

REPORT

OF THE

SUPERINTENDENT OF REPAIRS OF HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

The appropriations and the expenditures by the surveyors in the several Highway Districts, are as follows:—Nos. 9, 27 and 28, being one District and under the immediate supervision of

M. T. WILLARD, *Supt.*

DISTRICTS Nos. 9, 27 AND 28.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,
Not expended February, 1860,

\$4305.00
114.41

\$4419.41

And is thus accounted for :

Jeremiah Brown,	\$748.51	Dennis Clifford,	1.00
Bradbury Gill,	19.37	A. Holt,	3.33
Daniel S. Webster,	33.00	R. Hall,	8.25
N. P. Rines,	12.32	S. M. Chesley,	6.78
James Weeks,	244.13	Charles O'Brien,	7.00
Gust Walker,	26.71	Daniel Clough,	33.37
William T. Locke,	25.25	W. W. Cloud,	1.00
N. P. Fogg,	266.04	A. G. Saltmarsh,	68.37
Isaac Clement,	73.79	Thomas K. Tandy,	7.36
Smart & Sewell,	187.92	John Burke,	20.00
Asa James Hook,	33.50	J. M. Jones,	18.67
James M. Otis,	10.00	Day & Co.,	1.00
Ordway & Robinson,	86.95	Patrick Murphy,	4.00
Moore & Cilley,	1.32	Jere. Murphy,	1.25
Thomas Newton,	5.50	Patrick Kinnah,	1.25
Nathaniel P. Abbott,	8.00	William S. Carter,	1.50
John Hammond,	32.00	J. Thompson,	6.00
John G. Hook,	135.96	Caleb Silver,	3.00
Mark Floyd,	12.50	Isaac Silver,	2.00
John H. Killum & Co.,	35.42	John Kinnar,	1.00
James Kirby,	2.75	Albert Johnson,	2.00
Michael Gurley,	171.08	S. L. Currier,	7.00
John Murphy,	35.50	Calvin Worth,	3.75
Thomas Kerley,	121.08	Robinson & Brothers,	1.75
Michael Nolan,	203.33	William Nichols,	5.88
Henry Fagan,	11.00	John Lamprey,	1.75
Moses Brown,	11.50	R. G. Cutting,	2.41
C. C. Clark,	1.50	A. C. Holt & Brothers,	3.50
Benjamin A. Hall,	12.25	George K. Lang,	12.75
Robert Hall,	48.88	Joseph P. Stiekey,	3.00
James Hall,	3.00	J. Brown,	3.52
Moses Carter,	6.50	Owen Twomey,	11.33
J. C. Dunklee,	35.00	Charles McCarthy,	24.00
G. W. Holt,	5.73	Peter Neury,	16.75

Patrick Larkin,	108.25
James Hicks,	72.00
John Bresnahan,	9.00
B. K. Abbott,	12.75
James M. Hook,	5.25
Michael Moran,	51.12
Amariah Carter,	2.00
Daniel Sullivan,	1.00
Hazen Pinkham,	45
Z. C. Arlin,	75
John Nolan,	4.50
Timothy Karley,	1.87
Jonathan P. Batchelder,	2.00
Charles Drew,	2.25
Dufer,	1.88
William Jackson,	2.25
Seba H. Mills,	6.00
N. M. Weeks,	1.75
G. M. Judkins,	1.50
G. W. Gawin,	50
Thomas Upham,	50
Joseph Crummett,	50
George Main,	4.00
Tandy,	2.00

\$3354 88
\$1064 53

Balance unexpended, Feb. 1, 1861, \$1064 53

DISTRICT No. 1

Amount appropriated, April, 1860,	\$60.00
Simeon Farnum, jr., Surveyor,	
Jeremiah Boyce,	6.20
Hannah Choate,	1.15
Barnard Currier,	93
Joseph H. Emery,	73
Aaron Q. Farnum,	7.34
Moody S. Farnum,	4.19
Simeon Farnum, jr.,	10.00
Franklin French,	1.35
John T. Gilman,	2.60
Reuben Goodwin,	8.54
Samuel Hutchins,	1.50
James Locke,	4.23
Henry S. Gleason,	1.00
Thomas T. Moore,	4.05
Joseph Goodwin,	1.49
Zebulon Smith,	3.72
Al J. Smith,	49
Charles Smith,	49

\$60.00

DISTRICT No. 2.

Amount appropriated, April, 1860,	\$30.00
C. A. W. Folsom, Surveyor.	
John Ewer,	3.25
E. Jackman,	95
William Hayward,	2.95
C. A. W. Folsom,	7.35
Folsom & Ordway,	2.51
C. Jackman,	7.17
Theodore French,	69
Abial Stevens,	38
Joseph Moody,	4.75

\$30.00

DISTRICT No. 3.

Amount appropriated, April, 1860,	\$47.00
George G. Virgin, Surveyor.	
Henry C. Gale,	4.00
Andrew Moody,	2.60

Charles Graham,	6.70
Joseph Graham,	5.50
George G. Virgin,	13.95
Isaac Virgin,	7.35
Lyman Hall,	4.00
James Marden,	2.40
Daniel Cutting,	50

\$47.00

DISTRICT No. 4.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$44.00
Jacob A. Patten, Surveyor.	
Henry Tewksbury,	5.05
Reuben Kimball,	42
J. A. & J. F. Potter,	8.23
Thompson Tenney,	2.60
Thomas D. Potter,	3.57
William L. Batchelder,	2.11
David Bartlett,	97
John S. Purington,	1.81
Samuel Kimball,	2.13
H. H. Potter,	5.00
C. H. Potter,	1.00
Freeman Walker,	1.00
John G. Kimball,	2.78
David P. Batchelder,	77

\$38.44

Balance unexpended, Feb. 1, 1861, 5.56

DISTRICT No. 5.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$62.00
J. T. Hoyt, Surveyor.	
A. Bean,	19.42
D. E. Gale,	2.64
J. T. Hoyt,	13.38
J. Hodge,	50
J. L. Tallant,	12.61
J. B. Sanborn,	9.25
D. A. Morrill,	4.20

\$62.00

DISTRICT No. 6.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$230.00
Isaac Emery, Surveyor.	
Joseph Clough,	2.25
E. S. Curtis,	1.50
Harrison Bean,	75
Samuel Curtis,	85
John B. Curtis,	4.50
Daniel Woodman,	1.50
Marstin M. Tallant,	1.25
Augustus H. Robinson,	1.55
Heman Sanborn,	5.50
William Frost,	3.20
James Frye,	1.00
John Jarvis,	3.60
Isaac Emery,	66.35
Joseph Batchelder,	7.75
George W. Moulton,	2.00
James Sanborn,	4.00
Washington Hill,	4.00
Peter C. Virgin,	2.00
John Eastman,	13.00
Winthrop StClair,	3.75
J. & E. S. Blake,	26.35
Seth G. Potter,	30
Samuel Moody,	80
Joseph Merriam,	15.00
Adoniram B. Seavey,	1.20
Robert Brown,	85

John Sanders, jr.,	5.50
Jacob Clough,	2.00
John P. Locke,	2.20

\$184.50

Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1861, 45.50

DISTRICT No. 7.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$20.00
Benjamin L. Larkin, Surveyor.	
S. M. Locke,	5.00
John Locke,	4.08
S. B. & B. L. Larkin,	5.77
Josiah S. Locke,	4.25

\$20.00

DISTRICT No. 8.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$29.00
George W. West, Surveyor.	
William C. Greenough,	74
Gilman W. Holt,	1.13
Holt Barter,	50
Samuel Jenness,	1.81
Sylvester Davis,	36
William Haines,	36
Hiram Davis,	48
John Davis,	69
Ira Kempton,	50
Michael Haines,	60
Jacob T. Moulton,	1.22
George W. West,	13.46
Samuel C. Jenness,	89
Saltmarsh Abbott,	2.65
Jonathan Fellows,	70
Nathan Pingrey,	90
Jonathan P. Leavitt,	1.73
George Sargent,	48

\$29.00

DISTRICT No. 10.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$145.00
Hiram Farnum, Surveyor.	
George W. Brown,	2.50
B. F. & D. Holden,	25.74
Michael Jenkins,	4.22
E. J. Chase,	6.00
Hiram Farnum,	37.78
John Lynch,	16.00
M. H. Farnum,	9.37
Charles B. Knight,	6.30
Henry M. Goodrich,	3.92
William H. Brown,	6.87
J. D. Taylor,	3.43
A. P. Tenney,	62
Benjamin Farnum,	22.25

\$145.00

DISTRICT No. 11.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$23.00
Alfred C. Abbott, Surveyor.	
David Abbott,	3.75
Alfred C. Abbott,	10.35

\$14.10

Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1861. 8.00

DISTRICT No. 12.

Amount appropriated April, 1860, \$350.00

H. H. Brown, Surveyor.	
Ivory M. Rollins,	4.85
John Batchelder,	5.55
True Dennis,	1.01
C. & J. C. Gage,	4.40
Samuel Aiken,	67
Nathan Chandler,	4.85
Charles Riley,	1.50
Nathaniel Rolfe,	4.00
Moses H. Bean,	53.92
Thomas Kanes,	24.70
Dennis Ford,	16.25
Lucius Tenney,	1.38
Owen Thornton,	5.50
Charles C. Bean,	58.08
Asa H. Morrill,	1.50
H. H. & J. S. Brown,	23.74
Timothy C. Rolfe,	9.75
John A. Coburn,	12
John Matthews,	33.40
James Healey,	21.70
John Cleary,	4.05
Thomas Gehagan,	9.40
John McGuire	4.80
H. H. Brown,	4.90
Jesse Morgan,	6.85
Jonathan C. Shepard,	2.80
Thomas Healey,	4.75
Charles P. Adams,	9.20
Hiram Robinson,	8.65
Nathan Abbott,	3.95
James Sheehan,	1.48
John Whalin,	3.20
George W. Wadleigh,	1.40
Stephen Cooney,	30
James Nolan,	6.65
Gilman Morrill,	50
Moses H. Fifield,	45

\$350.00

DISTRICT No. 13.

Amount appropriated April, 1860, \$49.00

Benjamin Hoit, Surveyor.	
John S. French,	1.00
Peter F. Elliott,	2.00
Ezekiel F. Elliott,	1.00
Eli Elliott,	2.00
James Elliott,	1.00
Eben O. Morrill,	1.00
Benjamin Hoit,	22.55
Levi Tilton,	1.00
Jeremiah Fowler,	3.00
Rufus D. Scales,	1.00
Aaron Elliott,	1.25
Luther M. Hoit,	5.50
W. W. Whittier,	2.00
Henry L. Elliott,	4.70

\$49.00

DISTRICT No. 14.

Amount appropriated April, 1860, 27.00

Alfred C. Eastman, Surveyor.
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DISTRICT No. 15.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	22.00
George A. Hoit, Surveyor.	
Joseph Barnard,	2.70

Henry Chase,	1.70
Robert Knowlton,	2.85
Francis Rummels,	1.00
Lewis B. Elliott,	1.00
George A. Hoit,	4.20
A. P. Bennett,	2.00
Ephraim F. Sweat,	2.00
Moses E. Long,	1.00
Samuel Rummels,	2.00

Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1861, \$19.45

DISTRICT No. 16.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$38.00
Robert B. Hoit, Surveyor.	
Amos Sawyer,	4.00
John Sawyer,	1.50
Josiah Rummels,	2.62
Edward Rummels,	40
Louis Rummels,	1.60
Jacob Ordway,	41
Aaron Lamprey,	50
Robert B. Hoit,	5.00
Albert G. Dow,	4.09
Benjamin Whittemore,	75

Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1861, \$20.87

DISTRICT No. 17.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$29.00
Samuel S. Buswell, Surveyor.	
Andrew Buswell,	2.32
John Fisk,	2.51
B. K. Buswell,	81
W. B. Thompson,	1.00
Nathan M. Dow,	1.76
Samuel S. Buswell,	3.19
John F. Elliott,	50
William D. Colby,	1.00
Hazen Abbott,	3.69
Daniel C. Gile,	1.00
M. M. Davis,	5.38
R. D. Buswell,	68

Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1861, \$24.45

DISTRICT No. 18.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$61.00
Henry L. Ferrin, Surveyor.	
Nathan G. Spiller,	1.75
Joseph Eastman,	1.00
Jacob Dow,	3.00
H. L. Ferrin,	76
H. L. & J. F. Ferrin,	5.89
	14.85
Stephen Carleton,	3.30
Henry Farnum,	19.90
Ira Rowell,	5.80
J. V. Aldrich,	4.75

DISTRICT No. 19.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$30.00
Reuben K. Abbott, Surveyor.	
John K. Abbott,	3.00
Henry Martin	10.10

Nathan K. Abbott,	5.67
Thomas Moren,	1.00
Peter Fagan,	1.00
Reuben H. Abbott,	9.23

\$30.00

DISTRICT No. 20.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$30.00
John E. Saltmarsh, Surveyor.	
Samuel K. Blanchard,	5.50
G. W. Flanders,	57
J. E. Saltmarsh,	7.55
F. J. Emerson,	3.13
Jacob N. Flanders,	5.75
Peter Fagan,	6.50
Merrill & Patch,	1.00

\$30.00

DISTRICT No. 21.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$40.00
Daniel Farnum, Surveyor.	
Charles Fisk,	2.50
Abia Fisk,	9.00
B. F. Griffin,	5.70
Daniel Farnum,	12.30
Henry Fisk,	4.00
Ezra Ballard,	2.30
John Ballard,	3.20
J. H. Ballard,	1.00

\$40.00

DISTRICT No. 22.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$49.00
Benjamin E. Goodwin, Surveyor.	
Cyrus Hoyt,	2.00
C. C. Clark,	4.00
Sylvester Currier,	1.00
Benjamin E. Goodwin,	21.00
Benjamin Howe,	2.00
A. W. Parker,	2.00
S. B. Hall,	2.00
Woodbury Flanders,	4.50
Charles Hall,	10.50

\$49.00

DISTRICT No. 23.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$73.00
Isaac N. Abbott, Surveyor.	
Jeremiah S. Abbott,	8.80
Joseph S. Abbott,	10.00
Joshua Berry,	3.50
Samuel S. Baker,	2.80
Isaac P. Baker,	2.50
William Bodwell,	6.25
F. R. Currier,	3.60
H. B. Currier,	2.80
Stephen Currier,	1.00
John Corliss,	2.00
John Corliss, jr.,	5.00
Hiram Dow,	2.00
Richard West,	1 25
John E. Proctor,	3.00
Wm. H. Proctor,	5.00
Thomas E. Lufkin,	2.50
Nathan W. Lovejoy,	1.25
Isaac N. Abbott,	9.75

\$73.00

DISTRICT No. 24.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$22.00
D. D. Clark, Surveyor.	
Andrew S. Smith,	5.40
Caroline K. Goodwin,	3.80
Josiah Dow,	5.00
Benjamin Green,	4.70
John S. Green,	60
D. D. Clark,	2.50
	<u>22.00</u>

DISTRICT No. 25.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$78.00
George T. Abbott, Surveyor.	
F. C. Capen,	4.57
Isaac F. Wheeler,	5.63
C. W. Underhill,	4.20
David L. Sanders,	1.65
Ira Abbott,	5.90
George T. Abbott,	6.55
Stillman B. Gage,	44
William Abbott, jr.,	4.70
Timothy Davis,	2.50
M. B. Abbott,	13.50
Charles Abbott,	4.38
E. S. D. Ordway,	5.00
J. Young,	3.00
	<u>\$62.02</u>

Balance unexpended, Feb. 1, 1861, 15.98

DISTRICT No. 26.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$35.00
E. B. Lane, Surveyor.	
B. H. Weeks,	9.12
Thomas Tewksbury,	1.00
E. B. Lane,	24.88
	<u>35.00</u>

DISTRICT No. 29.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$27.00
Alexander Thompson, Surveyor.	
J. G. Holmes,	17.75
Alexander Thompson,	9.25
	<u>27.00</u>

DISTRICT No. 30.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$33.00
Elbridge Dimond, Surveyor.	
Henry E. Dow,	2.50
John J. Thompson,	3.91
Elbridge Dimond,	16.98
Timothy Carter,	7.08
William Dimond,	46
John Carter,	1.00
George Abbott,	1.00
Franklin B. Carter,	2.62
William G. Carter,	3.45
	<u>33.00</u>

DISTRICT No. 31.

Amount appropriated April, 1860,	\$12.00
Samuel Clifford, Surveyor.	
Joseph Lougee,	2.50
Reuben N. Myers,	3.70
Samuel Clifford,	5.00
	<u>\$11.20</u>
Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1861,	.80

EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE ON THE CITY FARM.

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

The undersigned, Joint Standing Committee on the City Farm, having attended to the duty of taking an inventory of the property of the Farm, respectfully submit the following Eighth Annual Report :

Appraised value of farm and buildings in 1860,	\$8000·00
Appraised value of personal property in 1860,	3031·62
Total,	<u>\$11031·62</u>
Appraised value of farm and buildings in 1861,	\$8000·00
Appraised value of personal property in 1861	2430·91
Total,	<u>\$10439·91</u>

AMOUNT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES AT THE FARM FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 1st, 1861.

By H. Simpson, from Feb. 1st, to April 1st, 1860.

Receipts,	\$224·21
Expenditures,	185·95
Balance for the farm,	<u>\$38·26</u>

By E. S. Gilman, from April 1st, 1860, to Feb. 1st, 1861.

Receipts,	\$441·07
Expenditures,	392·58
Balance for the farm,	<u>\$48·49</u>
Total balance for the farm,	<u>\$86·75</u>

Number of paupers at the farm Feb. 1st, 1861,	24
Average number,	24
Sentenced to the house of correction,	11
Number of persons lodged and fed one night or more,	26
Died,	3

The Report giving items is on file at the City Clerk's office.

Regarding the husbandry of the farm, the condition and quantity of the products, the prudent management of household affairs, the quiet and comfort of the family, your Committee are happy to award the Superintendent and Matron, Mr. and Mrs. Gilman, a full share of commendation.

The inventory is somewhat less than it was last year, which is accounted for from the fact that most of the personal property has been appraised lower than in former years, the value of the stock is less, and several items found in previous inventories have been entirely omitted.

An efficient committee having in charge the disposal of stone from the farm quarry, will doubtless make to the City all due returns.

Loss of land from the action of Merrimack river—a subject presented in the last report—is still a matter requiring prompt attention.

Respectfully submitted,

IRA ROWELL,
STEPHEN CARLETON, } *Committee.*
ZEBULON SMITH,

CHIEF ENGINEER'S REPORT.

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

In accordance with an Ordinance of the city I herewith submit my Annual Report for the year ending February 1, 1861.

During the year past a portion or all of the Department has been called out for service, as follows :

March 31.—Barn of Samuel Herbert, on Middle Intervale—total loss, \$200—insured \$100.

April 2.—Fire at Stickney's Building, on Main street—slight loss, about \$100.

May 2.—Fire at house of Ivory Hall ; damage to roof, loss trifling.

May 24.—Fire at lumber barn of L. Downing & Sons, Main street—on roof—damage trifling.

August 30.—Fire at old Wilkins house, south end Main street ; loss trifling.

September 11.—Fire at house of Jeremiah Cotter ; damage small ; insured.

October 13.—Fire at residence of O. L. Sanborn, Main street ; partial loss. Damage by fire and water about \$3,000 ; fully insured.

November 4.—False alarm, caused by the burning of a chimney on Cross street.

December 3.—Fire at house of Henry Smith, rear of Main street ; slight loss, insured.

January 26.—Fire at boarding house owned by Stephen M. Vail. Partial loss, estimated at \$1,000 ; fully insured.

The city has been very fortunate in relation to fires during the year, no extensive conflagration having occurred. Probably the entire loss will not exceed \$4,500 ; the full amount of which was covered by insurance.

An appropriation not to exceed \$1,200 was made sometime last summer, for the construction of four reservoirs, and His Honor Mayor Willard, A. B. Holt, Esq., and myself, were appointed a committee for that purpose. Two of these have been constructed, and a portion of the material for the third purchased, but owing

to the wetness of the last part of the season they were not completed. The two completed are—one at the corner of Pleasant and State streets, of large size, built of stone, 25 feet by 10 by 8 feet, which, in the driest seasons, will be nearly full of water, at a cost of \$275. The other is on School street, near the residence of A. B. Holt, Esq., built of brick, cemented, 20 feet circle and arch, and 13 feet deep, to be filled by aqueduct, at a cost of \$270. The other two will be completed as soon as the coming season will admit, unless the new City Government shall withhold the appropriation.

The entire fire apparatus of the city is in about the same condition as set forth by the able and detailed report of the Chief Engineer of last year, A. B. Holt, Esq., to which you are referred for further particulars, it being thought unnecessary to reprint them in full in this report.

By a resolution passed by the City Government, making an appropriation for the same, I purchased 316 feet of the best quality of double riveted leading hose for Engine No. 4, at an expense of \$330. Also, by the same authority, I procured a new first class hose carriage for Engine No. 6, at an expense of \$75, and the old carriage.

The expenses of the Department for the year are shown in the following table :

Description of service.	Six mos. ending August 1, 1860.	Six mos. ending Feb. 1, 1861.	Total for year.
Engineers—Pay Roll,	\$47,80	\$58,00	\$105,80
No. 2—Pay Roll,	122,25	137,92	260,17
“ —Incidentals,	10,25	13,08	23,33
No. 3—Pay Roll,	112,00	127,50	239,50
“ —Incidentals,	9,35	26,86	36,21
No. 4—Pay Roll,	113,25	123,13	241,38
“ —Incidentals,	11,49	15,48	26,97
No. 6—Pay Roll,	98,50	58,06	156,50
“ —Incidentals,	2,25	6,80	9,05
No. 7—Pay Roll,	88,55	82,00	170,55
“ —Incidentals,		*12,44	12,44
No. 8—Pay Roll,	85,38	73,50	158,88
“ —Incidentals,		*27,59	27,59
Hook & Ladder—Pay Roll,	114,56	132,81	247,37
“ —Incidentals,		*6,70	6,70
C. R. R. Hydrant & Hose, Pay Roll,	75,25	84,25	159,50
General Miscellaneous Bills,	65,90	42,39	108,29
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	\$956,78	\$1,033,45	\$1,990,23

*Yearly.

From which it will be seen that the bills for the entire service are less than \$2,000, and more than \$500 within the estimate and appropriations by the City Government.

The hose of both Engine Cos. No. 2 and No. 3 has become old; all of No. 3 leather hose being twelve years old, and some of No. 2 is much older than that, but still a portion is in good condition, but cannot be relied on with certainty at all times. I would, therefore, by advice of the Board of Engineers, recommend that 200 feet of new leather hose be purchased for each of said Engines.

The Fire Department of this city is in good condition, the most perfect harmony pervading all branches of it.

I would here tender to the Board of Engineers my sincere and hearty thanks for their uniform assistance and co-operation in every thing pertaining to this Department and the best interests of the city, and also to the officers and members of the various companies for the promptness and energy with which they have performed their duty during the past year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

TRUE OSGOOD, *Chief Engineer.*

CONCORD, February 24, 1861.

ENGINE COMPANIES AND THEIR OFFICERS.

“CONCORD” ENGINE CO., NO. 2.

[Located on Chapel street, in rear of Methodist Church—Ward 4. Entitled to 50 men.]

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

CHARLES S. WILSON, *Foreman*; Abner C. Holt, *Second Foreman*; Benjamin F. Roby, *Third Foreman*; Richard K. Gatley, *Clerk*; Charles H. Herbert, *Treasurer*; William Roby, George Brackett, Charles H. Burr, John M. Hill, (*Engineer*), Francis Dow, Charles Ash, William Smith, George B. Roby, *Steward*, Alvin Ferren, T. O. Gardner, James G. Leighton, Timothy G. Moores, Jos. P. Thompson, Charles B. Pettingill, Harrison Roby, Augustus P. Fogg, Horace H. Holt, Moses C. Hadley, Calvin Smart, Asa Cutting, Foster Marsh, Charles S. Leavitt, Levi N. Fullam, Reuben Button, Christopher H. Stearns, Oliver J. Drew, Henry Ferren, George Thompson, James W. Morse, Edwin A. Miller, Edwin N. Fogg, Ira C. Evans, Henry Griffin, George Symonds, Eben E. Cutting, Nathaniel H. O. Kimball, C. Byron Hill.

“MERRIMACK” ENGINE CO., NO., 3.

[Located on Main street, near Abbotts' Carriage Manufactory—Ward 6. Entitled to 50 men.]

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

JAMES M. OTIS, *Foreman*; Chas. E. Thompson, *Second Foreman*; Nathan W. Gove, *Clerk*; Caleb Parker, *Treasurer*; James Thompson, Charles Butters, Andrew J. Tilton, Edwin Sanborn, Leander C. Lull, Jeremiah Batchelder, Charles McMichael, Alvin Kimball, William Page, Thomas Upham, John J. Mills, Albert Fellows, John Cleary, Joseph Weeks, Joseph K. Whitney, James Rand, John Glover, Chandler Stevens, Hiram Kimball, George Wiggin, Benjamin Bickford, William Stevenson, James Stevens, Thomas Newton, Weston Carter, Charles E. Pew, Charles H. Glover, Horace D. Carter, George A. Webster, Edmund Glover, John Wills, A. J. Garmon, Perry G. Curtis, George Bartlett, John H. Caswell, Joseph Rushloe, Matthew Summers, George Shute, Baxter Blake, Joseph Blake, Charles H. Butters.

“PENNACOOK” ENGINE CO., NO. 4.

[Located on Warren street, between State and Green streets—Ward 5. Entitled to 50 men.]

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

CHAS. T. LANE, *Foreman*; Beza H. Lincoln, *Asst. Foreman*; Charles A. Bradeen, *Clerk*; Charles H. Newell, *Treasurer*; Geo. S. Nye, *Foreman of Hose*; Samuel Edmunds, *Asst. Engineer*; Z. S. Packard, James Partridge, Charles E. French, *Standing Com.*; Ira F. Morse, Joseph Elkins, John S. Webster, J. C. Lane, Sam'l H. Chase, John K. Lang, S. W. French, L. F. Groves, H. C. Bradeen, John W. Wilkins, Charles H. Sanborn, William S. Davis, A. R. Manning, Joseph Labonta, George H. Chesley, John H. Nichols, Geo. McLearn, Nathan Mansur, John Foisie, John Worthley, Geo. Wallace, John Whitney, John Kennan, David T. Hoag, Moses Ladd, D. B. Rowe, John A. Lane, J. B. Marston, W. A. Webster, A. C. Hadley, Joseph Sweet, Edward D. Noyes, Cyrus M. Ingalls, George A. Moore, Charles G. Melcher, Philip F. Emerson, Daniel W. Long, Peter Welcome.

“CATARACT” ENGINE CO., NO. 6.

[Located near Holdens' Mills, West Concord—Ward 3. Entitled to 35 men.]

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

JOHN N. SPEED, *Foreman*; W. W. Holden, *Clerk*; Chandler Eastman, B. F. Holden, B. F. Dow, Wm. H. Brown, E. C. Ferrin, Daniel Marden, S. W. Kellom, Lyman Sawyer, Thomas Igow, Rufus Abbott, O. A. Williams, Harrison Partridge, Jackson Crosby, George Partridge, M. D. Dodge, A. L. Marden, John Harrington, George W. Shepherd, Benj. Brock, Wm. F. Speed, Chas. Andrews, Simeon Partridge, Timothy Green, H. W. Clough, Edward Kellom, A. S. Abbott, Michael Huben, Augustus Williams, Henry C. Carter, Solomon Gray, S. F. Clifford, Leonard Speed, Michael Jenkens.

“OLD FORT” ENGINE CO., NO. 7.

[Located near Robinson's Tannery, East Concord—Ward 2. Entitled to 35 men.]

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

HEMAN SANBORN, *Foreman*; Cyrus R. Robinson, *Clerk*; Jas. M. Carlton, *Treasurer*; Wm. Page, Lewis Bean, Geo. W. Moody, John T. Batchelder, George W. Moulton, Wm. Pecker, Benj. P. Kimball, Samuel Moody, John Hutchins, Alvah Atwood, John P. Locke, Charles H. Sanborn, Horace Ames, John N. Hill, James A. Ward, John Hanrahan, Michael Hanrahan, John I. Eastman, Washington Hill, Benj. E. Badger, A. B. Seavey, Reuben B. Locke, George Turner, Robert Burton, James Smith, Mellen C. Eastman, Charles Elliott, Alexander J. Down, Frank Myers, Benj. Hall.

“PIONEER” ENGINE CO., NO. 8.

[Located near Baptist Church, Fisherville—Ward 1. Entitled to 50 men.]

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

ALBERT H. DROWN, Jeremiah S. Durgin, Sylvester G. Long, Daniel Gibson, Samuel Merriam, George B. Elliott, Abial Rolfe, John A. Coburn, David A. Brown, Leonard Drown, Samuel R. Flanders, Charles W. Hardy, Wm. H. Allen, Nathaniel Rolfe, Samuel C. Pickard, Jacob B. Rand, Timothy C. Rolfe, Charles Abbott, Benjamin Morrill, Edward McArdle, Fifield Tucker, True Dennis, Charles Titus, Geo. H. Hinton, Fred. Flanders, Joshua S. Bean, Charles D. Rowell, John G. Warren, Charles Smith, E. F. Bachelder, John Whitaker, Moses H. Bean, Charles J. Ellsworth, Mason W. Tucker, E. S. Harris, Sam'l R. Mann, Myron H. Sessions, Samuel Holt, Geo. E. Flanders, Charles W. Chase, Charles C. Bean, Wm. H. Abbott, John F. Sessions, Seth B. Hoit, James M. Chase.

“HOOK AND LADDER CO., NO. 1.”

[Located in House of Engine Co. No. 4, Warren street. Entitled to 48 men.]

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

CURTIS WHITE, *Foreman*; George Harrington, *Asst. Foreman*; W. H. Buntin, *Clerk*; Fred. S. Crawford, Jacob P. Wheeler, N. S. Shaw, James N. Lawder, James H. Landers, S. N. Farnsworth, Robert Crummett, A. W. Rix, A. S. Sanborn, Michael Haines, Martin Kinah, R. W. Willey, Frank G. Mason, Joseph C. Eaton, Asa Folsom, J. B. Ellis, W. E. Gordon, W. E. Webster, A. B. Carter, James Leahy, Fred. Emerson, Peter R. Walker, Joseph B. Smart, Geo. A. Dow, T. K. Blaisdell, Geo. S. Dennett, Chas. C. Shaw, Isaac A. Hill, John G. Elliott, D. D. Brainard, Daniel Clifford, Michael Arnold, M. H. Johnson, Seth R. Dole, True Osgood, E. W. Goss, Erastus C. Currier, L. C. Hutchinson, Philip Flanders, E. B. Hutchinson, J. S. Osgood, O. H. T. Richardson, E. I. Emerson, Samuel Long, Samuel D. Trussell.

“CONCORD R. R. HYDRANT AND HOSE CO., NO. 1.”

[Located on Concord Railroad Corporation. Entitled to 30 men.]

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

B. A. KIMBALL, *Foreman*; H. Richardson, *Asst. Foreman*; H. A. Mann, *Clerk*; C. C. Clement, J. G. Alexander, J. R. Hubbard, I. N. Farley, James P. Ring, W. L. Wallace, J. A. George, Jerry Smith, A. M. Larkin, Wm. B. Abbott, Henry Babb, Daniel Law, A. A. Woodward, Albert Dinsmore, Edward Studley, M. W. Dickerson, J. C. Dickerson, J. J. Flanders, G. P. Dodge, Robert Shortes, Israd Colby, Sullivan Wise, G. W. Wilson, Sylvester Bennett, J. W. Wallace, John Potter, A. J. Storing.

The First Annual Report of the Cemetery Committee.

To the City Council of the City of Concord :

The Cemetery Committee respectfully present this their

FIRST ANNUAL REPORT.

By an Ordinance passed February 4th, 1860, both the old Cemetery, near the Methodist Biblical Institute, and the tract of ground recently purchased of Hon. F. N. Fisk, for a new Cemetery, were intrusted to the care of this Committee, whose duties in relation to the same, were therein specially defined. A brief account of their doings the past year is herein respectfully presented.

BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERY.

Early in April and as soon as the condition of the ground rendered it practicable, the Committee made a careful survey of the whole tract, to ascertain its condition and capacities of improvement for the purposes to which it had been devoted. Having carefully considered and determined upon a general plan, they proceeded at once to the construction of such main avenues and walks, as to them seemed necessary and desirable for the immediate occupancy of the grounds. They also caused to be laid out and accurately defined by stakes and rails (170) one hundred and seventy different lots, located in different sections of the grounds and of such sizes as past experience had shown to be most desirable. These have all been appraised by the Committee, and vary in prices, according to size and location, from five to forty-five dollars each. One very large and eligible lot was appraised at and has since been sold for (123.33) one hundred and twenty-three dollars and thirty-three cents. Besides this, twenty others have been sold to different parties at an average price of (15.52) fifteen dollars and fifty-two cents per lot, and have also in every instance been paid for.

The receipts of this Cemetery from February 4, 1860, to February 6, 1861, have been

From the sale of lots,	\$433.72	
From the sale of wood and timber,	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$448.72
The expenditures during the same period for labor, lumber, surveying, etc., have been		\$410.05
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Leaving on hand and unexpended a balance of with which to commence the operations of the next year.		\$38.67

This is as satisfactory a result perhaps as could have been anticipated. A commencement has been made, and what is of as much consequence to the success of the enterprise hereafter, a convenient, tasteful and satisfactory general plan of the grounds has been settled upon and in part executed. About a mile and a half of carriage avenues have been constructed, extending through all sections of the Cemetery, and are nearly all that will be needed for some years to come. Large quantities of brush and other litter have been removed from the forest land, and such portions of the open ground as were not already in grass have been seeded down.

Much however, yet remains to be done. By an agreement with Mr. Fisk, the Cemetery is to construct and maintain nearly all of the north fence, and the temporary one, constructed last Spring must soon be succeeded by another of a more permanent character. Another also is rendered necessary by the recent extension, by the city, of Walnut street, to the West Concord road. The enlargement and rebuilding of the culvert under Maple Avenue, the construction of a dam across Woods Brook, the introduction of water to the higher parts of the grounds, the removal of surplus trees and the making of additional walks must ere long claim attention. But by a judicious expenditure of the receipts of the Cemetery from the sale of lots, in accordance with the terms of the Ordinance before alluded to,* the Committee feel confident, that at no

* Sec. 5. They shall appraise every lot as surveyed, before the same shall be subject to sale. They shall likewise re-appraise the unsold lots from time to time, and no lot shall be sold for less than the appraisal, nor shall the appraisal in any case be less than five dollars. All money arising from the sale of lots shall be kept in a distinct fund, and the first proceeds to the amount of \$1500 shall be exclusively appropriated to adding to, improving

very distant day, the first cost of the lot and interest, together with all expenses for improvement, may have been paid from the sale of lots, and the citizens of Concord be possessed of one of the most accessible and beautiful cemeteries in the country.

As a basis for the appraisal of lots, your Committee have taken the established price of lots in the Old Cemetery, and applying it to those of a medium quality in this, have varied from it, either way, as circumstances seemed to dictate. While the prices are considerably lower than those established in many cemeteries of a like character, they yet hope that, they may prove sufficiently high to secure the important object contemplated by the city, of making it self-supporting.

The Committee take pleasure in acknowledging the valuable services rendered them by J. C. Briggs, Esq., in laying out the grounds of this Cemetery, whose eminent ability as a Civil Engineer is fully equalled by his skill and taste as a Landscape Gardener.

OLD CEMETERY.

The west portion of the Old Cemetery was regularly laid out into paths, avenues and lots some twenty years ago. With one exception, these avenues and paths had not been graded at the beginning of the last summer. The grounds wore the general appearance of neglect notwithstanding very many embellishments had been made upon individual lots.

The whole number of lots which had been laid out was four hundred and thirty-five, almost every one of which was claimed and occupied. Upon an examination of the books in the office of the City Clerk, and from personal inquiries it appeared that one hundred and five of these had been paid for, while for the remaining three hundred and thirty nothing had been received by the city and no deeds had been given. The collection of the amounts thus due was committed to our worthy City Treasurer, who, with a perseverance and zeal deserving of universal commendation, entered upon the work and has since collected the sum of \$274.00

and ornamenting the Cemetery grounds, and all proceeds after said amount shall be appropriated, one half to so improving and ornamenting the cemetery grounds, and one half to the payment of the principal and interest of the original purchase money of said cemetery lot, till said principal and interest be paid.—*Cemetery Ordinance, passed Feb. 4, 1860.*

If to this sum there be added the sum of \$381 collected
by Old Cemetery Committee, since March, 1855, 381.00

Making \$655.00

it will appear that there has been received from the sale of lots in this cemetery from March, 1855 to Feb. 4th, 1861, the sum of six hundred and fifty-five dollars. It also appears by the accounts of the Treasurer and Acting Treasurer of the Cemetery Committees, that there has been expended during that period, for water, repairs of fence grading walks and avenues, etc.. the sum of (299.94) two hundred and ninety-nine dollars and ninety-four cents, leaving unexpended and mostly in the hands of the City Treasurer the sum of three hundred and fifty-five dollars and six cents. To this should be added the further sum of forty-two dollars and thirty-nine cents due this cemetery from Joseph Brown for lots sold by him. If this amount, increased as far as may be by subsequent receipts from sale of lots occupied but not yet paid for, were invested in bonds of the city and set apart as a permanent fund, for the benefit of this cemetery, its annual interest would probably be sufficient to still farther embellish and ever keep in good order its grounds.

The amount expended by the Committee upon the Old Cemetery from January 1, 1860 to Feb. 4, 1861, is \$108.13, mostly for water, repairs of fence and for construction of avenues and walks.

From the past year's experience, the Committee are led to believe that these Cemeteries may be kept self-supporting, provided they are judiciously managed and their income, carefully collected, is devoted to the purposes prescribed in the Ordinance before alluded to.

At a meeting of the Committee held for the purpose of determining by lot the terms for which its several members were appointed, Enos Blake drew the three years term, George B. Chandler drew the two years term and Joseph B. Walker drew the one year term.

JOSEPH B. WALKER, } Cemetery
ENOS BLAKE, } Com.
GEO. B. CHANDLER, }

CONCORD, Feb. 6, 1861.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1861.

To the City Council of the City of Concord :

In accordance with the ordinance requiring an annual statement of the condition of the Public Library from the Trustees, the undersigned present the following report for the year ending January 31, 1861.

The whole number of volumes in the Library now, amounts to 3,225. Of this number, 616 volumes, donations, are books of reference rather than such as are adapted for general circulation, and hence are retained permanently in the Library. The number of volumes subject to the calls of subscribers, is 2,609, of which 264 have been added during the past year. One of these volumes, "The Life and Correspondence of Gen. Stark," was a donation from G. Parker Lyon, Esq., and five volumes have been presented by Mr. E. C. Eastman.

The number of subscribers to the Library at present, is 538 ; an increase, as the Librarian informs us, of nearly 20 per cent. over the previous year, while the increase in the number of circulating volumes is but a little more than 10 per cent. It has been a matter of surprise to us that small as our Library is in proportion to our population, it should awaken the interest it does ; especially when the increasing number of subscribers outstrips our own increasing ability to answer the calls for books.

The means at our disposal for increasing the Library and meeting its necessary expenses, have been derived from your own appropriation of \$200, from the generous efforts of the ladies in the summer by which they secure to us the sum of \$151,64 and from the annual fees of subscribers, amounting the present year to \$172,48. Administering the financial affairs of the Library as economically as possible, this last sum has amounted to some fifty dollars more than all the current expenses of the Library for the year ; meeting the salary of our efficient Librarian and the re-covering and re-binding of books.

Accompanying this you will find a statement of the financial condition of the Library by the Treasurer.

Feeling that our Public Library is eminently a Citizens' Institution, since its subscribers, those availing themselves of its advantages, represent every class among us—feeling that it is worthy to be placed side by side with our public schools as a means for promoting general instruction, while it further contributes to the public good in what it does towards ministering to intellectual gratification, that noble craving of our natures and happy substitute for inferior amusements, we earnestly commend it to the increasing attention and fostering care of our City Government and citizens generally.

JOHN S. BROWN, THOMAS D. POTTER, M. H. FARNUM, AMOS HADLEY, HENRY E. PARKER, E. G. MOORE, NATHAN W. GOVE,	}	Trustees.
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TREASURER'S REPORT.

Concord Public Library in account with J. C. A. Wingate, Treas.

1860.	CASH PAID :—	DR.	1860.	CR.
Feb. 14,	F. S. Crawford,	\$27-60	Feb. By balance on hand,	\$12-67
July 6,	E. C. Eastman,	32-19	“ 14, By cash of	
“ 6,	E. C. Eastman,	31-90	“ F. S. Crawford,	17-00
“ 6,	E. C. Eastman,	6-50	May 24, City Treasurer,	200-00
“ 6,	Morrill & Silsby,	3-50	July 31, Ladies' Levée,	151-64
“ 6,	W. H. Buntin,	3-50	“ 31, F. S. Crawford,	50-78
“ 31,	F. S. Crawford,	50-78	Sep. 20, F. S. Crawford,	56-25
Sep. 20,	F. S. Crawford,	93-66	1861.	
“ 20,	Fogg, Hadley & Co.,	10-50	Jan. 31, F. S. Crawford,	48-45
“ 20,	B. W. Sanborn,	12-45		
“ 20,	W. F. Goodwin,	35-25		
“ 20,	D. A. Hill,	11-25		
“ 22,	E. C. Eastman,	75-00		
1861.				
Jan. 31,	E. C. Eastman,	23-75		
“ 31,	Brown & Taggard,	6-00		
“ 31,	F. S. Crawford,	50-85		
“ 31,	Balance carried to new account,	62-11		
		\$536-79		\$536-79
			Feb. 1, By balance on hand,	\$62-11

J. C. A. WINGATE, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF THE POLICE JUSTICE.

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

I respectfully submit the Eighth Annual Report of the Police Court of said City.

During the last fiscal year the whole number of entries upon the civil docket is 47.

Whole number of entries upon the criminal docket is 112.

Understanding that the City Marshal, as required by the city ordinance of May 21, 1853, has laid before the Mayor and Aldermen a statement of the offences committed and the prosecutions instituted during the last fiscal year and the result thereof, I suppose it is not necessary for me to repeat such statement, and I therefore omit it in this Report contrary to my former practice.

The undersigned charges himself as Police Justice, as follows, to wit :

Amount of fines received during said year,	\$246·00
Amount of fees and costs,	340·79
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	\$586·79

And discharges himself as follows, to wit :

Paid to County Treasurer amount of fines received, under the Act of July 3, 1860,	\$100·00
Paid City Marshal, expenses of prosecutions pursuant to the city ordinance of Sept. 24, 1859,	148·32
Paid for ream of paper for blanks,	3·75
Paid A. J. Hook, as messenger,	6·55
Paid City Treasurer,	328·17
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	\$586·79

DAVID PILLSBURY, *Police Justice.*

Concord, Jan. 31, 1861.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL POLICE JUSTICE.



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

The following is a true and correct exhibition of all moneys received by me in the capacity of Special Justice of the Police Court, since my last return to the present time, except the officers', the witness's and attorney's fees, which have been adjusted and received by them, agreeably to the provisions of the Statute in such cases made and provided, to wit :

		CR.
State v. Edward James, (committed.)	Cost,	\$.84
State v. Nicholas Giles,	Fine,	8.00
	Cost,	.84
State v. Jefferson Barnes, (committed.)	Cost,	.84
State v. Patrick Lee, (bound over.)	Cost,	1.52
State v. Clara Ann Weeks, (committed.)	Cost,	1.52
State v. Lavina Sargent, (committed.)	Cost,	1.18
		\$14.74

S. C. BADGER, *Special Justice.*

Concord, Jan. 31, 1861.

		DR.
The City of Concord to Stephen C. Badger,		
To four days' service as special justice as above, \$2.00 per day,		\$8.00
To making survey on Spring street,		2.00
To surveying and laying out highway from Prospect Hill to Little Pond road,		4.74
		\$14.74

Received payment as above,

S. C. BADGER.

Concord, Jan. 31, 1861.