STATEMENT OF FINANCES OF COLUMBIA COUNTY

From January 2d, 1898, to January 2d, 1899.

DISTRICTS.	Amounts received on Duplicate of 1898. County.	Dog.	State.	Amounts received on Duplicates prior to '98. County.	Dog.	State.	Taxes Assessed, 1898. County.	Dog.	State.
Beaver	$ 849 78	$ 20 72	$ 19 87	$ 326 78	$ 30 00	$ 8 87	$ 1058 30	$ 52 50	$ 31 92
Benton Boro	288 24	3 22	40 04	161 02	4 00	8 99	588 82	11 60	79 16
Benton Twp	475 00	20 00	50 00	422 87	38 87	7 78	930 01	63 50	62 23
Berwick	2480 78	13 37	302 46	731 87	20 78	76 64	3598 68	43 00	422 05
Bloom	5155 68	12 14	960 23	4619 51	35 84	130 03	9604 62	71 00	1316 93
Briarcreek	970 00	25 06	218 94	752 72	39 50	4 13	1882 03	69 00	235 17
Catawissa Twp	1353 02	14 43	345 86	674 93	27 50	61 32	2156 12	46 50	425 06
Catawissa Boro	322 52	8 26	27 61	266 12	18 06	11 41	617 90	31 00	36 95
Centralia	768 73		344 77	205 81	21 02	183 58	1317 42	3 00	382 49
Centre	1095 34	16 00	114 91	1198 81	34 94	29 37	2207 21	50 00	124 60
Cleveland	359 37	15 83	60 51	565 50	42 00	22 51	937 32	56 00	92 50
Conyngham	1500 00			701 98	33 50	30 29	2921 11	40 50	46 05
Fishingcreek	539 98	13 97	78 27	1110 88	41 50	38 05	1715 19	59 00	84 07
Franklin	714 16	36 86	30 41	14 20	1 50	3 41	810 92	44 00	35 99
Greenwood	803 13	11 17	46 80	747 67	38 50	16 00	1532 06	56 50	84 96
Hemlock	977 39	24 21	60 78	547 28	37 90	75	1502 92	57 50	65 28
Jackson	220 40			265 40			473 02	40 50	49 47
Locust	827 00	30 50	158 83	511 91	63 39	16 02	1309 69	69 00	199 29
Madison	804 07	15 10	76 79	610 23	35 99	10 98	1628 47	49 50	141 05
Main	739 12	8 37	50 86	266 36	14 95	9 05	954 81	35 00	95 37
Mifflin	623 34	18 20	49 12	652 47	42 38	14 11	1371 60	62 50	87 56
Millville	396 34	7 83	382 64	143 25	6 00	5 42	561 81	8 50	415 24
Montour	676 70	5 59	50 67	483 74	7 00	7 82	1180 90	10 50	56 89
Mt. Pleasant	516 87	11 11	57 83	376 26	24 94	5 09	908 18	40 00	79 13
Orange	740 63	13 48	258 27	567 17	30 50	27 28	1284 03	44 00	341 45
Pine	537 37	20 00	20 00	380 88	29 50	23 57	649 41	23 01	25 30
Roaringcreek	365 19	14 71	103 39	249 13	15 08		652 28	35 50	116 80
Scott	1470 98	15 36	247 97	865 11	34 52	66 78	1912 97	50 00	283 61
Sugarloaf	481 05			444 67	39 00	16 79	802 84	67 50	24 72
	$27073 77	$405 49	$4167 53	$18857 13	$808 66	$841 95	$17103 01	1287 50	$5438 13

DISTRICTS.	Still Due For 1898. County.	Dog.	State.	County, 1898. Com.	Dis.	Dog, 1898. Com.	Dis.	State, 1898. Com.	Dis.
Beaver	$ 140 54	$ 19 50	$ 10 57	$ 17 34	$ 45 64	$ 63	$ 1 65	41	1 07
Benton Boro	276 01	7 50	35 71	8 91	15 64	10	18	1 24	2 17
Benton Twp	411 42	42 02	8 53	12 11	21 48	41	1 07	1 02	2 68
Berwick	934 04	28 63	96 91	50 63	133 23	28	74	6 24	16 41
Bloom	4078 13	57 96	285 57	122 30	248 51	25	65	19 59	51 54
Briarcreek	841 19	44 08		19 79	51 05	51	1 35	4 47	11 76
Catawissa Twp	702 83	31 00	53 57	27 61	72 66	29	78	7 06	18 57
Catawissa Boro	267 90	22 00	6 95	9 98	17 50	29	45	89	1 30
Centralia	485 65	3 00	11 56	40 46	42 58			17 62	18 54
Centre	1030 71	32 82	1 18	22 25	58 83	32	86	2 34	6 17
Cleveland	551 32	39 00	27 50	7 33	19 30	32	85	1 24	3 25
Conyngham	1312 35	40 50	46 05	33 57	75 19				
Fishingcreek	1135 19	44 00		11 02	29 00	28	75	1 60	4 20
Franklin	35 92	3 00	2 99	22 09	38 75	1 14	2 00	94	1 65
Greenwood	673 88	41 50	35 01	23 09	31 96	23	60	95	2 50
Hemlock	437 42	31 50		26 36	41 73	49	1 30	1 24	3 24
Jackson	235 91	40 50	49 47	7 99	9 22				
Locust	421 41	36 41	29 43	20 72	37 96	83	1 26	4 22	6 72
Madison	768 54	33 35	58 57	21 99	33 87	40	65	1 57	4 12
Main	141 60	26 00	40 75	21 65	30 44	18	45	1 03	2 73
Mifflin	703 29	43 00	34 87	14 44	30 62	45	85	1 09	2 48
Millville	132 84			13 02	19 61	24	43	11 83	20 76
Montour	455 91	4 50	2 40	13 30	35 01	11	30	1 03	2 70
Mt. Pleasant	415 35	28 11	16 97	14 61	21 32	28	50	1 19	3 14
Orange	490 68	28 50	42 56	18 32	34 40	29	73	5 68	14 94
Pine	68 27	1 33	3 60	18 62	29 15	61	1 99	61	1 09
Roaringcreek	279 58	19 73	4 69	13 57	14 12	56	50	3 20	5 61
Scott	322 97	33 50	17 30	30 02	79 00	31	83	5 06	13 31
Sugarloaf	282 66	67 50	21 72	17 60	19 53				
	$18013 21	$851 11	$911 37	$678 69	$1337 81	$9 80	$23 80	103 36	222 87

DISTRICTS.	County, 1897. Com.	Ex.	Ret.	Dog, 1897. Com.	Ex.	State, 1897. Com	Ex.	County, 1896. C'm	Ex.	Re't	Dog, 1896. C'm	Ex.	State, 1896. Com.	Ex.	Co. 1893. Ex.	Dog. 1893. Ex.	St. 1894. Ex.	Co. 1891. Ex.	Co. 1890. Ex.	Dog. 1890. Ex.	St. 1890. Ex.
Beaver	$ 7 36	$ 4 98	$ 66 39		$ 1 50		$ 1 61														
Benton Boro	1 71	4 60	1 60		50																
Benton Twp	5 75	7 08		63	2 00	26															
Berwick	17 98	49 16		22	4 50	1 91	1 40								308 24	$62 50	393 88				
Bloom	74 95			40		4 38								$11 69							
Briarcreek	18 81	8 40			2 00				$ 8 31												
Catawissa Twp	13 94	23 34			2 50																
Catawissa Boro	13 18	4 24		91	2 50	60		05			50		$ 5 47					$18 00			
Centralia	9 77			08					9 36	$ 2 26		$ 3 50		1 80							
Centre	26 99	12 24	8 35		1 50																
Cleveland	13 92	5 66	3 20		3 50		10												$34 34	$34 70	$ 1 18
Conyngham	10 52	85 00	76 30		4 50																
Fishingcreek	25 10	22 65	12 85		1 50																
Franklin		5 70			1 50																
Greenwood	18 93	8 05	11 24		1 00																
Hemlock	14 56	6 17	3 80	10	2 50				1 52			5 16		1 50							
Jackson	6 84								7 27			1 00									
Locust	7 23	2 60		43	1 50	34															
Madison	10 84	2 73	19 80		5 50		12 53														
Main	5 05	2 34			1 00				2 06	2 46		1 00		80							
Mifflin	15 30	2 80		08	1 50	62															
Millville	2 80	3 64			50																
Montour	13 15	3 32			50																
Mt. Pleasant	10 26	3 50	72		50		2 00														
Orange	14 80	5 62	4 98		1 00																
Pine	17 63	10 96	3 50		1 50																
Roaringcreek	7 21	1 20		42	1 50																
Scott	25 31	21 80	2 90	48	3 50	1 66															
Sugarloaf	5 26	23 84	3 70		2 00																
	$ 414 35	$ 340 98	$ 219 13	$ 3 78	$52 00	$ 9 19	$17 61	05	$28 52	$ 4 72	50	$10 66	$ 5 47	$15 79	308 24	$62 50	393 88	$18 00	$34 34	$34 70	$ 1 18

AMOUNTS DUE FROM COLLECTORS PREVIOUS TO 1898.

DISTRICTS.	YEAR.	COLLECTORS.	COUNTY.	DOG.	STATE.
Bloom	1897	L. D. Kase	$ 842 90	$ 63 38	$ 77 11
Centralia	1897	Jno. W. Fortner		12 00	242 00
Jackson	1897	C. W. Young	77 01	27 50	12 54
Beaver	1896	N. Ney	461 70	38 00	19 81
Bloom	1896	J. K. Bittenbender	924 17	53 50	72 63
Centralia	1896	John W. Fortner (acting)			248 76
Conyngham	1895	Jacob Benner	164 61	31 50	90
Conyngham	1893	Jacob Benner (acting)	318 02	38 00	
Locust	1897	H. H. Billig	80		
Sugarloaf	1897	A. M. Hess	20		
			2789 41	263 88	773 75

LICENSE ACCOUNT FOR 1898.

DISTRICTS.	TOWNSHIP SHARE.	TREASURER'S COMMISSION	COUNTY SHARE.	WHO DREW TOWNSHIP'S SHARE.
Beaver	$ 57 00	$ 3 00	$ 15 00	Henry Eckroat.
Benton Boro	456 00	24 00	120 00	John G. McHenry.
Berwick Boro	684 00	36 00	180 00	B. D. Freas.
Bloom	1504 40	55 60	390 00	A. N. Yost.
Briar Creek	57 00	3 00	15 00	T. H. B. Davis.
Catawissa Boro	570 00	30 00	150 00	C. E. Geyer.
Catawissa Twp	114 00	6 00	30 00	M. W. Levan.
Centralia	1979 80	60 20	510 00	B. J. Curran.
Conyngham	399 00	21 00	105 00	W. A. Marr.
Montour	114 00	6 00	30 00	Daniel Fry.
Greenwood	171 00	9 00	45 00	Wesley Morris.
Hemlock	57 00	3 00	15 00	J. H. Miller.
Locust	114 00	6 00	30 00	John A. Bitner.
Madison	114 00	6 00	30 00	J. W. Smith.
Main	114 00	6 00	30 00	Solomon Deaner.
Mifflin	114 00	6 00	30 00	John P. Aten.
Orange	114 00	6 00	30 00	A. C. Achenbach.
Pine	57 00	3 00	15 00	G. W. Boudman.
Scott	114 00	6 00	30 00	B. A. White.
Sugarloaf	399 00	21 00	105 00	Wm. Hartman.
	$7303 20	$ 316 80	$1905 00	

GEO. S. FLECKENSTINE, Treasurer, in account with Columbia County.

Jan. 2, 1899. DR.

To Am't Cash on hand January 1, 1898 ... $ 2761 58
To am't received on County tax for 1898 ... $ 27073 77
To am't received on dog tax for 1898 ... 405 49
To am't received on State tax for 1898 ... 4167 53 — $ 31646 79
To cash received on County tax prior to 1898 ... 18857 13
To am't cash received on dog tax prior to 1898 ... 808 66
To am't cash received on State tax prior to 1898 ... 841 95 — $ 20507 74
To am't cash received on seated land ... 2105 81
To am't cash received on unseated land ... 2512 74 — $ 4618 55
To am't cash rec'd on hotel and restaurant licenses ... 1905 00
To am't cash M. E. Boundy Conyngham redemption ... 3 78
To am't cash John Benfield Pine, redemption ... 11 18
To am't cash Jno. M. Shreck Beaver, redemption ... 4 80
To am't cash H. J. Davis Beaver, redemption ... 5 12
To am't cash Geo. Bidleman Orange, redemption ... 7 80
To am't cash C. S. Cox estate of T. Cox Roaring Creek ... 9 43
To am't cash C. S. Cox estate of T. Cox Roaring Creek ... 4 88
To am't cash C. S. Cox estate of T. Cox, Roaring Creek ... 4 23
To am't cash Fred Nevil Catawissa twp redemption ... 3 52
To am't cash A. B. Croop Briarcreek twp redemption ... 8 48
To am't cash H. J. Miller Bloom redemption ... 5 36
To am't cash Robert Breisch Beaver, redemption ... 3 66 — 72 24
To am't cash received from Harry Mellick for P. Mellick ... 16 15
To am't cash rec'd from Co. Commissioners old plank ... 1 00
To am't cash rec'd from D. P. Conner, costs ... 91 86
To am't cash rec'd from Frank Moore, old plank ... 1 00
To am't cash rec'd from J. W. Latta, Sec'y Internal Affairs ... 55 00
To am't cash rec'd from Wm. Bennett, costs ... 5 00
To am't cash rec'd from Trego costs ... 5 00
To am't cash rec'd from D. D. Dyke, costs ... 67 05
To am't cash rec'd from J. W. Gibbs, old plank ... 25
To am't cash rec'd from Wilson Yeager, old plank ... 1 00
To am't cash rec'd from W.W. Black, jury fees ... 8 00
To am't cash rec'd from W.H. Henrie, jury fees ... 28 00
To am't cash rec'd from Ed. J. Flynn, costs ... 8 00
To am't cash rec'd from W.H. Henrie from Byron Clark ... 10 00
To am't cash rec'd from W. G. Gittens, costs for Jno Spring ... 5 00
To am't cash rec'd from W. G. Gittens, costs for M. Purcell ... 5 00 — 397 91

$ 61819 81

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By am't sheep orders redeemed ... 69 00
By am't Treas'rs Commission ... 2 07 — 71 07
By am't county orders redeemed ... $ 30270 29
By am't Treas'rs Commission ... 886 38 — $ 31156 67
By am't County bonds redeemed ... $8000 00
By am't Interest on $6000 00 County bonds extended 7 months ... 147 21
By am't Int. on coupons redeemed ... 6108 00 — 14255 21
By am't Treas'rs commission ... 213 83 — $ 14469 04
By am't paid County Supt. for Institute ... 200 00
By am't Treas'rs Commission ... 6 00 — 206 00
By am't seated and unseated taxes returned to twps ... 2803 59
By am't for collecting and paying out ... 84 11 — 2887 70
By am't paid Commonwealth State tax ... 5569 51
By am't Treas'rs Commission ... 56 25 — 5625 76
By am't 27 deeds to county @ $2.62 ... 70 74
By amt paid for advertising 77 tracts of land for Co ... 38 50
By amt paid Commonwealth tax on loans ... 235 80
By amt Treas'rs Commission ... 18 16 — 363 20
By amt Balance in Treasury ... 7040 87

$ 61819 81

GEORGE S. FLECKENSTINE, Treasurer in account with State.

1898 DR.

To amt. wholesale liquor license ... $ 1000 00
To amt. distillers license ... 650 00
To amt. billiard license ... 300 00
To amt. bottlers license ... 750 00
To amt. Mercantile license ... 2279 00
To amt. Additional ... 3175 00

$8154 00

CR.

By amt. paid State Wholesale license ... $ 950 00
By amt. Treas'rs Commission ... 50 00 — $ 1000 00
By amt. paid State Distillery license ... 617 50
By amt. Treas'rs commission ... 32 50 — 650 00
By amt. paid St. Bot. licenses ... 712 50
By amt. Treas'rs commission ... 37 50 — 750 00
By amt. paid State Billiard & Pool license ... $ 285 00
By amt. paid Treas. Com ... 15 00 — 300 00
By amt. paid State Mercantile license ... $ 2007 60
By amt paid advertising ... 210 00
By amt. paid Treas. Com ... 61 40 — $2279 00
By amt. paid additional license ... $ 3109 12
By amt. paid Treas. Com ... 65 88 — $ 3175 00

$ 8154 00

TAXES DUE BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIPS ON SEATED AND UNSEATED LANDS FOR 1896 AND 1897.

Beaver Road ... $ 66 66; Poor ... 19 70; School ... 66 89; Building ... 129 53 — $ 282 78
Briarcreek Road ... 43; School ... 56 35; Poor ... 8 39 — 65 17
Bloomsburg ... 217 30
Catawissa twp., Road ... 48; School ... 15 91; Poor ... 8 29 — 24 28
Catawissa Boro ... $ 3 78; School ... 5 91; Building ... 1 26; Poor ... 1 89 — 12 84
Centralia Boro ... $ 1 80; School ... 2 52; Poor ... 32 — 4 64
Center, Road ... $ 6 13; School ... 13 71; Poor ... 7 88 — 27 75
Cleveland, Road ... 43; School ... 23 56; Building ... 7 93; Poor ... 26 79 — 58 71
Conyngham, School ... 7 37; Building ... 70 14; Poor ... 6 13 — 83 64
Fishingcreek, Road ... 46 10; School ... 58; Building ... 13 54; Poor ... 39 04 — 99 26
Franklin, Road ... 21; School ... 5 60 — 5 81
Greenwood, Road ... 13 53; School ... 9 90; Poor ... 06 — 23 49
Hemlock, Road ... 28; School ... 19 64; Building ... 4 95; Poor ... 15 24 — 40 11
Jackson, School ... 15 86; Poor ... 9 99 — 25 85
Locust, Road ... 18; School ... 7 76; Poor ... 1 65 — 9 59
Madison, Road ... 22 16; School ... 53 52; Building ... 9 31; Poor ... 19 78 — 104 77
Main, Road ... 39 75; School ... 1 16; Poor ... 12 55 — 53 46
Mifflin, Road ... 09; School ... 20; Poor ... 14 62 — 14 91
Montour, Road ... 80
Mt. Pleasant, Road ... 2 40; School ... 3 62; Poor ... 3 68 — 9 70
Orange, Road ... 10 20; School ... 10; Poor ... 3 52 — 13 82
Pine, School ... $ 13 37; Poor ... 9 38 — 22 75
Roaringcreek, Road ... 62 76; School ... 33 45; Poor ... 6 — 96 27
Scott, Road ... 1 95; School ... 2 59; Building ... 1 45 — 5 99
Sugarloaf, Road ... 1 33; School ... 72 61; Building ... 9 45; Poor ... 12 — 83 51

$ 1387 26

TAXES DUE BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIPS ON SEATED AND UNSEATED LANDS PRIOR TO 1896 AND 1897.

Benton Boro '94 to '95 Boro ... $ 3 60
Benton Boro '94 to '95 School ... 3 60
Benton Boro '94 to '95 Poor ... 1 50 — 8 10
Benton twp '92, Road ... 36
Benton twp '92, School ... 2 60
Benton twp '92, Building ... 1 11 — 4 07
Berwick Boro '94 to '95 School ... 21 77
Berwick Boro '94 to '95 Bldg ... 6 39 — 28 16
Bloomsburg '94 to '95 School ... 8 80
Briarcreek twp '94 to '95 Poor ... 3 04
Catawissa boro '94 to '95 Boro ... 1 57
Catawissa boro '94 to '95 Sch'l ... 3 00
Catawissa boro '94 to '95 Bld'g ... 54
Catawissa boro '94 to '95 Poor ... 54 — 5 65
Centralia boro '94 to '95 Boro ... 44 55
Fishingcr'k twp '94 to '95 Sch'l ... 50 90
Fishingcr'k twp '94 to '95 Bldg ... 12 73 — 63 63
Franklin twp '94 to '95 Road ... 1 61
Franklin twp '94 to '95 Sch'l ... 44 — 2 05
Jackson twp '94 to '95 Sch'l ... 2 30
Jackson twp '94 to '95 Bldg ... 20 — 2 50
Main twp '94 to '95 Poor ... 6 19
Montour twp '94 to '95 Road ... 22
Montour twp '94 to '95 Poor ... 2 68 — 2 90
Mt Pleasant twp '94 to '95 Poor ... 85
Orange twp '94 to '95 Sch'l ... 12 42
Orange twp '94 to '95 Bldg ... 13 26 — 25 68
Roaringer'k twp '94 to 95 Sch'l ... 21 20
Roaringer'k twp '94 to '95 Bldg ... 8 29 — 29 49

$ 235 66

STATEMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY FOR DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1898.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Telephone Co. extra messages ... 1 00
W. H. Henrie, reporting judgments ... 161 40
C. B. Ent, reporting mortgages ... 52 70
W H Henrie, reports to Board of Public Charities ... 10 00
W H Henrie, docket entry, certifying &c. Poor District case ... 17 10
W H Henrie, recording births & deaths ... 115 60
W H Henrie, filing &c election returns ... 50 90
W H Henrie, seals and expressage on same ... 5 10
W H Henrie, issuing venires, certifying &c ... 90 05
W B McBride, et al. costs and settlement McBride case ... 1093 28
J B McHenrie, sheriff, report board of P C ... 30 00
W W Black, sheriff, report to board P C ... 20 00
W W Black, sheriff, taking Foye to E. Penitentiary ... 33 62
W W Black, sheriff N Ney to Eastern Penitentiary ... 54 22
W W Black, R R fare for J D Kurtz to Hazleton ... 1 01
W W Lowrey, repairing assessors boxes ... 3 00
B J. Haywood, State Treas. Municipal loan tax for 1896 ... 227 24
Adams Express Co., et. al. Freight ... 12 25
Mattie Coffman washing towels ... 3 00
Wesley Hartzell, storage for cement ... 12 00
C D Smoyer, hauling cement ... 3 00
Wm Mushier, judicial return judge ... 3 90
Clinton Herring, Senatorial return judge ... 3 90
D. R. Coffman, Congressional return judge ... 13 40
W A Everett, auditing public acct's ... 45 75

$ 2075 42

COURTS, JURORS PAY AND CONSTABLES RETURNS.

D R Coffman, court crier ... $ 230 00
M E Cox, et. al. Tipstaves ... 235 00
J D Howery court stenographer 42 days taking notes in court @ $10.00 ... 420 00
Writing out notes in the Doyle case ... 20 00
Writing out notes in the Martha Case case ... 166 38
Writing out notes in the Ivey case ... 25 03
Writing out notes in the Catharine Fry case ... 106 52
Writing out notes in the Coleman and Thomas case ... 3 71
Writing out notes in the Hamlin case ... 7 81
Writing out notes in the Martha Case case ... 134 16 — 883 80
Newton Walker, court stenographer ... 10 00
G C Burrows court stenographer ... 10 00
J F Cummings, court stenographer ... 10 00
Grand Jurors ... 699 99
Traverse Jurors ... 2539 49
I K K Laubach, Jury commissioner, '97 ... 34 34
Geo B Hummer Jury commissioner ... 67 36
J J Crawford, Jury commissioner ... 55 50
J B McHenry, serving jury notices ... 28 80
W W Black, serving jury notices ... 97 20
Geo. E Elwell, court calendar ... 21 55
Central Hotel, boarding jury ... 20 80
Blue & Hedden boarding jury ... 6 50
Constables, returns to sessions ... 576 20

$ 5526 53

COMMONWEALTH COSTS.

Jno. G. Harman, Dist. Atty ... $ 294 00
W. H. Henrie, Clerk of the Courts ... 198 55
W. W. Black, Sheriff ... 81 85
J. B. McHenry, Sheriff ... 63 75
John Mourey, Sheriff ... 6 10
Wm Chrisman, Dist. Atty ... 6 00
Constables, Justices and Witnesses ... 1309 49 — 1959 34

ROAD AND BRIDGE VIEWS AND ROAD DAMAGES.

Otis Pealer, damages, Fishingcreek ... $ 120 00
A. N. & C. W. Yost, damage, do ... 88 33
John Benfield, damage in Pine ... 13 00
Mrs. Jos. Buddington, damage in Cleveland ... 25 00
A. M. Hess, damages, Sugarloaf ... 35 00
Thos Smith, damages, Sugarloaf ... 10 00
W. M Monroe, damages, Montour ... 10 00
Catharine Schmick, damages, Montour ... 10 00
M. L. Coleman, damages, Fishingcreek ... 120 00
Sundry viewers and surveyors ... 453 20
W. W. Greist, viewer Catawissa bridge ... 110 00
John P. Mellick Prothonotary's costs in Catawissa bridge view ... 11 00
Jerome B. Gray, Inspector Catawissa bridge ... 67 20
C. H. Fogg, Inspector Catawissa bridge ... 94 00
O. W. Mowry, Inspector Catawissa do ... 81 00
Cyrus Roat, inspector do do ... 53 10
Horace L. Halderman, insp. do do ... 29 60
J. G. Dieffenderfer, Prothonotary's costs in Catawissa bridge insp'rs ... 13 25

$ 1343 68

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE & COURT HOUSE.

Bloom Water Co, water ... $ 123 96
Bloom Steam Co, heat ... 618 75
Bloom Electric Light Co, light ... 101 04
Telephone Co, rent of 'phone ... 48 00
Bloom Gas Co, gas ... 41 65
Chas. Sterner, repairing floor and door ... 4 25
W. O. Holmes, radiator and plumbing ... 52 76
E. E. Mellick et al repairing lights ... 3 85
A. C. Desheppard repairing locks, etc. ... 1 15
Swank & Barnd', brooms ... 2 75
J. R. Schuyler, hardware ... 15
C. W. Runyon, hardware ... 4 80
Creasy & Wells, lumber ... 52
F. P. Pursel, table covering, court room ... 6 25
J. K. Pensyl, soap and crepe for Court room ... 3 90
W. J. Corell & Co, repairing furniture ... 1 80
W. F. Bodine, papering and painting Sheriff's office ... 30 00
Theo. Smith, sharpening lawn mower ... 50
E. J. Brown, sprinkling street ... 14 00
Artificial Ice Co, ice ... 2 36
W. F. Stohner, county auditor ... 108 00
H. J. Demott, do ... 121 20
J. H. Yetter, do ... 110 88
D. R. Coffman, janitor ... 293 00
R. R. Little, attorney ... 200 00
D. Z. Mensch, clerk ... 800 00
W. Krickbaum County Commissioner, 159½ days @ $3.50. This includes all the time employed by him as County Commissioner for the year ... 558 25
John N Gordon, County Commissioner, 143 days at office, 11 days at road views, 7 days delivering election tickets and assess books, 14 days attending appeals away from office, 23 days looking after bridges. Total, 198 days @ $3.50 per day, $693.00; horse hire, car fare, &c, $81 97 ... 774 97
Nehemiah Kitchen, County Commissioner, 140 days at office, 8 days at road views, 6 days delivering election tickets and assess books, 15 days attending appeals away from office, 53 days looking after bridges. Total, 222 days @ $3.50 per day, $777.00; horse hire and car fare, $179.36 ... 956 36

$ 4985 40

COUNTY JAIL AND PRISON REQUISITION.

Hoffman & Allison, repairing windows, &c ... $ 32 42
Hess Iron Mfg Co, repairing beds ... 3 80
Wm Casey, lime ... 25
Bloom Elevator & Machine Works, rope ... 3 60
H J Clark & Son, soap, muslin, &c ... 6 99
S F Peacock & Co, dishpan, putty, &c ... 90
J H Ertwine, repairing shoes ... 60
T M Dawson & Son, plastering ... 3 75
H G Eshleman, hose ... 9 80
A C DeSheppard, repairing handcuffs ... 65
W J Correll & Co, bedsteads and mattresses ... 9 00
Louis Gross, clothing ... 6 60
J. F. Corser, shoes ... 3 25
C. W. Runyon, hardware ... 2 11
W. H. Brower, carpet and matting ... 32 96
Moyer Bros, glass and putty ... 70
Creasy & Wells, lumber ... 1 60
G A McKelvy, glass and acid ... 1 00
J W Mosteller, tin plates ... 60
T E Wayne, painting at jail ... 43 50
W H Moore, shoes and clothing ... 1 75
Swank & Brandt, brooms ... 2 75
J H Mercer, medicine ... 45
J R Schuyler & Co, hardware ... 6 94
J F Hidlay, soap, &c ... 4 30
D Lowenberg estate, clothing ... 11 12
W O Holmes, bath tub and plumbing ... 22 45
W F Hartman, plumbing ... 7 19
Bloom Water Co, water ... 66 26
Bloom Gas Co, gas ... 63 40
J G Quick, coal ... 126 00
H H Kline, janitor for 8 mos, 1897 ... 200 00
J B McHenry, boarding prisoners, '96-'97 ... 1,901 36
J B McHenry, turnkey fees for 1897 ... 29 00
C F Deiterich, janitor ... 300 00
C F Deiterich, washing for prisoners ... 53 05
I L Rabb, extract'g teeth for prisoners ... 1 25
W W Black, boarding prisoners ... 521 50
W W Black, turnkey fees ... 28 50
John P Jones, leather ... 35
J S John, physician ... 20 85

$ 3526 98

PRINTING, STATIONERY AND POSTAGE.

O B Mellick et al postage ... 37 00
do P O box rent ... 3 00
Frank L Hutter, certificates of nomination ... 5 00
J B McHenry, adv. elect'n proclamat'n ... 1 00
W W Black, do do ... 1 00
J C Brown, Co statement and supps ... 61 21
do adv triennial valuat'n ... 8 00
do adv election proclamation ... 25 00
Catawissa News Item, Co statement ... 59 00
do do triennial valua'n ... 8 00
do do appeal notices ... 3 00
Millville Tablet, do do ... 3 00
do adv triec'l valuation ... 8 00
do circulating Co statem't ... 3 00
The Argus, county statement ... 50 00
do adv appeal notice ... 3 00
do triennial valuation ... 8 00
Berwick Independent, triennial val'n ... 8 00
do appeal notices ... 3 00
do printing blanks ... 9 30
W H Henrie, marriage license blanks ... 2 75
Democratic Sentinel, pub elec proc ... 25 00
Geo E Elwell, circulating Co statem't ... 5 00
do adv trien'l valuation ... 8 00
do pub elec proclamation ... 25 00
sub adv. recpt books ... 94 63
A H Coll, rubber stamp ... 1 25
J W Raeder, blanks ... 12 75
W G Johnston & Co, envs, prothy's office ... 12 50
Wm Mann Co, stationery ... 27 23
S R Bidleman, stationery ... 7 70
J H Mercer, stationery ... 4 50

$ 523 81

BRIDGES, BUILDING AND REPAIRS.

BEAVER.

John Breisch, filling Breisch's ... 2 50

BLOOM.

J C Brown, surveying at approach, River ... 4 25
Peter Jones, repairing, River ... 12 16
King Bridge Co, repairing, River ... 36 69
Lemons & Pursel, plank, River ... 17 13
R C Johnston, hauling do ... 1 50
E R Kester, plank, Barton ... 16 00
Lemons & Pursel, plank, Barton ... 30 22
Peter Werkheiser, repairing, Barton ... 4 90
J S Mensch, filling, Barton ... 1 25
C H Reimard, repairing wall, Barton ... 28 55
Elias Utt, stone, Barton ... 2 61
do do Red Rock ... 4 47
C H Reimard, repairing wall, Red Rock ... 11 35
Daniel Miller, posts, Red Rock ... 96
Isaac Nuss, filling, Red Rock ... 1 50
Lemons & Pursel, plank, Rupert ... 23 33
Peter Werkheiser, repairing, Rupert ... 1 00
J S Mensch, filling ... 2 50

BENTON. $ 194 47

N A Tubbs, contract, Gibbons ... 150 00
W L Cole, filling, Edson's ... 6 20
Gotlieb Hartman, repairing, Karns ... 29 50
William Mather, shingles ... 28 00
Josiah Coleman, filling, Karns ... 1 00
J D Fulmer, repairing, Benton ... 22 64
Jno R Keeler, do do ... 1 81
W L Cole, filling, Ira Thomas ... 3 37
D J Lewis, filling, Benton ... 3 50
J H Welliver, repairing, Mendenhall ... 5 00

$ 251 02

BRIARCREEK.

J H Eck, repairing, Rittenhouse ... 10 08

CENTRE.

Allen Shelhammer, repairing and filling, Fowlerville ... 4 20

CLEVELAND.

H M Yocum, repairing and filling, Brofee ... 3 30
J R Wynn, painting, Brofee ... 8 00
Lloyd Ernest, filling, Richards ... 5 00
W H Small, repairing and filling, Krickbaum's ... 3 90

$ 20 20

FISHINGCREEK.

F L Chapin, lumber, Ammerman ... 12 84
Mrs N A Achenbach, lumber, Ammerman ... 5 60
Wm Mather, shingles, Ammerman ... 22 00
Amos Neyhard, use of jacks, Ammerman ... 75
F M Ash, lumber, Ammerman ... 9 63
James F Trump, filling, Ammerman ... 70
Jacob Geisinger, repairing ... 59 05
do do do Paden ... 14 27
James F Trump, filling, Paden ... 1 60
do do do Zaner ... 2 50
Jacob Geisinger, repairing, Zaner ... 14 22
P D Black, repairs, Zaner ... 17 13
Stott E McHenry, repairs, Stillwater ... 1 25

$ 161 54

FRANKLIN.

David Reeder, repairing, Knoble ... 3 80
A M Johnson, repairing, Knoble ... 6 00
Lloyd Ernest, repairing, Knoble ... 1 50
Wash Parr, repairing, above Parr's Mill ... 6 77
Lloyd Ernest, filling, Shives ... 1 50
L Rohrbach, filling, Reigels ... 1 00

$ 20 57

GREENWOOD.

A W Eves, repairing and filling, Upper Iola ... 40 14
A W Eves, repairing and filling, Lower Iola ... 2 00
G B Appleman, repairing, Lemons ... 7 00
Calvin Demott, filling and repairing Eyersgrove ... 3 00
John Eyer, filling and repairing Eyersgrove ... 7 20
Michael Hock, repairing Eyersgrove iron ... 1 00
J E Welliver, repairing, Eyersgrove iron ... 75
Kramer & Eyer, plank, Hayman's ... 27 41
Joseph W Reese, filling, Heacock ... 1 00
H W Eyer, plank, Heacock ... 8 76
Wm. Greenley, lumber, Heacock ... 30 50
G Hartman, repairing, Heacock ... 9 27
P D Black, repairing, Heacock ... 6 00
P D Black, repairing, Kramer's ... 26 66
Amos Neyhard, use of jacks, Kramer's ... 75
G Hartman, repairing, Kramer's ... 6 77
B E Albertson, stone & Hauling Kramers ... 40 50

$ 218 11

HEMLOCK.

Peter Werkheiser, repairing, Danville ... 1 00
J S Mensch, filling, Danville ... 1 25

$ 2 25

LOCUST.

David Yeager, repairing, Litwhiler ... $ 1 56
Lawson H Lee, plank, Slabtown ... 117 38
Charles Kreisher, repairing, Slabtown ... 16 00
Charles Kreisher, repairing, Helwig ... 2 50

$ 137 44

MADISON.

C W Runyon, nails, Potter's ... 60
Pittsburg Bridge Co., bridge, Potter's ... 173 00
John C Parker, plank, Potter's ... 24 46
A C Smith filling, Smith's ... 1 00

$ 199 06

MAIN.

John Breisch, filling, Mainville, Iron ... 50

MIFFLIN.

John P Aten, repairing Yohey's mill ... 2 14
A W Snyder, nails, Smith's run ... 81
C D Smoyer, moving cement, Smith's run ... 1 00
E H Smith, repairing, Smith's run ... 4 33
E H Smith, painting, Heller's run ... 2 20

MONTOUR. $ 10 51

R O Millard, filling approach Catawissa river ... 407 18
H R Grimes, railing at approach Catawissa river ... 20 52
R R Little, professional services, Catawissa river ... 14 71
J C Brown, surveys and drafts Catawissa river ... 10 00
J S Mensch, filling Quick's arch ... 1 25
T J Vanderslice, solicitor river bridge Catawissa ... 25 00

MT. PLEASANT. $ 478 66

F M Ash, lumber, above Beagle's mill ... 4 12
A V Kressler, snowing, Shaffer ... 1 00
Wm. McMahan, filling, Shaffer ... 1 50
Wm. McMahan, filling, Vanderslice's ... 50
J E Welliver, lumber & nails, Hawk ... 12 35
G H Moore repairing, Hawk ... 5 80
T A Smith, filling, Hawk ... 2 00

ORANGE. $ 27 27

W J Kramer, repairing, Patterson ... 6 00
I P Kline, hauling & repairing Patterson ... 15 45
B E Albertson, stone, Orangeville ... 4 00
W L Kelchner, repairing and filling, Orangeville ... 3 50
H W Eyer, et. al, lumber and repairing, Patterson ... 33 43

PINE. $ 62 38

Theo. Mendenhall, filling and repairing Mendenhall ... 1 25
Wm. Hayman, repairing, Christian ... 8 00
W H Shoemaker, filling, Shoemaker ... 1 50
James Redline, plank, Christian ... 19 94

SCOTT. $ 30 69

R B Seybert, snowing, Lightstreet ... 1 00

SUGARLOAF.

J C Brown, surveying at Kocher's ... 8 40
J C Brown, surveying at Elk Grove ... 8 40
C W Hess, repairing and filling, J O Hess ... 94 50
C W Hess, filling, Iron ... 1 00
J J McHenry, spikes, Cole's Creek ... 90
King Bridge Co., repairing Cole's Creek ... 3 65
C E Welliver, repairing Cole's Creek ... 3 15
Jacob Geisinger, repairing, Coletown ... 23 91
Amos Neyhard, use of jacks, Coletown ... 75
F M Ash, lumber, Coletown ... 13 75
S B Hess, lumber, Coletown ... 58 00
J H Vansickle, repairing Jamison City ... 12 50
F M Ash, lumber, E Cole ... 8 75
Jacob Geisinger, repairing E. Cole ... 33 48
Eli Jones, use of Jack, E Cole ... 50
S B Hess, lumber, E Cole ... 6 00
Jacob Steen, filling & repairing, Central ... 1 94
Amos Neyhard, use of jack, E Cole ... 75
C W Hess, filling, E Cole ... 2 00
C E Viets, filling, J L Hess ... 3 00
D J Lewis, filling Lewis ... 1 50

$ 286 83

Harman & Hassert, wire brushes for bridge cleaning ... 2 00
The Goheen Paint Co, bridge paint ... 52 08
Liberty Linseed Oil Co " " ... 13 20

$ 67 28

$ 2186 56

ELECTION EXPENSES.

Constables attending elections and serving notices ... 260 50
Election officers holding elections ... 1985 67
Sundry persons, election house rent ... 751 00
Mt. Holly Sta. & Ptg. Co election supplies ... 45 00
Geo. E Elwell, printing tickets ... 220 60
W H Henrie et. al. county vote ... 27 25

$ 3290 02

PENITENTIARY AND ASYLUM.

Danville Asylum support of insane ... 183 75
Warren Asylum support Lizzie Hawly ... 114 00
Eastern Penitentiary sup. convicts ... 277 29
Huntingdon Reform, sup. inmates ... 486 50

$ 1061 54

BLANK BOOKS.

J H Mercer, Sheriff's dockets ... 14 00
W S Lingle, registry books ... 78 50
E B Yordy, tax registers and duplicates ... 37 35
J W Reader, treasurers cash book ... 12 00
T & J W Johnson, supplement to P & L digest ... 4 00
W F Murphy's Sons Co. dockets for Proth's and R & R's office ... 88 00
Wm Mann Co. deed books for Rec. office ... 31 00
Altemus & Co. appearance docket Prothonotary's office ... 10 75

$ 275 50

SCALPS.

272 Mink scalps ... 136 00
118 Fox scalps ... 118 00
382 Affidavits of justices ... 95 50

$ 349 50

ASSESSORS PAY.

	Tax Assessment.	May Registration.	September Registration.	December Registration.
Beaver	$30 05	$	$ 6 00	6 00
Benton Boro	23 05		6 00	6 00
Benton twp	36 70		6 00	6 00
Berwick NE	54 00	22 05	6 00	4 00
Berwick NW		21 95	6 00	6 00
Berwick SE		20 25	6 00	6 00
Berwick SW		21 30	6 00	6 00
Bloom 1st	66 00	17 20	6 00	6 00
Bloom 2nd		19 60	6 00	6 00
Bloom 3rd	62 00	31 00	6 00	6 00
Bloom 4th		23 75	6 00	6 00
Briarcreek	43 56		6 00	6 00
Catawissa Boro	52 70		6 00	6 00
Catawissa Twp	23 85		6 00	6 00
Centralia 1st	65 35		4 00	4 00
Centralia 2nd	68 20		4 00	4 25
Centre	38 85		6 00	6 00
Cleveland	28 10		6 00	6 00
Conyngham EN		28 90	4 10	4 03
Conyngham WN		15 70	4 02	4 27
Conyngham W	66 00	16 00	4 10	4 10
Conyngham SE		19 10	4 05	4 05
Conyngham SW		26 00	6 00	6 00
Fishingcreek E	31 00	14 85	6 00	6 00
Fishingcreek W		14 01	6 00	6 00
Franklin	17 65		6 00	6 00
Greenwood E	26 25	16 30	6 00	6 00
Greenwood W		16 20	6 01	6 00
Hemlock	33 00		6 00	6 00
Jackson	27 05		6 00	6 00
Locust	30 15		6 00	6 00
Madison	44 40		6 00	6 00
Main	27 40		6 00	6 00
Mifflin	24 55			
Millville	26 35		6 00	4 00
Montour	30 95		6 00	6 00
Mt. Pleasant	31 29		6 00	6 00
Orange	33 45		6 00	6 00
Pine N	27 00	12 75	6 00	6 00
Pine S		13 25	6 00	6 00
Roaringcreek	17 15		6 00	6 00
Scott E	38 00	21 30	6 00	6 00
Scott W		14 90	6 00	6 00
Sugarloaf N	30 25	16 20	6 00	6 00
Sugarloaf S		10 95	6 00	4 16
	$1154 20	$433 55	$252 27	246 98

Total ... $2086 82

INQUISITIONS.

F R Kitchen, inquisition on body of Chas Fowler ... 10 37
Jno A Shuman, inquisition on body of J Hartzel ... 10 37
Guy Jacoby, inquest certificate, body of M Delterick ... 2 75
M J Gerrity, inquisitions on bodies of P Wintersteen, Peter McDonnell, Bernard Kelly, David Griffiths and Edward Kolon ... 41 18

$ 64 67

BURIAL OF DECEASED SOLDIERS.

Wm Thomas, burial of Daniel Boice ... $ 35 00
G G Baker, burial of Joseph Summers ... 35 00
do do John Stiner ... 35 00
Henry Bredbenner, burial of Jno Hartzel ... 35 00
A W Stadler, burial of Joseph Walter ... 35 00
do do H J Strouse ... 35 00
do do Milt Shaffer ... 35 00
J C Eves, burial of Franklin Crawford ... 35 00
Enos Stout, burial of M V B Adams ... 35 00
A D Seely, burial of John A Sarley ... 35 00
P S Moyer, burial of Elisha Evans ... 35 00
Berwick Marble & Granite Works, headstones for James Low, John Sarley and M V B Adams ... 45 00
Benton Marble & Granite Works, headstones for Jacob Utt and Franklin Crawford ... 30 00
H T Young, headstones for John Hartzel, H J Strouse, Joseph Walter and Milt Shaffer ... 60 00
L H Boody, headstones for John Stiner, Daniel Boice, Ed Thatcher and Wm Summers ... 60 00
T L Gunton, headstones for Wm Shoemaker ... 15 00

$ 595 00

FIRE WARDENS.

EXTINGUISHING FIRES.

Fire Warden.	Township.	
F B Stucley	Beaver	38 25
George Karver	Conyngham	39 82
Dennis Downey	do	10 26
Jas Thompson	do	11 25
W B Pennington	Fishingcreek	9 36
M M Geiger	Main	15 36
Geo Summers	Montour	6 08
J J Crawford	Mt Pleasant	7 44
J S Girton	Pine	25 14

$ 162 88

TAXES REFUNDED.

H C Laubach, poor tax due Berwick ... 10 14
B D Freas, borough tax due Berwick ... 26 60

$ 36 74

SHEEP DAMAGE.

Gideon Michael, Briarcreek Twp ... 5 56
Aaron Kester, Millville Boro ... 7 00
John G Laubach, Sugarloaf Twp ... 8 00
C M Dodson, Madison Twp ... 7 00
Charles Goss, Sugarloaf Twp ... 6 00
Laura Hayman, Sugarloaf Twp ... 12 56
W H Moser, Madison Twp ... 12 00
Joel Moser, do ... 11 00

$ 69 06

RECAPITULATION.

Miscellaneous ... $2075 42
Courts, Jurors' Pay, Costs and Returns ... 5526 53
Commonwealth Costs ... 1959 34
Road and Bridge Views and Road Damage ... 1343 68
Com'rs' office and Court House ... 4985 40
County Jail and Prison Requisition ... 3526 98
Printing, Stationery and Postage ... 523 81
Inquisitions ... 64 67
Bridges, Building and Repairs ... 2186 56
Penitentiaries and Asylums ... 1061 54
Assessors' pay ... 2086 82
Fox and mink scalps ... 349 50
Election expenses ... 3290 02
Blank books ... 275 50
Taxes refunded ... 36 74
Burial of deceased soldiers ... 595 00
Fire Wardens' pay ... 162 88
Sheep damage ... 69 06

$30119 33

ASSETS.

Amount on duplicates outstanding ... 23636 06
Probable Com. and Exon. off ... 1636 06

$ 22000 00

Amount in hands of Treasurer ... 7040 87
Due from State for State tax of 1897 ... 4177 11
Due from State for State tax of 1898 ... 4087 81
Due from County Institute for C. H. ... 50 00
Due from State for pay of Fire Wardens ... 81 44
Amount due from Ex-Co. Commissioners J G Swank, G M Ikeler, W H Utt, surcharges, 1896 ... 80 96
Amt due from Co Com'rs' surcharges, '97 ... 86 75
Amt due from Co. Treas. surcharge, 1897 ... 4 46

Balance ... $ 105388 52

LIABILITIES.

Amt taxes due Twps, seat'd & unseat'd ... $1622 91
Amt road damage now due ... 42 73
Amt road and bridge viewers' pay ... 200 30
Amt due on Com. cases (estimated) ... 450 00
Amt due State on State tax for 1898 ... 5438 16
Amt county orders outstanding ... 13 28
Amt county bonds outstanding ... 135100 00

$ 142867 36

County Indebtedness ... 105388 52

We, the undersigned, auditors of Columbia county, being elected to adjust and settle the accounts of the Commissioners and the Treasurer of Columbia county, do hereby certify that we met at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, Pa., on Monday, January 2d, 1899, at 11 o'clock a. m., organized and proceeded to audit the accounts of the above named officers. After examining, correcting and restating the same, from January 3d, 1898, to January 1st, 1899, we do certify them to be correct, as above stated; and we make the following surcharges:

The following bills we surcharge against the Commissioners, Wm. Krickbaum, John N Gordon and Nehemiah Kitchen, for the year 1898:

Robert R. Little, bill 563, amount $10.00 charged, one day at Harrisburg looking after Catawissa bridge matters. Mr. Little being Solicitor for the county at a fixed salary of $200.00, we consider the above ten dollars an excess charge.

Bill of T. J. Vanderslice, No. 927, amount, twenty-five dollars ($25.00), for professional services at Harrisburg, in the matter of the claim of Patterson in preparing plans and specifications for Catawissa bridge. We find no record on Commissioners' minute book authorizing Mr. Vanderslice's appointment, and as the Commissioners had a competent Solicitor, employed at a fixed salary, we find this also an excess charge.

We find that our surcharges for 1896 against Ex-Commissioners J. G. Swank, G. M. Ikeler and W. H. Utt and others, have not been paid.

Also find that our surcharges, against Commissioners and others, for the year 1897, have not been paid into the Treasury, excepting the surcharge of five dollars against Jno. N. Gordon, which has been paid into the Treasury in 1898.

We suggest that the Commissioners collect the surcharges of 1896, against the Ex-Commissioners and others, and also pay over the surcharges of 1897 against themselves.

J. H. YETTER,
W. F. STOHNER, } Auditors.
H. J. DEMOTT,