

CHIEF ENGINEER'S REPORT.

To His Honor the Mayor, and the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord :

The undersigned, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, would report as follows :

There have been during the past year eleven fires and alarms :
May, 1856.—Fire at Fisherville ; burning of a barn.

June 2d.—Fire in the rear of B. F. Dow's buildings, West Concord.

June 6.—Alarm ; caused by the burning of straw in the house of Charles Pettingill.

July 20.—Fire on Spring and Fulton streets ; totally destroying a double house belonging to Robert Chase, and damaging two other cottage houses, one belonging to Mr. Chase and the other to Mr. Rowe.

Oct. 4.—Alarm ; occasioned by the burning of a bed in the house occupied by Mr. Dadmun, on Walnut street.

Aug. 29.—Fire at the buildings of Jeremiah Abbot ; barn struck by lightning and totally destroyed, together with about twenty tons of hay, &c.

Sept. 24.—Fire at Fisherville.

Dec. 28.—Fire at the Phenix Hotel ; the building was totally destroyed, but a portion of the furniture was saved. The building and furniture were partially insured.

Jan. 22, 1857.—Fire occasioned by the partial burning of the stationary engine house at the Concord Railroad.

Jan. 23.—Alarm occasioned by the bursting of a boiler at the steam mill of Messrs. Kimball and Clough, at which Loren A. Webster was instantly killed, and Mr. Keniston seriously injured.

Feb. 1.—Fire at Philip Sargent's shop on State street ; partially destroyed.

The location of the Fire Apparatus belonging to the city is as follows :

CONCORD, No. 2—Located at the north end of State street, near the Prison, and has five hundred and fifty feet of hose, all in good condition.

MECHANICS, No. 3—Located at the south end of Main street, near MESSRS. Abbots' Coach Manufactory, has five hundred feet of hose, in good order.

MERRIMACK, No. 4—Located on Warren street, has six hundred feet of hose in good order.

CATARACT, No. 6—Located at West Concord, has four hundred feet of good hose, and one hundred feet of old hose.

OLD FORT, No. 7—Located at East Concord, has three hundred feet of hose, a quantity altogether too small for an engine of that capacity.

PIONEER, No. 8—Located at Fisherville, has five hundred feet of hose, all in good condition.

HOOK & LADDER Co., No. 1, is located on Warren street, in the same building with Engine Co. No. 4.

Besides the above, the city own two old engines, one at the north end of Main street, and the other at the south end of Main street, now occupied by young gentlemen from 15 to 18 years of age.

The various engine companies in the city have, for a long time, been anxious to have some runners for their engines ; and recently, by the vote of the Board of Engineers, I was instructed to procure them, and have accordingly done so. During the recent deep snows, great inconvenience and loss of time was experienced for the want of them.

There has been constructed during the past year, under the superintendence of the Chief Engineer and the Mayor of the city, a reservoir on Rumford street, near the residence of Judge Minot, at an expense of about two hundred dollars. Two other reservoirs were ordered to be built by the City Council, one at West Concord near the City Farm, which has been commenced but not completed, and the other near Fayette street in Ward 6, which, owing to the extreme wet weather, was not commenced last Fall. They will both be finished as soon as the ground shall be sufficiently dry.

The reservoirs in the city heretofore constructed, are as follows :

One at the south end of Main street, near Abbot's carriage manufactory ;

One near the South Church, at the intersection of Main and Pleasant streets ;

Three in front of the State House ;

One at the intersection of Main and Centre streets ;

One opposite the Merrimack County Bank, Main street ;

One in front of J. H. George's house, Main street ;

One on State street, near Sewell Hoit's house ;

One on South street, near Daniel H. Fletcher's house ;

One on Pine street ;

One on School street, opposite S. G. Sylvester's house, near the Unitarian Church ;

One on Main street, front of J. R. Hill's shop ;

One on State street, near Mr. Parker's house ;

One on State street ;

One on the corner of State and West street ;

One on Pleasant street, opposite the house of G. H. H. Silsby ;

One on Main street near F. N. Fisk's house.

There are also several others not strictly public ; three on Warren street, one in rear of Call's Block, one at the intersection of State and Washington streets, one in Railroad Square, and various others of small capacity.

At Fisherville, about 1000 feet from the canal, are two reservoirs.

Notwithstanding the amount of money expended by the city in the construction of reservoirs, still, probably, no city in New England is so poorly supplied with water, in case of fire, as the main village of Concord. The appropriations for reservoirs have not kept pace with the increase of building. An appropriation each year for one or more reservoirs is absolutely required for the public safety ; for no matter how energetic and efficient the Fire Department may be, without water they are comparatively useless.

The entire apparatus of the Fire Department has been kept by the stewards of the various companies; during the last year, so, that to all appearance, they are as good as they were at the date of my last annual report.

All which is respectfully submitted, .

TRUE OSGOOD, *Chief Engineer.*

The following are the names of persons connected with the Fire Department at the present time :

BOARD OF ENGINEERS.

True Osgood, Chief Engineer ; A. B. Holt, Assistant Engineer ; Beza H. Lincoln, Clerk ; Lowell Eastman, James L. Mason, Oscar G. Ingalls, David A. Brown, Cyrus Robinson, Jeremiah Upton, Assistant Engineers.

ENGINE COMPANY, No. 2.—CONCORD.

LUTHER ROBY, JR.,.....Foreman.

C. H. BURR,.....Clerk.

H. H. Holt,
R. M. Ordway,
Wm. F. Lock,
George Dame,
Joseph Brown,
M. D. Drew,
F. LaBonta,
Samuel Wallace,
James Morrill,
E. S. Towle,
C. H. Herbert,
W. Odlin,
Luther Roby, Jr.,
J. J. Wyman,
C. C. Hartford,
S. M. Griffin,
John A. West,
George H. Marston,
J. B. Walker,
Wm. Roby,
Charles Barker,
Calvin Smart,
H. P. Sweetser,
L. A. Walker,
S. Seavey,

G. H. Seavey,
Wm. Ballard,
M. A. Holt,
C. R. Cass,
Wm. Wallace,
Samuel B. Marsten,
George W. Emerton,
E. A. Moulton,
D. Kenerdy,
George Brackett,
John Richardson,
M. H. Bradley,
Joshua T. Kendall,
John M. Hill,
Moses C. Hadley,
Jacob W. Watson,
J. R. Elwell,
R. Roberts,
V. R. Moore,
Henry C. Davis,
Henry Dunlap,
Alvin Ferrin,
John M. Bowker,
Isaac N. Elwell,

ENGINE COMPANY, No. 3.—MECHANICS.

JOSIAH COOPER,.....Foreman.

J. M. OTIS,.....Clerk.

Caleb Parker,
L. P. Fuller,
G. F. Whittredge,
James Thompson,

Samuel Gage,
J. Stephens Abbott,
Job M. Cook,
W. E. Morton,

Joel Howe,
 Daniel H. Stokes,
 C. H. Abbott,
 William Stevenson,
 J. J. Pillsbury,
 Daniel Widmer,
 Charles D. Cate,
 Joseph Meyers,
 Edward Sanborn,
 Joseph Lamprey,
 Daniel S. Webster,
 Asa Parker,
 Charles Butters,
 Abel Lamprey,
 Chandler Stevens,
 Charles E. Thompson,
 John K. Stokes,
 Samuel Shute,
 Perry Curtis,
 Andrew J. Tilton,

Amos Locke,
 Freeman Sanborn,
 Charles Bradley,
 Oliver Turner,
 L. C. Lull,
 C. S. Colby,
 William W. Cloud,
 James H. Stevens,
 Dudley Winslow,
 John M. Fellows,
 Thomas Upham,
 Benjamin Green,
 Jesse Lull,
 Albert Fellows,
 Joseph Whitney,
 Jeremiah Batchelder,
 Irad Colby,
 Everett Smith,
 Ezekiel C. Downs,
 George A. Fellows.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 4.—MERRIMACK.

J. D. TEEL,.....Foreman.

N. J. MEAD,.....Clerk.

Jona. Sargent,
 Ira F. Morse,
 Jona. Sanborn,
 S. Whitcher,
 Joseph Osgood,
 Wm. S. Davis,
 Jeremiah Brown,
 Charles J. Elliott,
 Luther P. Cheeney,
 J. C. Duncklee,
 James A. Cooper,
 Joseph Heezar,
 James G. Alexander,
 Calvin Goodspeed,
 J. Frank Hoit,
 Perkins Gale,
 James Davis,
 C. C. Webster,
 L. D. Boynton,
 W. G. Shaw,
 D. B. Rowe,
 S. D. Greeley,
 Wm. Carr,

S. Edmunds,
 J. W. Prescott,
 Charles E. Mead,
 H. Conner,
 N. Teney,
 Reuben Lake,
 S. L. Sanders,
 John S. Webster,
 A. Morrison,
 Charles G. Lane,
 Calvin Gerrish,
 Albert Ordway,
 Henry H. Arlin,
 David Brown, Jr.,
 R. F. Wolcott,
 Charles H. Duncklee,
 Prescott F. Stevens,
 Oliver Cole,
 Thomas James,
 Patrick Morrison,
 Arthur L. Davis,
 Daniel B. Hill,

ENGINE COMPANY No. 6.—CATARACT.

JEREMIAH UPTON,.....Foreman.

JACKSON CROSBY,.....Clerk.

Moses Humphrey,
 Chandler Eastman,
 John Quin,
 Benj. F. Holden,
 Moses F. Clough,
 Benj. F. Dow,
 Joseph Eastman,
 Charles R. Brown,
 Moses H. Farnum,
 Hiram Farnum,
 George W. Brown,
 Wm. F. Clough,
 Wm. H. Brown,
 Charles H. Clough,
 E. C. Ferrin,
 Daniel Marden,
 Elisha Thomas,
 Charles Upton,
 Asa P. Tenny, Jr.,

Stephen W. Kellum,
 Henry M. Goodrich,
 Lyman Sawyer,
 Thomas P. Gow,
 Michael Huben,
 Rufus Abbott,
 Milo Bedel,
 John H. Kellum,
 Amos S. Abbott,
 John N. Speed,
 Otis A. Williams,
 Augustus Williams,
 Harrison Patridge,
 Jeremiah Hall,
 James Flanders,
 John Thomas,
 Charles Hartley,
 Patrick Owens,
 Thomas Clegg,

ENGINE COMPANY No. 7.—OLD FORT.

WM PAGE,.....Foreman.

CHARLES E. ROBINSON.....Clerk.

Reuben B. Locke,
 Ebenezer Eastman,
 Samuel Eastman,
 John T. Batchelder,
 Cyrus Robinson,
 Heman Sanborn,
 Adoniram B. Seavey,
 Smith Bean,
 James Frye,
 Jonathan Kimball,
 James Sarborn,
 Washington Hill,
 Abraham B. Sanborn,
 Cyrus Farrar,
 Samuel Moody,
 George Turner,
 George W. Stone,
 T. W. Emery,
 Wm. Pecker,
 Warren A. Bean,
 Wm. H. Keniston.

John C. Hutchins,
 P. C. Virgin,
 Isaac Eastman,
 James M. Carleton,
 Winthrop St. Clair,
 Lewis Bean,
 Gardner Tenney,
 George W. Moody,
 Mellen C. Eastman,
 Mark Floyd,
 J. Eastman Pecker,
 George W. Moulton,
 Benj. P. Kimball,
 Harvey Clark,
 Jacob Clough,
 John Putney,
 John Hutchins,
 Joseph Dow,
 Joseph Clough,
 Cyrus R. Robinson,

ENGINE COMPANY, No. 8.—PIONEER.

LEONARD DROWN,.....Foreman.
SAMUEL MERRIAM,.....Clerk.

Abial Rolfe,
John A. Coburn,
George B. Elliot,
Albert H. Drown,
David A. Brown,
Isaac G. Howe,
Samuel R. Flanders,
Charles W. Hardy,
William H. Allen,
Nathaniel Rolfe,
Hazen Knowlton,
Samuel C. Pickard,
Charles L. Bachelder,
Jacob B. Rand,
Timothy C. Rolfe,
Sylvester G. Long,
Charles Abbott,
Nathan Emerson,
Jedediah S. Shepherd,
Jeremiah S. Durgin,
Benjamin Merrill,
Jared Sparks,
Albert L. Smith,
Daniel W. Martin,

Henry F. Brown,
Edward McArdle,
Isaac N. Vesper,
Charles W. Chase,
Josiah W. Jameson,
Reuben C. Danforth,
Joshua S. Bean,
Charles D. Rowell,
Frank Morse,
Samuel Davis,
Timothy H. Potter,
Martin Sargent,
Lorenzo F. Conner,
John G. Warren,
James K. Bricket,
Orren S. Rollins,
William E. Woodward,
Henry A. Sparks,
Charles Smith,
E. T. Bachelder,
Peter R. Shepard,
Daniel Emery,
Sherburn W. Stevens,
Jeremiah F. Stevens,

The above is a correct list of firemen belonging to Engine Company No. 8, in the city of Concord, and have done duty for the year 1856.

LEONARD DROWN, *Foreman.*
SAMUEL MERRIAM, *Clerk.*

HOOK & LADDER COMPANY No 1.

CHARLES K. WEST,.....Foreman
FRED. S. CRAWFORD,.....Clerk.

John C. Hall,
Edson C. Eastman,
Joseph B. Smart,
John L. Gordon,
Thomas B. Jones,
Harry Houston,
George B. Houston,
Curtis White,
S. N. Farnsworth,
Joel C. Danforth,
Isaac A. Hill,

Jeremiah Smith,
Jacob P. Wheeler,
John G. Elliott,
Thomas Burton,
James Leahy,
Charles C. Shaw,
John Miller,
Edward Miller,
D. Clough,
George A. Dow,
Thomas McGrath.

Solon S. Graves,
Josiah B. Sanborn,
Charles F. Barton,
Gust. Walker,
J. L. Cilley,
John C. Pillsbury,
Robert Crummett,

Dexter W. Smith,
Charles Dennett,
D. D. Brainard,
N. S. Shaw,
J. F. Cotton,
George Page,
Wm. H. Wyman, 2d,

REPORT

OF THE

SUPERINTENDENT

OF

REPAIRS OF HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

THE details of the expenditures will be found under the several heads of the appropriations appended.

JOHN ABBOTT, Superintendent.

DISTRICTS No. 9, 27 AND 28.

Amount appropriated April, 1856, \$4305-00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid for Labor,	
Charles P. Adams,	\$12-28
Asa J. Hook,	7-60
Calvin Worth,	8-20
Thomas Clark,	17-22
John Larry.	1-75
Patrick Larkin,	5-83
A. & C. C. Webster,	1-80
Charles Graham for oxen,	180-00
James Frye,	26-00
Patrick Flaherty,	5-83
Calvin Worth,	7-00
Charles P. Adams,	7-00
Thomas Kieley,	7-00
Patrick Larkin,	7-00
Asa J. Hook,	4-67
Thomas Clark,	8-20
Amount carried forward.	\$307-38

Amount brought forward,	\$307-38
Paid A. & C. C. Webster,	25-20
William Nichols,	4-50
Patrick McCade,	2-50
George Downing,	6-41
Patrick Larkin,	6-41
Calvin Worth,	5-83
Patrick Flaherty,	6-41
Thomas Clark,	6-41
Thomas Kieley,	6-41
Asa J. Hook,	6-41
Charles P. Adams,	4-25
Holmes & Boutell for stone,	75-00
James Frye,	42-25
Asa J. Hook,	5-83
Charles P. Adams,	5-83
Calvin Worth,	5-52
George Clark,	4-09
George C. Downing,	4-09
Thomas Kieley,	5-83
Cyrus Parch,	3-50
Michael Larkin,	5-25
Patrick Flaherty,	5-83
John Bresingham,	5-25
Patrick Larkin,	4-67
Thomas Clark,	5-83
William T. Locke,	58-50
Joshua Goodridge,	6-00
Holmes & Boutell for stone,	92-62
Richard Wheeler,	15-00
Asa J. Hook,	7-00
Charles P. Adams,	7-00
Patrick Larkin,	7-00
Thomas Clark,	7-00
Thomas Kieley,	7-00
Michael Larkin,	7-00
Patrick Flaherty,	7-00
John Bresingham,	7-00
Cornelius Clifford,	7-00
George Clark,	7-00
George C. Downing,	2-33
Austin Guernsey,	12-25
Amount carried forward,	<hr/> \$824-59

Amount brought forward,	\$824.59
Paid Thomas Murphy,	2.33
Dexter W. Smith,	16.25
Asa J. Hook,	7.41
Patrick Larkin,	4.67
George Clark,	5.83
John Bresingham,	5.83
Thomas Clark,	6.41
Patrick Flaharty,	5.83
Michael Larkin,	5.83
Cornelius Clifford,	5.83
Thomas Keeley,	5.83
Charles P. Adams,	5.83
Charles C. Clark,	4.50
James S. Frye,	35.75
Thomas Clark,	7.00
Charles P. Adams,	7.00
Patrick Larkin,	7.00
Patrick Flaharty,	7.00
George Clark,	7.00
Thomas Keeley,	7.00
Michael Larkin,	7.00
Cornelius Clifford,	7.00
Asa J. Hook,	7.05
John Bresingham,	7.00
Jeremiah Cass,	19.81
George Clark,	2.33
William T. Locke,	14.16
William T. Locke,	33.00
Henry Smith,	30.52
Charles Butters,	56.58
Charles Butters,	1.47
Harvey Hayes,	20.71
Cornelius Clifford,	3.50
Michael Larkin,	3.50
Thomas Keeley,	4.67
Thomas Clark,	4.67
Patrick Larkin,	3.50
John Burk,	35.64
Patrick Flaharty,	3.50
Webster & Robinson,	50.00
Charles O'Brien,	35.67
Amount carried forward,	—————\$1,336.00

Amount brought forward,	\$1,336-00
Paid A. G. Saltmarsh,	74-75
Jeremiah Mills,	30-00
J. Brown,	3-00
James S. Frye,	18-68
John Mills,	42-81
Sullivan Mills,	29-00
George Garvin,	50-00
Charles P. Adams,	7-58
Samuel Simpson,	25-38
Asa J. Hook,	1-17
William Pecker,	23-56
A. G. Saltmarsh,	73-25
Nancy Dakin, sand,	54-90
Webster & Robinson,	44-25
C. W. Batchelder, lumber,	20-55
James Weeks,	75-00
George Garvin,	46-37
Phineas Nevens,	69-75
Daniel S. Webster,	98-00
George Frye,	131-73
Alexander Thompson,	19-40
J. Colby,	7-25
James M. Jones,	143-81
Thomas Keeley,	14-29
John Bresingham,	2-33
Thomas Harty,	7-58
Michael Larkin,	7-00
John Drew,	7-58
Patrick Larkin,	3-50
Thomas Clark,	9-33
Chandler Eastman, lumber,	2-00
William H. Clark, stone,	52-50
Thomas Upham,	10-62
Calvin Howe, stone,	14-00
Samuel L. Currier,	37-37
John Drew,	4-67
S. H. Dumas,	13-00
Isaac Clement,	49-12
Patrick Larkin,	11-67
Michael Larkin,	11-67
Cornelius Breslils,	11-67
Amount carried forward	————— \$2,696.09

Amount brought forward,	2,696.09
Paid Thomas Clark,	11.67
Thomas Keeley,	7.00
H. Sanborn, sand,	10.00
Philip O'Connel,	14.00
Waterman Dimond, gravel,	23.50
James Thompson,	21.87
Parker Whidden,	2.00
Charles P. Adams,	5.83
John J. Burk,	11.25
Isaac Emerson,	10.00
James Weeks,	63.75
Harvey Hayes,	14.50
Patrick Larkin,	19.00
Michael Larkin,	16.33
Benjamin J. Davis,	20.17
Moses Carter,	1.25
John C. Hall, stone,	15.25
James M. Jones,	3.00
Charles P. Adams,	7.00
Patrick Larkin,	7.00
Thomas Keeley,	16.08
A. G. Saltmarsh,	158.81
William T. Locke,	69.75
Charles O'Brien,	13.25
Thomas Summerville,	6.59
John E. Saltmarsh,	27.70
Moses Brown,	20.44
John Burke,	18.25
David A. Warde, Hard-ware,	17.61
Jeremiah Brown,	38.12
William H. Clark,	27.75
H. C. Morrill,	5.00
Asa J. Hook,	18.72
Going Thompson,	23.00
Lowell Eastman,	5.00
Charles P. Adams,	4.50
Alexander & Sargent,	40.00
George Fitts, Blacksmith's work,	3.59
Samuel Simpson,	2.50
Albert Jounson,	.75
Harvey Hayes,	5.50
Amount carried forward.	—————\$3,503.37

Amount brought forward,	\$35.03.37
Paid Sullivan Mills,	35-25
John Mills,	31-50
Jere Mills,	20-25
Webster & Rowland,	61-00
Moses Thompson,	9-25
John Larkin,	14-58
George Abbott,	67-56
Thomas Tandy,	2-83
Asa J. Hook,	1-15
Gilman Handerson,	12-29
Thomas Murphy,	2-00
Benjamin L. Larkin,	39-00
George Abbott,	11-37
Thomas Tandy,	5-25
Asa J. Hook,	12-38
Gilman Handerson,	6-48
Thomas Murphy,	18-75
Benjamin L. Larkin,	1-00
Minenas Carey,	5-00
Willard Williams,	11-44
Minenas Nevens,	55-53
Daniel S. Webster,	145-87
S. D. Colby,	1-39
Benjamin L. Larkin,	-36
George Abbott,	-60
Thomas Tandy,	5-00
Asa J. Hook,	2-00
Gilman Handerson,	2-33
Thomas Murphy,	3-83
Thomas Keeley,	1-00
Plumer Ordway,	-36
Moses B. Elliott,	-36
Benjamin K. Abbott,	17-87
H. B. Cross,	3-00
Thomas Tandy,	10-00
Charles Thompson,	5-83
Gilman Handerson,	1-50
Patrick Halpin,	-75
John Murphy,	-50
Joseph P. Stickney,	19-58
Patrick Larkin,	1-00
Amount carried forward,	———— \$4,150-36

Amount brought forward,	\$4,150-36
Paid Thomas Tandy,	10-00
Charles Butters,	10-00
Cornelius Driscoll,	.60
William Abbott,	.50
Samuel Coffin,	38-99
Seth Eastman,	1-25
Isaac Danforth,	4-00
J. R. Bowers,	1-50
Ezekiel F. Elliott,	3-24
William T. Emery,	53
John Kenney,	1-50
Gilman Handerson,	3-00
Thomas Clark,	10-00
Thomas Murphy,	.50
	<hr/> \$4,247-49
Balance not expended Feb. 1, 1857,	\$57-51

DISTRICT No. 1.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,	\$50-00
Paid for labor,	
Jeremiah P. Boyce, surveyor,	\$4-72
Samuel Carter,	.36
Samuel Hutchins,	3-04
Joseph F. Goodwin,	.36
Joseph H. Emery,	.39
John H. Durgin,	.39
Barnard Currier,	.47
James Locke,	3-13
Thomas T. Moore,	3-09
Aaron Q. Farnum,	7-25
Simeon Farnum,	.36
Moody S. Farnum,	.79
Joseph F. Gage,	1-19
Samuel Boyce,	.33
Isaac C. Boyce,	1-00
John T. Gilman,	8-00
Zebulon Smith,	8-50
Chandler Choat,	1-62
George Melville,	1-56
George H. Melville,	.50
Nelson Davis,	2-95
	<hr/> \$50-00

DISTRICT No. 2.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$30.00
Paid for labor,		
Enoch Jackman, surveyor,	\$4-60	
Caleb Gilman,	-50	
William Hayward,	3-65	
William Hayward,	-60	
Joseph Moody,	5-15	
Joseph Moody,	1-00	
Z. W. Gleason,	1-25	
Henry Stevens,	-60	
Albert G. Hildreth,	2-45	
C. A. W. Folsom,	5-60	
John Ewer,	3-00	
John Ewer,	1-40	
John Ewer,	1-20	
	<hr/>	\$30-00

DISTRICT No. 3.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$47-00
Paid for labor,		
George G. Virgin, surveyor,	\$20-40	
James C. Ewer,	2-00	
David Sargent,	3-00	
Andrew Moody,	3-00	
Charles Graham,	5-50	
James C. Ewer,	3-50	
Charles Graham,	6-60	
	<hr/>	\$47-00

DISTRICT No. 4.

Amount appropriated,		\$44-00
Paid for labor,		
Wm. H. Page, surveyor,	15-00	
Jacob A. Potter,	7-50	
John G. Kimball,	2-50	
Reuben Kimball,	2-00	
Amos Sleeper,	3-00	
Thompson Tenney,	2-75	
Charles O. Stockbridge,	3-25	
Samuel Haines,	5-50	
Samuel Kimball,	2-50	
	<hr/>	\$44-00

DISTRICT No. 5.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$72-00
Paid for labor,		
John L. Tallant, surveyor,	\$31-00	
Robert Brown,	3-00	
Evans Anderson,	2-90	
Abraham Bean,	3-00	
Sylvester Stevens,	2-50	
J. T. Hoyt,	8-50	
John B. Sanborn,	5-50	
Amos Paul,	1-00	
Nathaniel Mann,	3-50	
Daniel Gale,	2-51	
C. & J. C. Gage for plank,	8-59	
	—	\$72-00

DISTRICT No. 6.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$230-00
Paid for labor,		
William Pecker, surveyor,	\$29-88	
Nathaniel Parker,	1-00	
Timothy W. Emery,	3-56	
James Sanborn,	10-20	
Joseph Clough,	2-00	
Heman Sanborn,	13-50	
Smith Bean,	.70	
William Page,	2-50	
Benjamin Ambrose,	7-00	
James Frye,	16-00	
Adoniram B. Seavey,	3-50	
Lewis Bean,	1-00	
Augustus H. Robinson,	1-35	
Gardiner Tenney,	.80	
George W. Moody,	2-00	
Mastin M. Tallant,	4-25	
Jacob Clough,	3-70	
Samuel Eastman,	2-00	
Carlton Parker,	.36	
John Sanders,	3-94	
Parson Cleasby,	1-15	
E. W. Upham,	2-00	
John M. Dearborn,	3-51	
Amount carried forward,	—	\$115.90

Amount brought forward,	\$115.90
Paid Isaac Eastman,	.81
Cyrus Farrar,	1.03
John Putney,	2.61
Mellen C. Eastman,	1.29
Edmond S. Curtis,	1.56
Benjamin O. Adams,	1.75
Harrison Bean,	2.20
Samuel Curtis,	.47
Meshech Lang,	1.27
Reuben B. Locke,	1.64
Mary L. Pecker,	2.50
John B. Curtis,	4.06
Samuel G. Potter,	2.36
Henry A. Kendall,	5.00
Thomas Smith,	1.00
John P. Locke,	1.50
Z. W. Gleason,	1.50
Joshua Sanborn,	.98
Herman Price,	.30
Joseph A. Merriam,	14.58
Abel Manning,	2.00
George W. Moulton,	1.00
David J. Paige,	1.50
Samuel Moody,	.66
Phineas Kimball,	1.50
David J. Paige,	.20
Richard Sargent,	.30
James Blake,	9.34
William Hurd,	4.50
Robert Eastman,	1.00
Joseph Bachelder,	4.56
John Jarvis,	5.00
John Eastman, for plank,	6.54
John Eastman,	6.50
Joseph F. Parker,	.90
Isaac Emery,	9.26
Robert Smith,	.36
Winthrop St. Clair,	2.00
William Keniston,	3.10
John M. Dearborn, for nail,	.53
Heman Sanborn,	5.50
	<hr/> \$230.50

DISTRICT No. 7.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$20-00
Paid for labor,		
Samuel M. Locke,	\$2-96	
Josiah C. Locke,	3-60	
John Locke,	4-57	
Samuel B. Locke,	2-94	
James B. Fellows,	.83	
Samuel B. Larkin,	5-07	
	—	\$20-00

DISTRICT No. 8.

Amount appropriated, April 1856,		\$29-00
Paid for labor,		
William C. Greenough, surveyor,	\$5-04	
John Davis,	.69	
Malachi Harris,	.53	
Sylvester Davis,	.36	
Jonathan Fellows,	.81	
Jonathan Leavitt,	1-47	
Gilman W. Holt,	1-09	
Thomas H. Morrill,	.42	
Abbott Saltmarsh,	2-86	
Nathan Pingrey,	.84	
Frye Holt,	.29	
Barter Holt,	.72	
Hiram Davis,	.36	
Josiah Stevens,	2-19	
Benjamin Prescott,	1-06	
Cyrus Jenness,	.33	
Jacob T. Moulton,	1-18	
Obed Kempton,	.23	
John F. Carter,	.36	
Hosea B. Barton,	1-59	
Obed Kempton,	.36	
Lafayette Stevens,	.80	
Alvin Gates,	.36	
Jonathan F. Day,	1-78	
Not expended,	9-02	
	—	\$29-00

DISTRICT No. 10.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$145·00
Paid for labor,		
William H. Brown, surveyor,	\$62·50	
Benjamin Farnum,	12·00	
Charles H. Clough,	6·00	
Moses H. Farnum,	10·00	
Simeon Abbott,	10·00	
Daniel Marden,	4·00	
George W. Brown, for lumber,	10·00	
Hiram Simpson,	1·50	
Timothy E. Hoit,	1·50	
George W. Shepherd,	5·50	
George W. Brown,	22·00	
	<hr/>	\$145·00

DISTRICT No. 11.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$23·00
Paid for labor,		
David Abbott, surveyor,	\$8·16	
Gardner Knowles,	·36	
Alfred C. Abbott,	3·80	
Jonathan Arlin,	·36	
Asa A. Blanchard,	6·50	
Samuel B. Knowles,	3·82	
	<hr/>	\$23·00

DISTRICT No. 12.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$350·00
Paid for labor,		
Seth B. Hoit, surveyor,	\$133·39	
H. Rolfe & Sons,	21·01	
S. C. Roby,	·36	
Nathan Chandler,	2·00	
Nathaniel Simpson,	1·50	
Asa H. Morrill,	1·00	
H. H. & J. S. Brown,	1·40	
George W. Wadleigh,	3·75	
C. & J. C. Gage, lumber,	·72	
C. B. Wallace,	24·00	
Nathaniel Simpson,	5·25	
Samuel R. Flanders,	7·00	
Amount carried forward,	<hr/>	\$201·38

Amount brought forward,	\$201.38
Paid Joseph Abbott,	1.00
Hamilton Rowell,	22.00
Charles Moore,	.36
Nathan Chandler,	7.50
John H. Tilton,	1.00
Nathaniel Simpson,	9.50
William O. Dyer,	.36
James Healey,	11.00
E. F. Elliott, lumber,	3.04
Edmund Guernsey,	1.00
Jacob Puffer,	2.00
C. & J. C. Gage, lumber,	3.45
James G. Howe,	1.75
Ezra A. Pratt,	3.50
S. B. Hoit,	4.50
Moses H. Fifield,	3.00
John Sawyer,	5.25
Gilman Morrill,	2.50
Balance undrawn Feb. 1, 1857,	65.91
	<hr/> \$350.00

DISTRICT No. 13.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,	\$49.00
Paid for labor,	
Joseph E. Scales, surveyor,	\$4.47
Jeremiah Fowler,	7.28
Eli Elliot,	2.80
Peter F. Elliott,	.69
Rufus D. Scales,	4.05
Jonathan H. Hoit,	1.39
Nathan C. Elliot,	1.30
Marshal Baker,	1.26
Aaron Elliott,	2.35
G. W. Wells,	.36
Charles H. Currier,	.36
James C. Elliott,	.38
Eben O. Morrill,	.36
Luther B. Elliott,	1.64
Warren W. Whittier,	3.35
Eben F. Elliott,	7.60
Henry L. Elliott,	3.03
Benjamin Hoit,	4.95
Samuel E. Scales,	1.48
	<hr/> \$49.00

DISTRICT No. 14.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$27-00
Paid for labor,		
Sherman D. Colby, surveyor,	\$1-98	
Heirs of Wm. Eastman,	60	
Solon Sanborn,	3-44	
George Foss,	2-57	
Thomas Eastman,	3-89	
Ephraim C. Elliot,	1-96	
Josiah Hardy,	2-41	
Solomon Colby,	26	
Gilman J. Colby,	2-39	
Samuel Dow,	64	
Sylvester G. Hoit,	36	
George A. Hoit,	46	
Amos Hoit,	5-58	
Alfred A. Eastman,	36	
	<hr/>	\$27-00

DISTRICT No. 15.

Amount appropriated April, 1856.		\$22-00
Paid for labor,		
Samuel Runnels, surveyor,	\$8-09	
Andrew Crockett,	55	
Joseph Colby,	99	
Ephraim Sweatt,	81	
Eri Colby,	1-34	
Francis Runnels,	1-64	
Luther Runnels,	36	
Robert Knowlton,	3-29	
J. F. Runnels,	1-01	
Andrew P. Bennet,	36	
George B. Dimond,	1-06	
Harvey Chase,	2-50	
	<hr/>	\$22-00

DISTRICT No. 16.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		38-00
Paid for labor,		
Robert B. Hoit, surveyor,	\$7-66	
Edwin Terry,	84	
Amount carried forward,	<hr/>	\$8-50

Amount brought forward,	\$8-50	
Dodge Hayward,	2-00	
Amos Sawyer,	3-04	
John Sawyer, Jr.,	1-17	
Joseph Runnels,	3-91	
Josiah Runnels,	4-58	
James H. Powell,	81	
F. F. Hoyt,	3-00	
Albert G. Dow,	3-47	
Sarah B. Johnson,	35	
Lois Runnels,	2-26	
	<hr/>	\$33-09

Balance not expended, February 1, 1857, \$5-91

DISTRICT No. 17.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$29-00
Paid for labor,		
Hazen Abbott,	\$7-00	
John Fisk,	5-50	
Israel Shepard,	1-36	
Andrew Buswell,	7-50	
William D. Colby,	3-64	
Heirs of Enoch H. Dow,	1-00	
William B. Thompson,	2-00	
John F. Elliott,	1-00	
	<hr/>	\$29-00

DISTRICT No. 18.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$61-00
Paid for labor,		
H. L. Ferrin, surveyor,	\$21-60	
Joseph Eastman,	5-00	
Ezekiel C. Ferrin,	2-00	
Jacob Dow,	2-97	
Henry Farnum,	8-00	
J. V. Aldrich,	3-69	
Samuel L. Knowles,	1-48	
	<hr/>	\$44-74
Balance undrawn,		<hr/> \$16.26

DISTRICT No. 19.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$30-00
Paid for labor,		
Reuben R. Abbott, surveyor,	\$7-22	
Jeremiah S. Abbott,	7-96	
Nathan K. Abbott,	4-22	
Henry Martin, Jr,	7-65	
	<hr/>	\$27-05
Balance not expended,		<hr/> \$2-95

DISTRICT No. 20.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$30-00
Paid for labor,		
John E. Saltmarsh, surveyor,	\$16-10	
Samuel K. Blanchard,	4-20	
Wm. H. Flanders,	2-55	
Edward P. Flanders,	7-15	
	<hr/>	\$30-00

DISTRICT No. 21.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$40-00
Paid for labor,		
Daniel Farnum, surveyor,	\$7-04	
Abira Fisk,	15-00	
Ezra Ballard,	2-75	
Wm. Fox,	3-83	
Charles Fisk,	2-80	
David Seavey,	2-25	
John Ballard,	6-33	
	<hr/>	\$40-00

DISTRICT No. 22.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$49-00
Paid for labor,		
Benjamin E. Goodwin, surveyor,	\$22.44	
Jedediah Currier,	1-00	
Charles Hall,	8-00	
Samuel B. Hall,	2-00	
C. C. Clark,	3-81	
Moses Shute,	2-75	
Wm. B. Peters,	2-00	
Amount carried forward,	<hr/>	\$42-00

Amount brought forward,	\$42.00	\$49.00
Paid Benjamin Howe,	2.50	
John Hall,	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$48.50

Balance not expended Feb. 1, 1857, .50

DISTRICT No. 23.

Amount appropriated April, 1856, \$73.00

Paid for labor,		
Daniel Knowlton, surveyor,	\$3.72	
Isaac Proctor,	6.60	
Wm. Proctor,	36	
Atkinson Webster,	7.92	
Sally Currier,	64	
Stephen Currier,	36	
Samuel L. Baker,	3.63	
Isaac N. Baker,	36	
Wm. Bodwell,	70	
Joseph S. Abbott,	12.06	
N. D. Berry,	2.98	
Hiram B. Currier,	36	
Nathan Lovejoy,	1.58	
Joseph Hazelton,	1.71	
Joshua Berry,	2.49	
John Corlis, jr.,	3.76	
John Corlis,	2.50	
Frederick R. Currier,	2.62	
	<hr/>	\$54.25

Balance not expended February 1, 1857. \$18.75

DISTRICT No. 24.

Amount appropriated April, 1856, \$22.00

Paid for labor,		
Andrew S. Smith, surveyor,	\$3.75	
Russel Hills,	3.27	
Benjamin Green,	2.21	
John S. Green,	39	
Heirs of Alpheus Goodwin,	3.69	
Josiah Dow,	4.19	
Daniel Clark,	1.08	
	<hr/>	\$18.58

Amount not expended, \$3.42

DISTRICT No. 25.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$78-00
Paid for labor,		
Moses B. Abbott, surveyor,	\$38-93	
E. S. D. Ordway,	4-00	
William Abbott,	2-90	
Charles H. Reed,	3-73	
David Hammond,	1-12	
Jonathan P. Batchelder,	4-50	
Moses Carter,	45	
Benjamin Wheeler,	8-75	
Silas Messer,	50	
John C. Wheeler,	83	
Thomas C. Capen,	1-22	
James Corlis,	30	
George T. Abbott,	2-81	
Charles Abbott,	3-21	
Ira Abbott,	4-75	
	<hr/>	\$78-00

DISTRICT No. 26.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$35-00
Paid for labor,		
George Frye, surveyor,	\$18-25	
Ichabod C. Weeks,	36	
Benjamin H. Weeks,	6-16	
Daniel Clark,	3-82	
Horatio G. Belknap,	4-00	
Ebenezer B. Lane,	1-72	
John Lane,	36	
	<hr/>	\$34-67
Balance not expended,		33

DISTRICT No. 29.

Amount appropriated April, 1856,		\$27-00
Paid for labor,		
Alexander Thompson, surveyor,	\$15-00	
James W. Moore,	2-25	
Japhet G. Holmes,	8-45	
	<hr/>	\$25-70
Balance not expended February 1, 1857,		\$1-30

DISTRICT No. 30.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$33-00
Paid for labor,		
Augustine C. Carter,	\$13-12	
Timothy Carter,	6-07	
Samuel Knowlton,	5-12	
John Urand,	1-50	
George Abbott,	2-00	
John Carter,	2-19	
John J. Thompson,	50	
Henry E. Dow,	2-50	
	<hr/>	\$33-00

DISTRICT No. 31.

Amount appropriated, April, 1856,		\$12-00
Paid for labor,		
Samuel Clifford surveyor,	\$4-00	
Reuben N. Myers,	1-00	
Joseph Lougee,	1-85	
Joseph M. Whidden,	50	
Parker Whidden,	2-00	
	<hr/>	\$9-35
Amount not expended Feb. 1, 1857,		\$2-65

REPORT

OF THE

POLICE JUSTICE.

To the Hon. John Abbott, Mayor, and the Aldermen of the City of Concord :

In accordance with the provisions of the City Charter, I submit a report of the business of the Police Court since the 14th day of July last, (at which time I entered upon the duties of the office,) to the first day of February, 1857.

The whole number of entries on the Civil Docket is 10, of which 4 were contested, 5 defaulted, and 1 dismissed from the Docket.

The whole number of entries on the Criminal Docket, is.....	74
Assault and battery,.....	24
Violating the act for the suppression of intemperance,.....	14
Drunkenness,.....	15
Larceny,.....	10
Gambling with cards,.....	4
Burglary,.....	1
Disturbing public peace,.....	1
Obstructing railroad by removing switch,.....	1
Trespass,.....	1
Nuisance,.....	1
Fornication,.....	1
Bastardy,.....	1
Total.....	74
Of which have been discharged,.....	6
Transferred by appeal to the Court of Common Pleas,.....	3
Recognized and committed for appearance to the Supreme Ju- dicial Court,.....	22
Sentenced to pay fines,.....	36
Sentenced to common jail,.....	2
Sentenced to the House of Correction,.....	5
Total,.....	74

FINES AND FEES PAID AND COLLECTED.

The whole number of fines paid, is.....	\$71-00
Fees paid on criminal docket,.....	41-01
Fees collected on civil docket and blanks,.....	8-31
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	\$123-32

Which amount has been paid over to the City Treasurer.

Fines on criminal docket, which remain unpaid,.....	\$32-00
Costs on criminal docket, unpaid,.....	46-72

JNO. W. WHIPPLE, Police Justice.

CONCORD, Feb. 2, 1857.

REPORTS

OF THE

LIQUOR AGENTS.

The undersigned, Agent for the sale of wines and spirituous liquors for mechanical and medical purposes, in the city of Concord, from May 1, 1856, to February 10, 1857, respectfully submits the following report :

Amount of liquors received from former Agent as per invoice,.....	\$920-95
Deduct short measure, and liquors returned as not satisfactory,.....	230-45
	\$690 50
Liquors and wines since purchased,.....	3832-79
Expenses as follows :	
Paid for books,.....	\$4-00
“ freight bills,.....	70-99
“ for sign,.....	4-00
“ plank and labor,.....	2-25
“ for cocks, faucets, &c.,.....	9-87
“ salary of agent,.....	225-00
	\$316-11
	\$4,839-40
CONTRA :	
Liquors on hand, Feb. 10, 1857,....	\$682-76
Sales of liquors and wines,.....	4,512-38
Sales of casks,.....	36-95
	\$5,232-09
Leaving as net profit to the city, \$392-69	

Of the amount of sales of liquors and wines the past year being as stated,.....	\$4,512-38
There has been sold to agents in other places,.....	522-87
	\$3,989-51
Leaving the amount retailed,.....	

SALES.

Whole number of sales at retail,.....13,557
 Whole number of sales at wholesale,.....44

The Agent would further state that at the time of his entering upon his duties, May 1st, 1856, the City Agency was indebted as follows :

To Seth E. Pecker the sum of.....\$1,095·69
 “ Mason, Pierce & Co.,.....206·70
 “ Seth Eastman for rent,.....84·00

\$1,386 39

Which have been paid by the undersigned, in his accounts as per statement annexed.

The present indebtedness of the Agency is.....\$1,116·22
 All of which is respectfully submitted,

B. L. JOHNSTON, AGENT.

Merrimack, ss.

February, 14, 1857.

Sworn to before me,

WILLIAM KENT, Justice Peace.

B. L. Johnston in account with City Agency.

Dr.—To amount of sales of liquors and wines,..... \$4,512·38
 Sales of casks,.....36·95

Total,..... \$4,549·33

Cr.—By cash paid S. E. Pecker,.....\$1,095·69
 Cash paid Warren Pierce & Co,..... 206·70
 Pd. R. E Pecker and others, on acct., 2·711·13
 Paid Seth Eastman, rent,..... 84·00
 Amount charged to agents for liquors
 sold them and unpaid,..... 119·24
 Amount of articles purchased for use, 20·12
 Paid freight bills,..... 70·99
 Salary of agent for nine months,.... 225·00
 Cash in hands of agent,..... 16·46

\$4,549·33

* REPORT OF LIQUOR AGENT AT FISHERVILLE.

Report of the Agent for the sale of spirituous liquors and wines for medicinal and mechanical purposes, in Fisherville in the city of Concord, for six months and three-fourths, ending January 31, 1857:

DR.	To cash for sales of liquors retail,	\$315.41
	" Sale of barrel and keg,	1.75
		\$317.16
	Amount of liquor on hand,	\$99.63
	" barrels and kegs,	12.35
	" measures, tunnels, &c.,	3.80
		\$432.92
	CR. By liquors and wines purchased,	\$358.36
	" casks, kegs, tunnels, &c.,	13.96
		\$372.32
Expenses,		
	Paid Asa Morrill for hauling liquors from Concord,	\$1.62
	" Agent, services six and three-fourth months,	56.25
		\$430.89
	Whole number of sales,	1,656
	Net profit to the city,	\$2.73
JOSEPH MOODY, Agent.		

Merrimack, ss.

February 21, 1857.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

ALBERT H. DROWN, Justice of the Peace.