

## OFFICERS' REPORT.

### DOG FUND.

*Town of Clarendon in account with H. Hodges,*

1880.	CR.
Received of E. Congdon, Town Clerk.....	\$ 62 10
	DR.
Jan. 5, Paid order to E. L. Holden...	\$ 2 25
" " " " H. Hodges..	1 00
" 14 " " A. J. Newton...	50 00
" " " " Enoch Smith...	1 00
" " " " H. F. Button...	1 50
" " " " W. W. Walker.	5 00
Paid into town treasury.....	1 35
	\$ 62 10

### SCHOOL MONEY.

1879.	CR.
M'ch 4, By Cash in treasury.....	\$ 13 80
" " received interest on surplus fund....	142 00
" " J. C. Colvin.....	450 00
	\$605 80



Nov.	"	"	Interest.....	1 17
"	"	"	S. N. Mason.....	75
Dec. 30,	"	"	L. C. Squiers.....	5 00
"	"	"	Harlan Weeks.....	45
"	"	"	J. Q. Steward.....	28 63
"	"	"	Henry Bishop.....	6 50
"	"	"	M. Farrall.....	5 00
Jan. 7, 1880,	"	"	F. Billings..	5 00
"	"	"	John Wilmarth.....	200 00
"	"	"	Interest.....	7 00
"	"	"	John Wilmarth..	79 18
"	"	"	Interest.....	4 06
Jan. 12,	"	"	M. & H. O. Edson.....	21 80
"	"	"	Interest.....	77
"	"	"	Edwin Edgerton.....	6 00
"	"	"	Arthur Holden.....	30
"	"	"	Dr. J. E. Hitt.....	8 00
"	"	"	H. D. Congdon.....	2 55
"	"	"	Burr Chapman.....	75
"	"	"	J. T. Bidgood.....	4 57
"	"	"	H. Hodges (Gibson order)	450 00
"	"	"	Interest.....	96 15
"	"	"	Cash in treasury.....	11 11

---

\$2,442 84

1879. *Town of Clarendon to William W. Walker, Dr.*

Claim for Services as Selectman.

To making highway tax ..	\$ 3 00
" town tax... ..	3 00
Distributing highway books ..	1 50
Making and delivering "dog warrants" to constable and returning certificate to State's attorney,	1 50
Drawing town orders.....	1 50
Making State, State school and county taxes....	5 00
1 day to east part of town in regard to damages caused by insufficiency of highway.....	1 50
1 day to east part of town on petition of citizens for damages.....	1 50
1 day to Rutland consulting counsel in regard to R. R. taxes... ..	1 50
4 days abating taxes and settling accounts.....	5 00
Cash paid for town and highway tax books.....	2 32
" Commissioners in "Murray road" case,	17 00
" L. Bony Parker for damages to wagon,	2 00
" for "pad lock" for Hearse House ...	40
Interest to June next on cash paid out.....	50
	<hr/>
	\$47 22

1879. *Town of Clarendon to H. K. White, Selectman, Dr.*

May 14. To one-half day on West Mountain to carry highway books. ....	75
24. Meeting of selectmen at South Flats to sign highway books.....	75
June 11. Drawing 1,300 feet lumber and 12 posts from Rutland to Smith bridge... ..	2 00
12. For work done on Smith bridge.....	6 00
6 lbs. nails.....	24
Nov. 7. Drawing 1,596 feet lumber and 80 posts from Rutland to grave yard in school district No. 5.....	4 00



Nov. 10.	One day going to N. M. Power's and examining different bridges.....	1 25
1880.		
Jan. 26.	Cash paid Stephen Clemons for building grave yard fence.....	4 50
	Two days abating taxes and settling accounts .....	3 00
Feb. 4.	Meeting of Selectmen on East St. to appraise damages on removing fences.....	1 25
	Paid John Wilmarth digging post holes.....	1 52
1879.	<i>Town of Clarendon to N. M. Powers, Selectman, Dr</i>	
April 15.	Dividing school money and getting regis- ters.....	2 00
22.	Keeping 2 tramps.....	50
May 11.	$\frac{1}{2}$ day signing orders and doing other business.....	1 00
28.	Drawing lumber from Rutland, 1,271 feet,	3 00
June 2.	" " " .....	2 50
Sept. 2.	Work on burying ground, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days.....	5 00
Oct.	Rutland to order lumber, Kingsley bridge,	1 00
Nov. 13.	North Clarendon bridge and to Rutland on repairs.....	1 00
Dec. 4.	$\frac{1}{2}$ day self and man on Kingsley bridge..	1 50
5.	Planking bridge.....	1 50
6.	Setting posts on cross road.....	50
26.	Work on North Flat bridge, 8 days.....	20 00
Feb. 6.	1 day on road, damages fence.....	1 00
	3 days settling claims.....	1 50
	Warming hall and town meeting....	2 00
Dec. 26.	Paid George Burr and son for work on North Flat bridge 13 days.....	15 00
	Boarding ends bridge....	4 00
	Paid Mike Moren, 7 days.....	8 75
	" Provo for bolts .....	72
	" Mason for stone on abutment.....	1 00

Dec. 7.	" W. C. Landon's bill, use jack screws, \$3.50, and 50 lbs. nails, \$2.50.....	6 00
	Paid do. bill, nails hinges, screws, hooks, &c.,	4 08
		<hr/>
		\$83 55

### ACCOUNTS BY ORDER OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

1879.	J. C. Spencer's account.	
	Goods to Phillip Whitney.....	40 19
	" to Mrs. Brackin.....	2 52
	" to Mrs. Crossman.....	71 01
	" to Mrs. Brown.....	58 03
April 5.	Paid Drinwater keeping Miss Quinn, 5 weeks, \$9, Mrs. Wilson, 8 days, \$1.15,	10 15
26.	Paid order to Cummings keep tramps...	2 00
Nov. 5.	1 pair shoes, Mrs. Weaver... ..	1 25
		<hr/>
		\$185 15
	Cr. by traps, Quinn .....	1 00
		<hr/>
		\$184 15
1880.		
March 1.	Horace Kingsley, $4\frac{1}{4}$ month's house rent, Mrs. Fox.....	4 25
Feb. 4.	J. Q. Steward, 10 cords wood, Mrs. Crossman.....	35 00
	L. & J. A. Steward, pasturing cow, Mrs. Crossman.....	7 00
	W. W. White, cutting hay, Mrs. Crossman,	4 00
	M. Farrall, 12 lbs. pork, Mrs. Brackin, \$1, house rent, do., \$1.....	2 00
	Team to Wallingford .....	2 50
	1 cord wood, P. Whitney.....	3 00



Feb. 13.	1 cord wood, P. Whitney.....	3 00
" "	W. C. Croft, coffin for R. Williams 15 00	
	Rum, .30, brandy, \$1.25, beef, .30,	
	sheets, 60, help in house, .25....	2 70
		<hr/>
		\$17 70
	Cr. by bal. his due....	1 06
		<hr/>
		\$16 64
	G. H. Morss, school books for Mrs. Cross-	
	man's children.....	4 22
	Same for Mrs. Brown's children.....	2 07

### OVERSEER OF THE POOR'S ACCOUNT.

*Town of Clarendon to John Wilmarth, Overseer of Poor :*

1879.		Dr.
March	8, 1 day seeing to the poor,.....	\$ 1 50
	11, $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	75
	15, 1 " " .....	1 50
	Keeping tramp, .....	50
	20, cash paid for transient poor,.....	25 00
	22, 1 day moving Mrs. Quinn,.....	1 50
	27, $\frac{1}{2}$ day seeing to poor,.....	75
	cash paid J. Kingsley for meal,.....	1 15
April	18, $\frac{3}{4}$ day.....	1 00
	26, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day getting coffin, digging grave and	
	filling same for Mrs. Quinn,..	\$ 3 00
	cash for coffin,.....	15 00
		<hr/>
		\$18 00
Cr.	By cash found in Mrs. Quinn's	
	pocket book,..	9 25
		<hr/>
		8 75
May	3, $\frac{1}{2}$ day's time,.....	75

June	20, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,.....	75
	23, cash paid for transient poor,.....	12 00
July	6, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,.....	75
August	26, $\frac{1}{2}$ day seeing to poor,.....	75
Oct.	16, cash paid to H. H. Eddy for keeping J.	
	Hays when sick,.....	6 00
October	18, 1 day,.....	1 50
Feb.	9, 1 day settling claims,.....	1 50
Nov.	5, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,..	1 50
	26, 227 pounds pork at 6c, Mrs. C.,.....	13 65
	$\frac{1}{2}$ bushel salt,.....	30
	$\frac{1}{2}$ day,.....	75
Dec.	22, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,.....	75
	insurance assessment, Mrs. C., .....	80
	cash for repairing fence for Mrs. C.,...	1 00
Nov.	19, 8 yds. shirting for Mrs. Brown,.....	1 00
	2 shirts " " .....	1 00
	20, 2 days to Reading to see about Phineas	
	Parker,.....	3 00
	car fare,.....	2 10
	team from Proctorsville,.....	2 50
Dec.	8, cash for keeping Parker to March 1st,	
	1880,.....	18 50
	6, 1 day to East Wallingford to see about	
	Ellen Weaver,.....	1 50
	cash to G. Flanders for keeping Ellen	
	Weaver to March 1st, 1880,.....	17 00
Oct.	1, coat for Powers, a transient person,....	5 50
	boots, " " .....	2 50
Jan.	1, Paid Cummins for keeping tramp,.....	50
Feb.	1, cash paid to Phillip Whitney at different	
	times,.....	57 00
	cash to N. Leonard for keeping Nelson	
	Brown to March 8, 1880,.....	55 00
	FOR MRS. CROSSMAN.	
May	20, 1 day plowing garden,.....	1 00
	1 pound of tea,.....	25



June	2, 4½ bush. potatoes,.....	2 25
	20, cash to T. Stewart for 2 bushel potatoes,	1 20
	27, 1 pound tea,.....	25
	7 pounds codfish,.....	36
July	3, 3 hats for boys,.....	30
	5 yards pant cloth,.....	90
	22, 1 pound tea,.....	25
	24, cash to T. Stewart for potatoes,.....	25
Sept.	26, 2 skeins yarn,.....	40
	2 pairs socks,.....	30
	10 yards cotton cloth,.....	85
	1 pound tea,.....	25
Feb.	7, ½ day settling account,.....	75
	Interest to June 1st, 1880, on money advanced,.....	9 64
	Whole amount,.....	\$261 06

Of the \$17.00 to Flanders for keeping Weaver, \$15.00 has not been paid. He agreed to board her for \$5.00 per month as long as he kept her. It is possible he may not keep her until March 1, 1880.

## MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS.

	To D. M. WHITE & Co.,	Dr.
1879.		
Dec. 26.	To bill lumber, paid by N. M. Powers,..	\$248 36
	Interest on same to June,.....	4 96
	To DAVID SHORTSLEEVE,	Dr.
Dec. 19.	To 7 one inch rods, nuts and washers, 546 at 5¼ cts., order given,.....	31 40
1879.	To M. & H. O. EDSON,	Dr.
Aug. 19.	To 160 feet plank, by M. Atwater,.....	1 60
	To H. BISHOP,	Dr.
	To drawing 3 loads from Rutland, \$6 00	
	To planking bridge and putting up railing, &c.,.....	2 00
		8 00
	To J. A. C. HORTON,	Dr.
	To 65 posts, \$6.50. Setting same, \$3.50,	10 00
	To H. HODGES,	Dr.
	To cash paid for powder and fuse, \$4 75	
	" " blank list,.....	75
		5 50
	To use of town hall, year 1879,.....	15 00
	To G. H. MORSS,	Dr.
	For services on text book committee, as follows:—Attending convention of text book committees of Rut- land County, at Rutland, May 31, 1879,.....	\$1 50
	Time spent with town committee and in examining text books, and in securing printing of report, etc., three days, at \$1.50,.....	4 50
	Printing 300 copies of report of text book committee,.....	1 75
	Postage, circulating report, etc.,...	50
		8 25



To EDWIN CONGDON,		Dr.
To blank dog register, . . . . .	\$1 50	
To making transfer of deeds for listers, . . . . .	1 50	
To making transfer of mortgages for listers, . . . . .	1 00	
To recording births and deaths, and making copy of same and transmitting to secretary of state, . . . . .	3 50	
To recording deed of cemetery at North Clarendon, . . . . .	50	
To express and postage, . . . . .	50	
To 8 cedar posts, . . . . .	1 00	
		9 50

RETURNS OF DISTRICT CLERKS OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS, FOR  
THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1st, 1880,

District No. 1, John Keyes, . . . . .	7 cases, . . . . .	\$1 05
" 2, Harlan Weeks, . . . . .	3 " . . . . .	45
" 3, J. H. Chapman, . . . . .	3 " . . . . .	45
" 4, C. C. Pierce, . . . . .	5 " . . . . .	75
" 5, C. A. Spafford, . . . . .	4 " . . . . .	60
" 6, James Barrett, . . . . .	1 " . . . . .	15
" 8, S. N. Mason, . . . . .	5 " . . . . .	75
		4 20

OFFICERS' SERVICES.

W. W. Walker, selectman, per his bill, . . . . .	\$25 00
H. K. White, " " . . . . .	7 00
N. M. Powers, " " . . . . .	7 50
J. Wilmarth, overseer poor, per his bill, . . . . .	22 25
H. Hodges, lister, . . . . .	15 00
A. D. Smith, " . . . . .	15 00
J. A. C. Horton, " . . . . .	15 00
H. Hodges, town treasurer, . . . . .	5 00
C. C. Pierce, auditor, . . . . .	5 00
A. D. Smith, " . . . . .	5 00
	\$121 75

AUDITORS' REPORT.

Your auditors have examined the accounts of your treasurer, selectmen, overseer of the poor, &c., and find them correct, and make the following report and summary:

Miscellaneous claims, . . . . .	\$462 26
Poor bills, . . . . .	517 03
Insane asylum, estimated, . . . . .	260 00
Officers' services, . . . . .	121 75
Interest on surplus fund, . . . . .	142 00
Printing this report, say, . . . . .	14 00
	\$1,517 04

OLD ORDERS NOT PAID.

S. N. Mason, . . . . .	\$1 50
M. H. Sherman, . . . . .	1 65
John Ridlon, . . . . .	75
NEW ORDERS given for damage taking down fences against the highways, previous to winter of 1879:	
Thos. Pierce, \$3; Jerry Keily, \$6; Harmon Albee, \$4.50; Thos. Stewart, \$6; Aaron Aldrich, \$4.50;	
Thos. Brown, \$1, . . . . .	25 00
Also, NEW ORDERS to Thos. Pierce, (cemetery lot,) . . . . .	82 50
J. C. Spencer, " . . . . .	67 18
Mrs. W. D. Marsh, error in taxes, . . . . .	30 00
	\$1,723 62

DUE THE TOWN,

H. E. R. R. taxes, (1877,) . . . . .	\$83 75
In R. F. Power's hands, uncollected taxes, . . . . .	60 00
In J. C. Colvin's " " " . . . . .	16 00
In treasurer's hands, . . . . .	11 11
	\$170 86



Leaving balance of indebtedness, ..... \$1,552 76  
 1879. Amount of Grand List, \$5,406 89.

30 cts. on a dollar will raise,.... 1,622 06

Tax on Savings Bank deposit, 1880, say... 85 00

---

\$1,707 06

We find that the money raised last year was sufficient to pay all indebtedness, and all orders paid, except 3 small orders amounting to \$2.90, and think the town could save expense by taking Houghton from asylum and get him kept in town.

Respectfully submitted,

C. C. PIERCE, }  
 A. D. SMITH, } *Auditors.*



## NOTICE.

---

The inhabitants of the town of Clarendon who are legal voters in town meeting, are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall, on the South Flats, on the first Tuesday in March, A. D. 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes, viz.:

1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
2. To choose all necessary town officers.
3. To see if the town will vote a tax upon the Grand List of said town to pay its indebtedness.
4. To cast their votes for County Commissioner.
5. To see if the Town will vote to set Thomas Brown and his real estate to School District No. 2.
6. To see if the town will vote to set that part of the Central Vt. R. R., Rutland Div., that is now in School District No. 8 to No. 5 and all land east of said R. R., adjoining School District No. 5 owned by W. C and S. F. Croft and E. B. Holden to No. 5.
7. To see what course the town will take in regard to the mortgage on the H. H. Crossman estate.
8. To do all other proper business.

W. W. WALKER, }  
H. K. WHITE, } Selectmen.  
N. M. POWERS, }

Clarendon, Feb. 14, 1880.