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REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

Citizens of Carver:—

The Selectmen submit their annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the town for the past year, with such other facts as may be of interest.

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

ANDREW GRIFFITH, *Treasurer.*

DR.

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| To cash on hand March 10, 1884, | \$2331 57 |
| Received from George B. Fuller, | |
| license to peddle, | 6 00 |
| Geo. H. Place, license to peddle, | 6 00 |
| Andrew J. Bisbee, “ | 6 00 |
| Edgar C. Rogers, “ | 6 00 |
| William L. Randall, “ | 6 00 |
| City of Taunton, aid to Shurtleff | |
| family, | 92 00 |
| Town of Plymouth, aid to E. | |
| Douglass, | 56 25 |

| | | |
|---|------|-------------|
| Town of Rochester, aid to Augusta Surrey, | 45 | 16 |
| James Webb, sale of land, town farm, | 45 | 00 |
| Town of Middleboro, for schools, | 123 | 16 |
| Peleg McFarlin, trustee Ellis school fund, | 160 | 00 |
| H. A. Lucas, trustee Pratt school fund, | 168 | 40 |
| Sale D. Vaughan's heirs land above taxes and costs, | 33 | 02 |
| Sale J. G. Washburn's land, above taxes and costs, | 43 | 13 |
| State treasurer, corporation tax, | 820 | 25 |
| State treasurer, National Bank tax, | 635 | 75 |
| State treasurer, aid to soldiers and families, | 261 | 75 |
| State treasurer, aid to poor and indigent soldiers, | 15 | 00 |
| State treasurer, income Mass. school fund, | 212 | 61 |
| County treasurer, dividend from dog licenses, | 108 | 47 |
| Nelson Sherman, sale E. Fuller's personal property, | 55 | 23 |
| Nelson Sherman, guardian for Barton Fuller, | 232 | 00 |
| Chas. S. Shaw, sale well brick, | 5 | 00 |
| Thomas Cobb, rent town pasture, | 5 | 50 |
| Collection of taxes, | 4824 | 17 |
| Interest on delinquent taxes, | 23 | 20 |
| Total receipts, | | \$10,326 62 |

Expenditures as follows :

CR.

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Paid for support of schools, | \$1719 71 |
| Support of poor, | 1583 44 |
| Repair of highways, | 1184 59 |
| Removal of snow, highways, | 26 97 |
| Repair of bridges, | 167 85 |
| Repair of school-houses and school incidentals, | 581 95 |
| State aid, soldiers and families, | 257 00 |
| Poor and indigent soldiers, aid, | 30 00 |
| Incidental town expenses, | 583 95 |
| State tax, | 680 00 |
| County tax, | 547 41 |
| Cash on hand March 2, 1885, | 2963 75 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$10,326 62 |

SCHOOLS.

Receipts and expenditures connected with the schools
the past year :

DR.

| | |
|--|-----------|
| To balance from 1883, | \$47 03 |
| Appropriation of 1884, | 1200 00 |
| Received from Middleboro, for schools, | 123 16 |
| Pratt fund, | 168 40 |
| Ellis fund, app. to district 4, | 160 00 |
| Mass school fund, | 212 61 |
| Dog licenses, | 108 47 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2019 67 |

CR.

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Paid approved bills School Committee, \$1719 71 | |
| Balance undrawn, | 299 96 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2019 67 |

BRIDGES.

Receipts and expenses connected with the repairs of bridges the past year :

DR.

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| To balance from 1883, | 38 53 |
| Appropriation of 1884, | 75 00 |
| Deficiency, | 54 32 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$167 85 |

CR.

| | |
|---|----------|
| Paid repairs of bridge at Holmes' mill, | \$77 85 |
| “ Fresh meadows, | 54 94 |
| “ Popes point, | 20 08 |
| “ District No. 3, | 3 00 |
| “ District No. 8, | 4 00 |
| “ District No. 14, | 6 98 |
| “ District No. 15, | 1 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$167 85 |

HIGHWAYS.

Receipts and expenditures connected with the repairs of highways the past year :

DR.

| | |
|------------------------|-----------|
| To balance from 1883, | \$46 57 |
| Appropriation of 1884, | 1200 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1246 57 |

CR.

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|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| Paid district No. 1, | \$79 83 |
| “ 2, | 65 17 |
| “ 3, | 70 37 |
| “ 4, | 75 55 |
| “ 5, | 85 63 |
| “ 6, | 42 00 |
| “ 7, | 72 29 |
| “ 8, | 65 30 |
| “ 9, | 32 03 |
| “ 10, | 224 54 |
| “ 11, | 110 00 |
| “ 12, | 58 27 |
| “ 13, | 79 33 |
| “ 14, | 49 95 |
| “ 15, | 74 33 |
| Total expended, | <u>\$1184 59</u> |
| Balance undrawn, | 61 98 |
| | <u>\$1246 57</u> |
| Due highway districts as follows: | |
| District No. 1, | \$2 35 |
| “ 3, | 1 00 |
| “ 6, | 20 81 |
| “ 8, | 1 50 |
| “ 10, | 16 18 |
| “ 11, | 2 28 |
| “ 13, | 9 54 |
| “ 14, | 1 52 |
| “ 15, | 7 10 |
| | <u>62 28</u> |
| Overpaid district No. 7, | 30 |
| | <u>\$61 98</u> |

REPAIRS OF SCHOOL-HOUSES AND SCHOOL INCIDENTALS.

DR.

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| To balance from 1883, | \$6 07 |
| Appropriation for 1884, | 100 00 |
| Deficiency, | 475 88 |
| | \$581 75 |

CR.

Paid approved bills of School Committee, as follows :

| | |
|---|----------|
| Repairs of the several school-houses | \$199 90 |
| School books and maps, etc., | 370 20 |
| School-house utensils and furnishings, 11 | 85 |
| | \$581 95 |

SNOW.

Receipts and expenditures connected with the removal of snow from the highway the past year :

DR.

| | |
|---------------------------|---------|
| To appropriation of 1884, | \$50 00 |
|---------------------------|---------|

CR.

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Paid district No. 2, | \$6 80 |
| District No. 3, | 3 65 |
| District No. 7, | 2 40 |
| District No. 8, | 7 35 |
| District No. 11, | 3 17 |
| District No. 15, | 3 60 |
| Total expenditures, | 26 97 |
| Overdrawn in 1883, | 9 61 |
| | \$36 58 |
| Balance unexpended, | 13 42 |
| | \$50 00 |

POOR.

Receipts and expenditures connected with support of
Poor the past year :

DR.

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| To appropriation of 1884, | \$1551 25 |
| Received from Taunton, aid to the | |
| Shurtleff family, | 92 00 |
| From Plymouth, aid to E. Douglass, | 56 25 |
| Rochester, aid to Mrs. Surrey, | 45 16 |
| Nelson Sherman, sale of E. | |
| Fuller property, | 55 23 |
| Nelson Sherman, guardian | |
| B. Fuller, | 232 00 |
| Thomas Cobb, for town pasture, | 5 50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2037 39 |

CR.

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Paid provisions for almshouse, | \$295 12 |
| Medical attendance, | 11 52 |
| Wood bill, | 39 53 |
| Clothing bill, | 26 65 |
| Matron's services, | 182 00 |
| Repair of well, | 1 24 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total expense at almshouse, | \$556 06 |

Expenses outside the almshouse.

Paid aid to

| | |
|---|----------|
| M. & C. Wrightington, | \$102 45 |
| Asa Wrightington and med. attend'ce, | 131 66 |
| Martha Bumpus, | 64 92 |
| Elijah Douglass and med. attendance, | 70 00 |
| Mrs. Thomas C. Shurtleff and family, | 114 00 |
| Eben Fuller med. attendance and burial, | 58 50 |
| Augusta Surrey, | 45 75 |

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| Ansel Barrows, | 66 50 |
| Charles Roberg, | 92 50 |
| Louisa Benson and child, | 66 10 |
| Hannah Casey, aid and burial, | 46 00 |
| Medical attendance Wrightington and Thomas families, assumed, | 151 25 |
| Foster Shaw, | 13 50 |
| David Shurtleff, | 4 25 |
| Total outside aid, | <u>\$1027 38</u> |
| Total expense of the Poor, | 1583 44 |
| Overdrawn in 1883, | 75 52 |
| Balance unexpended, | <u>378 43</u> |
| | <u>\$2037 39</u> |

STATE AID.

Receipts and disbursements connected with State Aid to soldiers and families the past year :

| | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | DR. | |
| Due from the State, | | \$299 00 |
| | CR. | |
| Paid Daniel Dunham, | \$36 00 | |
| Benjamin F. Fuller, | 48 00 | |
| William W. Pearson, | 36 00 | |
| Howard K. Swift, | 41 00 | |
| Abby H. Eddy, | 48 00 | |
| Caroline W. Pratt, | 48 00 | |
| Total disbursements, | <u>\$257 00</u> | |
| Paid previous to March 10, 1884. | 42 00. | |
| | | <u>\$299 00</u> |

AID TO POOR AND INDIGENT SOLDIERS.

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Due from State, . | \$21 00 | |
| Drawn from incidental account, | 21 00 | |
| | | 42 00 |
| | CR. | |
| Paid Benjamin H. Savery, | | \$42 00 |

INCIDENTAL TOWN EXPENSES.

Receipts and expenditures connected with the incidental town expense account the past year :

DR.

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| To balance from 1883, | \$181 16 | |
| To appropriation of 1884, | 500 00 | |
| Received from peddlers' licenses, | 30 00 | |
| Sale of land, town farm, | 45 00 | |
| Corporation tax, | 820 25 | |
| National bank tax, | 635 75 | |
| Sale of well brick, | 5 00 | |
| Tax Sales, | 76 15 | |
| Interest on taxes, | 23 20 | |
| | | \$2316 51 |

CR.

| | |
|--|----------|
| Paid Andrew Griffith, Treasurer and Collector, commission 1883, | \$135 20 |
| Stationery, printing and postage, | 7 27 |
| Andrew Griffith, Selectman and Overseer of Poor, 1883, | 60 00 |
| Albert T. Shurtleff, Selectman and Overseer of Poor, 1883, | 17 00 |
| Nelson Sherman, Selectman and Overseer of Poor, 1883, | 30 00 |

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| Albert T. Shurtleff, Town Clerk, '83, | 35 00 |
| Stationery, express and postage, | 2 75 |
| N. Sherman, returning deaths, | 1 50 |
| S. B. Briggs, constable, 1883, | 9 50 |
| H. L. Thatcher & Co., printing town reports, 1884, | 31 62 |
| D. W. Andrews, printing school reports, 1884, | 18 50 |
| E. S. Lucas, school committee, '83, | 54 30 |
| E. H. Cornish, " " " " " " '82 and '83, | 45 85 |
| Irene A. Bent, school committee, '83, | 22 00 |
| Surveyor's books, | 63 |
| S. F. McFarlin, school books for poor children, | 1 00 |
| Stocking Sampson's pond with 1000 herring, | 20 00 |
| Collector's book, | 1 40 |
| Andrew Griffith, Assessor, 1884, | 20 00 |
| A. T. Shurtleff, Assessor. 1884, | 20 00 |
| Nelson Sherman, Assessor, 1884, | 18 00 |
| George F. Morse, returning births, | 1 25 |
| William B. Chandler, constable, '83, | 7 00 |
| I. C. Bent, herring committee, | 5 33 |
| H. L. Thatcher & Co., printing voters' list and registration notices, | 10 25 |
| Secretary of State, voters' register, | 1 00 |
| J. W. Atwood, returning deaths, | 4 00 |
| Tremont Nail Co., putting out fires in the woods, | 3 60 |
| Actual incidental expenses, | \$583 95 |
| State tax, | 680 00 |

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|---------------------|-----------------|
| County tax, | 547 41 |
| | <hr/> \$1811 36 |
| Balance unexpended, | 505 15 |
| | <hr/> \$2316 51 |

COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT.

ANDREW GRIFFITH, *Collector.*

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|--------------------------------------|-----|-----------------|
| | DR. | |
| To uncollected taxes of 1879, | | \$82 29 |
| | CR. | |
| By uncollected taxes, March 2, 1885, | | \$82 29 |
| | DR. | |
| To uncollected taxes of 1882, | | \$43 68 |
| | CR. | |
| By taxes collected in 1884, | | \$35 30 |
| Uncollected taxes March 2, '85, | | 8 38 |
| | | <hr/> \$43 68 |
| | DR. | |
| To uncollected taxes of 1883, | | \$659 56. |
| | CR. | |
| By taxes collected in 1884, | | \$626 17 |
| Abatement of John Bent's tax, '83, | | 5 00 |
| Abatement C. H. Sweet's tax '83, | | 2 26 |
| Amount uncollected March 2, 1885, | | 26 13 |
| | | <hr/> \$659 56 |
| | DR. | |
| To amount of tax bills of 1884, | | \$5009 61 |
| | CR. | |
| By taxes collected in 1884, | | \$4162 70 |
| John Johnson's tax 1884, abated, | | 2 00 |
| Harvey Cole's tax 1884, abated, | | 41 |
| Amount uncollected March 2, 1885, | | 844 50 |
| | | <hr/> \$5009 61 |

TOWN ASSETS.

| | |
|---|-----------------|
| Cash in treasury, March 2, 1885, | \$2963 75 |
| Due from State, aid paid soldiers and families, | 320 00 |
| From Plymouth, aid to Douglas, | 60 00 |
| From Taunton, aid to Shurtleff family, | 82 00 |
| From Middleboro, aid to D. Shurtleff, | 4 25 |
| From Hannah Casey estate, | 55 00 |
| From James Thomas, pasture | 4 00 |
| Uncollected taxes of 1879, | 82 29 |
| Uncollected taxes of 1882, | 8 38 |
| Uncollected taxes of 1883, | 26 13 |
| Uncollected taxes of 1884, | 844 50 |
| Total assets, | <hr/> \$4450 30 |

LIABILITIES.

| | |
|--|----------|
| Andrew Griffith, Treasurer and Collector 1884, unpaid, | \$140 00 |
| Printing and postage, | 8 00 |
| Andrew Griffith, Selectman and Overseer 1884, and expenses, | 60 00 |
| A. T. Shurtleff, Selectman and Overseer 1884, and expenses, | 23 00 |
| Nelson Sherman, Selectman and Overseer 1884, and expenses, | 28 75 |
| A. T. Shurtleff, Town Clerk, 1884, | 35 00 |
| Postage and express, | 4 07 |
| Highway appropriation undrawn, | 61 98 |
| School appropriation undrawn, | 299 96 |
| Estimated poor bills outstanding, | 125 00 |
| Amount of tax sales due on demand, | 76 15 |

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| All other demands against the town estimated, | 125 00 |
| Estimated liabilities, | \$986 91 |
| Balance in favor of the town, | \$3463 39 |

ASSESSORS' STATISTICS, 1884.

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| Value of personal estate | \$187,335 00 |
| Value of real estate, | 360,605 00 |
| Total valuation, | \$547,940 00 |
| Raised by taxation, State tax, | \$680 00 |
| County tax, | 547 41 |
| Town appropriation, | 3776 20 |
| Whole amount assessed, | \$5003 61 |

Rate of taxation per \$1,000, \$8.20.

Poll tax, \$2.00.

Number polls taxed, 242.

Horses taxed, 155.

Cows taxed, 180.

Sheep taxed, 19.

Dwelling-houses taxed, 249.

Acres of land taxed, 20,079.

APPROPRIATIONS.

The following sums are recommended to meet current expenses the ensuing year :

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|--|-----------|
| Support of schools, | \$1200 00 |
| Support of poor, | 1250 00 |
| Repair of highways, | 1200 00 |
| Repair of bridges, | 250 00 |
| Repairs of school-houses and school incidentals, | 800 00 |
| Total, | \$4700 00 |
| Estimated bank and corporation tax, | 1200 00 |
| If appropriated, sum to be assessed, | \$3500 00 |

SCHOOLS.

There is an undrawn balance in this account of \$299.96, with three schools in operation at the time of closing accounts. About \$250.00 will be required to meet the expense of said schools, leaving unexpended \$50.00 in the treasury. In the absence of any recommendation from the committee, the same sum appropriated last year is called for this year.

HIGHWAYS.

\$1200. is called for to keep the highways in repair the ensuing year, which sum seems ample, from the fact that no complaints have reached the authorities from public travel.

BRIDGES.

This account is overdrawn \$54.32 and as the bridge at Pope's Point is to be entirely rebuilt this season, and as it seems necessary that the crossing near S. W. Gould's should be widened, together with other ordinary repairs, it is thought that \$250.00 will be required to meet the expenses, which is recommended.

SNOW.

No appropriation is called for in this account, unless a heavy snow-fall should take place before the annual meeting.

REPAIRS OF SCHOOL-HOUSES AND SCHOOL INCIDENTALS.

There is a deficiency in this account of \$475.88, owing mainly to a law passed by the last Legislature

compelling towns to furnish school books. An appropriation of \$800 at least will be required the present year, which is recommended.

POOR.

No extraordinary expenses have occurred in this account. Notwithstanding that the town assumed the payment of a large bill (\$151.25) at the opening of the year, the cost of our Poor is a little less than last year. The personal property of Eben and Barton Fuller having been converted into cash and turned into the town treasury, leaves a surplus of \$378.43 in this account, which with an appropriation of \$1250. is thought sufficient for the ensuing year, and is recommended.

The cost of supporting the inmates of our Almshouse is \$1.91 per week. The net cost of the Poor to the town is \$1,384; the balance will be refunded.

INCIDENTAL TOWN EXPENSES.

There is a surplus of \$505.15 in this account, owing mainly to a large increase in receipts from land sold, tax sales, and increase of corporation tax. The expenses however have diminished somewhat. No appropriation is called for this year.

By a glance at our report, it will be seen that the appropriations of last year, upon the whole, more than paid expenses, thus increasing our assets correspondingly over last year, and in round numbers we may consider our town \$500. better off.

It will also be noticed that we found no occasion to hire money, and with a surplus of nearly \$3,500 cash and

its equivalent in the town treasury, we hope to get through another year without borrowing.

In conclusion we might add, that our County tax will be higher this year, with our State tax about the same; then with the adoption of our recommended appropriations our tax rate would be slightly reduced.

Respectfully submitted,

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| ANDREW GRIFFITH, | } | Selectmen of Carver. |
| ALBERT T. SHURTLEFF, | | |
| NELSON SHERMAN, | | |

TOWN MEETING.

Contents of warrant for town meeting, to be held on Monday, March 30. 1885, at one o'clock P. M., at the Town Hall.

Art. 1.—To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2.—To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 3.—To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year.

Art. 4.—To determine the manner of repairing the highways, and decide the compensation for labor thereon.

Art. 5.—To decide when taxes shall become due, and whether any interest shall be charged after a certain date.

Art. 6.—To see what pay the town will vote the Treasurer and Collector, or other town officers.

Art. 7.—To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer to borrow money, under the direction of the Selectmen, if found necessary, in anticipation of taxes the present year.

Art. 8.—To see if the town will vote to make the yards of field drivers Town Pounds, providing they be also chosen pound keepers.

Art. 9.—To see if the town will vote to accept the report of the Selectmen.

Art. 10.—To bring in their votes by ballot, "Yes," or "No." upon the question, "Shall license be granted in this town for the sale of intoxicating liquors?"

Given under our hands this sixteenth day of March, 1885.

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| ANDREW GRIFFITH, | } Selectmen | |
| ALBERT T. SHURTLEFF, | | of |
| NELSON SHERMAN. | | Carver. |

Report of Town Clerk for the year 1884.

Marriages Registered in Carver for the year 1884.

- Feb. 7. Edmund Franklin Tillson of Carver and Addie Millard Benson of Wareham.
- March 30. Alonzo P. Hamblin of Barnstable and Celia Etta Morris of Carver.
- April 5. Andrew Waldo Merritt and Kate Ellis Sherman, both of Carver.
- May 24. Frederic Elmer Gould and Hannah Bradbury Lewis, both of Carver.
- June 7. Charles Merrill Johnson and Bessie Jowdry, both of Carver.
- July 3. Herbert Miller Coombs of Middleboro and Laura C. King of Carver.
- Oct. 18. Charles Edmund Hunt of Middleboro and Susie R. Swift of Carver.
- Oct. 26. David Cook of Harwich and Emma W. Badger of Wareham.
- Oct. 27. Charles F. Gronquist of Carver and Christina Nillson of Durham, N. H.
- Nov. 23. Frank Thomas Gibbs of Carver and Helen Thomas Bryant of Wareham.
- Nov. 27. Franklin Pierce Wilbur of Plympton and Eveline Amanda Pratt of Carver.
- Dec. 25. Otis Franklin Clemence of Carver and Jane Adelaide Englested of Plympton.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN CARVER IN 1884.

| 1884. | NAME. | PARENTS. |
|-----------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Jan. 25, | Warren D. Dunham, | Ellis D. and Harriet A. |
| Mch. 3, | Lydia Morris, | Joseph and Lydia E. |
| April 1, | Robert A. Shurtleff, | Robert F. and Hattie. |
| April 24, | Edith May Hudson, | James S. Jr. and Julia. |
| June 14. | Lena Evelyn Shurtleff, | Roswell C. and Ida. |
| June 16, | William T. Eaton, | Jacob H. and Lulu M. |
| July 6, | Mildred Evelyn Gibbs, | Jarvis C. and Nellie M. |
| July 6, | Rebecca Augusta Southworth, | Thomas M. and Lucy A. |
| Aug. 5, | Lottie Berry Douglass, | Henry H. and Olive M. |
| Aug. 14, | Walter Howard Dunham, | Daniel and Sylvia. |
| Sept. 2, | Ivan Waldo Cole, | Waldo S. and Marilla. |
| Sept. 2, | Ralph Howard Hammond, | Stephen and Charlotte. |
| Oct. 5, | Ida Almony Fosberry, | Charles and Emily. |
| Oct. 23, | Elizabeth Jane Chase, | James D. and Letitia A. |
| Nov. 2, | Nora Elvira Case, | James E. and Waitstill A. |
| Nov. 18, | Earl Brewster, | and Ella Stone. |
| Dec. 7, | Millard Fillmore Swift, | Nehemiah P. and Sarah J. |
| Dec. 13, | Helen Garfield Bradford, | Frank and Eldora. |
| Dec. 13, | John Franklin Atwood, | George E. and Susie B. |
| Dec. 21, | Albert Carleton Dimond, | Fred. A. and Maria W. |
| Dec. 21, | Annie McCarthy, | Timothy and Nellie. |
| Dec. 31, | Hacket, (male) | Edward W. and Elizabeth. |

DEATHS REGISTERED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1884.

| DATE. | NAMES. | AGE. | | | CAUSE OF DEATH. | NAMES OF PARENTS. |
|-----------|------------------------|--------|---------|-------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| | | YEARS. | MONTHS. | DAYS. | | |
| 1884. | | | | | | |
| Jan. 13. | Rutus C. Freeman, | 73 | 9 | 26 | Urenic Poisoning, | Nathan and Sally. |
| Jan. 19. | Phebe Cobb, | 70 | 4 | | Paralysis, | Ebenezer and Phebe. |
| Jan. 24. | George P. Bowers, | 70 | 4 | | Pneumonia, | John and Nancy. |
| Feb. 1. | Ebenezer Fuller, | 70 | 9 | 27 | Paralysis, | Ebenezer and Mary. |
| June 17. | Gracie D. Shaw, | 8 | 11 | 6 | Cholera, | Isaac and Ruth A. |
| July 2. | Sarah J. Dean, | 26 | 4 | | Consumption, | John and Mary E. Thomas. |
| July 14. | Arnold C. Tillson, | 9 | | 1 | Heart Disease, | H. B. and H. S. Tillson. |
| July 19. | Lucetta J. Sears, | 64 | 1 | 11 | Gastric Fever, | Winslow and Charity Thomas. |
| Aug. 14. | Ichabod Shurtleff, | 81 | 11 | 23 | Old Age, | Thomas and Polly. |
| Aug. 19. | Benjamin D. Finney, | 78 | 8 | | Dropsy, | Caleb and Lydia. |
| Sept. 3. | Gertie Holmes, | 76 | 2 | 21 | Dysentery, | Charles and Mary L. |
| Sept. 18. | Lucy H. Bumpus, | 86 | 1 | 26 | Old Age, | Daniel and Rebecca Bumpus. |
| Sept. 21. | Priscilla D. Perkins, | 82 | 10 | 16 | Dysentery, | Ebenezer and Priscilla Dunham. |
| Sept. 26. | Rebecca A. Southworth, | | 3 | | Cholera Infantum, | Thomas M. and Lucy A. |
| Oct. 2. | Lydia Morris, | | 6 | 29 | Laryngitis, | Joseph and Lydia E. |
| Oct. 9. | Hannah Gibbs, | 89 | 11 | 9 | Old Age. | Huit and Mercy McFarlin. |
| Oct. 15. | Drucilla A. L. Shaw, | 49 | 6 | 7 | Rheumatism of Heart, | Leonard and Emeline Bolles. |
| Oct. 30. | Sampson McFarlin, | 82 | 7 | 3 | Asthma & Congestion. | Huit and Mercy. |
| Nov. 2. | John Freeman, | 75 | 5 | 7 | Heart Disease, | Martin and Mercy. |
| Nov. 19. | Augustus F. Tillson, | 53 | | | Dysentery, | John and Susan. |
| Nov. 15. | Louisa Cobb, | 61 | | | Bright's Disease, | Lothrop and Sally Barrows. |
| Nov. 29. | Jonathan Barrows, | 62 | | | Pneumonia, | Nelson and Nancy. |
| Dec. 10. | Thomas Shaw, | 70 | | | Heart Disease, | |

SUMMARY FOR 1884.

Marriages, 12—Births, 22—Deaths, 23.

ALBERT T. SHURTLEFF, Town Clerk.







