, cow,	•	•	•	•	•	•	95	00
	Joseph Totman, three heif	ers,	•	•	•	•		55	00
•	Samuel Thomson, .	•	•	•	•		•	2	00
	Thomas South, cart,.	•	•	•	•	•	•	55	50
	Thomas South, smith wor	k,	•	•		•		47	73
	Samuel Healy, smith work	k, -	•					3	50
	James Fitzgerald, smith v	vork,	• ,		•	•	•	5	32
	Samuel Reed, smith work	,		•				3	66
	Shoeing oxen,		•					4	00
	George Willis, wheelwrig	hting,		•				2	75
	John M. Walsh repairing	harne	esses,	&c.,				7	50
	C. H. Williams, labor on		•	•				21	25
	Powder,						•		80
	J. C. Rhines, lumber,		•	,			•	32	79
	Charles Humphrey, grass,							30	
	Charles Humphrey, pastu							12	
	George W. Pratt, grass,		•			. =			00
	T. V. Shaw grass, .								00
	John Reed, use of oxen,							15	
	Mrs. Diantha T. Shaw, sa		_				. 1	.30	
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Paid George W. Pratt, use of cart and wagon,		\$18	00
Charles Humphrey, pasture, 1864, .			00
Charles Humphrey, 5 bushels barley, 186		6	30
	·		
		\$4,024	58
Received for Labor, Stock, Pro-	duce, &c.		
Received of Henry Newton for making shoes,		. \$86	95
of Nathaniel Shaw & Co. for making	shoes, .		00
of Oliver Loud for making shoes, .		. 115	00
for mowing, &c.,		. 59	87
for building roads,		. 225	00
for pigs,		. 135	22
for calves,		. 58	31
of J. Martin for hides and tallow,	• •	. 18	54
for produce, &c.,	•	. 39	42
for milk, eggs, &c.,		. 28	00
of Stephen Humphrey for board, .	•	. 92	4 0
of other persons,		. 7	50
		\$934	21
Overseers of Poor.			
Dr_{ullet}			
	\$4.094.5Q		
To Cash paid for goods, labor, &c.,	\$4,024 58		
To Cash paid for goods, labor, &c.,	37 75		
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To Cash paid for goods, labor, &c.,	\$934 21 130 00	4,262	61
To Cash paid for goods, labor, &c.,	\$934 21 130 00	4,262	

Expenses of Poor out of the Almshouse.

Paid	City of Boston, for aid to Sarah Freeman, .		\$29	00
	" " to Sarah Pettee, .		26	00
	" to Eunice Tirrell, .		37	25
	" " to Mary J. Bates, .		11	25
	" " to Asa Bates,		3	75
	" to Geo. W. Dyer, .		5	75
	" " to Augusta Cushing,		4	00
	" Lynn, for aid to Mrs. A. W. Torrey,		15	87
	" to Abby E. Hollis, .	• •	63	62
	Town of Hingham, for aid to Ella Burrell,		3	00
	" Braintree, for aid to Eunice Nadell,		104	17
	" for board of J. W. Hollis,		14	36
	" Pembroke, for aid to family of S. T. Cu	shing,	98	48
	" Walpole, for aid to F. M. Carnes, .		39	00
	" " Quincy, for aid to Geo. W. Dyer,		9	50
	City of Salem, for aid to Rebecca Tirrell, .		24	37
	Town of Abington, for aid to Mrs. L. Canterbury	y, .	3	00
	State Lunatic Hospital at Taunton, for Lucretia I	Derby,	171	11
	" for Eliza Med	Cue, .	183	88
	" " Hannah Joyc	e, .	55	25
	Town of Abington, for support of Osgood Ring,		196	65
	Elnathan Bates, for aid to Esther Bates, .		96	00
	Dr. T. H. Deering, for medical attendance on Se	ephen	•	
	Pratt,		17	00
	Dr. G. W. Fay, for medical attendance on W	illiam		
	Sidaway,		5	00
	John B. Hollis, for aid to his mother, .	• •	39	00
	Charles E. Hunt, for aid to James Nash, .	• •	39	00
	Nathaniel Stoddard, for aid to Hannah Pratt,		39	00
	Emily Wood and children,	• •	52	00
	John Holmes, for house rent for William R.]	Lovell,		
	for 1864,	• •	12	50
	for assistance and burial of Warren Bates, .	• •	17	56
	Benjamin Orcutt, for aid to his mother, .		25	00
	Jason Orcutt, for aid to Josiah Trufant, .		20	00
	Sarah Trufant, for aid to Josiah Trufant, .		36	00
	George Evans, for support of mother, .		. 52	00
	Mary Viger, for self and children,	•	9	00
	Oliver Loud, for Mrs. Jerry Leahy,	•		00
	Jabez Peterson, for Eliza Hawes and children,	•		00
	Betsey Jeffers, for her own support,	•	26	00

Paid Barak Osborne, for Mary Thayer and children,	\$92	00
Overseers' orders for " "	51	50
Joseph Loud & Co., for coal for Mrs. Viger,	13	05
" " for E. B. Murphy,	13	05
" " " for S. L. Stoddard, .	7	65
" " " for A. O. Clapp,	9	95
" " " for Mrs. Seely,	19	70
" " " for Mrs. Ahern, .	13	55
" " " for Mrs. S. T. Cushing,	. 15	55
" " for Margaret Powers, .	12	25
" " " for Mrs. Lois Dyer,	6	00
Bicknell Brothers, for goods for Wm. Sidaway,	23	42
" " for Benjamin Dyer, .	23	20
" " for Mrs. Adna G. Leach, .	13	93
" " for Bridget McAuliffe,	. 37	70
Joshua Binney & Co., for goods for A. O. Clapp,	90	00
" " for Mrs. Ahern, .	. 52	00
" " " for Mrs. Burrell,	39	00
" " " for Ira Raymond,	26	00
" " for Mrs. S. T. Cushing	, 10	00
for wood, for Benjamin Dyer,	. 9	00
James Lovell, for horse and carriage hire,	. 18	50
Mary Thayer, for support of self and children, 1864-5	, 39	00
S. Curtis, for funeral expenses of Hiram Cushing,	. 20	00
Mrs. Lois Dyer,	. 2	00
S. Curtis, for conveying two persons to State Alms-		
house,	. 5	00
Jotham Hatch, on account of lien on house of P. Nadell,	, 293	00
	\$2,623	29
Deduct amount received and due from other towns	Φ2,020	34
7 - 7 - 7 - 7		
and individuals,		
	689	35
		
	\$1,933	97
RECAPITULATION.		
Cost of support of poor out of house,	\$1,933	97
" in the house,	2,905	
11 the 11		
	\$4,839	66
Less rent of farm,	300	00
	\$4.520	e e
	\$4,539	00

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Paupers in the Almshouse from February 1, 1865, to February 1, 1866.

Date.	NAME.	Age.	Discharged.	Weeks.	Days.
Feb'y 1,	Asa Pratt,	86	* Dec. 16, 1865, .	45	3
$\tilde{1}$,	Betsey Overy,	83		$\tilde{52}$	_
$\bar{1},$	Sarah Harding,	69		$5\overline{2}$	_
1,	Benjamin Torrey, .	69		52	· _
1,	Polly Torrey,	70		52	_
	Samuel Badlam,	62		52	-
1, 1,	Elizabeth Tirrell, .	46		52	_
.1,	Sarah A. Green,	58	April 25, 1865, .	12	_
1,	Cordelia E. Young, .	12	April 25, 1865, .	12	_
1,	Mary F. Rosey,	31	- ´ -	52	
1,	Wilton S. Rosey, .	7		52	_
15,	Henry W. Rosey, .	13		50	-
1,	Henry C. Bates, .	29		52	-
1,	Alonzo Tirrell,	26		52	-
1,	Leroy Tirrell,	24		52	_
1,	George Loud, . :	24		52	_
1,	David Binney,	58		52	-
1,	Bridget Drury,	37	March 21, 1865, .	7	-
1,	John Drury,	8	March 21, 1865, .	7	-
1,	Bridget Drury, 2d, .	11		52	_
1,	Margaret Drury,	6		52	_
1,	James E. Ford, .	. 4		52	_
$\frac{1}{c}$,	William Ryan,	36	* February 6, 1865,	-	$rac{6}{1}$
6,	Charles McDavitt, .	10	February 22, 1865,	$\frac{2}{2}$	<u> </u>
22,	Stephen Pratt,	47	* March 9, 1865, .	$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix}$	1
22,	Francis Pratt,	9	March 27, 1865, .	4.	5 6
Sept. 8,	Eunice B. Nadell,	24			
8,	George E. Nadell, .	$\frac{10}{8}$		20	6
8,	Clarence W. Nadell, .	8 4 1		20	6
8, 8,	Hiram Nadell, Warren F. Nadell,	1	-	$\frac{20}{20}$	6
20,		35		20	$rac{6}{1}$
20,	Sarah A. Cushing, . Samuel H. Cushing, .	13		19 19	1
20,	Susan T. Cushing, .			19	1
20,	Abby E. Cushing,	1		19	7
20,	Harriet A. Cushing,	8 4 2		19	1 1 1
Dec. 20,	Aroline A. Thayer, .	11		6	1
20,	Mary A. Thayer, .	9		6	1
20,	Different persons,	_		10	3
•	Zincient persons,			10	9
	•		1	1	

Inventory of Stock, Wood, Hay, Provisions, Farming Tools, &c., February 1st, 1866, made by the Town Auditors.

		<i>ф</i> 4.9 0	00	1 41	#b 4 ≥	00
6 cows,				1 harness,		
3 heifers,			00	2 cart harnesses,		
2 horses,				old harnesses,		
1 yoke of oxen,.				2 robes,		
1 hog,			00	2 halters and blankets,		00
6 pigs,				8 manure forks,		00
1 calf,		9	00	6 hoes,	2	00
2 ox-wagons, \$50	,\$20,	70	00	9 shovels,	6	00
2 ox-carts,		50	00	6 axes,	5	00
1 ox-sled,		6	00	3 woodsaws and horses,	3	00
3 ox yokes,		12	00	beetle and wedges, .	3	00
6 ox chains,		8	00	2 picks,	3	00
1 hay wagon, .		55	00	1 bench vice,	3	00
2 horse carts, .		60	00	chest of carpenter's		
1 covered wagon,		40	00	tools,	10	00
1 sleigh,		10	00	2 stone hammers,	7	00
1 roller,		9	00	1 set stone tools,	10	00
1 drag,		2	00	4 iron bars,	7	00
2 horse sleds, .		5	00	3 ladders,	3	00
4 ploughs,		30	00	1 ice chest,	5	00
1 Bucklin harrow		10	00	1 force pump,	9	00
2 harrows,	•	8	00	1 churn,	6	00
1 mowing machin		100	00	1 cheese press and fix-		
1 horse-hoe,			00	tures,	10	00
1 horse-rake, .		6	00	2 baskets and lanterns,	3	00
2 scrapers,		15	00	2 bush hooks,	3	00
3 whiffletrees & c	hains,	8	00	steps and pulleys, .	3	00
2 drag rakes, .		1	50	22 hens,	16	50
6 rakes,		1	80	7½ tons English hay, .	210	00
4 hay-poles,		1	00	4 tons salt hay,	72	00
7 hay-forks,		4	00	2 tons bedding,	15	00
1 hay-cutter,		2	00	grass seed,		50
4 scythes and sna		5	00	carrots and beets,	6	00
40 hay-caps,		25	00	manure,	200	00
1 seed-sower, .		6	00	39 cords wood,	273	00
1 wheelbarrow, .			00	$5\frac{1}{2}$ tons coal, \dots		50
1 grindstone,			00	scraps,		
1 corn-sheller, .			00	7 bags shorts,		
1 winnowing made			00	20 bushels corn,		
2 steel rakes, .			00	2 bushels meal,		00

1 barrel flour,	\$14 25	90 lbs. lard,	. \$19 80
crackers,	1 50	40 lbs. coffee,	. 4 40
onions,	1 00	fish,	. 3 75
6 bushels beans,	18 00	3 gallons molasses,	. 2 40
150 bushels potatoes, .	142 50	10 lbs. sugar,	. 1 50
turnips and cabbages,	10 00	55 lbs. soap,	. 8 25
15 lbs. butter,	6 75	salt,	. 1 00
55 lbs. cheese,	11 55	1 lb. tea,	. 1 20
70 lbs. beef,	10 50		
420 lbs. pork,	80 00		\$3,198 40
10 hams,	36 00		

JAMES HUMPHREY, Z. L. BICKNELL, OLIVER LOUD,

Overseers of the Poor of Weymouth.

MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Weymouth for the year 1865, where one or both parties were residents of Weymouth.

1865.

- Jan. 1. William Dyer and Belinda (Vose) Turner, both of Weymouth.
 - 8. John Melville and Bridget Clinton, both of Weymouth.
 - 13. William O. Holbrook and Abbie H. Woodward, both of Weymouth.
 - 22. John Coffee and Ellen Sheehan, both of Weymouth.
 - 28. John B. Reed and Frances C. Thayer, both of Weymouth.
- Feb. 3. James H. Bowker, of Weymouth, and Eliza M. Smith, of Quincy.
 - 5. Cyrus D. Hunt and Sarah E. Mansfield, both of Weymouth.
 - 12. Patrick Mason and Bridget Quillion, both of Weymouth.
 - 12. James Fennell and Betsey Casey, both of Weymouth.
 - 14. Edward G. Elliot, of Lowell, and Sarah D. Healey, of Weymouth.
 - 19. John McNeil and Anna Spencer, both of Weymouth.
 - 19. Clinton Loud, of Weymouth, and Orinda Huntley, of Marlow, N. H.
 - 22. Cornelius Cheeks, of Weymouth, and Susan H. Lewis, of Boston. (Colored.)
 - 28. Michael Flynn and Alice Clancy, both of Weymouth.
- March 7. S. Green Elliot, of San Francisco, Cal., and Cornelia B. Blanchard, of Weymouth.
 - 13. Samuel J. Ross and Annie E. Bowker, both of Weymouth.
 - 23. Samuel W. King and Mary E. Martin, both of Weymouth.
- April 20. Henry W. Sinclair and Charlotte A. Lane, both of Weymouth.
- May 7. Francis Burrill and Mira Jackson, both of Weymouth.
 - 14. Andrew J. Garey and Susan E. Gannett, both of Wey-mouth.
 - 23. Charles E. Young and Lucinda D. Blanchard, both of Weymouth.
- June 1. Calvin Packard and Lucinda T. Raymond, both of Wey-mouth.
 - 3. John McPherson, of Weymouth, and Mary R. Bullock, of Canada East.
 - 4. Robert Mitchell and Margaret Smith, both of Weymouth.

- June 11. George W. Fearing, of Needham, and Elizabeth A. Cleverly, of Weymouth.
 - 25. Harrison Moulton and Lizzie E. Lovell, both of Weymouth.
- July 2. Owen Gilligan and Catherin Healy, both of Weymouth.
 - 9. John Hogan and Mary McEnroe, both of Weymouth.
 - 12. Francis Bush, of Boston, and Melvina F. White, of Weymouth.
 - 14. Thomas Purcell and Mary A. Nolan, both of Weymouth.
- Aug. 6. Thomas S. Blanchard, of Weymouth, and Sarah L. Lewis, of Duxbury.
 - 6. John Bergoine and Delia Libeste, both of Weymouth.
 - 10. Frederic Collet and Mary Weeks, both of Weymouth.
 - 18. Charles E. Collamore, of Bangor, Maine, and Helen M. Huntress, of Weymouth.
 - 24. John W. Loud and Martha B. Vickery, both of Weymouth.
 - 29. James Whall and Hannah Ward, both of Weymouth.
- Sept. 10. Jairus Sprague and Mary Bates, both of Weymouth.
 - 13. Edward A. Joye and Hannah Y. Taylor, both of Weymouth.
 - 19. James M. Orcutt, of Weymouth, and Mary A. Bates, of Boston.
 - 25. George B. Goodnow and Mary A. Burrell, both of Weymouth.
 - 28. William Hunt and Matilda Young, both of Weymouth.
- Oct. 1. Bernard Smith and Rosanna McGorfew, both of Weymouth.
 - 7. Patrick Sheehy and Margaret Keating, both of Weymouth.
 - 8. James C. Curting and Mary E. Canary, both of Weymouth.
 - 29. Ira W. May, of Stoughton, and Mary E. Baker, of Wey-mouth.
- Nov. 1. George F. Field and Mary E. Cook, both of Weymouth.
 - 2. Stephen L. Rice and Susan F. Thayer, both of Weymouth.
 - 8. Oliver C. Kimball, of Scituate, and Mary C. Loud, of Weymouth.
 - 8. James Dunbar and Elizabeth Stoddard, both of Weymouth.
 - 15. Luman H. Irish and Rachel E. Nash, both of Weymouth.
 - 18. Austin P. Beard and Alice H. French, both of Weymouth.
 - 29. George W. Tirrell and Sarah E. Blackwell, both of Weymouth.
 - 29. David J. Peirce and Sarah H. Clapp, both of Weymouth.
 - 30. John Boodrue, Jr., and Susan R. Gardner, both of Weymouth.
- Dec. 2. George H. Perry and Amanda Faulkner, both of Weymouth.

- Dec. 4. Samuel C. Denton and Marinda D. Bicknell, both of Weymouth.
 - 7. Sidney A. Brigham, of Marlborough, and L. Ella Shaw, of Weymouth.
 - 7. Leonard O. Holbrook and Rosa H. Rice, both of Weymouth.
 - 7. Edward S. Wood and Mary F. Jordan, both of Weymouth.
 - 24. William Vance and Maria L. Bates, both of Weymouth.
 - 25. Alonzo Blanchard and Harriet Raymond, both of Wey-mouth.
 - 27. George F. Hayden and Ann M. Gustin, both of Weymouth.
 - 31. John W. Bates and Nancy M. Harrington, both of Weymouth.
 - 31. Francis J. Philbrook, of Weymouth, and Pauline Moulton, of Sedgwick, Me.
 - 31. James R. French and Mary Dismond, both of Weymouth.

A true copy of the original record of the above items.

Attest:

FRANCIS AMBLER, Town Clerk.

.BIRTHS IN 1865.

Whole number of birth registered in Weymouth,	•	230
Number of births where both parents were natives of United	d	
States,	. 115	
Number of births where fathers were natives of United	1	
States and mothers foreign,	. 3	
Number of births where mothers were patives of United	3	
States and fathers foreign,	. 9	
Number of births where both parents were foreign, .	. 103	
		230
Number of birth where both parents were natives of Weymouth	· ,	30
Excess of births over deaths,	•	88

Attest:

FRANCIS AMBLER, Town Clerk.

DEATHS
Registered in the Town of Weymouth, for the Year 1865.

Date of Death.				AGE	٠.		
		Name of deceased.	Ye ars.	Mos.	Days.	Disease or Cause of Death.	Place of Birth
Jan.		Joseph White,	3	3	10	Lung Fever,	
	$\frac{2}{8}$	Susan Maria Philips, Atherton Nash Hunt,	22 62	6	19	Burned,	" "
	1,	Adelaid Leduc,	-	-	25	Not given,	44
	8,	Josiah Waterman	40	5	28	Diabetes,	Hingham.
	6, 24,	Charles B. Dunham, Sarah W. Salisbury, M.D.,	50	3	1 7	Croup,	Fall River. Weymouth.
	12,	Hattie Jane Rice,	-	3 2	13	Smallpox,	• 66
eb.	24, 25,	Bertha Lee Orcutt, Nancy Edmunds Hunt, .	45	6	$\begin{vmatrix} 6 \\ 25 \end{vmatrix}$	Consumption,	Vermont.
	19,	Robert Emmet Hart,	1	4	1	Croup,	
	6.	William Ryan, Susan Jane Wright,	35	-	-	Consumption,	Ireland.
	2, 2, 2,	Julia Ann Binney,	15	4	26	Burned,	Weymouth.
	$\bar{2}'$	Ella Chloe Binney,	13	6	26		
	18, 17,	Eliza Ann Harding, Sarah Lora Reed,	58	$\begin{vmatrix} 9 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$	28	Consumption,	66
	11,	Edward Rvan	-	-	15	Pneumonia,	"
	3,	Esther Rebecca Lovell,	-	6	20	Scarlet Fever, Schirrhua of Stomach,	
	23, 22,	Ebed French,		9	17	Schirrhua of Stomach, . Smallpox,	Hingham. Weymouth.
[ar.	18,	John Porter Nash,	73	2	10	Not given,	16
	9, 8,	Stephen Pratt,	47	4	-	Cancer,	**
	11.	Jeremiah Leahy, Reuben Torrey Burrell, .	30 44	10	11	Congestion of Lungs, Not given,	
	8,	Jordan,	-	-	-	Stillborn,	"
	14,	Phebe Nash,	85 61	11 7	3 28	Old Age,	**
	5, 22,	Daniel Francis Rogers,	28	10		Consumption,	"
	29,	Mary Thomas,	84	6	5	Old Age,	Randolph.
	29, 2,	Sarah Winnifred Pratt, . Ruth Howard Tirrell,	53	1	25 10	Dropsy of Brain, Typhoid Fever,	
	3,	Etta Elmira Larmey,	_	0	10	Lung Fever,	Weymouth.
	9,	Anna F. Canney	4		14	Rheumatic Fever,	66
pril	17,	John Sullivan,	19	11	$egin{array}{c} 11 \ 25 \end{array}$	Not given,	Rehoboth.
P	6,	Frederick J. Gammons, . Frederick Thayer Bicknell	24	, 6	23		Weymouth.
	2, 3,	David Shaw,	$\begin{vmatrix} 67 \\ 2 \end{vmatrix}$	8	2	Apoplexy,	"
	17,	Frederic Turner Holbrook, —— Quinlan,	_	0	$egin{array}{c} 21 \\ 1 \end{array}$	Not given,	
	30,	Lizzie Nelson Blanchard, .	1	-	16	Consumption,	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
	19, 18,	Ann Elizabeth Hall, Charlotte Blanchard Tirrell	35 45	9	27	Not given,	"
lay	7,	Walter Howard Houghton,	1	8	19	Cancer,	66
	21,	Ella Mary Raymond,	15	2	-	Consumption,	. "
	25, 7,	Stephen S. Reed, Harriet Shaw Torrey,	27 55	7	23 18	Apopleptic Fit, Dropsy,	66
	16,	Rebecca French,	67	9	27	Typhoid Pneumonia,	44
	19, 23,	Emily Delia Woods,	31	4 5	$\left \begin{array}{c}24\\c\end{array}\right $	Consumption,	
	23,	Nettie Adeline White, John Hassett,	39	-	6	Diptheria,	Weymouth. Ireland.
une	13,	Elizabeth Hunt,	34	7	1	Consumption,	Weymouth.
	23,	Minot J. Harrington, Leonard Webster Loud,	$\frac{21}{2}$	6	1	Spine Complaint,	"
	-4,	Clara Baker White,	36	11	i	Consumption,	Quincy.
	4,	Eliza A. Stevens,	55	1	13	Apoplexy,	Newburyport.
uly	27,	Hannah Lucindá Tirrell, . Oliver Shaw,	56 87	6 8	28 8	Typhoid Dysentery,	Braintree. Abington.
	27,	Ezekiel Crocker,	46	5	13	Old Age,	Barnstable.
	22,	Edward Paine,	-	3 9	10	Not given,	Randolph.
ug.	23,	Edward Francis Howe, Ernest Wilmot Trufant,	_	7	11 9	Whooping Cough, Cholera Infantum,	Weymouth.
0.	26,	Ellen E. Hughes,	3	11	14	Dysentery,	"
	21,	Albert Linwood Sanborn, .	_	4 6	$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 22 \end{bmatrix}$	Cholera Infantum	Orleans.
	31,	Frank Wright,	_	8	21	" "	Weymouth.
	1,	Forrest S. Reay,	_	5	5		"
	31,	Leander C. Lovell, John Cohane,	30 1	$\frac{-}{2}$	21	Collision with Locomotive.	} ((
	8,	Mark W. Dunbar,	28	_		Scalded,	

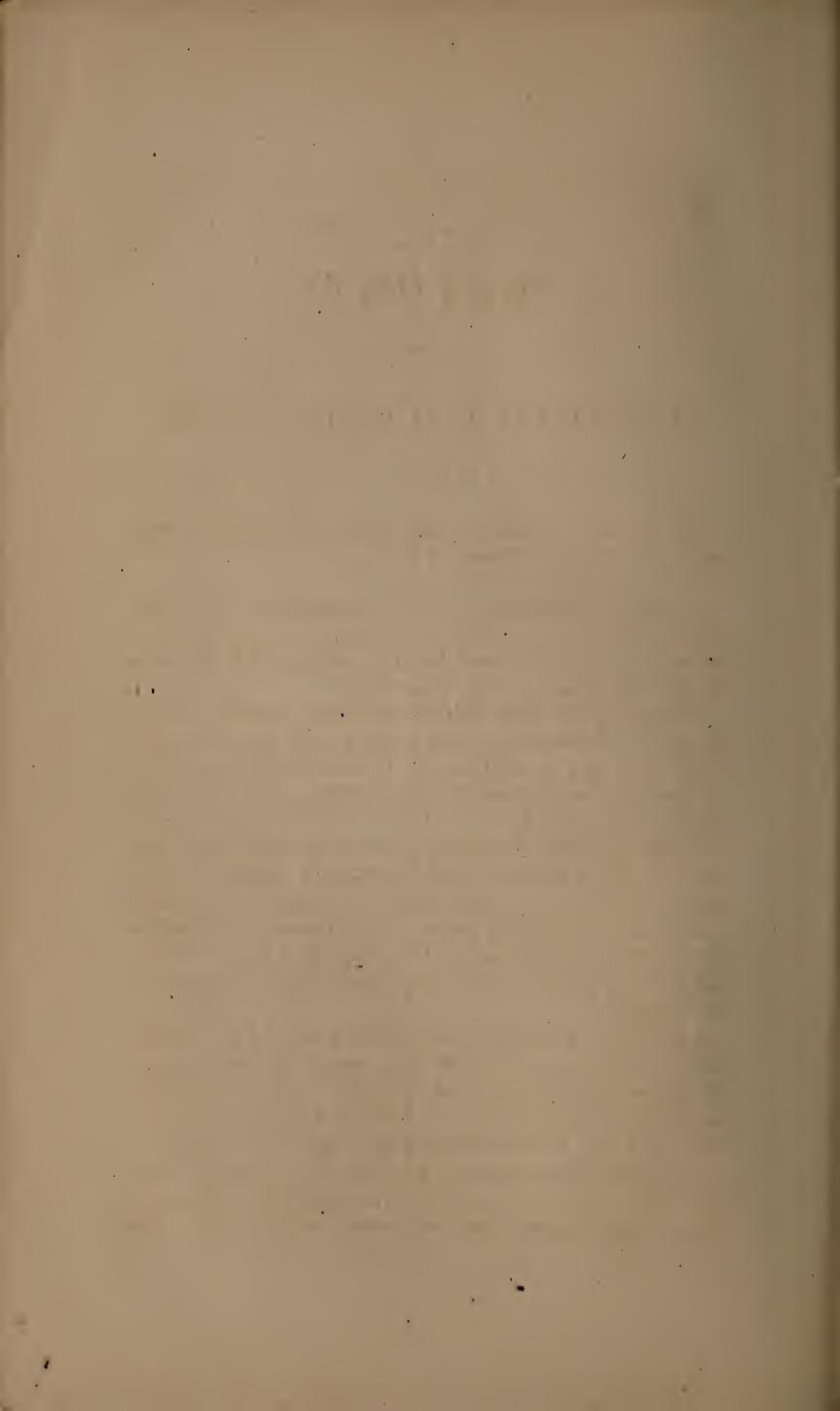
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Date of Death. Name o		Name of Deceased.	Years. Mos. Days.		Days.	Disease or cause of Death.	Place of Birth.		
Sept.		Catherine T. Murphy,	1 0	8	1	Canker,	Weymouth.		
	6, 11,	Grace Burnett Lowell, . George W. Lewis,	2	1 1	8 4	Cholera Infantum, Consumption,	Abington. Weymouth.		
	7,	Eunice Hunt,	-	5	25 17		46		
	11,	Adeline Maria Reed,	15		7.4	Typhoid Dysentery, Congestion of Lungs,			
	23,	Mary Conway,	-	7	1	Not given,	""		
	17, 23,				17	Typhoid Fever, Consumption,	Brookline.		
Oct.	1,	Annie Welsh,	20		13		Ireland.		
	1, 1,	Albert Otis Clapp, Mary Jane Thayer,	14	8	8	Typhoid Fever,			
	5, 5,	Michael Sullivan,	3		10	Bowel Complaint,	166		
	7,	Stephen L. Hayes,	10	11	26	Typhoid Fever,			
	13, 13,	Betsy Copeland Barker, .	53		13	Nervous Consumption, .			
	15,	Zecilla Pellein,	1	4	-	Cholera Infantum, Dysentery,			
	16, 19,	Mary Coffee,	-	_	11	Congestion of Lungs,	Weymouth.		
	24,	Peter Mathews,	-	_	16 19	Typhoid Fever,	Weymouth.		
Nov.	29,	Mary E. White, Miriam Leach,	23	6	8 -	Acute Bronchitis,	Randolph.		
HOV.	3,	Richard E. Loud,	39	10	3	Apoplexy,	Quincy.		
	3, 4,	Clara D. Tirrell, William M. Clark,	37	1	29	Typhoid Fever,	New Hampshire		
	4,	L. Veazie Bourn,	† 21	1	-	Not given,	Weymouth.		
	5, 5,	Rose Guertin, James Tirrell,	2	3 5	13 27	Croup,	Braintree.		
	8,	J. Prince Loud,	36	2	26	Typhoid Fever,	Quincy.		
•	17, 24,	Lydia Hunt,	55	3	8.	Lung Fever,	Weymouth.		
	27,	Lucy C. Leach,	24	10	2	Consumption,	(6		
Mov	27,	James Fleming, Lieut David B. Burrell, .	11		27	Heart Disease, Killed in Battle,	"		
Aug.	12,	Cora E. Burrell,		4	_	Canker	•		
Oct.	20,	Clara N. Randall, Lily A. Pratt,		7 9	16	Convulsions,	"		
oct.	5,	Ruth M. Reed,	27	1	18	Consumption,	Scituate.		
	30, 25,		$\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 42 \end{vmatrix}$	1 7	13	Croup,			
Nov.	5,	Marinus W. Nicholls,	46	3	10	Phthisis Pulmonalis,	New York.		
Dec.	$\frac{12}{2}$	Idalette S. Goodspeed, Elias V. Raymond,	59	4 4	26	Membranous Croup, Complication of Disease, .	Weymouth. Middleboro'.		
200.	3,	Edward White,	47	1	19	Consumption,	Weymouth.		
	8, 10,	Fannie M. Jackson, Ellen Smith,	24	11	25 15	Not given,			
	16,	Asa Pratt,	85	8	-	Old Age,	66		
	18, 18,	Nathaniel Tirrell, John Loud,		11 11	-	Consumption, Infl'n of Bladder,	1		
_	30,	Anastacia D. Dumphey, .	3	6	7	Infl'n of Bowels,	Weymouth.		
Jan. May		George L. Gay, Irving J. Totman,	18	16 9	_	Infl'n of Chest,	66		
June	25,	William Stoddard,	33	3		Consumption,	- ""		
Aug. Sept.		James H. Burke, Grace B. Sewall,	-	_	21	Cholera Infantum, Typhoid Dysentery,			
Dec.	11,	Susie E. Hollis,	-	4	9	Whooping Cough,	Weymouth.		
Oct. April	16, 25.		00	13	22	Dropsy on Brain, Old Age,			
Sept.	22,	Sally Trufant,	76	-	-	General Debility,			
Mar. Oct.	_ /	Leonard F. Pratt, Abby Battles,		20	-	Fever,	"		
Sept.	23,	Hannah Coughlan,	18	3	-	Consumption,	66		
Nov. Oct.	$\frac{14}{22}$,		82		3	Old Age,	"		
April	1 30,	Lizzie H. Pratt,	_	10	-	Disease of Head,	66		
Oct.	*	Mary J. Thayer,		-	_	Not given,	Ireland.		
	*	Arthur J. Smith,	. -	13	-	Consumption,	Weymouth.		
Aug.	. 10,	John Reohan,	-	14	-	Burned,	1		

^{*} Date of Death not returned.

A true copy of the original record of Deaths.

Attest:

FRANCIS AMBLER, Town Clerk.



REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee of the Town of Weymouth would submit the following Report:

At the last Annual Meeting, the town authorized two High Schools and as many others as the Committee should deem necessary, and appropriated for their support, \$10,500, to be placed at the disposal of the Committee.

Accordingly, two High Schools have been sustained, one in the north, and the other in the south part of the town, forty weeks each; and in addition, six Grammar, two Mixed, ten Intermediate, and fourteen Primary Schools, thirty-eight weeks each.

In regard to the High Schools, an important change has been made, in the addition of one year to the course of study, making it extend over four, instead of three years, thereby admitting some who may desire to avail themselves of certain advantages, who otherwise would be excluded; while by allowing more time for the whole course, the grade of the school is not changed.

After having thoroughly considered the wants of the different parts of the town, and decided what schools to establish, the Committee found that they had only money sufficient to sustain the common schools thirty-eight weeks each, at the low prices of \$5.50, \$6.00, \$7.00, and \$12.50 per week.

The already heavy taxation, and the high prices of living, cause the Committee to feel deeply the perplexities of the case; but the best and most experienced female teachers will not for

a moment listen to the remuneration we are able to offer them, unless they can board at their own homes; and consequently, an increase of appropriation is vital to the interests of the schools, and to the town itself. For it is the noble design to secure equally to every child the best possible advantages the common schools can afford; and while the increased tax would be little more than nominal to the individual, in the aggregate it would secure very great advantages.

The Committee would further suggest, as demanding very thoughtful consideration, that the mass of the children receive all the advantages they can ever derive from the common schools, between the ages of five and fifteen, since after that period few avail themselves of their benefits; and hence the importance of making our Primary and Intermediate Schools of the very highest order. For reason and experience suggest, and the most distinguished educators testify, that the grand secret of success or failure in our educational system, lies mainly in the character of these schools, in the direction given to the minds and habits of the pupils in the outset. Too much stress cannot be laid on this point. Hence, we need the best teachers that can be secured, for the rudimentary departments, and should be able to offer a reasonable compensation.

The construction which the Committee put upon the vote of the town, did not warrant the employment of a Superintendent of Schools, and they have endeavored to perform the duties which consequently devolved upon them. But it is their mature conviction, that with so large a number of schools, and where such vast interests are involved, a competent Superintendent, liberally supported, would be the best possible economy. Devoting his whole time to the duties of his office, under the direction of the Committee, the advantages might be very great; while it is impracticable, and often impossible for the Committee, bound, as many of them are, by other engagements, and oppressed with other cares, to give anything like due attention to the schools. And further, they cannot be supposed to be practical teachers, and hence to have all the qualifications necessary for these important duties. guiding hand, skilful generalship, an organizing mind, and one capable of quickening the ardor of both pupil and teacher, and inspiring a due amount of enthusiasm. With one man having

the responsibility, giving all his energies to the work, acting independently of district or neighborhood, and making his periodical reports to the Committee, as an advisory and authoritative Board, our schools might reach the highest degree of efficiency.

But should the present arrangement continue, it is worthy of consideration whether the Committee, whose pay is now limited to one dollar and fifty cents per day, with no allowance for travelling expenses, should not receive the same compensation as other town officers.

At the opening of the year, and at the suggestion of the Committee, where it was practicable, the teachers formed themselves into an association, meeting weekly with the Committee, where were discussed, in a free and informal manner, topics previously assigned, such as the following: "The government of a school;" "The best method of teaching reading," "grammar," etc.; the teachers, if called upon, giving reports of their schools, and proposing such practical questions as were suggested in the discharge of their daily duties. The Committee would recommend this practice, as most salutary in its results.

In the early part of the year, the Committee, with considerable labor, prepared and published a convenient Manual of "Rules for the government of the School Committee, and Regulations for the Public Schools," based upon the statutes of the Commonwealth, to which they would call the particular attention of parents and all interested in the subject. If parents especially, will study these Rules and Regulations, and will cordially co-operate with the teachers and the Committee, it will add greatly to the regular attendance and order of our schools.

In conclusion, with few exceptions, we think our schools have been in a large degree successful. The teachers, for the most part, have proved themselves well qualified, and have wrought faithfully in their work. The examinations have shown a degree of proficiency, in many cases, which the Committee were not prepared to witness.

During the year our faithful and accomplished High School teacher, L. Z. Ferris, has left the profession, and become a settled pastor; and other teachers, whom we would gladly retain,

it is intimated, are entering into other and more permanent relations for life. While we regret to lose their services, our fondest wishes attend them.

S. H. HAYES,
In behalf of the Board.

The following are the Reports of the Special Committees having charge of the schools reported:

HIGH SCHOOL SOUTH.

The High School in the south part of the town commenced the year with fifty-four pupils, and closed with thirty. Eight members only of this school had attended the High School at the town house. A smaller number had attended the High School in this part of the town three years since. The great bulk of the school was made up of scholars taken from the Grammar Schools, most of whom entered upon the extra year's course of studies, preparatory to the regular three years course, which has been so successful for several years past.

The total number of studies pursued in this school was twenty-two, four more than the number previously prescribed in our High Schools,—a number too large for any one teacher to conduct properly—but which could not be reduced without impairing the integrity of the full course of studies.

The importance of securing an efficient teacher for this school was duly appreciated by the Special Committee, who had the management of the school. The choice fell on Mr. George A. Miller, a teacher of large and successful experience, and a graduate of Dartmouth College.

Fears that were entertained at the early part of the first term, that the school would be a failure, were gradually dispelled as the term progressed.

Mr. Miller controlled the school with ease, was calm and deliberate, but decided in action. He was correct in his principles of teaching, and faithful in the discharge of his duties.

Had there been more energy infused into the school, it would have enhanced the value of the instruction, and the interest of the scholars in their studies.

At the public examination, at the close of the school, the exercises, otherwise creditable to both teacher and pupils, were marred by lowness of utterance and indistinctness of articulation. Diplomas were presented to four graduates at the close of the exercises.

HIGH SCHOOL NORTH.

When by the vote of the town it was decided that a division of the High School should be made, the Committee having in charge the North Weymouth High School secured the use of the room in the house of the second district, formerly occupied for a similar purpose, put it in a proper condition, and placed the school in the care of the former teacher, Mr. L. Z. Ferris. He commenced his labors under circumstances in other respects The time originally fixed for the completion of the course in the High School was three years, but that the school might not fail in its object from the want of numbers, it became necessary, as to meet such exigency was at first provided, to introduce an additional class, thus lowering the standard of admission, and requiring four years for the completion of the The introduction of this additional class affected in some degree the general appearance and character of the school. With this change, the school proceeded much as it had done in previous years under the same instructor. The excellence and defects, if any, of his mode of teaching have been sufficiently spoken of in former reports. There was the same interest manifested among the scholars in the pursuit of their studies, and in general the same excellences as had previously characterized the school, while certain defects much affecting its appearance were partially if not wholly remedied. The whole number of scholars connected with the school during the term was forty-three, and the average attendance thirty-nine.

With the closing exhibition closed also the labors of Mr. Ferris among us. Such a determination on his part had previously been intimated to the Committee and was received by them with many regrets. It is fitting, after so many years of labor performed by him, that we should place upon record our appreciation of his valuable services. The faithfulness with which he discharged his duties as a teacher, the generous enthusiasm which he excited among his scholars, not only in

the ordinary studies, but also in the works of general literature, the high standard to which the school was brought, and the elevated moral tone which pervaded it are especially worthy of remark. For these reasons, and especially from the fact that much of what he did was only the beginning of a system to be hereafter more fully developed, his influence for good will long continue in this and among all the schools of the town.

The school being thus without a teacher it became necessary to choose a successor. The person selected was Mr. Nathan E. Willis, a graduate of the Bridgewater State Normal School and of Amherst College, and who was engaged at the time as principal of the High School at Southborough. He entered at the commencement of the fall term upon the discharge of his duties, under circumstances of peculiar difficulty. To succeed so popular a teacher, with a mode of teaching necessarily different, and, with a manner in marked contrast to that of his predecessor, to secure the affections of his scholars, was no easy Accordingly, criticism and unfavorable comparison were not wanting. But, in their visits to the school, it was manifest to the Committee that such criticism was essentially without foundation, and the excellence of the closing examination plainly showed to all present the faithfulness of the teacher, and the thorough manner with which most of the branches had The principal defect noticed in our visits during been taught. the term, and at the exhibition, was the lack of sufficient life and energy in the recitations and in the general movements of the school. Considering, however, the peculiar difficulties under which the teacher was placed, and that he has had charge of the school but a single term, the Committee were eminently satisfied with the manner in which it had been conducted.

The whole number of scholars during the term was thirty-one, and the average attendance twenty-six and one-half. Six scholars were graduated during the year,—one at the close of the summer and five at the close of the spring term.

FIRST DISTRICT.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.—This school has been conducted and carried on in a very able, and, to the Visiting Committee, very satisfactory manner. The teacher has always been found to attend

promptly and faithfully to the duties devolving upon her. The school has made very good progress, and at the closing examination gave the most satisfactory evidence of the faithfulness and ability of the teacher in having accomplished a good work.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.—This school has been in the charge of a teacher who has served patiently and attentively the interests of this school. At such times as the Committee in charge has visited it, it has ever given satisfaction to notice that the teacher has endeavored to perform her part of duty.

There is one particularly bad practice connected with this school, and which, perhaps, may apply to others, and which, I think, operates very injuriously to the advancement of a school, however well able and disposed a teacher may be. I refer to the very extended practice of requesting, by notes, that children may be dismissed before the close of the session. I certainly feel, that were we to do justice towards the children and teacher, this practice should be stopped.

The closing examination of this school was good. The different exercises were gone through with in a manner creditable to the teacher. And upon the part of the scholars it was pleasing to notice their appreciation and regard, in presenting the teacher with a testimonial and address.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—This school has been in charge of an able and well-qualified teacher, and consequently, whenever the committee in charge have visited it, there has been that general good appearance in conduct and recitations that has ever called forth a favorable report. The attendance of scholars was not as steady and regular as is desirable for the best interests of the school.

The same practice, only to a greater extent, has prevailed in this as in the intermediate school—that of the request of scholars to be dismissed, by notes, before the close of the session. I am pleased, however, to state that in this school it is confined mostly to a very few scholars. At the closing examination of the school, the exercises and appearance were very satisfactory to the Committee and creditable to the teacher.

SECOND DISTRICT.

A GRAMMAR SCHOOL of about forty scholars was taught during the year by a graduate of the Boston Training School. A thorough and critical scholar, with an admirable system of instruction and unusual tact in illustrating it, with government fair, the teacher has devoted her time and strength, faithfully and conscientiously, to the interests of the school. Practical in her method of teaching, careful in the elucidation of principles, full and clear in her explanations, she has succeeded in bringing her school up to a point of more than ordinary excellence.

The public examination at the close of the year was thorough and satisfactory, exhibiting, as it did, the value of the system and the skill of the instructor, particular care having evidently been taken that the scholars should be faithfully instructed in the first principles of education.

The school has made rapid and substantial progress in its various studies, and needs but a continuation of the same effort and skill on the part of the teacher, and a kind co-operation on that of the parents, to render it one of our most efficient schools.

THIRD DISTRICT.

Grammar Department.—Mr. Franklin Jacobs has had the charge of this school the past year. The high reputation as a teacher which he came here with has been sustained. The annual examination showed that what ground had been gone over, had been thoroughly learned. The progress of the several classes was gratifying, and evidently of the most thorough kind. The order was excellent, and the best of relations seemed to exist between teacher and pupil.

Intermediate Department.—This school has been unfortunate the past year, having had no less than three different teachers. Mrs. Nash, who has had charge of the school for several years past, was taken ill during the first part of the year. It then came under the care of Miss Minnie Bicknell, who taught it until the winter term, when she resigned. Miss Sarah Cushing was then engaged, and continued with it until

the close. The examination was very fair, and better than the Committee expected to see under the circumstances.

Intermediate Department, Pleasant Street.—Miss Hattie E. Bates has taught this school the past year, and has labored assiduously for the good of her pupils; and it was very gratifying to the Committee, who were present at the closing examination, and to the parents who take an interest in this school, to witness the good order of the same, as well as the promptness and distinctness with which the questions were answered. This department stands high and reflects great credit on its teacher.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT, Pleasant Street.—Miss Maggie Raymond has taught this school for several years past, and is admirably adapted to impart instruction to scholars of this grade. The school appeared well at the closing examination.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.—This school has had a change of teachers during the year. Miss Maria Bates taught the first part of the year, and Miss Martha J. Stevens the last half. The school made a creditable appearance at the closing examination.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.—Taught by Miss Kate E. French. This school was organized at the commencement of the year. The overcrowded condition of the other Primary Schools rendered it necessary to establish another school. The teacher has been faithful and efficient, and has performed a good deal of hard work, which was apparent at the closing examination.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Primary.—This department has remained in charge of one teacher for three successive years. It has not exhibited the past year that drill, discipline and order that many of our Primary Schools do. The scholars have seemed to feel perfectly at home; the style of teaching has been that of love and tenderness, without much regard to the rudiments of order, and in this connection we would say that the size of the school and want of seats to accommodate some twenty of the pupils, has rendered it very difficult for the teacher to maintain good order. We believe the scholars have made good progress in

the text-books, and as a whole the school has done well. The closing examination was necessarily hurried and not so satisfactory as it would have been had more time been allowed.

Intermediate.—This school is not properly graded; there are several large boys that should be in the grammar department. When we have visited it during the year it has appeared well. The order has been generally good. The progress made in the studies very commendable. A few weeks before the close of the last term, upon visiting it, we noticed that one of the largest boys was inclined to be rebellious. He was engaged in making a low, gutteral noise, and under such circumstances that we should have felt justified in making an example of him before the school, but hoping that respect for himself would work a cure, we did not. This disease proved to be contagious, and was the defect in the closing examination. As regards the progress made in the studies, the school has done nobly, and ranks in scholarship with the average of the schools we have visited of the same grade in town. There is noble and aspiring talent in this school. The reading by one young lady we have not heard excelled in any school that we have visited. Had the order been good the examination would have been very satisfactory.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—This school, under the instruction of Miss P. B. Shaw, who has now completed her second year in the school, has moved steadily on in its course during the year. The classes in written arithmetic showed great thoroughness in drill and a full acquaintance with the principles underlying the rules. We think that Colburn's mental arithmetic might be used with profit by the younger classes in this school. Good order was at all times maintained, and the closing examination was highly satisfactory to all present.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.—This is one of our model Primary Schools. Under the charge of Miss Lizzie Cushing, the same teacher as last year, the Committee expected much of this school, and were not disappointed. Quick to decide, prompt to execute, her whole soul devoted to her work, with an abund-

ance of life and energy, which she has a remarkable faculty of imparting to her school, this teacher is fitted in an eminent degree for her work. The order was at all times good, the instruction thorough, and the progress in their studies rapid. The teacher evidently strove by every means in her power to make the school-room an attractive place to the little ones committed to her charge, and with untiring effort has labored to see that each one was in his place every day. The closing exercises, which were listened to by a large circle of friends, were of the highest order. We would particularly speak of the reading of some members of this school, which we never heard surpassed in any school of its grade, and of the spelling, which was perfect.

The PRIMARY SCHOOL in this district, taught by Mrs. L. T. Cushing, has sustained the high reputation previously gained by her. The scholars are all small, the ages ranging from five to eight years. The attendance has been very good and the scholars have made excellent progress in their studies.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

Grammar School.—This has been one of our model schools. Miss A. S. Williams has had charge of this school for the past two years. Miss W. is a ripe scholar, accurate and critical in her instruction, and possessing a wonderful amount of energy, which she has imparted to her scholars. Her government has been of the mildest character; first winning the love of her pupils, she controlled them by the power of that love, without the least exertion, securing perfect order, and at the same time exciting them to the strongest efforts to make the greatest progress in their studies. Promptness in recitation, thoroughness in their acquaintance with the principles were the characteristics of this school. The closing exercises were of the very highest degree of excellence, demonstrating to the entire satisfaction of the people of the district and to the Committee who visited the school during the terms or at the closing examination, the perfect ability of well educated and experienced female teachers to bring the grammar schools of the town to the highest degree of perfection.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.—This school has been for the past year under the charge of Miss Jennie Fairbanks, a graduate of our High School. Miss F. had had a few months experience in this school, during the illness of a former teacher. During the spring term the school appeared well. Good order was preserved, the scholars were studious, and everything appeared in good working order. But during the fall and winter term the school was very much broken up by the presence of real or supposed cases of a cutaneous disease among the scholars, the average attendance being reduced to about one-half of the whole number belonging to the school. The teacher was not able to awaken that enthusiasm in her scholars which was desirable, and the exercises of the closing examination were not so prompt or correct as we could desire. Much of this appearance can, however, be accounted for by the record of attendance as given above. We believe regular attendance to be indispensable to the prosperity of a school.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

The Grammar School at the Centre was taught, during the summer term, by Miss Lizzie M. Hale, an accomplished teacher, but failing in the government of the school, at the end of the term she resigned.

The fall term was taught by Miss Mary S. Williams, a lady whose reputation, as a teacher, ranked very high.

Under her mild but firm administration, the school made marked and rapid progress. Out of disorder she soon restored harmony. Classes were re-arranged, and a healthy tone soon pervaded the atmosphere of the school. Impaired health compelled Miss Williams to relinquish her school, much to the regret of herself and the Committee, having carried it forward to the vacation of Thanksgiving week. That she may soon be restored to health is the earnest wish of her numerous friends in South Weymouth.

During the winter term the school was under the instruction of Miss H. P. Winn, a graduate of Bridgewater Normal School.

At the commencement of the term she experienced some difficulty in enforcing her authority, but being supported in her efforts by the Committee, she soon completely triumphed, and maintained most excellent discipline during the remainder of

the term. She displayed remarkable qualities as a teacher, considering her inexperience. She was prompt, energetic and thoroughly conversant with the principles of study which she taught.

At the final examination, the exercises of the school were performed in a most satisfactory manner, surpassing the expectation of all.

The Intermediate School, in Union Street, has been instructed during the year by Miss Sarah B. Packard, a Normal School graduate. In the performance of her duties she displayed laudable energy and zeal, and labored persistently to promote the interests of the school. Although she did not succeed in bringing the school up to her standard of excellence, and felt at the end of the year dissatisfied with her labors, yet the school made commendable progress under her instruction. It is recommended by the Committee that the services of this teacher be retained by the town another year.

The PRIMARY SCHOOL, in Union Street, has not suffered, as we had reason to fear, from a change in teachers, but has retained, under its new instructor, Miss Mary E. Allen, its previous reputation as a model Primary School.

Although entering upon her duties with little experience, Miss Allen soon displayed peculiar fitness for her position, and by unremitting efforts succeeded in conducting the school to a happy termination.

At the visits of the Committee, the school was always characterized by good order, and by promptness and accuracy of recitation. The singing exercises were a pleasing feature of this school.

The Intermediate School, on Depot Street, was taught for the second year by Miss Carrie Lovett. She has proved herself a faithful, and in all respects a most excellent teacher. Without severity, the government of the school has been admirable, the instruction exact and thorough, and the progress of the pupils highly commendable.

The Grammar School on Randolph Street was taught for the second year by Miss Louise L. Vining. This school has more

the character of a mixed school, and therefore imposes a large amount of labor upon the teacher. But under her skilful and judicious management the school has been in a prosperous condition throughout the year. The deportment has been excellent, the administration firm and parental, the teaching patient and thorough.

The Primary School on Depot Street, taught by Mrs. Morrill, has been crowded in attendance, but completely controlled and made attractive by her singular tact in winning the affection of the children, and inspiring in them a love for the school-room and interest in their studies. The singing and gymnastic exercises have been a very pleasing feature of this school, and are worthy of imitation in all our schools. The government has been eminently parental, the teaching thorough, and the progress of the school what was anticipated under her skilful instruction.

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EIGHTH DISTRICT.

The Intermediate School on Pond Street, taught by Miss Carrie M. Parker, was in a bad condition at the beginning, and while the teacher commenced her labors with an earnest zeal, and seemed to exert herself in the discharge of her duties, the progress of the school has not been all that could be desired.

The PRIMARY SCHOOL on Pond Street, taught by Miss A. Clementine Orcutt for the second year, though in an unpleasant, if not an unhealthy school-room, under her quiet but firm administration, has uniformly appeared well, and the examination at the close was highly satisfactory.

NINTH DISTRICT.

Grammar Department.—This school, in charge of a competent male teacher, a graduate of one of our Normal Schools, has been a complete success. At the commencement of the school, previous habits of disorder and confusion made their appearance, yet by a wise and judicious system of government, good order and cheerfulness were soon secured, and the school was in readiness for its appropriate work. The order of the school, and the general deportment of the scholars, has been

uniformly good. The instruction was clear, methodical and thorough, well calculated to elicit thought and fix principles in the mind.

The closing examination was not so brilliant as some, on account of the deliberate and quiet manner of both teacher and scholars, (which we think carried to such an extreme is a real fault;) otherwise it was quite satisfactory.

UPPER INTERMEDIATE.—This school was also in a bad condition at the opening of the spring term, as might be expected from the report of last year. The teacher, a graduate of our High School, was fully equal to the emergency, and in a very short time, by kindness and gentleness, combined with firmness, good order was secured, which continued through the year uninterrupted. The classes have been well drilled and faithfully taught. Good progress has been made.

The closing examination was highly creditable to both teacher and scholars.

Lower Intermediate.—This school was taught by the same teacher as in several previous years, and has sustained its former reputation for order, diligence and faithfulness, and satisfactory progress has been made. The closing examination, however, was not in all respects so good as it has sometimes been, owing undoubtedly to the fact that the teacher was obliged, by reason of sickness, to surrender her school to the charge of a younger sister, only three weeks before its close.

Primary.—Gratifying success has attended the labors of Miss Adelaide A. Keeler in this school. It was her first attempt to teach. The school opened with seventy-five scholars, and the average attendance through the summer term was almost sixty-two, yet she maintained most perfect order throughout the year. The classes have been well taught, and excellent progress has been made.

The closing examination was one of great excellence. All of the exercises were good, especially the spelling, as there was but one word missed in the whole school, notwithstanding the words were pronounced by the Committee, and something like a dozen to each scholar selected from all parts of the book, and the hardest that met the eye.

PRIMARY.—This school, in charge of the same teacher as in the previous year, has made satisfactory progress, and fully sustained its former high reputation among our primary schools.

The room in which this school is kept is decidedly too small, the whole number of scholars for the winter term being sixty-seven, with not more than twenty or twenty-five regular seats in the room, so that the scholars have been crowded together, four in a seat designed for two, and the rest seated upon settees, and, in some cases, in an adjoining room. Some provision should be made at once for the better accommodation of this school.

TENTH DISTRICT.

Intermediate.—This has been an unfortunate school. The teacher that taught it the first three-fourths of the year was obliged to leave on account of ill health. Her successor, we believe, found the school in a bad state, as regards order and discipline, and being young and inexperienced, did not succeed in restoring it. The closing examination was anything but satisfactory.

Primary.—This has been a successful school. It has generally appeared well through the year; the scholars have made good progress in their studies, the discipline has been firm, the order good. The closing examination was of a high order. The recitations were prompt, and generally very correct. We might specify many that were excellent, but will only notice two,—one an exercise in the geography of our own State, county and town, which was finely given, and of much practical merit; another was the opening exercise—recitation of passages of Scriptures and the Lord's Prayer, which was very pleasing and impressive.

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

No. of District.	NAMES OF TEACHERS.	No. of Scholars attend'g sch'l.	Average attend- ance.		No. over 15 y'rs of age.	of To	gth erm.	Wages of Teachers per month.		Term.	
H. School, North.	L. Z. Ferris,	43 31	39 26 1-2	-	23 19	3 6	15 5	\$95 00 90 00		Summer. Winter.	
H. School, South.	George A. Miller,	54 42	49 14-15 30 10-13	-	34 23	3 6	5 15	85 00 85 00		Summer. Winter.	
1. {	Miss Susan E. Porter, Miss L. Maria Pratt, Miss Maria T. Burrell, Miss Susan E. Porter, Miss L. Maria Pratt, Miss Maria T. Burrell,	48 44 54 44 47 61	40 39 49 37 41 47		- - 4 -	333555	15 15 15 15 15 15	28 00 24 00 22 00 28 00 24 00 22 00	}	Summer.	
II. {	Miss Lucy W. Bisbee,	33 38	23 1-4 24 1-2	2 3	1 -	3 5	5 18	28 00 28 00		Summer. Winter.	
III.	Mr. Franklin Jacobs, Miss Hattie E. Bates, Miss Marinda D. Bicknell, Miss Kate E. French, Miss Maria L. Bates, Miss Maggie V. Raymond, Mr. Franklin Jacobs, Miss Sarah J. Cushing, Miss Hattie E. Bates, Miss Martha J. Stevens, Miss Kate E French, Miss Maggie V. Raymond,	51 54 56 54 60 67 48 53 61 62 47 51	37.82 37 44 25.34 35 1-70 44 44 6-73 35.05 36 16-23 48 42 31 33 39-55	- - 2 1 1 - - 5 2	6 - 1 - 1 - 5 - 1 - 1 - 1	333333355555555	15 15 15 10 15 15 15 15 15 15 15	50 00 24 00 24 00 22 00 22 00 22 00 24 00 24 00 24 00 22 00 22 00 22 00		Summer Winter.	
. IV {	Miss Mary E. Dowse, Miss Mary E. Hunt, Miss Mary E. Dowse, Miss Mary E. Hunt,	44 74 48 76	35 7-66 66 37 13-112 60		1 1 1 1	3355	15 15 15 15	$\begin{array}{c} 24 \ 00 \\ 22 \ 00 \\ 24 \ 00 \\ 22 \ 00 \end{array}$	7	Summer. Winter.	
v. {	Miss Priscilla B. Shaw, Miss Lizzie L. Cushing, Mrs. Lydia T. Cushing, Miss Priscilla B. Shaw, Miss Lizzie L. Cushing, Mrs. Lydia T. Cushing,	45 48 33 44 58 36	40 43 3-4 28 1-2 34 49 3-4 30	11111	- - 2 -	333655	5 15 15 5 15 15	28 00 22 00 22 00 28 00 22 00 22 00	~~~	Summer. Winter.	
vi. {	Miss Aline S. Williams, Miss Jenny Fairbanks, Miss Aline S. Williams, Miss Jenny Fairbanks,	34 64 53 61	26 1-2 50 22-137 41 39 1-2		- 1 -	3365	15 10 15	28 -00 22 00 28 00 22 00	}	Summer. Winter.	
VII.	Miss Lizzie M. Hale, Miss Mary E. Allen, Miss Sarah B. Packard, Miss Maria A. Morrill,	54 63 44 58 43 39 40 58 44 62 40 41	47 50 8-35 36 4-7 53 39 47-68 35 31 45 1-40 36 4-7 53 2-3 35 39-56 32	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	3 3 3	333333 G 56536	5 10 10 15 15 10 5 15 15 15 15	28 00 22 00 24 00 24 00 28 00 28 00 28 00 22 00 24 00 22 00 24 00 25 00		Summer. Winter.	

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No. of District.	NAMES OF TEACHERS.	No. of Scholars attend'g sch'l.	Average attend- ance.	No. under 5 y'rs of age.	No. over 15 y'rs of age.		gth erm,	Wages of Teachers Franch.		Term.
vIII. {	Miss Carrie M. Parker, Miss A. Clementine Orcutt, Miss Carrie M. Parker, : Miss A. Clementine Orcutt,	37 45 35 42	30 1-4 36 2-7 25 32	- 4 - 1	2 -	3 3 6 6	7 10 2 -	\$24 00 22 00 24 00 22 00	7	Summer. Winter.
IX.	Mr. Thomas H. West, Miss Julia A. Baker, Miss Carrie F. Trott, Miss Adelaide A. Keeler, Miss Amy M. Adlington, Mr. Thomas H. West, Miss Julia A. Baker, Miss Carrie F. Trott, Miss Adelaide A. Keeler, Miss Amy M. Adlington,	37 41 56 75 62 26 42 57 71 67	30 1-50 34 63-67 43 61 62-69 41 21 9-10 35 13-57 46 29-76 53 2-11 46	1111111111	2 2	တက္က က က က က က က က	15 15 11 9 15 15 15 15 15	50 00 24 00 24 00 22 00 22 00 50 00 24 00 24 00 24 00 22 00	}	Summer. Winter.
x. {	Miss L. Howe,	42 .51 43 67	33 40 13-15 29 45	- 2		33 5 5	15 15 15 15	24 00 22 00 24 00 22 00	}	Summer. Winter.

Persons in town between the ages of 5 and 15-1,779.



