

EXPENDED.

For digging graves and keeping grounds in order,	\$634.95
Paid city treasurer one half the proceeds from sale of lots, for permanent fund,	452.45
	<u>\$1,087.40</u>
Balance in hands of treasurer,	\$68.26

J. H. CHASE,
Treasurer Cemetery Committee.

Concord, Jan. 31, 1879.

WEST CONCORD CEMETERY.

To the City Council:

The West Concord Cemetery Committee beg leave to submit the following annual report:

RECEIPTS.

Cash of city treasurer,	\$75.00
for sale of lots,	30.00
for sale of hay,	8.16
	<u>\$113.16</u>

EXPENDITURES.

For improvements and care of grounds,	\$100.96
Balance on hand,	12.20
	<u>\$113.16</u>

Respectfully submitted.

TIMOTHY CARTER,
O. L. SHEPARD,
B. T. PUTNEY,
Cemetery Committee.

Feb. 1, 1879.

SAMUEL C. EASTMAN, *Treasurer*,

In account with Blossom Hill Cemetery.

		Dr.	
To sales from March 18, 1878, to June 5, 1878,	\$342.90		
one half sales from June 6, 1878, to Jan. 31, 1879,	281.00		
	<u> </u>		\$623.90
			Cr.
By cash paid C. Woodman one half of sales, March 18, 1878, to Jan. 5, 1879,	\$171.45		
cash paid for 450 U. S. 4 per-cent. bonds,	450.00		
balance cash on hand,	2.45		
	<u> </u>		\$623.90
Invested funds—\$450, U. S. 4 per-cent. bonds, and \$2.45 cash.			

SAMUEL C. EASTMAN, *Treasurer*,

In account with Old Cemetery.

		Dr.	
To one year's interest on \$700—bonds, sale of lot,	\$42.00 10.00		
	<u> </u>		\$52.00
			Cr.
By cash paid C. Woodman, cash on hand,	\$42.00 10.00		
	<u> </u>		\$52.00
Invested funds—\$700, city water-works bonds, and \$10 cash.			

SAMUEL C. EASTMAN, *Treasurer*,

In account with West Concord Cemetery.

		Dr.	
To sales in 1878,	\$60.00		
	<u> </u>		\$60.00

		Cr.
By cash paid B. T. Putney, commission,		
one half sales,	\$30.00	
cash on hand,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$60.00

Funds—cash, \$30.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL C. EASTMAN, *Treasurer.*

Jan. 31, 1879.

REPORT

OF THE

TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

To the City Council :

Herewith the Trustees of the Public Library present their Annual Report, appending, also, the reports of the Librarian and treasurer, that you may be informed of what value the library has been to the people of Concord in the year past, and its condition Feb. 1, 1879.

The privilege of using the library has been purchased by 1,214 persons. This use is secured by an annual fee of 25 cents to residents of the city, and \$1 to persons in the adjoining towns. The sum thus collected, including fines, is expended to keep in repair the books. This "wear and tear" is a large expense to be annually met. The number of persons who read books from the library is largely in excess of the number of cards issued, one card frequently serving the purposes of a family, or a number of individuals.

Considerable expense has been incurred to provide heavy carpeting, that the effect of travel by the librarians and patrons may be so deadened that a reasonable quiet shall be preserved in the rooms.

READING-ROOM AND REFERENCE LIBRARY.

On the removal of the library to its present very accessible site, to give it greater circulating facilities, the trustees

desired to further increase its accommodations by adding to it a reading-room and reference library. Circumstances gave early opportunity, and the wish then expressed has been consummated with but little expense. Rooms have been provided, and furnished with nearly 400 volumes, valuable for reference, covering a wide field of general and scientific information. The necessities of searchers for knowledge in all directions have been consulted, so far as practicable. Various encyclopedias and other works may here be found, on biblical, theological, and ecclesiastical history, English and American general literature, biography, geography, history, science, art, agriculture, etc. The department thus added is meeting the present expectations of the trustees. It is hoped the future will show a marked increase in its use. The books are now much referred to, but will be more and more sought as the value of the collection becomes known. It is used by some of the advanced pupils in the public schools, and by many other persons, old and young, who find it profitable to spend a portion of their leisure hours in these pleasant rooms. Here, books, magazines, and papers are provided, on call, with warmth, light, and comfort, virtually without expense. Those striving to reform themselves from bad habits, who have not homes and families where they can better spend their time, will find in these rooms a desirable place of resort. They have but to choose and occupy. The privileges so generously provided by the city should be more sought and used.

THE STUDY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE

has received fresh impulse of late in this community. Its effect is discernible in the call for the better class of books in the library, and a demand for others not yet placed there. This new departure in reading and study is attributed to the personal influence and labors of Mrs. ABBA GOULD WOOLSON, who, two and a half years ago, commenced a course of familiar lectures upon this general topic, before a class of ladies and

gentlemen. Two courses of these lectures were sustained, and the class still pursues its study. Other classes were formed, and are successfully studying the beauties of Shakespeare. From this newly-created interest came a course of six lectures, in the autumn of 1878, by James T. Fields, on "Recollections of English Authors." The winter of 1879 has given our citizens another course of six lectures, on American Literature, by Francis H. Underwood. These lectures have taken the place of the promiscuous courses of entertainment which have held sway so many years. This result your Trustees have striven to aid; and they are encouraged to continue to help create a demand for the most wholesome and valuable reading-matter to be obtained in every department of knowledge. They continue to solicit contributions of useful books from any of our citizens in behalf of the library.

Very respectfully submitted.

A. W. FISKE, Ward 1,
 J. T. CLOUGH, Ward 2,
 J. W. COLWELL, Ward 3,
 F. D. AYER, Ward 4,
 GEO. E. JENKS, Ward 5,
 CHAS. C. LUND, Ward 6,
 JEREMIAH S. NOYES, Ward 7,

Trustees of Public Library.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

To the Trustees of Concord Public Library :

Your Librarian respectfully submits the following report of the workings of the library for the year 1878-'79 :

Number of volumes in library at last report,	7,047
Additions by purchase,	279
Additions by donations,	23
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Number of volumes now in library,	7,349

Number of persons using the library for a portion or the whole of the year, twelve hundred and fourteen (1,214). This is a small increase over last year.

The portion of the books of the library set aside as a reference library—making three hundred and fifty volumes (350)—has been largely patronized by the citizens and by strangers, and has proved to be a very important part of the library. There have been added to this portion of the library, during the past year, the *Encyclopædia Britannica*, *McClintock and Strong's Encyclopedia*, *Hill's Manual*, *Chambers' Encyclopedia*, and other valuable books of reference.

To the general library, additions have been made of a completed set of *Scribner's Magazine*, *Ewald's History of Israel* in 5 volumes, two sets of *Stanley's Dark Continent*, and many other valuable books that cannot be enumerated in this report.

The donations have been,—4 vols. *Scientific American*, 4 vols. *Scientific American Supplement*, by C. W. Diedrich ;

4 vols. Public Documents, by Hon. E. H. Rollins ; 3 vols. Public Documents, by Hon. H. W. Blair ; 3 vols., A Treatise on the Atonement, Theology of Universalism, and The Old Forts Taken, by Rev. Mr. Conger ; 1 vol. Sermons of Rev. James Walker, D. D., by American Unitarian Association ; 3 vols. Atlantic Monthly, by F. S. Crawford ; 1 vol. Report on Education, from Bureau of Education.

The Treasurer's Report will show the financial standing of the library.

Respectfully submitted.

FRED'K S. CRAWFORD, *Librarian.*

February 1, 1879.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

WM. P. FISKE, *Treasurer,*

IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CONCORD PUBLIC LIBRARY.

1878.	DR.		
Feb. 1.	To balance from last year,	\$45.70	
Apr. 18.	appropriation (in part),	250.00	
May 20.	" "	250.00	
Aug. 7.	" "	250.00	
Dec. 17.	" "	250.00	
1879.			
Jan. 18.	Receipts from library,	223.66	
	Interest on Pierce fund,	60.00	
	" Lyon fund,	60.00	
		\$1,389.36	
1878.			
	CR.		
Feb. 14.	By paid W. H. Kimball, Zell's		
	Enc.,	\$17.50.	
8.	H. F. Wood, Encyclo-		
	pedia,	26.25	
April 1.	Concord Gas-Light Co.,	16.20	
	F. S. Crawford, sal'ry,	112.50	
17.	Encyclopædia Britan-		
	nica,	20.00	
25.	Encyclopædia Britan-		
	nica,	15.00	
	Hammond & Ayers,		
	carpet,	81.70	
May 1.	E. C. Eastman, books,	85.26	

May	1.	By paid	F. S. Crawford, salary,	\$37.50
	23.		Houghton, Osgood & Co., Am. Architect,	6.00
	24.		Republican Press As- sociation, printing,	40.50
June	1.		F. S. Crawford, salary,	37.50
July	1.		“ “	37.50
			Concord Gas-Light Co.,	14.70
Aug.	1.		F. S. Crawford, salary,	37.50
Sept.	1.		“ “	37.00
Sept.	21.		Isaac K. Gage, History of Boscawen,	3.50
Oct.	1.		F. S. Crawford,	37.50
			Concord Gas-Light Co.,	20.40
	9.		Encyclopædia Britannica,	21.00
			Mary C. Caswell, Dark Continent,	10.00
Nov.	1.		F. S. Crawford, salary,	37.50
	18.		Ranlet & Prescott,	19.50
Dec.	1.		F. S. Crawford, salary,	37.50
	16.		E. C. Eastman, books,	129.42
	18.		Connell & Savory, paint- ing,	9.66
	27.		Dodd, Mead & Co., His- tory of Israel,	18.00
1879.				
Jan.	1.		F. S. Crawford,	37.50
	18.		F. S. Crawford, for books, binding, &c.,	302.17
			F. S. Crawford, inciden- tals,	45.00
			By balance (cash on hand),	37.60
				—————\$1,389.36

WILLIAM P. FISKE, *Treasurer.*

Concord, N. H., Feb. 1, 1879.

REPORT
OF THE
CITY SOLICITOR.

To the City Council :

There are now pending in the Supreme Court for Merrimack county three suits against the city, as follows :

Harlan P. Gage and wife *v.* Concord, which was brought Sept. 6, 1875, and is for damages claimed to have been received by reason of a defective sidewalk on Depot street, adjoining the Statesman building. The amount claimed is \$2,500. The suit was tried at the October adjourned term, 1876, and resulted in a disagreement of the jury.

John F. Edgerly and wife *v.* Concord is a suit wherein the plaintiffs claim \$15,000 damages for injuries received by Mrs. Edgerly on the tenth day of October, 1874, on Warren street, near the residence of Henry P. Moore, caused by an insufficient highway, and the negligent and careless use of one of the city hydrants under the direction of the mayor and aldermen. The writ in this action is dated August 30, 1876.

George W. Wadleigh *v.* Concord. The writ in this action is dated August 24, 1878. Mr. Wadleigh claims \$1,000 damages for injuries done to a building owned by him in the village of Fisherville, on the eighteenth day of June, 1875, by certain persons unlawfully, riotously, and tumultuously assembled together.

The suit brought by Union School District No. 1 in Bow, and 23 in Concord, *v. George A. Pillsbury et als.*, which was brought to test the legality of the action of the city government in dissolving the union between said districts, has been decided in favor of the plaintiff, and the whole controversy has been closed.

The three first-mentioned suits are the only ones now pending wherein the city is a party. During the year 1878 the terms of court were held by Judge Foster, and he being a resident of Concord, no suit in which the city was a party could be tried before him. They will all probably be disposed of during the coming year.

CHARLES P. SANBORN,
Solicitor.

REPORT

OF THE

POLICE JUSTICE.

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

The undersigned submits the Twenty-sixth Annual Report.

In consequence of recent legislation in regard to the city charter, the transactions of the police court, during the eight months ending with the 30th day of September last, are stated separately from those of the four subsequent months ending with this date.

The number of civil actions entered during said eight months was	63
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During the last four months,	33
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In all,	—
	96

a larger number than during any previous year.

The number of persons of foreign birth fully naturalized during the said eight months was	46
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During the last four months,	25
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In all,	—
	71

The number of such persons who have made their primary declarations to become citizens, was, during said eight months,	20
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During the last four months,	13
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In all,	—
	33

The number of arraignments before the police justice during said eight months for criminal offences was	120
During the last four months,	55
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In all,	175

The character and results of those prosecutions, in which the city marshal and the assistant city marshal participated, may be ascertained from the reports of those officers of this date.

The police justice charges himself as follows :

For costs belonging to the city, arising from criminal prosecutions during said eight months,	\$106.57	
During the last four months,	21.50	
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For fines during said eight months,	\$383.50	
During the last four months,	161.25	
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For fees in civil actions during said eight months,	\$43.87	
During the last four months,	25.91	
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		\$742.60

And discharges himself as follows :

Paid for blanks, &c.,	\$8.17	
Paid to city treasurer,	734.43	
	<hr/>	\$742.60

SYLVESTER DANA, *Police Justice.*

Concord, January 31, 1879.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL JUSTICE.

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

The Special Justice of the Police Court herewith submits the following report :

Number of persons prosecuted before said justice, 10.

The Special Justice charges himself with,—

Fines collected,	\$16.00	
Costs collected,	54.20	
	<hr/>	\$70.20

And discharges himself by,—

Amount paid city marshal, for officers' and witnesses' fees,	\$45.20	
Amount paid to city treasury,	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$70.20

Said justice has also imposed,—

Fines,	\$8.00
Costs,	18.30

which have not been paid into court.

L. S. MORRILL, *Special Justice.*

Concord, Jan. 31, 1879.

REPORT

OF THE

CITY MARSHAL.

To the City Council:

GENTLEMEN: I have the honor to submit a report of the Police Department for the year ending Jan. 31, 1879.

The whole number of arrests made during the year, not including those made at Fisherville, was 270, as follows:

Assault and battery,	32
Adultery,	1
Breaking and entering,	3
Common prostitute,	2
Common street-walker,	6
Evading car-fare,	1
For being out late at night,	23
Fornication,	3
Intoxication,	99
Insane persons,	2
Keeping liquor for sale and selling liquor,	11
Killing a robin,	1
Keeping saloon open on Sunday,	3
Larceny,	18
Lewd and indecent conduct,	1
Murder,	1
Noise, brawl, and tumult,	8
Obstructing sidewalks,	4
Obtaining goods by false pretences,	1
Posting bills without consent,	1
Rude and disorderly conduct,	38
Receiving stolen property,	1
Suspicious persons,	9
Wanton and lascivious persons,	1
	270

Of the above cases 125 were arraigned before the Police Court, charged with the following offences, to wit :

Assault and battery,	28
Adultery,	1
Breaking and entering,	3
Common prostitutes,	2
Common street-walkers,	5
Fornication,	3
Intoxication,	32
Keeping liquor for sale and selling liquor,	11
Killing a robin,	1
Keeping a saloon open on Sunday,	3
Larceny,	14
Lewd and indecent conduct,	1
Murder,	1
Noise, brawl, and tumult,	2
Obstructing sidewalks,	4
Obtaining goods by false pretences,	1
Posting bills without consent,	1
Rude and disorderly conduct,	10
Receiving stolen property,	1
Wanton and lascivious persons,	1
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	125

And were disposed of as follows :

Sentenced to pay fines,	90
Ordered to recognize to appear at the Supreme Court,	22
Sentenced to jail,	4
Sentenced to the reform school,	2
Committed to jail and no bail ordered,	1
Dismissed or nol prossed,	3
Discharged,	3
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	125
Discharged from custody without complaint,	145
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Total,	270

Thirty-eight buildings have been found open and secured.

Four hundred and thirty-four persons have been furnished with lodgings during the year at the station-house. Of the above number, four hundred and eighteen were for the first six months before the law for the punishment of tramps came in force. Since that time only sixteen have applied for lodging.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN CONNELL,

City Marshal.

Concord, an. 31, 1879.

ASSISTANT CITY MARSHAL'S REPORT.

To the City Council :

The undersigned submits the following report of the Police Department in Ward 1, for the year ending Jan. 31, 1879.

Whole number of arrests made during the year,	42
Intoxication,	14
Assault,	3
Larceny,	6
Disorderly conduct,	7
Breaking and entering,	3
Building fire on land not their own,	2
Keeping liquor for sale,	1
Selling liquor,	2
Selling goods without license,	1
Vagabond,	2
Giving exhibition without license,	1
—	42

Of the above cases, 34 were arraigned before the Police Court, charged with the following offences, to wit :

Intoxication,	8
Assault,	3
Larceny,	6
Disorderly conduct,	7
Breaking and entering,	3
Building fire on land not their own,	2

Keeping liquor for sale,	1	
Selling liquor,	2	
Selling goods without license,	1	
Giving exhibition without license,	1	
	—	34

And were deposed of by the Police Court as follows :

Sentenced to pay fines,	24	
Ordered to recognize to appear at the Supreme Court,	8	
Discharged,	2	
	—	4
Discharged without complaint,		8
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Total,		42
Whole number of lodgers,		126

Of the 126 lodgers, all but 7 were accommodated before the passage of the tramp law last June.

Number prisoners and lodgers, 168

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN CHADWICK,
Assistant City Marshal.

Jan. 31, 1879.

CHIEF ENGINEER'S REPORT.

To the Board of Aldermen :

By the provisions of the ordinance relating to the Fire Department, passed March, 1878, it becomes my duty to address my annual report to you.

The losses by fire the past year, in the precinct, a list of which is hereto appended, have been trifling, compared with former years ; and in every case the department has been able to confine the fire to the building in which it originated. Some of the outlying wards have suffered severely. St. Paul's School, situated in Ward 7, lost one of their main buildings, it being struck by lightning. The loss on this alone was about \$20,000. The apparatus is believed to be in good condition, and the only addition to the equipment needed for the coming year will be five or six hundred feet of new hose to make good the depreciation. I would particularly call the attention of your honorable body to the urgent necessity of procuring a telegraphic fire alarm apparatus, so that in case of fire the alarm can be transmitted promptly to the department, and much valuable time saved. I believe that a telegraphic system can be adopted the coming year at a very moderate cost, and wires can be added from year to year, as the wants of the city require.

In conclusion, I wish to return my thanks to the Mayor and the Committee on Fire Department, for their cordial cooperation in all measures tending to promote the efficiency of the department.

Respectfully submitted.

JAMES N. LAUDER,
Chief Engineer.

LIST OF FIRES AND ALARMS DURING THE YEAR.

May 7, 1878. Alarm from V. Gahagan's, on State street. Loss, about \$500; fully insured.

May 15. On Franklin street. Chimney burning out. No loss.

July 11. Chimney at C. Hart's, on Depot street. No loss.

July 21. St. Paul's School, caused by lightning. Loss, about \$20,000; fully insured.

Aug. 14. Alarm from Suncook; sent steamer Kearsarge.

Aug. 16. Holt Brothers. Damage trifling.

Aug. 29. Alarm in response from Raymond. Sent Kearsarge, and did good service.

Oct. 6. Emerton's stone shed. Loss, \$300.

Dec. 17. Albert Stevens's house and farm buildings in East Concord. Loss, \$9,000.

Jan. 1, 1879. H. W. Clapp's, on State street. Loss, \$500; fully insured.

Jan. 7. Chimney of S. C. Witcher, on Main street. No loss.

Jan. 12. Chimney on Spring street (Mr. Kelley's). No loss.

Jan. 21. Prentiss & Morgan's store, on South street. Loss, about \$500; fully insured.

Jan. 30. Chimney on Green street (John Rollins's). Small loss.

ROLL OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR 1879.

CHIEF ENGINEER.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
JAMES N. LAUDER,	Master Mechanic, N. R. R.,	Franklin street.

ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

N. H. HASKELL,	Painter,	Perley street.
CHAS. M. LANG,	Painter,	Centre street.
WM. D. LADD,	Iron merchant,	Rumford street.
DANIEL B. NEWHALL,	Saloon-keeper,	School street.
GEO. L. LOVEJOY,	Undertaker,	Fayette street.
GEO. W. COREY,	Carpenter,	Ward one.
CYRUS R. ROBINSON,	Manufacturer,	Ward two.
HARRISON PARTRIDGE,	Merchant,	Ward three.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY.

Six fire suits, \$75; 6 badges, \$48; 8 fire hats, \$64; 6 lanterns, \$30;—total, \$217.

Miscellaneous property not in service.

Two hose-carriages, \$325; 2 brass trumpets, \$10; 3 bells, \$8; 1 set new grates for steamer, \$7; 2 brass crank boxes, \$4; 1 lignum-vitæ crank box, \$3; 3 extra lathes for pump packing, \$3; 3 extra pump valve guides, \$8;—total, \$363.

Schedule of Property at Central Fire Station.

One wheelbarrow, \$6; 2 vises, \$12; 1 fire-pot, \$4; 1 step-ladder, \$8.50; 1 ash-pail, \$3; 3 set hose clamps, \$4.50; 3 riveting bars, \$4; 1 setting-tool, \$1.50; 1 pair cut nippers, \$1.50; lot punches, \$2; ½ ton cannel coal, \$11.50; 3 cords slabs, \$6; 8 tons hard coal, \$68; 4 barrels coke, \$6; 1 grindstone, \$8;—total, \$146.50.

KEARSARGE STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY.

Central Fire Station—Warren Street.

OFFICERS.

GEO. A. GLOVER, *Foreman.*
 B. F. HARDY, *Asst. Foreman.*

D. W. C. EVERETT, *Clerk.*
 JAS. H. SANDERS, *Engineer.*

MEMBERS.

<i>No. of Badge.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
11.	Geo. A. Glover,	Tinsmith,	State street, cor. West.
12.	B. Frank Hardy,	Clerk,	Fayette street.
17.	Warren F. Corning,	Hair Dresser,	Green street.
15.	Jas. H. Sanders,	Carriage Painter,	State street, cor. Cross.
16.	Chas. H. Sanders,	Machinist,	South street.
18.	A. L. Currier,	Baggage Master,	Prince street.
13.	D. W. C. Everett,	Clerk,	Auburn street.
19.	C. S. Packard,	Painter,	Green st., cor. Warren.
20.	C. C. Blanchard,	Carriage Painter,	Warren street.
21.	E. A. Rix,	Carriage Trimmer,	State street.
22.	Geo. E. Minot,	Lampighter,	Green street.
23.	H. C. Minot,	Clerk,	Montgomery street.
14.	Lewis Wright,	Driver,	Engine house, War. st.

Schedule of Property—Steamer Kearsarge.

Steamer, \$3,200; hose-carriage, \$200; 12 fire suits and 13 fire hats, \$232.25; 10 reefing jackets, \$75; 2 blunderbusses, with spray nozzles, \$53; 1 hydrant coupling, \$16; 3 lanterns and 2 water-buckets, \$12; 1 smoke stack, \$10; 10 spanner belts, \$10; 10 sets spanners, \$10; 7 wrenches, \$5; 1 shovel, 1 bar, 1 axe, \$4; 1 poker, 1 oil-can, 5 feet rubber hose, 1 hammer, \$3.50; 1 reducer, \$2.50; 2 horse blankets, \$10; 1 mud apron, \$5; 1 jack-screw, \$5; 2 gallon oil-cans and 2 hydrant wrenches, \$5; 1 feather duster, 1 hand brush, \$3.75; 1 hydrant gate, \$12.50;—total, \$3,874.50.

EAGLE HOSE COMPANY, No. 1.
Central Fire Station—Warren Street.

OFFICERS.

FRANK W. BLAKE, *Foreman.*
 JOHN H. TOOF, *Asst. Foreman.*

G. W. JOHNSON, *Clerk.*

MEMBERS.

<i>No. of Badge.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
24.	Frank W. Blake,	Clerk,	No. 16 Thompson st.
26.	G. W. Johnson,	Painter,	No. 24 Main street.
28.	Reuben R. Grant,	Blacksmith,	School st., near Main.
29.	Frank F. Morse,	Carpenter,	Railroad square.
30.	Wm. T. Packard,	Moulder,	Centre street.
25.	John H. Toof,	Carpenter,	Warren street.
31.	John Marsh,	Driver,	Spring st., n'r Pleasant.
36.	B. F. Colby,	Fireman,	Railroad square.
32.	C. J. Byron,	Baggage Master,	Railroad square.
35.	A. L. Bates,	Brakeman,	Monroe street.
34.	F. H. Blanchard,	Blacksmith,	34 Warren street.
33.	Addison L. Rice,	Clerk,	Green st., cr. Pleasant.

Schedule of Property—Eagle Hose, No. 1.

One four-wheeled hose-carriage, \$700; 1 two-horse pole, \$30; 1 hand pole and rope reel, \$10; 30 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch rope, \$2; 12 fire hats, \$75; 12 reefing jackets, \$90; 14 canvas coats, 14 canvas overalls, \$140; 2 hand lanterns, \$5; 1 axe, \$3; 1 iron bar, \$2; 2 leather hose pipes, 1 Allen's spray and stop nozzle, 1 common nozzle, \$45; 2 reducing castings, \$5; 2 pails, \$1; 1 sprinkler, \$1; 2 chamois skins, \$1.25; 1 whip, \$1.25; 1 horse blanket, \$5; 2 oil-cans, \$1; 2 hydrant wrenches, \$4; 2 ladder straps, \$2; 4 sets spanners, \$4; spanner belts, \$3.25; 1 broom, .25; 1 hydrant gate, \$12.50;—total, \$1,145.50.

ALERT HOSE COMPANY, No. 2.

Washington Street.

OFFICERS.

W. A. BEAN, *Foreman.*
 C. C. CHESLEY, *Asst. Foreman.*

B. F. TUCKER, *Clerk.*

MEMBERS.

<i>No. of Badge.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
38.	Chas. C. Chesley,	Carpenter,	Prince street.
47.	J. F. Scott,	Carpenter,	Franklin street.
39.	B. F. Tucker,	Organ manufacturer,	Jackson street.
43.	B. Billsborough,	Painter,	Jackson street.
37.	W. A. Bean,	Organ manufacturer,	Cedar street.
44.	W. H. Davis,	Tailor,	Washington street.
42.	E. A. Saltmarsh,	Moulder,	Walnut street.
40.	F. S. Johnson,	Harness-maker,	Centre street.
45.	C. A. Davis,	Blacksmith,	Washington street.
49.	Hamilton Piper,	Carpenter,	Franklin street.
46.	F. K. Favor,	Harness-maker,	Walnut street.
48.	J. R. Smith,	Carpenter,	Centre street.

Schedule of Property—Alert Hose, No. 2.

Brick house and furniture, \$2,500; 1 four-wheeled hand hose carriage, \$600; 2 pipes and nozzles, \$40; 2 hydrant wrenches, \$4; 1 monkey wrench, \$1.25; 3 ladder straps, \$1.50; 3 hose jackets, \$7.50; 6 spanner belts, \$9; 12 spanners, \$9; 14 hose suits, \$140; 15 fire hats, \$90; 15 black walnut chairs, \$37.50; 10 office chairs, \$15; 1 mat, \$1.25; 2 spittoons, \$1.50; 1 feather duster, \$3; 1 iron ash barrel, \$5; 1 box stove, \$15; 1 cottage stove, \$8; 40 feet rope, \$2; 1 table, \$6; 1 cupboard, \$8; 1 carriage jack, \$2; 1 copper boiler, \$5; 1 pail, .25; 1 scrub brush, .50; 1 mop, .25; 1 snow shovel, .75; 2 oil-cans, .50; 50 feet rubber hose and nozzle, \$10; 1 axe, .75; 1 saw, .75; 1 hydrant gate, \$12.50; 2 chamois skins, \$1;—total, \$3,538.75.

GOOD WILL HOSE COMPANY, No. 3.

State Street.

OFFICERS.

STERLING COLBY, *Foreman.*N. G. CARR, *Clerk.*

MEMBERS.

<i>No. of Badge.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
50.	Sterling Colby,	Plumber,	Central Block.
52.	Norman G. Carr,	Jeweller,	Thompson street.
57.	Herman D. Webster,	Wood-worker,	Grove st., cor. Perley.
55.	John F. Bartlett,	Blacksmith,	West street.
54.	David J. Rolfe,	Painter,	State st., cor. Laurel.
56.	Wm. E. Dow,	Painter,	Turnpike street.
58.	Benjamin T. Bickford,	Farmer,	State street.
59.	Wm. R. Carter,	Blacksmith,	Fayette street.
60.	E. L. Peacock,	Clerk,	State st., near Laurel.
61.	F. K. Peacock,	Clerk,	State street.
62.	D. P. Wheeler,	Teamster,	Main street.

Schedule of Property—Good Will Hose Co., No. 3.

Brick house and furniture, \$3,000; 1 four-wheel hand hose-carriage, \$600; 15 fire suits, \$150; 12 fire hats, \$75; 6 spanner belts, \$9; 12 spanners, \$9; 2 blunderbusses and nozzles, \$40; 2 hydrant wrenches, \$4; sponge and chamois skin, \$1.40; water-pail and dipper, \$1; 1 feather duster, \$4; 1 broom and shovel, \$2; mop and spittoons, \$4.50; copper kettle, \$8.50; 50 feet hand hose, \$10; carriage jack, \$3.50; screw wrench, \$1.50; 1 hydrant gate, \$12.50; 1 axe, \$1; 1 oil-can, .40; 2 hose clasps, \$6; 2 ladder straps, \$1; —total, \$3,944.30.

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, "CITY OF CONCORD."

Central Fire Station—Warren Street.

OFFICERS.

N. B. BURLEIGH, *Foreman.*
 JAMES JOHNSON, *Asst. Foreman.*

JAMES KENNEDY, *Clerk.*

MEMBERS.

<i>No. of Badge.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
63.	N. B. Burleigh,	Machinist,	Main street.
79.	Andrew L. Lane,	Carriage-builder,	No. 1 Ferley street.
72.	Jos. H. Lane,	Carriage-builder,	No. 1 Laurel street.
75.	C. A. Wright,	Car-builder,	Spring street.
76.	Benjamin Oulette,	Carpenter,	No. 3 Jefferson street.
77.	Philip Plummer,	Carpenter,	No. 138 Spring street.
71.	C. H. Smith,	Teamster,	Ferry street.
66.	D. D. Jameson,	Blacksmith,	Thompson street.
75.	James Kennedy,	Hair-dresser,	Essex street.
64.	James Johnson,	Painter,	Jefferson street.
81.	F. S. Abbott,	Clerk,	Hanover street.
82.	Henry Gibney,	Painter,	Centre street.
69.	Ned Shattuck,	Carpenter,	Main street.
80.	Joseph P. Mansur,	Blacksmith,	Main street.
70.	W. W. Kennedy,	Upholsterer,	Essex street.
67.	S. R. Chandler,	Wood-worker,	Wall street.
74.	G. A. Huntoon,	Carpenter,	Laurel street.
73.	Frank Heath,	Blacksmith,	Spring street.
68.	Ed. Lane,	Carriage-builder,	Spring street.
78.	J. B. Tyler,	Painter,	Centre street.

Schedule of Property—Hook and Ladder Co., "City of Concord."

Carriage and apparatus, \$1,700; 20 fire suits, \$250; 20 fire hats, \$125;—total, \$2,075.

PIONEER ENGINE COMPANY, No. 1.

Fisherville.

OFFICERS.

JOHN H. ROLFE, *Foreman.*JOHN B. DODGE, *Clerk and Treasurer.*JOHN H. MOORE, *Asst. Foreman.*WM. W. ALLEN, *Foreman of Hose.*E. E. ROLFE, *Steward of Company property.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
John H. Rolfe,	Door-maker,	Summer street.
John H. Moore,	Machinist,	Elm street.
John B. Dodge,	Glazier,	Charles street.
Wm. W. Allen,	Merchant,	Main street.
E. E. Rolfe,	Cabinet-maker,	Church street.
Eli Hanson,	Cabinet-maker,	Main street.
John W. Powell,	Moulder,	Spring street.
W. O. Tucker,	Jig sawyer,	Summer street.
N. H. Dunbar,	Teamster,	Summer street.
A. H. Davis,	Blacksmith,	Summer street.
Frank O. Emerson,	Axle-maker,	Merrimack street.
J. E. Marden,	Machinist,	Summer street.
James Riley,	Carver,	Church street.
H. P. Austin,	Cabinet-maker,	High street.
M. D. Boyce,	Excelsior-maker,	Depot street.
A. C. Bean,	Teamster,	Merrimack street.
S. N. Burdick,	Blacksmith,	Summer street.
Robert Crowther,	Overseer,	High street.
Chas. Couch,	Teamster,	Summer street.
James S. Crowther,	Carpenter,	Summer street.
Fred G. Chandler,	Farmer,	Depot street.
Michael Corbett,	Flour packer,	Centre street.
E. P. Everett,	Mechanic,	Merrimack street.
D. Warren Fox,	Merchant,	Elm street.
Fred Ferrin,	Jig sawyer,	High street.
O. J. Fifield,	Harness-maker,	Merrimack street.
Andrew Foley,	Watchman,	Spring street.
James Garvey,	Axle-maker,	Main street.
N. S. Gale,	Merchant,	Spring street.
Michael Griffin,	Laborer,	Rolfe street.
Barney Gunn,	Cabinet-maker,	Washington street.
Hazen Knowlton,	Carpenter,	Depot street.
John C. Linehan,	Merchant,	Charles street.
Chas. G. Morse,	Cabinet-maker,	Summer street.

MEMBERS—CONTINUED.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
R. G. Morrill,	Farmer,	Washington street.
Amos O. Mansur,	Painter,	Main street.
Elias Nield,	Spinner,	Washington street.
Abial Rolfe,	Insurance agent,	Depot street.
A. W. Rolfe,	Manufacturer,	Depot street.
Henry Rolfe,	Carpenter,	Depot street.
Geo. E. Rolfe,	Cabinet-maker,	Church street.
Geo. H. Sager,	Machinist,	Summer street.
L. J. Sebra,	Carpenter,	Merrimack street.
Daniel Smith,	Butcher,	Summer street.
S. G. Sanborn,	Blacksmith,	Main street.
W. H. Supry,	Laborer,	West Canal street.
Geo. W. Vinica,	Excelsior-maker,	Depot street.
Wm Walsh,	Overseer,	Centre street.
A. F. Rolfe,	Book-keeper,	Depot street.
H. A. Clark,	Cabinet-maker,	High street.

Schedule of Property—Pioneer Engine Co., No. 1.

Engine house and lot, \$800; 1 hand engine, \$800; 2 hose carriages, \$150; 1,200 feet 2-inch hose, \$1,200; 1 set runners, \$5; 4 lanterns, \$4; 2 axes, \$2; 1 crow-bar, \$3; 6 fire jackets, \$18; 3 stoves and funnel, \$30; 5 settees, \$15; 12 chairs, \$9; 1 oil-can and lamps, \$2; 1 fire-hook and rope, \$25; 15 spanners and wrenches, \$7.50; 1 ice-chisel, \$4; 2 blunderbusses, \$10; 1 ladder, \$5; 1 sprinkling-pot, .50; 1 broom, .50; 1 jack-screw, \$3; 4 hose clamps, \$12; 6 pairs overalls, \$3; 1 coal hod, \$1.25; 1 shovel, .75; 1 monkey-wrench, \$1; 1 water pail, .25;—total, \$3,111.75.

OLD FORT ENGINE COMPANY, No. 2.

East Concord.

OFFICERS.

JOHN N. HILL, *Foreman.*
ORA HODGE, *Asst. Foreman.*

JOHN E. FRYE, *Clerk.*
JOHN C. HUTCHINS, *Treasurer.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
John N. Hill,	Farmer,	Penacock street
John E. Frye,	Farmer,	Penacock street.
Geo. H. Curtis,	Musical instrument-maker,	Portsmouth street.
Wm. A. Bean,	Ice-dealer,	Shawmut street.
Elbridge Emery,	Farmer,	Potter street.
Daniel B. Sanborn,	Farmer,	Shaker street.
Lauren Clough,	Station agent,	Shawmut street.
Ora Hodge,	Teamster,	Penacock street.
Job C. Jenne,	Teamster,	East Clinton street.
Jos. E. Plummer,	Farmer,	Penacock street.
Frank E. Sleeper,	Carpenter,	Shawmut street.
Lucius D. Bunnell,	Carpenter,	Penacock street.
Harrison Carpenter,	Hose-maker,	Eastman street.
Ami Dubia,	Stone-cutter,	Portsmouth street.
Wm. Flanders,	Hose-maker,	Penacock street.
Wm. P. Curtis,	Farmer,	Curtisville.
Chas. C. Chesley,	Blacksmith,	Penacock street.
Stephen Dustin,	Brick-maker,	Shawmut street.
Chas. J. White,	Harness-maker,	Pembroke street.
John C. Hutchins,	Engineer,	Penacock street.
Anthony P. Cate,	Blacksmith,	Penacock street.
Henry H. Bean,	Farmer,	Shawmut street.
Orlando W. Coon,	Farmer,	Portsmouth street.
Seth A. Bunnell,	Carpenter,	East Clinton street.
Jos. S. Austin,	Hose-maker,	Portsmouth street.
Wm. L. Batchelder,	Farmer,	Potter street.
Fred. H. Potter,	Farmer,	Potter street.
Hiram T. Dickerman,	Painter,	Penacock street.
Amos B. Sauborn,	Farmer,	Shawmut street.

Schedule of Property—Old Fort, No. 2.

House, \$3,000; engine and hose-carriage, \$500; 350 feet new leather hose, \$350; 1 pole for two horses, \$16; fire hook and rope, \$15; 1 set runners, \$10; 6 settees, \$24; 2 stoves and funnel, \$10; 2 axes and one bar, \$3; 2 lanterns, and lamps, \$4; 2 fire suits, \$8; 6 chairs and table, \$3; 4 buckets, \$8; 2 whiffletrees and chains, \$2; stand, glass, and brush, \$1; 1 shovel, \$1; trumpet, \$5; 2 hose and ladder straps, \$3; 2 spanners, \$1.50; 30 chairs, \$75; 6 settees, \$24; 1 broom, .25; 1 cord wood, \$5;—total, \$4,074.75.

CATARACT ENGINE COMPANY, No. 3.

West Concord.

OFFICERS.

GEO. PARTRIDGE, *Foreman.*
 A. R. FARNUM, *Asst. Foreman.*
 M. T. HAYES, *Steward.*

J. M. CROSSMAN, *Clerk.*
 JOHN E. GAY, *Treasurer.*
 O. A. DOWNING, *Foreman of Hose.*

MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
Geo. Partridge,	Kit-maker,	Main street.
A. R. Farnum,	Farmer,	Main street.
J. M. Crossman,	Blacksmith,	Hutchins street.
John E. Gay,	Quarryman,	Depot street.
M. T. Hayes,	Mill operative,	High street.
O. A. Downing,	Stone-cutter,	Main street.
Harrison Partridge,	Merchant,	Main street.
W. S. Lougee,	Stone-cutter,	Hutchins street.
Geo. S. Kellom,	Stone-cutter,	Ward 4.
Patrick Crowley,	Stone-cutter,	Main street.
Joel D. Walker,	Carpenter,	Main street.
H. H. Farnum,	Teamster,	Main street.
John Matison,	Quarryman,	Main street.
John Harrington,	Mill operative,	Main street.
Jeremiah Quinn,	Mill operative,	High street.
Michael Jenkins,	Mill operative,	Main street.
Geo. H. Speed,	Stone-cutter,	Main street.
James Benson,	Quarryman,	Main street.
Geo. W. Kemp,	Mill operative,	Main street.
Thomas Daley,	Stone-cutter,	Main street.
Robert Crowley,	Blacksmith,	Main street.
John Murphy,	Quarryman,	Main street.
John Roberts,	Blacksmith,	Main street.
T. H. Murrey,	Painter,	Main street.
E. S. Parmenter,	Teamster,	Main street.
Geo. Fuller,	Stone-cutter,	Main street.
A. C. Abbott,	Farmer,	Main street.
C. E. Todd,	Stone-cutter,	Main street.
B. J. Reed,	Quarryman,	Main street.
Ira C. Phillips,	Kit-maker,	Main street.

Schedule of Property—Cataract, No. 3.

House, \$911.80; engine and hose-carriage, \$600; 550 feet 2-inch leather hose, \$412.50; 316 feet new hose, \$440.95; 3 hose clamps, \$10.50; 1 pole, \$16; 1 set runners, \$10; 3 axes, 1 crow-bar, \$5; 2 fire suits, \$8; 4 buckets and 2 lanterns, \$12; 1 trumpet, \$5; 2 stoves and funnel, \$10; 8 settees, \$32; 1 signal lantern, \$3; 6 spanners and belts, \$5; 1 chain and whiffletree, \$2; 2 torches, \$1; 1 monkey-wrench, \$1.25; 3 hydrant wrenches, \$6; 3 reducers, \$7.50; 1 oil-can, .50;—total, \$2,088.20.

SUMMARY OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

IN PRECINCT.

Engineers,	6
Steamer members,	12
Hose members,	36
Hook and Ladder members,	20
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WITHOUT PRECINCT.

Members at Fisherville,	50
Members at East Concord,	30
Members at West Concord,	30
Engineers,	3
	— 113
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SCHEDULE OF CITY PROPERTY—FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Engine house and lot,	\$34,000.00
Boiler and heating apparatus,	1,000.00
Property at Central Station,	146.50
Hose,	5,500.00
Engineer's department,	217.00
Steamer Gov. Hill,	1,500.00
Steamer Kearsarge,	3,874.50
Eagle Hose, No. 1,	1,145.50
Alert Hose, No. 2, house and furniture,	3,538.75
Good Will Hose, No. 3, house and furniture,	3,944.30
Hook and Ladder, No. 1,	2,075.00
Pioneer, No. 1, Fisherville, including house,	3,111.75
500 feet 2-inch hose, at Amsden's mills, Fisherville,	450.00
150 feet 2-inch hose, at Brown's mills, Fisherville,	150.00
Old Fort, No. 2, East Concord, including house,	4,074.75
Cataract, No. 3, West Concord, including house,	2,088.20
Miscellaneous property, not in use,	363.00
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Total,	\$67,179.25

PUBLIC RESERVOIRS.*

	Capacity—Cubic feet.	Value.
1. Main street, near Abbot-Downing Co.'s,	1,000	\$300
2. " near Harvey, Morgan & Co.'s,	1,000	300
3. " corner of Pleasant street,	†1,500	450
4. " middle front state house yard,	†1,500	450
5. " rear of city hall,	2,000	300
6. State street, corner of Washington street,	500	200
7. " opposite Winter street,	500	100
8. " in high school yard,	3,000	700
9. " corner of Pleasant street,	1,000	300
10. " near Geo. H. Emery's,	1,000	300
11. " corner of West street,	800	100
12. South street, corner of Cross street,	800	200
13. " near A. Downing's,	1,000	300
14. Thompson street, near Geo. W. Crockett's,	1,100	300
15. Rumford street, near Josiah Minot's,	1,000	300
16. Orchard street, corner of Pine street,	4,000	500
17. School street, near J. V. Barron's,	3,500	500
18. Centre street, corner of Union street,	1,100	300
19. Gas-holder, rear of Main street,	44,000	
20. School street, well in front of N. White's.†		
21. Main street, near Thorndike street,	1,500	555
22. Franklin street, near Henry street,	1,500	550
23. Iron pipes to state house reservoir, and to gas-holder tank,		900
Total,		\$7,905

* Omitted this year from the estimated value of property in hands of fire department

† Supplied from reservoir in Union District, high school yard.

FIRE - HYDRANTS.

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
Main.	South-west corner Main and Penacook.....	1	
"	East side Main, near J. B. Walker's.....	1	
"	West side Main, opposite Church.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Franklin.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Washington.....	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Chapel.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Court.....	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Montgomery.....	1	
"	South-east corner Main and Free Bridge road.....	1	
"	South-west corner Main and Park.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Capitol.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and School.....	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Merrimack block.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Warren.....	1	
"	South-east " Depot.....	1	
"	North-west " Pleasant.....	1	
"	North-east " Freight.....	1	
"	North-west " Fayette.....	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Thompson.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Cross.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Thorndike.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Perley.....	1	
"	East side of Main, opposite Abbot-Downing Co.'s shop.....	1	
"	North-west corner Main and West.....	1	24
Turnpike.	West side Turnpike, opposite Gas.....	1	1
State.	North-west corner State and Penacook.....	1	
"	" " Walker.....	1	
"	" " Church.....	1	
"	" " Tremont.....	1	
"	North-east " Washington.....	1	
"	South-east " Downing.....	1	
"	North-east " West.....	1	
"	North-east " Turnpike.....	1	
"	West side State, opposite Court.....	1	
"	North-west corner State and Maple.....	1	
"	North-east corner State and Centre.....	1	
"	East side State, opposite state house.....	1	
"	South-west corner State and School.....	1	
"	North-west corner State and Warren.....	1	
"	North-west corner State and Pleasant.....	1	
"	East side State, opposite Wall.....	1	
"	North-west corner State and Thompson.....	1	
"	South-west corner State and Monroe.....	1	
"	East side State, opposite Laurel.....	1	19
Green.	East side Green, opposite Prince.....	1	1
South.	North-west corner South and Fulton.....	1	
"	West side South, opposite Monroe.....	1	
"	" " Laurel.....	1	
"	" " Downing.....	1	
"	West side South, opposite Wall.....	1	5
Spring.	South-west corner Spring and Oak.....	1	
"	West side Spring, opposite Cross.....	1	
"	West side Spring, opposite Perley proposed extension.....	1	3
Bradley.	East side Bradley, opposite Highland.....	1	1
Walnut.	North-east corner Walnut and Franklin.....	1	
"	West side Walnut, opposite Beacon.....	1	
"	North-west corner Walnut and Washington.....	1	3
Church.	North side Church, opposite Henry.....	1	1
Franklin.	North-west corner Franklin and Jackson.....	1	1
Centre.	North-west corner Centre and Rumford.....	1	
"	North-west corner Centre and Spring.....	1	2
Washington.	South-west corner Washington and Union.....	1	1
School.	North-west corner School and Spring.....	1	
"	" " School and Merrimack.....	1	2
Warren.	" " Warren and Rumford.....	1	
"	" " Warren and Green.....	1	

FIRE - HYDRANTS - CONTINUED.

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
Warren.	North-west corner Warren and Spring	1	
"	North-west corner Warren and Tahanto.....	1	
"	South-east corner Warren and Liberty.....	1	
"	South-west corner Warren and Merrimack.....	1	
"	North side Warren, opposite Fruit.....	1	7
Duncklee.	North-west corner Duncklee, opposite West.....	1	
Jackson.	North-west corner Jackson, opposite Beacon.....	1	1
Pleasant.	South side Pleasant, opposite Rumford.....	1	
"	North-west corner Pleasant and Green.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Pine.....	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Liberty.....	1	4
West.	North side West, near Mills.....	1	
"	North side West, opposite Dakin.....	1	2
Railroad.	North-west corner Railroad and Railroad square.....	1	1
Pine.	South-west corner Pine and Centre.....	1	1
Perley.	North-west corner Perley and Grove.....	1	1
Laurel.	North-east corner Laurel and Pierce.....	1	1
Thorndike.	North-east corner Thorndike and Grove.....	1	1
Cross.	South side Cross, opposite Jefferson.....	1	1
Fayette.	South side Fayette, opposite Elm.....	1	1
On main pipe.	East side State, at Posterville.....	1	
"	West side State, at intersection of Walnut.....	1	
"	" near city farm buildings.....	1	
"	" near Mr. Kilburn's.....	1	
"	" near G. E. Holden's.....	1	5
"	Hill's avenue.....	1	1
"	South-west corner of Mills and Allison.....	1	
	Total.....		93
PRIVATE HYDRANTS.			
	State prison yard.....	2	
	Abbot-Downing Co.'s yard.....	2	
	Page Belting Co.'s yard.....	2	
	W. P. Ford & Co.....	1	
	Total.....		7

REGULATIONS
FOR THE
CONCORD PRECINCT FIRE DEPARTMENT,
ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF ENGINEERS, JANUARY, 1874.

ARTICLE 1. Any engine or hose company, running out a line of hose from a hydrant or steamer, shall be entitled to the pipe, although the hose of other companies may be attached in order to reach the fire; and any company coming to a fire, and finding an incomplete line of hose laid out from a hydrant or steamer, shall attach to and lengthen out such line, in lieu of laying a line of its own.

ART. 2. When two or more engine or hose companies are playing in a continuous line, the pipe shall belong to the company attaching to the hydrant or steamer, as provided in the foregoing article; but any company furnishing the *entire* line, and receiving water from a steamer, the pipe shall belong to such company so receiving.

ART. 3. Each engine and hose company shall have equal claim to the hydrants; but it is enjoined upon the engine companies to draught their own water from a reservoir, wherever a suitable one can be found within a reasonable distance.

ART. 4. No company shall take possession of a hydrant or reservoir, unless their hose and apparatus for attaching to the same are at hand and ready for use. The company which shall be thus ready shall be entitled to such hydrant or reservoir; but, upon the order of an engineer, another

company may attach a second line of hose from such hydrant or steamer, in case the same may be necessary,—such company having first laid its hose, and being ready to attach the same.

ART. 5. In proceeding to, working at, or returning from fires, noisy demonstrations are strictly prohibited, and it is required of officers of companies to maintain perfect order and decorum in their respective commands during all such service.

ART. 6. No company, while returning from a fire, will be allowed to proceed faster than a walk, and at all times to keep on the right of the street. Drivers are strictly enjoined, in proceeding to a fire, to use the utmost care and caution consistent with promptness. Racing between companies is forbidden, under any circumstances. Any collision or casualty occurring to horses or apparatus will be considered a sufficient cause for the suspension of the driver in charge at the time.

ART. 7. The bells will at first ring a general fire alarm; and, when the locality of the fire is known, the number of the ward will be struck, and repeated for the space of at least ten minutes.

ART. 8. No member of any company shall leave the city without first informing his foreman; no foreman or assistant engineer, without first notifying the chief engineer,—in each case the party so leaving providing a substitute.

ART. 9. In case of fire, the foreman first arriving shall be in command until the arrival of an engineer.

ART. 10. Any order issued by the chief, or an assistant engineer, shall be promptly obeyed.

WATERING THE STREETS.

The following account of the receipts and expenditures for watering the streets, for the season of 1878, is inserted in this report for the information of those who are interested. The sum collected is larger than in former years, as a larger territory was watered, making it necessary to employ two teams instead of one, as heretofore.

RECEIPTS.

From persons on the east side of Main street.

Miss Sarah O. Herbert, \$5.00	Joseph E. Clifford, \$5.00
John Marston, 2.00	Elijah Knight, 5.00
C. Thorn & Son, 10.00	James Moore & Son, 5.00
Fred Newman, 1.00	Wm. B. Stearns, 5.00
John F. Morrill, 10.00	H. H. Aldrich, 5.00
Thos. M. Lang, 1.00	C. C. Webster & Co., 5.00
Miss C. Morrill, 2.00	W. P. Underhill & Co., 5.00
Asa McFarland, 5.00	N. H. Savings Bank, 5.00
Nath. Bouton, 3.00	Joseph H. Morrill, 5.00
Geo. G. Fogg, 15.00	Eagle Hotel, 10.00
W. W. Niles, 5.00	C. J. Dow, 2.00
Edw'd L. Knowlton, 15.00	E. C. Eastman, 2.00
W. Odlin, 5.00	Humphrey, Dodge & Co., 10.00
C. E. Ballard, 2.00	Prescott Organ Co., 2.00
Dr. G. P. Conn, 10.00	W. G. Shaw, 5.00
Oscar V. Pitman, 3.00	D. E. & C. W. Clarke, 5.00
Wm. Butterfield, 3.00	Robinson & Smart, 2.00
Mrs. Onslow Stearns, 10.00	M. M. Stearns, 2.00
Joseph H. Smith, 5.00	Sleeper & Hood, 2.50
Joseph B. Hook, 1.00	Geo. W. Moore, 2.50
Wm. H. Pitman, 5.00	John H. Ballard, 1.00
Savage Bros., 5.00	Henry L. Upham, 1.00
Daniel Scannell, 2.00	Dr. A. H. Crosby, 2.00
C. Thorn & Son, 3.00	Eagle Book-Store, 2.00
E. E. Fisher, 1.00	M. B. Critchett, 5.00
J. D. Johnson, 1.00	T. W. & J. H. Stewart, 5.00
S. Wardner, 1.50	R. P. Staniels, 2.00
Geo. W. Wadleigh, 1.00	Henry Churchill, 5.00
W. C. Elkins & Co., 3.00	Woodward & Baker, 5.00

East side of Main street—continued.

Dr. E. Morrill,	\$2.00	A. W. Gale,	\$3.00
L. D. & H. W. Stevens,	2.00	Patriot Office,	5.00
S. Blood,	5.00	Page & Donovan,	2.00
A. T. Sanger & Co.,	5.00	Concord Savings Bank,	5.00
Dr. C. N. Towle,	2.00	Eastman & Fitch,	5.00
F. B. Underhill & Co.,	5.00	Rep. Press Association,	10.00
Herman Strauss,	5.00	J. E. Pecker,	3.00
J. Y. Mugridge,	2.00	Batchelder Bros.,	5.00
S. G. Lane,	1.00	R. C. Danforth,	5.00
Ham L. Rand,	1.00	Carter Bros.,	5.00
Emerson & Ingalls,	5.00	Gardner B. Emmons,	5.00
Vogler Bros.,	3.00	Elm House,	5.00
Stanley & Ayer,	5.00	Charles P. Moore,	2.00
W. U. Telegraph Co.,	10.00	Dr. S. C. Morrill,	2.00
Weeks, Patters'n & Davis,	5.00	Cummings Bros.,	3.00
Phenix Hotel,	10.00	Farley Bros.,	2.00
Gust Walker,	5.00	James R. Hill,	7.00
Dr. J. H. Gallinger,	2.00	Lealand A. Smith,	5.00
Cummings & Young,	3.00	J. E. Dwight,	3.00
Woodworth & Bro.,	5.00	Ford & Kimball,	3.00
Norman G. Carr,	3.00		

West side of Main street.

S. C. Whitcher,	\$10.00	Henry C. Sturtevant,	\$3.00
C. C. Lund,	5.00	James H. Davis,	1.00
A. G. Harris,	2.00	James H. Chase,	4.00
Asa Fowler,	5.00	Morrill & Silsby,	6.00
Mrs. N. F. Smart,	3.00	W. K. Day,	3.00
Mrs. J. S. Abbot,	5.00	L. H. Carroll,	5.00
Frank Evans,	3.00	H. B. Foster,	3.00
J. S. Norris,	2.00	State Capital Bank,	5.00
Norris & Crockett,	5.00	Dr. F. A. Stillings,	1.00
M. E. Clough,	2.00	Albin & Streeter,	2.00
W. J. Fernald,	2.00	Frank Marden,	5.00
J. Frank Hoit,	5.00	Miss Maggie Flanders,	5.00
Geo. P. Cleaves,	3.00	Stevens & Duncklee,	6.00
J. H. Morey,	2.00	G. H. Adams,	3.50
Perkins & Dudley,	3.00	First National Bank,	5.00
Joseph Welcome,	2.00	W. T. & H. F. Norris,	2.00
C. H. Martin & Co.,	5.00	Morrill Bros.,	5.00
John S. Hubbard,	2.00	Blanchard & Crapo,	5.00
A. J. Souza,	1.00	D. B. Jones,	5.00

West side of Main street—continued.

James R. Hill & Co.,	\$8.00	J. B. Sanborn,	\$5.00
A. P. Sherburne,	2.00	J. E. Larkin,	5.00
James Hazelton,	5.00	G. L. Hooper,	2.00
Sargent & Chase,	3.00	J. M. Fitts,	2.00
Morrill & Danforth,	3.00	A. K. Knapp,	1.50
Harris & Co.,	3.00	John Pendergast,	1.00
Underhill & Kittredge,	3.00	Mrs. O'Brien,	2.00
D. L. Guernsey,	3.00	E. S. Nutter,	2.00
Boynton & Willard,	5.00	J. H. Pearsons,	1.00
Frank H. Pierce,	2.00	J. S. Estes,	1.00
F. D. & C. F. Batchelder,	5.00	B. S. Warren,	3.00
E. N. Shepard,	5.00	W. P. Ford & Co.,	5.00
Hammond & Ayers,	5.00	Geo. H. Marston,	10.00
S. Cheney,	2.00	James Moore,	1.00
Tozier & Jacobs,	1.00	Dr. W. G. Carter,	10.00
Sanborn & Clark,	2.00		

State street, east side.

Wm. L. Foster,	\$5.00	Joseph S. Merrill,	\$2.00
Perry Kittredge,	5.00	E. A. Rix,	2.00
L. S. Morrill,	3.00	John P. Durrell,	2.00
B. E. Badger,	5.00	D. D. Brainard,	3.00
Will W. Hill,	5.00	F. S. Streeter,	1.00
Gust Walker,	5.00	A. Atherton,	3.00
Misses Bridge,	5.00	Geo. E. Todd,	5.00
L. D. Brown,	5.00	James Minot,	3.00
John Kimball,	5.00	C. P. Durgin,	2.00
A. R. Ayer,	2.00	H. J. Crippen,	5.00
W. K. Holt,	5.00	Fred P. Virgin,	5.00
Chas. P. Sanborn,	5.00		

State street, west side.

J. H. Sanders,	\$2.00	Mrs. Joseph George,	\$2.00
Mrs. C. West,	1.00	Fred H. Gould,	1.00
Henry W. Clapp,	5.00	Dr. J. H. Gallinger,	3.00
Oliver Ballou,	1.00	H. F. Patterson,	2.50
Freeman Webster,	2.00	John Merrill,	1.00
Geo. H. Emery,	5.00	D. B. Newhall,	2.00
Rev. E. Adams,	3.00	N. G. Mead,	2.50
Mrs. C. G. Freese,	2.00	Geo. Jones,	5.00
R. T. Crowell,	3.00	Mrs. S. T. Hoyt,	2.00
Calvin Howe,	2.00	Chas. Minot,	5.00
H. P. Rolfe,	2.00	John E. Robertson,	5.00
Chas. Meade,	3.00		

Park street.

Wm. Walker,	\$5.00	Wm. K. Norton,	\$2.00
Mrs. A. L. Drew,	1.00	E. L. Whitford,	5.00

Capitol street.

Concord Gas Light Co.,	\$5.00	C. C. Pearson & Co.,	\$3.00
Geo. Goodhue,	3.00	Cheney & Co.,	15.00
Singer Manufg. Co.,	3.00		

School street.

E. H. Woodman,	\$1.00	Mrs. M. C. Yeaton,	\$1.00
Northern R. R. Office,	2.00	I. W. Hill,	2.50
Miss J. L. Crawford,	3.00	James Hazelton,	2.00
Minot & Co.,	5.00	W. B. Durgin,	2.00
Mer. Co. Savings Bank,	2.00	Eves & Munns,	1.00
Knee & Ney,	1.00		

Warren street.

Frank Beede,	1.00	John H. Toof,	\$1.00
Shepard & Co.,	2.00	E. G. Carter,	1.00
C. T. Huntoon,	3.00	Albert Foster,	1.00
J. L. Pickering,	2.00	Ordway & Ferrin,	2.00
Frank Favor,	1.00	Mrs. T. H. Brown,	1.00
J. A. Dadmun,	1.00		

Pleasant street.

L. N. Farley & Co.,	\$3.00	Chas. Crow,	\$2.00
Kilburn & Young,	3.00	Bushy & Bowser,	3.00
J. F. Cotton,	2.00		

Depot street.

Smith & Walker,	\$2.00	Mrs. C. Hart,	\$1.00
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Whole amount collected, 1878,		\$914.00
From which I have paid City Treasurer,	\$254.00	
“ “ City Water-Works,	300.00	
Paid for soliciting and collecting subscrip- tions,	45.70	
In hands of collector,*	314.30	
		\$914.00

Respectfully submitted.

HORACE A. BROWN,
Commissioner of Highways.

* Since paid in to the City Treasury.

REPORT

OF THE

CITY REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS.

To the City Council :

GENTLEMEN : The revised ordinances of the city, Chapter XV, making the city clerk Registrar of Vital Statistics, requiring that he shall keep a full record of all births and deaths, and issue permits for burials, has imposed a new duty upon that office, and has been complied with, so far as the returns have been received, with the following result :

Whole number of births, 210 ;—males, 98 ; females, 105 ; still births, sex not stated, 7.

The number of marriages solemnized in the city the past year we are unable, at present, to state, as full returns have not as yet been made.

The deaths in the city the past year were as follows : January, 16 ; February, 17 ; March, 18 ; April, 12 ; May, 13 ; June, 9 ; July, 7 ; August, 16 ; September, 24 ; October, 15 ; November, 22 ; December, 16. Total, 185.

Died in Ward 1, 21 ; Ward 2, 10 ; Ward 3, 13 ; Ward 4, 54 ; Ward 5, 27 ; Ward 6, 38 ; Ward 7, 22.

Deaths in public institutions in the city reported the past year, 32.

The remains of 54 persons who died in the city were carried out of town for burial, and 28 who died elsewhere were brought here for interment,—making the number of interments in the city the past year, 182.

C. F. STEWART, *City Registrar.*

TRUST FUNDS.

WALKER SCHOOL FUND. This fund was a legacy of **ABIAL WALKER**. Will dated Jan. 3, 1855. "To the city of Concord aforesaid I give and bequeath one thousand dollars, in trust, to be added to the school fund of said city, the interest whereof to be divided in due proportion among all the districts in the city at the time the dividend takes place, to be paid over to said city in one year after my decease." The amount of this fund is \$1,000, and is invested in a note of that sum of the Concord City Precinct, due in 1895.

LYON LEGACY is from **G. PARKER LYON**. Will dated Jan. 23, 1865. "I give and bequeath to the city of Concord, in the county of Merrimack, in trust, for the increase of the free public library of said city, the annual income thereof only to be annually expended in the purchase of books for said public library, the sum of one thousand dollars." One precinct note of \$1,000, interest 6 per cent., due 1896.

PIERCE LEGACY is from **FRANKLIN PIERCE**, ex-President of the United States. Will dated Jan. 22, 1868. "16th. To the city of Concord I give and bequeath, in trust, for the 'Concord Public Library,' one thousand dollars, the interest of said sum to be expended annually in the purchase of books, and the principal to remain as a perpetual fund for the object indicated." One city bond of \$1,000, due 1885.

COUNTESS RUMFORD LEGACY is from the **COUNTESS OF RUMFORD**. Will dated Nov. 10, 1852. "To the town of Concord aforesaid, in trust, for the benefit of the Concord Female Charitable Society, an association in said town, two thousand dollars, to be applied to the charitable uses and purposes of said society, and under its direction. And in case the said town should be incapable of or decline said trust, then the same is given and to be paid over to any two persons whom the executor of my will may elect and name, to administer said trust." Note, Isaac A. Hill, \$2,000, dated Jan. 27, 1877, secured by mortgage of real estate and surety.

OLD CEMETERY FUND. There has been invested, of the proceeds of sales of lots, \$700 in Water-Works bonds, bearing 6 per cent. interest. The income from this fund is devoted to the care of the Old Cemetery.