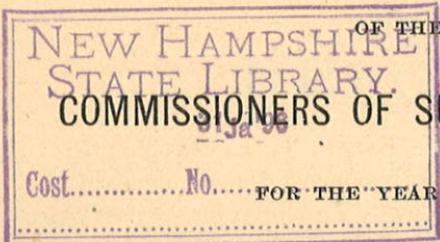


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ANNUAL REPORT



COMMISSIONERS OF SULLIVAN COUNTY,

SEPTEMBER 1, 1877.

ALSO A STATEMENT OF THE

Receipts and Disbursements of the Treasurer,

AND THE

FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE COUNTY,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

OCTOBER 29, 1877.

TOGETHER WITH THE

Report of the Clerk of the Court.

CLAREMONT, N. H.

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1878.

REPORT

OF THE

Commissioners of Sullivan County.

THE COMMISSIONERS of the County of Sullivan, herewith submit to the inhabitants of the County, their annual report, for the year ending Sept. 1, 1877; showing the financial transactions at the County Farm, with an inventory of the property, the number, condition and cost of supporting the paupers, and the deaths occurring during the year.

We also give a summary of the aid furnished County Paupers not at the Farm, and append a statement showing the receipts and disbursements by the County Treasurer; and the financial standing of the County, for the year ending Oct. 29, 1877, together with a report of the clerk of the Court.

The County Farm and Alms House, which were under the efficient management of Mr. Jonas Hastings and wife, during the last six years, have been since April last, superintended by Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Carr, who have shown an unselfish devotion to the wants and comfort of the inmates, while the interests of the County have been carefully guarded by their united and untiring labors.

By reference to the list of paupers on the following pages, showing their ages and condition, it must readily be seen that only a small proportion of the number can be expected to contribute, by their labor, towards relieving the superintendents in caring for the large number of sick, lame and helpless, under their im-

mediate care, rendering it necessary to rely largely upon hired labor to perform the farm and domestic labors incident to such an institution.

Considering the large number of aged and infirm persons at the alms house, but little sickness has occurred during the year. Seven have died; these from diseases of long standing, and incurable.

The usual custom of holding religious services on each alternate Sunday at the Alms House has been continued by Rev. Silas Quimby, who has also conducted services at the funerals of those who have died.

The Alms House buildings have been painted and whitewashed during the past year, and other repairs made, all at a cost of about four hundred and fifty dollars.

Should the number of inmates at the Alms House continue to increase, or remain as at present, the Commissioners will feel compelled to call the attention of the next County Convention to the necessity of an appropriation, for the purpose of providing such additional buildings and accommodations, as the increased number and varied classes and conditions of the inmates demand.

The large consumption of fuel at the County Farm, has nearly exhausted the supply on the farm. It will become necessary to provide for supplying the institution with heat and warmth; economy suggests the adoption of some improved manner of heating, while the risk of fire, with the existing arrangements, embracing the safety of the large number of helpless and effeminate inmates, demands the immediate attention of the custodians of the interests of the County.

The County Convention held at Concord in June last, voted to raise the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars as a County tax, to pay the debts and current expenses of the County.

It was also "voted that the Convention authorize the County Treasurer to borrow on the credit of the County, such sum of money as the Commissioners, in their judgment, shall deem necessary for the purchase of a bell and for hanging the same on the Court House, in said County of Sullivan."

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

BY THE

Superintendent of the Sullivan County Farm,

From Sept. 1, 1876, to Sept. 1, 1877.

RECEIPTS.

1876.	* Balance in Treasury, Sept. 1, 1876.	\$ 382.60
Sept. 11,	Received of Ezra Glidden, for use of bull,	7.00
" 13,	" Order on County Treasury,	500.00
" 15,	" W. E. Tutherly for board of Jenks,	24.00
" 27,	" H. H. Wilcox, for wool,	121.25
" "	" J. V. Gunnison, for seed corn,	1.50
Oct. 1,	" Wm. Clark, for beef,	2.35
" 9,	" Wm. E. Tutherly, for groceries,	31.26
" 24,	" L. Colburn, for pig.	2.50
" "	" S. F. Rossiter, for corn,	11.27
Nov. 29,	" Order on County Treasury,	500.00
Dec. 2,	" R. Hull, for corn,	1.25
1877.		
Jan. 9,	" E. French for oxen,	175.00
" "	" J. Buck, for steers,	165.00
Feb. 15,	" Order on County Treasury,	500.00
Mar. 13,	" J. Perkins, for use of bull,	2.00
" "	" J. Roundy, " " "	2.00
" "	" Peck, for wheat,	1.75
" 20,	" C. H. Eastman, for hides and bark,	135.51
" 26,	" W. E. Tutherly, for sheep,	3.50
" 28,	" Order on County Treasury,	1,000.00
" "	" for labor on Gillingham place,	60.00
" "	" of G. W. Dole, bal. on account,	134.00
" 29,	" J. Hastings, for keeping colt,	86.75
" "	" A. McDonald, for blanket,	2.50
" "	" for board of J. Sholes,	192.75
April 1,	" J. Hastings, boot between cattle,	15.00
" "	" Order on County Treasurer,	490.70
" 6,	" D. Smith, for beans,	.25
" "	" for Tobacco,	.75
" 17,	" of Chase, for groceries,	1.71

* Incorrectly reported in report of 1876.

Apr.	17,	"	" B. Weed for wheat,	6.00
"	21,	"	" Woodbury for pig,	4.00
"	"	"	" M. Quimby, for pig,	4.00
"	"	"	" U. M. Straw, for pig,	8.00
"	"	"	" J. Perkins, for pig,	8.00
"	23,	"	" C. Newton, for wheat,	8.75
"	30,	"	" R. Gilman, for wheat,	7.88
"	"	"	" J. Wright, for wheat,	3.50
May	7,	"	" R. Densmore, for tobacco,	.20
"	"	"	" Upham, for beans,	1.62
"	8,	"	" Chase, for opium and tobacco,	.35
"	22,	"	" S. J. Marshall, for merchandise,	1.00
"	"	"	" J. W. Jewett, for blankets,	5.00
"	26,	"	" R. Densmore, for tobacco,	.20
"	"	"	" Chase for tobacco,	.45
"	31,	"	" S. J. Marshall, for calf,	10.00
"	"	"	" R. Densmore for meal,	1.45
May	31,	"	" R. Densmore for tobacco,	.30
"	"	"	" Dunham for use of bull,	1.00
June	3,	"	" for opium and tobacco,	.68
"	5,	"	" R. Densmore, for tobacco,	.10
"	11,	"	" Crossman, for tobacco,	.20
"	12,	"	" Chase for opium,	.25
"	13,	"	" Lull, for beans,	2.50
"	14,	"	" Barney & Prouty, for cattle,	216.00
"	"	"	" Mrs. Nichols, for groceries,	3.62
"	23,	"	" R. Densmore for tobacco,	.15
"	24,	"	" for tobacco and opium,	1.25
"	26,	"	" for tobacco,	.20
"	27,	"	" " " "	.53
"	30,	"	" C. R. Lewis, for flour,	9.00
"	"	"	" Order on County Treasurer,	99.86
July	2,	"	" Mrs. Nichols, for sundries,	.19
"	5,	"	" M. Straw for tobacco,	.30
"	13,	"	" Barney and Prouty, for calf,	8.19
"	"	"	" Chase for tobacco,	.20
"	16,	"	" " " "	.50
"	24,	"	" R. Hall, for Saleratus,	.14
"	25,	"	" for tobacco,	.25
"	30,	"	" Barney & Prouty, for calf,	7.83
Aug.	1,	"	" Mrs. Nichols for groceries,	.37
"	"	"	" Chase " " "	.62
"	4,	"	" R. Densmore, for tobacco,	.20
"	6,	"	" Mrs. Nichols, for groceries,	.30
"	7,	"	" Charles Nichols, tobacco,	.55
"	15,	"	" " " groceries,	.62
"	18,	"	" Susan " " "	.37
"	"	"	" Chase for groceries,	.45
"	25,	"	" " " "	.35
"	"	"	" Mrs. Nichols for groceries,	.37
"	"	"	" Charles Nichols, for tobacco	.15
"	30,	"	" Order on the County Treasurer,	500.00

\$ 5,482.14

DISBURSEMENTS.

1876.			
Sept. 5,	Paid	C. H. Long, freight bill,	\$ 1.68
" 22,	"	C. G. Buel for corn,	193.58
Oct. 4,	"	Silas Pierce & Co., for groceries,	89.78
" "	"	" " " "	26.36
" 6,	"	Henry R. Whipple, for hay,	13.66
" 7,	"	C. H. Rumrill, for oat straw,	7.80
" 13,	"	L. S. Bailey, for hay,	12.00
" 14,	"	S. Baum & Co., for bill goods,	8.14
" 25,	"	Freight bill on car of corn,	57.00
" "	"	R. Anderson for cranberries,	1.50
Nov. 1,	"	Claremont Stationery Co., bill goods,	6.30
" 1,	"	F. G. Winn, for medicine,	20.00
" "	"	C. H. Long, freight bill,	.99
" 29,	"	G. A. Litchfield, bill salve,	1.00
Dec. 2,	"	R. Shepardson, for carding wool,	6.04
" 7,	"	Monadnock Mill Co., bill,	24.69
" 11,	"	I. Gillingham, for labor,	36.00
1877.			
Jan. 8,	"	W. A. Hunt, car bill,	34.23
" 10,	"	Sugar River Mill Co., for meal and grinding,	135.52
" "	"	J. M. Whipple, paper and box rent,	1.20
" "	"	C. H. Long, freight bill,	3.14
" "	"	A. Cram, for making cider,	18.57
" 12,	"	C. H. Long, freight bill,	2.58
" 16,	"	G. Walker, for threshing,	17.00
" 19,	"	W. D. Cram, for hay,	70.07
" 22,	"	C. G. Buel, Liquors and tea,	90.30
" 26,	"	S. Pierce & Co., groceries,	120.76
" 30,	"	Noyes & Son, for shoes,	5.20
Feb. 1,	"	Sullivan Machine Co, bill,	5.59
" 9,	"	W. E. Tutherly, for hay,	25.42
" 10,	"	H. C. Sanders, bill of goods,	16.00
" 13,	"	I. D. Hall, for bill of goods,	3.95
" 24,	"	Heywood & Co., for bill of goods,	75.39
" 27,	"	C. E. Albee, " "	52.46
" "	"	L. Watriss, " "	4.90
Mar. 6,	"	T. Winch, for oats, &c.,	30.50
" 10,	"	E. W. Woodell, for hay,	15.37
" 13,	"	S. Anderson, for oak timber,	2.50
" 19,	"	R. Densmore, for hay and labor,	45.50
" 21,	"	A. R. K. Bailey, balance on account,	4.66
" 24,	"	G. A. Hart, for grinding and meal,	60.65
" 26,	"	S. Ayers, for timber,	1.74
" 27,	"	H. Roundy, for hay,	273.11
" "	"	J. V. Guninson, for pork,	32.48
" 28,	"	O. B. Way, medical service,	41.50
" "	"	C. G. Buel, for alcohol,	9.00
" 29,	"	Haskell & Tolles, for bill of goods,	34.60
" "	"	J. Sears, for labor and pasturing,	173.00
" "	"	F. Haubrich, for bill of goods,	16.50
" "	"	A. C. Stone & Co., balance on account,	33.58
" "	"	G. H. Stowell, for bill of goods,	199.82

Mar. 29,	"	F. G. Winn, for medicine,	7.10
"	"	E. W. Tolles, for pork,	63.67
"	"	J. W. Jewett, for groceries,	132.89
"	"	H. C. Sanders, for groceries,	13.38
"	"	Heywood & Co., for bill of goods,	39.86
"	"	H. A. Dickinson, for boots and shoes,	151.28
"	30,	A. M. Hannaford, for bill of goods,	41.61
"	"	John Sears, for wood,	150.00
"	"	Rev. S. Quimby, clerical services,	50.00
"	"	I. C. Harriman, for meal and grinding,	44.22
"	"	Sugar River Mill Co., "	60.75
"	31,	K. Sears, for labor,	60.00
"	"	L. J. McNery, "	222.24
"	"	B. F. Nelson, "	237.00
"	"	H. Nichols, "	88.50
"	"	J. Hastings, for bill of goods,	151.75
"	"	" " for salary,	800.00
April 28,	"	Heywood, for dry goods,	6.00
"	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	4.14
"	"	" " barrel of crackers,	4.00
"	"	Chase for coopering,	2.00
"	"	Dr. Way, for A. Jenks,	.50
"	"	For stamps,	1.02
"	"	Welch & Sleeper, groceries,	1.62
May 2,	"	" " "	.93
"	"	Severance, for mortar,	3.00
"	5,	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	2.30
"	"	Severance, for mortar,	.75
"	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	1.90
"	"	Heywood & Co., for goods,	8.96
"	14,	" " web of cloth,	3.60
"	"	" " school books,	.95
"	"	C. F. Fletcher & Co., bill,	5.00
"	"	Freight bill,	1.85
"	15,	E. Glidden, for butter,	2.10
"	22,	Welch & Sleeper, for crackers, &c.,	5.35
"	"	Heywood & Co., dry goods,	1.08
"	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	3.39
"	25,	For knobs,	.10
"	26,	Heywood, for dry goods,	1.53
"	29,	Barney, for meat,	1.08
"	31,	Welch & Sleeper, groceries,	2.65
June 2,	"	Whitney & Goodall, for doors,	2.75
"	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	.55
"	"	G. W. Gage, for yoke,	3.00
"	4,	R. R. bill,	5.81
"	"	Metcalf & Hamlin, bill of goods,	2.00
"	"	Barney, for meat,	.67
"	6,	R. R. bill,	5.16
"	"	M. Straw, for labor,	2.00
"	14,	Barney & Prouty, for 4 bbls. of pork,	84.00
"	"	Barney & Prouty, for 2 bbls. beef,	24.00
"	"	Welch & Sleeper for crackers, &c.,	5.45
"	"	P. O. Stamps,	.99
"	"	J. A. Nowell, bill groceries,	59.39

June 14,	"	Mrs. H. Nichols, spinning,	5.25
" 15,	"	" " cash,	3.00
" 16,	"	" " bill at Heywood's,	3.93
" 19,	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	.25
" 22,	"	Noyes & Son, for shoes,	20.00
" 24,	"	Welch & Sleeper for groceries,	1.57
" 26,	"	W. Wright, for shearing sheep,	2.00
" "	"	Repairing scales,	2.25
" "	"	G. H. Stowell, for sundries,	.28
" "	"	E. Graves, for bordering,	1.63
" "	"	Express on yoke,	.25
" "	"	for blacksmithing,	1.40
" "	"	Sibley for scythes,	3.00
" "	"	Welch & Sleeper, for mustard,	.40
" 27,	"	" " " " groceries,	.85
" 30,	"	P. Haubrich, for potatoes,	9.90
July 6,	"	Welch & Sleeper, for sundries,	1.25
" "	"	for pens, stationery, &c.,	.70
" 13,	"	Heywood, for Dry goods,	.60
" "	"	P. O. box rent and stamps,	.75
" 14,	"	F. Boardman, for Hall,	.50
" 16,	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	.93
" 20,	"	" " potatoes,	2.00
" 24,	"	" " "	1.95
" "	"	Stowell, for keys,	.30
" 25,	"	H. Nichols,	3.50
" "	"	Mrs. H. Nichols,	1.00
" 30,	"	Welch & Sleeper, for potatoes,	2.35
" "	"	" " files,	.46
Aug. 1,	"	E. Dole, for potatoes,	4.00
" "	"	Welch & Sleeper, for matches,	1.25
" 2,	"	" " pails,	1.50
" 4,	"	Barney & Prouty, for meat,	.43
" "	"	Welch & Sleeper, for crackers,	4.12
" 7,	"	" " starch,	.12
" 11,	"	for Mrs. Stearns,	.50
" "	"	Morse Bros. & Co. bill, groceries,	73.86
" "	"	Henry Mayo & Co bill, fish,	26.00
" 12,	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	.85
" 15,	"	" " " matches,	.55
" "	"	H. Nichols, cash,	1.25
" 18,	"	Mrs. Nichols, cash,	.45
" "	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	.62
" 20,	"	for mending harness,	.25
" "	"	for transportation,	.56
" 25,	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	1.07
Aug. 28,	"	Spencer, for West,	.50
" "	"	H. Nichols,	1.00
" "	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	1.10
" "	"	Stone & Co., tin ware,	.60
" 30,	"	Expense of B. Davis,	13.25
" "	"	Noyes & Son, bal. on shoe bill,	23.75
" "	"	Welch & Sleeper, for groceries,	.58
" "	"	Barney & Prouty, for meat,	.42
" "	"	Haubrich & Co., for clothing,	47.46

Name.	Place of Birth.	Condition.	Age.
Peggy Richardson,	Pembroke,	Feeble,	88.
Daniel Hall,	Barnet, Vt.,	"	89.
Deborah E. Hall,	Hooksett,	"	72.
Mary Muzzy,	Springfield,	Very Feeble,	84.
* Betsey Carr	Salisbury, Mass.,	Deaf mute,	106.
Nathaniel Bassey,	Charlestown,		77.
Beniah Davis,	Acworth,	Lame,	83.
Giles Hamlin,	Middletown,	"	75.
Lucy Lewis,		Demented,	69.
Joseph W. Stenes,	Granville, Vt.,		53.
Samuel W. Thurber,	Unity,	Rheumatism,	37.
Nathaniel Penniman,	Windsor, Vt.,	Feeble,	69.
Tryphena Thompson,	Washington,	Very Feeble,	66.
Marilla Locke,	Gilsum,		75.
Byron F. Wardner,	Plainfield,	Insane,	39.
Joseph Morris,	Canada,		61.
Willie Demot,	Cornish,		15.
Albert Ellis,	Claremont,	Feeble,	75.
Roderick Alexander,	Plainfield,		67.
Rosilla Davis,	Springfield,	Insane,	
Rhoda Russell,	"	Non. Compos,	32.
Laura A. Hibbard,	Grantham,	Insane,	37.
Oscar Hall,	Croydon,		16.
Isaac Kirby,	Ireland,	Feeble,	71.
Addie M. Alexander,	Plainfield,		14.
Willie J.	"		11.
Arah	"		4.
Charles Dudley,	Canada,		78.
Maria Whitaker,	Unity,	Feeble,	62.
Silas Reed,	Chelsea, Vt.,	Infirmary,	77.
Lucia Williams,	Plainfield,	Deaf and dumb,	38.
Clara Root,	Cornish,		17.
Norman Thornton,	Croydon,	Lame,	22.
Mary Johnson,	Townsend, Vt.,	Helpless,	73.
Willis Blacknell,	North Carolina,		26.
Joseph Bishop,	Canada,		50.
Levi Nelson,	Portsmouth,		70.
Giles E. Fletcher,	Clarksburgh, Mass.,	Infirmary,	69.
Sarah A. Banks,	Plainfield,		44.
Willie J. Banks,	Enfield,		14.
Walter H. Banks,	Canaan,		8.
Minnie E. Banks,	"		6.
Percy H. Banks,	Lebanon,		4.
Bertha L. Banks,	Plainfield,		10 weeks.

* Betsey Carr was born in Salisbury, Mass., Nov. 1771, being now nearly 106 years old, unquestionably the oldest person now living in the State. Though deaf and dumb from birth, and uneducated, she possessed, naturally, a keen, active mind, which she still retains. She has always enjoyed good health and is now able to go about the premises unaided. At the age of sixteen years, she moved to Newport, N. H., where she lived until May 1867, when she moved to Claremont and lived till October 1875, since which time she has lived at the Sullivan County house. Report of 1876.

Names.	Place of Birth.	Condition?	Age.
Darius Kidder,	Sunapee,		56.
George D. Stone,	Danville, Vt.,	Lame,	60.
Roxa Pierce,	Unity,		66.
Daniel Heath,	Bangor,		
Sarah Harwood,	Claremont,		25.
Frank Harwood,	"		8.
Charles H. Harwood,	"		2.
George W. Harwood,	Unity,		Infant.
Frank Tobine,	Springfield,		14.
John Wheeler,	Lempster,	Very Feeble,	81.
Hiram H. Buck,	Claremont,		54.
Jennie Stevens,	Springfield,	Very Feeble,	16.

**List of deaths at Farm during the year ending
Sept. 1, 1877.**

Name.	Date.	Where from.	Disease.	Age.
Tryphena Thompson,	Sept. 10, 1876,	Washington,		66.
Amanda Field,	Mar. 11, 1877.	Claremont,	Dropsy,	79.
Abigail Goodwin,	Mar 27, 1877.	Charles'n,	Old age,	78.
Helen Randall,	May 3, 1877,	Springfield, Vt.	Cancer,	47.
John Bell,	May 5, 1877,	Greenfield, Mass.,	Dropsy.	77.
Daniel Heath,	May 13, 1877,	Charlestown, Del.	Tremens,	50.
Anna Wallace.	July 7, 1877,	Merrimack,	Old Age,	88.

**Sums paid for support and aid furnished County Paupers
away from Farm, for year ending Sept. 1, 1877.**

Town.	JANUARY TERM.		SEPTEMBER TERM.		Total.
	No. of Paupers.	Am't paid.	No. of Paupers.	Am't paid.	
Acworth,	4,	\$ 93.46	4,	\$ 144.00	\$ 237.46
Charlestown,	2,	134.89	5,	350 17	485.06
Claremont,	23,	451.97	28,	716.72	1168.69
Cornish,	5,	77.33	3,	92.33	169.66
Croydon,	12,	368.80	10,	395.15	763.95
Grantham,	7,	132.75	8,	311.19	443.94
Goshen,	8,	226.37	6,	236.30	462.67
Lempster,	5,	255.58	4,	173.57	429.15
Newport,	16,	258.71	23,	626.94	885.65
Plainfield,	13,	287.89	16,	490.09	777.98
Springfield,	10,	248.12	12,	439.78	687.90
Sunapee,	4,	69.17	9,	316.51	385.68
Unity,	1,	30.00	3,	167.42	197.42
Washington,			2,	73.14	73.14
	110	\$ 2,635.04	183	\$ 4,533.31	\$ 7,168.35
L. H. Eaton for A. Tundy,		21.16		33.84	55.00
M. A. Thurber for S. W. Thurber,		20.50		43.05	63.55
Mrs. J. Porter and J. H. Davis for support of Wil- son children,		29.99		48.00	77.99
Wm. Balloch for J. Sturte- vant and wife,		30.00		22.00	52.00

N. H. Insane Asylum, for } board of J. A. Hubbell, } 95.72	201.31	297.03
Do. for board of Clarissa } Pollard, } 180.51	99.58	280.09
Do. board of Betsy B. Morey. } Wm. Corliss for W. Corliss. }	179.50	179.50
Orphans' Home for admit- } ting Emma Chase and } 50.00	14.29	14.29
Jenett Smith, }		50.00
Merrimack County for } Giles E. Fletcher, }	21.25	21.25
Do. for Betsy B. Morey, } Do. aid furnished Lucy }	75.85	75.85
Morey, }	5.50	5.50
	<u>\$ 3,165.52</u>	<u>\$ 5,174.88</u>
		<u>\$ 8,340.40</u>

TOTAL PAUPER EXPENSE FOR THE YEAR.

For Support at the Farm,	\$ 8,131.35
" and aid off of Farm,	8,340.40
	<u>\$ 16,471.75</u>
Total cost of paupers, 1876,	13,482 13
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Increased expense,	\$ 2,989 62

Statement showing the Receipts and disbursements, by the County Treasurer from Sept. 30, 1876, to Oct. 29, 1877.

1876.

RECEIPTS.

Sept. Balance in Treasury,	\$ 14,352.30
Received of T. Winch, fine,	15.00
do. W. E. Tutherly for blankets	5.00
do. W. F. Newton, fine,	1.00
do. Wm. Clark for fine P. Donnely,	50.00
do. " " " W. Lozo,	50.00
Borrowed to pay Jail repairs,	2,000.00
do. N. B. Sherman peddler's license,	10.00
do. Wm. Clark for fine, B. F. Hem-	
enway,	50.00
do. Wm. Clark for fine Valeket,	50.00
do. " " " H. C. Fitch,	50.00
do. " " " E. Mc Kenzie,	8.00
do. " " " A. Cass,	8.00
do. " " " E. Melvin,	8.00
do. G. Hubbard,	8.00
do. G. E. Dame,	164.85
County Tax of Acworth,	1,132.68
do. " " " Cornish,	1,431.88
do. " " " Croydon,	568.48
do. " " " Charlestown,	3,030.45
do. " " " Claremont,	7,492.79
do. " " " Goshen,	547.10
do. " " " Grantham,	461.62

do.	"	"	Lempster,	624.04
do.	"	"	Langdon,	692.43
do.	"	"	Newport,	3,581.84
do.	"	"	Plainfield,	1,585.75
do.	"	"	Springfield,	470.17
do.	"	"	Sunapee,	666.79
do.	"	"	Unity,	812.11
do.	"	"	Washington,	901.87

Total amount of receipts. \$ 40,830.15

DISBURSEMENTS.

January Term, 1877.				
Paid	Grand Jury	Pay Roll		\$ 126.96
do.	Petit do.	do.		2,231.00
September Term.				
Paid	Petit Jury	Pay Roll,		1,588.08
do.	Grand do.	do.		133.28
January Term.				
Paid	for support of Paupers,	Acworth,		93.46
do.	do.	do.	Cornish,	77.33
do.	do.	do.	Croydon,	368.80
do.	do.	do.	Charlestown,	134.89
do.	do.	do.	Claremont,	451.97
do.	do.	do.	Goshen,	226.37
do.	do.	do.	Grantham,	132.75
do.	do.	do.	Lempster,	255.58
do.	do.	do.	Newport,	258.71
do.	do.	do.	Plainfield,	287.89
do.	do.	do.	Springfield,	248.12
do.	do.	do.	Unity,	30.00
do.	do.	do.	Sunapee,	69.17
September Term.				
Paid	for support of Paupers,	Acworth,		144.00
do.	do.	do.	Cornish,	92.33
do.	do.	do.	Croydon,	395.15
do.	do.	do.	Charlestown,	350.17
do.	do.	do.	Claremont,	716.72
do.	do.	do.	Goshen,	236.30
do.	do.	do.	Grantham,	311.19
do.	do.	do.	Lempster,	173.57
do.	do.	do.	Newport,	626.94
do.	do.	do.	Plainfield,	490.09
do.	do.	do.	Springfield,	439.78
do.	do.	do.	Sunapee,	316.51
do.	do.	do.	Unity,	167.42
do.	do.	do.	Washington,	73.14
January Term.				
Paid	for support of Paupers,	Co. of Merrimack,		137.48
do.	do.	C. E. Fletcher,		5.00
do.	do.	Geo. H. Wilson,		29.99
do.	do.	A. Tandy, to L. H. Eaton,		21.16
do.	do.	J. Sturtevant, and wife, to Wm. Balloch,		30.00
do.	do.	S. W. Thurber and wife, to M. A. Thurber,		20.50

do.	do.	Insane paupers, N. H. Insane Asylum,	276.23
September Term.			
do.	do.	J. Sturtevant, and wife, to Wm. Balloch,	22.00
do.	do.	G. H. Wilson, to T. Winch,	48.00
do.	do.	W. Corliss, to Wm. Corliss,	14.29
do.	do.	S. W. Thurber, to M. A. Thurber,	43.05
do.	do.	of Jones and Jackson boys, to Reform School,	52.00
do.	do.	Insane Paupers, to N. H. Insane Asylum,	561.81
do.	do.	Support of A. Tandy, to L. H. Eaton,	38.84
January Term.			
Paid State Pay Rolls,		Julius Spear,	20 66
do.	do.	G. W. Nourse,	6.08
do.	do.	N. Chamberlain,	22.50
do.	do.	W. Mc Clearn,	7.35
do.	do.	S. K. Abbott & W. F. Ashton,	61.53
do.	do.	E. Corbin and C. N. Chamberlain,	68.16
September Term, 1876.			
Paid Pay Roll,		J. H. Shurett,	5.67
do.	do.	Sherman,	1.25
January Term.			
Paid Pay Roll,		J. Rogg,	9.45
do.	do.	W. Blacknell,	7.00
January Term, 1875.			
Paid Pay Roll of Co. Convention,			6.60
September Term, 1877.			
Paid State Roll, Peter Ayer,			43.47
do.	do.	C. Adams,	31.23
do.	do.	C. B. Young,	25.38
do.	do.	D. Heath,	6.12
do.	do.	P. Donnelly,	34.88
do.	do.	A. W. Hart,	2.36
do.	do.	B. F. Hemmenway,	20.32
do.	do.	Town of Unity,	4.54
do.	do.	C. Banks,	43.48
do.	do.	M. B. Richards,	13.29
do.	do.	Addie Barker,	37.72
January Term.			
Paid for printing, Claremont Mfg Co.,			11.75
do.	do.	G. E. Jenks,	7.50
do.	do.	Carlton & Harvey,	1.50
do.	Blanks for S. L. Bowers,		46.40
do.	Report, Claremont Mfg Co.,		50.00
do.	Referee fees, G. E. Dame,		62.60
do.	do.	do.	15.50
do.	do.	do.	30.30
do.	do.	L. W. Barton,	15.00
do.	do.	do.	56.00
do.	do.	W. H. H. Allen,	31.00

do.	Expenses Clerk's office, G. E. Dame,	52.47
do.	Stationery, E. C. Converse,	53.20
do.	do Claremont Sta. Co.,	3.00
do.	Books, Probate office, Wm. Clark,	22.59
do.	Services and exp. clerk, G. E. Dame,	288.45
do.	Exp. as Register, G. R. Brown,	2.13
do.	Postal cards and stamps, G. W. Nourse,	19.27
do.	Services and exp. Sheriff R. P. Claggett,	405.63
do.	Six months salary, do.	65.00
do.	do. Solicitor, Ira Colby,	125.00
do.	Expense as jailor, M. A. Barton,	474.57
do.	“ conveying prisoners, H. L. Hubbard,	64.65
do.	do Sheriff's fees, A. H. Danforth, 1873,	4.17
do.	Insurance, R. C. Osgood,	70.00
do.	do. do.	75.00
do.	Costs, Sullivan v. Grafton Co.,	69.51
do.	Admitting three children to Orphan's Home, by W. E. Tutherly,	75.00
January Term, 1877.		
Paid	Water rent for Jail, S. H. Edes.	16 25
do.	Bedsteads for Jail, Tucker M'fg Co.	31.03
do.	Mattresses “ “ Haskell & Tolles,	16.90
do.	Fuel and repairs Court House, F. Boardman,	119.88
do.	Top for Chimney, for C. H., C. Wilcox & Son	13 25
do.	Repairing key of Court House, C. Palmer,	1.00
do.	Castings of Walker, Pratt & Co.,	27.45
do.	Bill paid for County, by W. E. Tutherly,	129.45
do.	Support of paupers.	68.25
do.	“ “ by F. Boardman,	5.50
do.	Current exp. at Co. Farm, J. Hastings,	2,490.70
do.	Bill paid W. P. Power, by W. Tutherly,	81.70
do.	Services & expenses as Com. R. Hall, Adm.,	39.50
do.	“ “ “ T. Winch.	134.50
do.	“ “ “ W. E. Tutherly,	199.26
do.	“ “ “ F. Boardman,	68.00
do.	Coupons,	186.00
do.	Repairs and enlargement of jail, W. L. Dow & Co.,	2,600.00
do.	Repairs on jail barn, }	
do.	Court House, }	524.41
September Term.		
Paid	Costs in State cases, Wm. Clark.	59.92
do.	Postage for Judge of Prob. J. M. Whipple,	16.50
do.	Books for Reg. Deeds, C. M'fg. Co.	36.50
do.	Stationery, E. C. Converse,	76.74
do.	Printing blanks, R. L. Smiley,	5.50
do.	do. Treasurer's report in Nat. Eagle,	24.00
do.	Services and expenses Jailor M. A. Barton,	419.83
do.	Assisting C. Adams,	9.00
do.	Services and expenses, Clerk, G. E. Dame,	222.31
do.	do. do. Sheriff, R. P. Claggett,	331 77
do.	do. do. Solicitor, 6 mo.,	125.00

do.	Tax on Co. Farm, S. Sleeper,	87.34
do.	Stamps and envelopes, G. W. Nourse,	39.18
do.	Referee fees, E. D. Baker,	31.00
do.	do. do. E. Burke,	19.00
do.	do. do. E. L. Cushing,	12.75
do.	do. do. " " "	12.75
do.	do. do. W. H. H. Allen,	22.55
do.	do. do. G. E. Dame,	36.50
do.	Services as Treasurer, W. C. Stocker,	200.00
do.	do. and expenses, Com. T. Winch,	154.00
do.	do. do. do. do. W. E. Tutherly,	229.47
do.	do. do. do. do. F. Boardman,	213.07
do.	Paints and oils, Co. Farm, G. H. Stowell,	166.10
do.	Labor, painting &c., Co. buildings, Graves & Blaisdell,	257.00
do.	Repairs on G. Jury room, J. M. Sargent,	5.50
do.	Bills paid for County, by W. E. Tutherly,	56.85
do.	Expenses Co. Farm, C. F. Carr,	599.86
do.	Coupons,	180.00
do.	Bonds due April 1st, and int.,	2,392.46
do.	Notes and int.,	2,078.80

Total amount of disbursements,	\$ 30,093.53
Balance in Treasury,	10,736.62
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	\$ 40,830.15

Newport, Oct. 29, 1877.

This certifies that we have examined the foregoing account of Wm. C. Stocker, County Treasurer, for the period extending from the twenty-first day of May, 1877, to the date hereof, and compared the same with the customary vouchers, and find that the several sums are correctly entered, that the footings are correct, and that the balance reported as in the hands of the treasurer at Ten thousand seven hundred and thirty-six dollars and sixty-two cents, is also correct.

GEORGE G. IDE, }
JOSEPH M. PERKINS, } Auditors.

This certifies that we have examined the foregoing account of the County Treasurer, from the 21st day of May, 1877, to the present time, and find that there has been paid into the treasury the sum of twenty-six thousand one hundred fifty dollars and thirty-two cents, (\$ 26,150.32), including the balance in the treasury, and that there has been paid out during the same time, fifteen thousand four hundred thirteen dollars and seventy cents, (\$ 15,413.70), leaving now in the treasury ten thousand seven hundred thirty-six dollars and sixty-two cents, (\$ 10,736.62).

October 29, 1877.

THOMAS WINCH, }
WILLIAM E. TUTHERLY, } Sullivan
F. BOARDMAN, } County
Commissioners.

Financial Standing of the County, Oct. 29., 1877.

INDEBTEDNESS.

Bonds due April 1st, 1878,	\$ 1,200.00
“ do. do 1st, 1879,	1,700.00
Interest accrued,	101.00
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Total indebtedness,	\$ 3,001.00

ASSETS.

Balance in Treasury, Oct. 29, 1877,	\$ 10,736.62
County Farm,	21,008.23
Personal property at Farm,	10,593.30
Jail, house and buildings,	5,000.00
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Total assets,	\$ 47,338.15
Assets above liabilities,	\$ 44,337.15

The Jail was completed and ready for occupancy on the first of December, 1876. The expense of this improvement, as per report of 1876, was forty-one hundred dollars, and the alterations in the buildings connected therewith, made necessary by its enlargement, have cost about five hundred dollars.

In addition to the current expenses of the County, this outlay, as well as the bonds due April 1, 1877, has been met from the ordinary county funds, leaving a balance in the Treasury, of ten thousand seven hundred thirty-six dollars and sixty-two cents. (\$ 10,736.62.)

On the first of April next, twelve hundred dollars of the present bonded indebtedness will mature, leaving a balance of only seventeen hundred dollars, which will fall due April first, 1879.

To defray the expenses of the January Term of Court, to meet the payment of the bonds at maturity, and the current expenses of the County, until the next September Term, it will doubtless become necessary to resort to a temporary loan, which will be paid on receipt of the County tax then due, thereby avoiding any permanent addition to the County indebtedness, unless the expenses incidental to our terms of Court, and the number of County paupers should continue to increase, proportionately with the past two years.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS WINCH,	} Commissioners	
WILLIAM E. TUTHERLY,		of
F. BOARDMAN,		Sullivan County.

County Clerk's Report.

SUPREME COURT.

SULLIVAN SS.

January Term, 1877.

To the County Commissioners for said County.

The following is an account of moneys received and expended by me, as clerk of the Courts for said county, from the end of the last term to the end of this term to wit:

RECEIPTS.

Fine and costs, State v. Maxam,	\$28.00
“ State v. Kelsey Marston & Davis,	3.00
112 entry fees,	90.80
14 Jury fees,	70.00
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	\$ 191.80

EXPENDITURES.

For dockets,	\$ 39.00
“ Stationery, December Law Term,	13.67
“ Lounge for office,	9.00
“ N. H. Atlas,	12.00
“ Webster's Unabridged Dictionary,	9.50
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	\$ 83.17

The above was settled with the presiding Justice of the said term,
GEO. E. DAME, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

SULLIVAN SS.

September Term, 1877.

The following is an account of moneys received and expended by me, as clerk of the Court for said County, from the end of the last term to the end of this term to wit:

RECEIPTS.

Cash for dockets, sold,	\$18.12
9 Jury fees,	45.00
165 entry fees,	148.50
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	\$ 211.62

EXPENDITURES.

Cash paid for dockets,	\$ 56.00
“ “ N. H. Directory,	2.00
“ “ Blank Dockets,	7.00
“ “ binding N. H. Laws,	3.00
“ “ one half expenses of printing cases,	18.00
“ “ printing blanks,	12.50
“ “ Stamps, express bills and incidental ex- penses of office,	15.90
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	\$ 114.40

The above was settled with the presiding Justice of said term.
GEORGE E. DAME Clerk.