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CONCORD, APRIL 29 1897.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Table listing financial transactions and balances for Jno. K Patterson, Elam King, G W Patterson, D C Furr, L D Coltrane, R L Lillard, Swink & White, M L Brown & Bro., A J Blackwelder, T Chapman, M S Watson, L M Morrison, D J Bostian, C A Blackwelder, W M Worrell, J L Orwell, C W Swink, Sid Pharr, D D Johnson, M H Caldwell, C W Ear, Jno. P Allison, R Will Johnson, L M Morrison, R Will Johnston, J P Gibson, J L Boger.

Table listing street work done by various individuals including Nels Ury, Henry Melcher, Adam Holdbrooks, Tom Spears, Lee Parker, Nat Harris, John Garrett, John Isehour, John McRae, Henry Plunket, Chas Ellis, Dar Pea, Jesse Boger, Bob Russell, Jim Freeman, Dolph Fisher, Jno Ury, Andy Ury, Geo Culp, Joe Smoot, L Stuart, Lee Crump, H Cruise, Lee Stockton, Nat Boger, Jarvis Manuel, Bob Harris, H Phifer, Jas Propst, Chas Harris, Chris Boger, Tom Kennedy, Chas Freeman, Jim Boger.

Table listing interest fund transactions including Mart Pharr, Hamp Lowder, Noah Partee, Jake Wallace, Cannon & Fetzer street work by N Ury, J L Boger street work by Ellis, J L Boger same by H Plunket, J L Boger same by N Ury, J L Boger tax worked on street, C W Earnhardt sup't st. work.

Table showing interest fund balance on hand May 1, '96, J L Boger—bal. '94 tax.s, do. '95 do., do. '96 do.

Table showing interest fund receipts and disbursements including 50 July '96 coupons, J L Boger, commission on bal. '94-'96 tax, J L Boger, refund for unpaid on '94 tax, 1 school bond N. 2 and accrued int. rest retired, 49 January '97 coupons, Balance on hand.

Table showing graded school fund receipts including Balance on hand May 1, '96, E. O. Woodward, tuition, E. L. Keesler, coal, J. L. Boger, tax collector, balance 1894 taxes, J. L. Boger, tax collector, on 1895 taxes, J. L. Boger, tax collector, on 1896 taxes, C. W. Swink, county treasurer, Jno. F. K. Simpson, tuition, K. L. Keesler, for coal.

Table showing graded school fund disbursements for balance session 1895-'96, Miss M. E. Dodson, teacher, Lena Leslie, Bessie Meader, Mrs. E. C. Misenheimer, teacher, Miss Jennie Patterson, Mrs. L. P. Cole, teacher, Miss Fannie Stafford, teacher, Laura Leslie, J. F. Shinn, Principal, E. O. Woodward, Principal, Laura J. Hill, teacher, Julia S. Pickett, Estelle C. Bomar, Celia Cauty, J. L. Hartsell, Secretary, J. L. Hartsell, stamps.

Table showing incidentals including Dock Shankle, sanitary work, Ernest Fitzgerald, janitor, K. L. Craven, coal, C. W. Swink, supplies, H.M. Goodman, taking census, J. B. Caldwell, hauling, J. F. Shinn, for dictionary, J. L. Boger, com.

Table showing graded school fund receipts for session of 1896-7, J. F. Shinn, Principal, Miss M. E. Dodson, teacher, Lena Leslie, Mrs. E. C. Misenheimer, Miss Jennie Patterson, Mrs. L. P. Cole, Miss Belle Moser, Belle Shirey, E. L. White, Willetta Calaway, assistant teacher, Miss Pauline Means, teacher, Addie Alexander, Mrs. Dr. Caldwell, assistant teacher, Jno. F. K. Simpson, Prin., Laura J. Hill, teacher, Celia E. Cauty, teacher, Estelle C. Bomar, teacher, Abbie E. Greelv., Deliah Holmes, J. F. K. Simpson, paid for work.

Table showing incidentals, etc. including Yorke, Wadsworth & Co., hardware, Cannons & Fetzer, supplies, Dry & Wadsworth, desks and chairs, K. L. Craven, coal, L. C. Biles, repairs, J. B. Sherrill, printing, W. J. Hill, stove pipe, Woodhouse & Harris, insurance, Ed Murr, hauling, Odell Mfg. Co., desks at Forest Hill school, Dock Shankle, sanitary work, W. A. Caldwell, setting up Desks, J. S. Braswell, janitor C. H., Richard Bost, janitor, D. A. Caldwell, black-board, Charley Caldwell, janitor, col. J. C. Alexander, closets, J. W. Phillips, wood, Ould Mercantile Co., carpet, D. A. Caldwell, labor on bell, Robt. Armstrong, janitor, col., Marshal Swearingen, janitor F. H., Richard Bost, janitor C., col., Dan'l Boger, janitor, col., Charley Caldwell, repairs, Odell, Mfg. Co., wood and broom, Paul Miller, topping trees, Fred Chambers, sanitary work, Swink & White, supplies, wood &c., Wm. Evans, sanitary work, J. F. Shinn, supplies, J. L. Boger, coms, Ernest Fitzgerald, janitor, Balance on hand.

Respectfully submitted, J. L. HARTSELL, Treas. Concord.



Beautiful eyes grow dull and dim As the swift years steal away. Beautiful, willowy forms so slim Lose fairness with every day. But she still is queen and hath charms to spare Who wears youth's coronal—beautiful hair.

Preserve Your Hair

and you preserve your youth. "A woman is as old as she looks," says the world. No woman looks as old as she is if her hair has preserved its normal beauty. You can keep hair from falling out, restoring its normal color, or restore the normal color to gray or faded hair, by the use of

Ayer's Hair Vigor.

KING GEORGE IN TROUBLE.

Human depravity is the same everywhere. Those most responsible for existing evils and calamities are apt to hurl the most virulent invectives at the ones who tried in vain to stem the current of folly.

It is so everywhere, to the sorrow of King George of Greece. The cry for war seemed resistless, but now, since the fortunes of war seem to frown on Greece, the inconstant are crying for the lite or the dethronement of their sovereign that could not if he would restrain the people to the bounds of prudence.

THE REPUBLICANS ON THE MOVE.

We learn that there was a Republican gathering last night to make up a ticket of the "non-partisan" kind. It is not all smooth with them either, though, and the air this morning is full of factional currents. It is hoped to have better luck in getting together tonight. We learn a part will pull for endorsing Mr. Duval for Mayor while the others think the wedding with the Populists last fall should be sacredly regarded and therefore the vote should go to Mr. Klutz. Thus far, we learn that the non-partisan ticket is to have some resemblance to the one (we suppose we should say) partisan. We have not learned yet whether such endorsements would be acceptable or not. We will know within four days.

NO EXTRA SESSION, PLEASE.

It is rumored that Gov. Russell will call an extra session of the General Assembly, since the revenues will be short, thanks to the banging legislative work. It is not pleasant to contemplate a shortage of revenue and an increase in our indebtedness, but we can scarcely contemplate anything more dreadful in our State affairs than an extra session. It's better to pull through without and try and have a better legislature next time to gather ourselves up with again.

The taxable value of property in this State last year was \$257,437,000, and the reduction in the tax rate from 46 to 43 cents means a falling off of over \$75,000 of taxes. But then it may be the belief that the board which is to equalize taxes may do something towards increasing valuations.

THE Racket - Store

C. B. Corsets 80c.

Ladies' Shirt Waists at 23c.

Yard wide Percale at 6 1/2c.

Three-yard Lace Curtains at 68c to \$1.90 per pair

Oil Shads at 30c.

Crib counterpanes at 48c.

Feather Pillows 50c. each.

Infants Embroidered Muslin Dresses at 25c to 1.25

Embroidered Cream Silk at 68c, worth 1.00.

Embroidered Lawn Hoods at 15 to 25c.

Straw Hats 4c and Up.

Five gross Note Paper for 8 cents.

Musquitto Net 5c. yard.

Percale Bonnets 25c

Childrens Gray Mixed Hoes 5 cents.

THE RACKET.

D. J. BOSTIAN.

LOWE & DICK, The People's Trading Place.

There is an everyday onward march in the CHEAP STORE One success serves simply to stimulate us to further efforts This week we have much in store for you that will prove of vital interest—New Prices.

READY TO WEAR HATS.

Don't imagine that our millinery show is any less attractive because the Easter season has passed—on the contrary you may look for even better and brighter things than ever—Just arrived this week our second shipment, which is larger than our first—and the styles are more attractive and the price much lower than ever.

Straw Hats Parasols

The biggest assortment of Mens' and boys Stray Hats to be found in the city. 75 cent hats for 50, 50 " " " 40, 40 " " " 25

DRESS GOODS=

In Wool, Cotton and Wool Mixed in a handsome array of styles. We make the price so that all will like it. Wash Goods—no better assortment in the city. We commence our Lawns at about 5c and have a full line at 7 1/2, 10, 12 1/2 and 16 3/4 cts. Every number is a trade and winner. All Wash Goods In Linen Effect

Is remarkably good for this season. We have the most attractive things in that line—8 1/2 to 16c per yd. Linen with Purple Polka Dot.

Duck Dotted Curtain Swiss

White, Black and Blue 10 and 12 1/2 Linen Crash 18c. Boys Shirts with Collar and Cuffs 45. Boys and Childrens Suits 6 to 15 years old 90c to 3 50. Mens' Colored Shirts with Collar and Cuffs 25c. All of our Mens' Pants at Net Cost.

OUR FURNITURE

Department is growing rapidly: We carry a nice line and with our small expense we are winning trade. We don't claim to be a big furniture house, but what we have no one can sell it to you for any less money.

SIDE BOARDS—We have three good numbers at \$12 50, 17 00 and 25 00. WARDROBES—Solid quartered oak, high polish \$7 50, 10 00 and 12 50.

LOUNGES—\$4 00, 6 00, 10 00 and 12 50, all good values. Round and Square Tables, Oak and Poplar, Oak and Poplar Wash Stands, Poplar Bread Safes, Kitchen Tables, MATTRESSES—All Cotton, Cotton and Shuck and Straw.

CHAIRS—From a cheap Split Bottom at 50c to about \$6 00. BED ROOM SUITS—From \$15 00 to 35 00—oak. BED SPRINGS—\$2 00 to 2 50. TOILET SETS—9 Pieces for \$4 00.

LAMPS—95, 1 00 and 1 25.

We can fit up your house in very good shape on easy terms. LOWE & DICK.