

DATE.	FURNISHING NEW BUILDING FUND.	Number Voucher.	DEBIT.	CREDIT.
1890.				
July 20	By paid A. Carson.....	1		\$ 492.40
July 21	To State warrant, app. 1890.....	2	1,500.00	
July 11	By paid Harris-Emercy Co.....	3		78.57
July 11	By paid Geo. W. Dillaway.....	4		122.80
July 11	By paid A. Carson.....	4		86.00
August 22	By paid A. Carson.....	5		80.00
August 21	By paid Harris-Emercy Co.....	5		22.27
October 11	By paid A. Carson.....	7		91.15
October 11	By paid E. Bieser & Bro.	8		191.28
October 11	By paid Wm. Vaughan & Son.....	9		91.90
October 11	By paid Chase & West.....	10		84.86
October 11	By paid Perkins & Brinsmaid.....	11		62.92
October 11	By paid J. A. Garver & Co.....	12		22.00
1891.				
January 17	By paid W. E. Grismer & Co.....	13		28.54
	Balance on hand.....			8.88
	Total.....		\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00

DATE.	ADDITIONAL BUILDING FUND.	Number Voucher.	DEBIT.	CREDIT.
1891.				
August 19	To State warrant app. 1890.....	1	4,000.00	
September 27	By paid Van Dyke Bros.....	2		\$ 950.00
September 24	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	3		2,000.00
October 7	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	3		400.00
October 7	By paid Ball Bros. & Van Dyke.....	4		100.00
October 16	By paid Ball Bros. & Van Dyke.....	4		600.00
October 31	By paid Ball Bros. & Van Dyke.....	6		750.00
October 31	To State warrant balance app. 1890.....	7	6,000.00	
November 7	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	7		750.00
1892.				
January 26	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	8		500.00
January 26	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	9		500.00
January 26	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	10		600.00
February 11	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	11		380.00
February 12	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	12		600.00
April 27	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	13		300.00
July 11	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	14		200.00
August 24	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	15		100.00
August 24	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	16		200.00
August 24	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	17		300.00
August 24	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	18		200.00
August 24	By paid R. & N. Ball and Van Dyke.....	19		100.00
June 30	By paid R. & N. Ball & Van Dyke.....	20		461.00
	Total.....		\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00

Most respectfully submitted,

W. J. MOIR,
Treasurer.

REPORT

OF THE

JOINT COMMITTEE

OF THE

TWENTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

STATE OF IOWA,

APPOINTED TO VISIT THE

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

LOCATED AT

MITCHELLVILLE.

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REPORT.

To the Twenty-fifth General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Your joint committee to visit the girls' department of the State Industrial School at Mitchellville, has performed that duty and, as far as possible, has discharged the duties entrusted to its care.

At the outset of our labors, owing to the fact that the treasurer of the institution is not a resident of Mitchellville, and your committee had no access to vouchers, it has been compelled to report in a general way, as previous committees have done. We also join with them in suggesting that duplicate vouchers be filed in the office of the superintendent of the institution so that future committees in their examinations, may be enabled to begin somewhere and end somewhere, which they cannot now do.

First—We find that all appropriations have been judiciously expended.

Second—We are unable to find that any debts have been contracted in excess of appropriations.

Third—There has been no diversion of moneys from the purpose for which it was appropriated.

Fourth—The law relating to the drawing of money from the state treasury has been complied with, except in the fund for seating the new building, \$500.00 being appropriated, the full amount having been drawn in 1892, whereas one-half should have been drawn in 1892 and one-half in 1893.

Fifth—We find that the following persons are employed:

	Per month.
C. C. Cory and wife, Superintendent and Matron	\$ 125.00
Miss Minters, family manager	25.00
Miss Crooks, family manager	25.00
Miss Westmore, family manager	25.00
Mrs. Morgan, Kitchen manager	22.50
Miss Coaling, Kitchen manager	22.50
Mrs. Crawford, Kitchen manager	22.50
Mrs. Wolfe, Laundry manager	22.50
Mrs. Williams, Sewing room	22.50
Mrs. Frye, Teacher	22.50
Miss Roudsbush, Teacher	22.50
Miss Loonen, Extra teacher	22.50
Miss Dr. Reed, Doctor	22.50
H. J. Morgan, Gardener	25.00
D. Ellidge, Farmer	45.00
Arch William, Engineer	25.00
Chas. Workman, Assistant engineer	25.00

All the above employes are furnished with board and laundry except D. Ellidge.

who being a farmer, is furnished house rent, and Chas. Workeman, who is furnished one meal per day.

State—Your committee is of the opinion that the needs of this institution demand the erection of a new building to be used as a chapel and school-room. Having no data at hand we are unable to furnish an exact estimate, but we are of the opinion that \$10,000.00 would be ample for the building and heating, seating and lighting the same.

One of the most urgent needs of the institution, is additional facilities for bathing; there being but six bath tubs for one hundred forty (140) girls. The same suggestion would also apply to water closets. We would recommend that the present wash room be used for bath rooms and water closets, and that \$200.00 be appropriated for the purpose, and that a new wash room be erected adjoining the present building and that \$1,000.00 be appropriated therefor.

We would recommend an appropriation for

Contingent and repair fund.....	\$2,500.00
Chaplain fund.....	200.00
Literary and school books.....	200.00

Having been on the grounds we have scaled the appropriations asked for to the lowest point and most earnestly hope that our requests will be fully complied with and that the \$10,000 asked for chapel, school room, etc., \$200.00 for bath and closets, \$1,000 for wash room, be made available in 1894 and that the remainder of the appropriations asked, be made available one-half in 1894 and one-half in 1895.

Senate—We find that in making purchases the principle of competitive bids is not applied.

In conclusion, we say that we find the Institution clean and well kept in all its details, and too much credit cannot be bestowed upon the Superintendent and Matron, and their corps of able assistants for the fidelity displayed in conducting and guarding the best interests of the institution over which they preside.

Respectfully submitted,

E. G. PENROSE,

On the part of the Senate.

G. N. HAUGEN,

H. B. HASELTON,

On the part of the House.

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