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OF THE

State Inspector of Oils.

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REPORT OF STATE INSPECTOR.

Hon. F. M. Drake, Governor of Iowa:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the statutes of Iowa, I have the honor to transmit herewith a report of the doings of myself and deputies for the biennial period ending June 30, 1897.

During the period covered by this report, little outside of a routine nature has occurred in the inspection service. There have been a few explosions of gasoline, due to the careless handling of it, but in no instance was the loss great.

The legislature did wisely two years ago in increasing the inspection fees on gasoline, making the fees for oil and gasoline uniform. Had not this been done the revenues derived by the state from the oil inspection service would have been much less than they have been. It is just as much work to brand a barrel of gasoline as it is to brand a barrel of oil, and no difference should ever have been made in the fees for the same.

I wish to say a brief word in commendation of the deputy oil inspectors, on whom the burden of the work of the service falls. They have been earnest and faithful in the discharge of every duty.

At the end of the biennial period covered by this report, inspectors were stationed as follows:

Luther A. Brewer.....	Cedar Rapids
R. M. Garrison.....	Cedar Rapids
Theo. Guittar.....	Council Bluffs
Jasper Giltner.....	Ottumwa
F. O. Udall.....	Dubuque
W. H. Goodrell.....	Iowa City
W. R. Wier.....	Davenport
Louis Weinstein.....	Burlington
H. M. Pickell.....	Des Moines

C. F. Gullixson Bode
 J. K. Mason Keokuk
 J. B. M. Bishop Toledo
 J. S. Bellamy Knoxville
 Peter Reilly Sioux City
 F. N. Chase Cedar Falls

Respectfully submitted,

LUTHER A. BREWER.

REPORTS OF INSPECTORS.

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1895.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- ported.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. given for illuminat- ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer.	Cedar Rapids	1,411	1,461	0	\$ 214.35	\$ 0	\$ 39.81	\$ 39.81
R. M. Garrison.	Cedar Rapids	1,664	1,814	157.10	84.87	\$ 91.06	99.61	190.67
Theo. Guttar.	Council Bluffs	850	729	101.45	62.86	38.41	391.27	492.54
Jasper Giltner.	Otumwa	2,691	946	347.50	99.28	193.83	263.21	457.04
F. G. Udall.	Dubuque	112	112	11.20	11.20	0	11.20	22.40
W. H. Goodreil.	Iowa City	797	1,043	128.80	63.70	30.25	130.05	260.25
W. R. Weir.	Davenport	1,648	1,915	215.55	91.29	44.95	136.24	272.49
Louis Weisstein.	Harrison	1,315	1,469	234.85	333.00	125.75	233.75	466.75
H. M. Pickell.	Des Moines	828	1,015	133.45	70.88	52.53	123.51	247.04
C. F. Gullixson.	Pl. Dodge	561	639	49.45	43.65	26.45	74.10	148.20
J. K. Mason.	Keokuk	647	1,067	139.00	64.50	32.90	117.40	234.80
G. D. Frink.	Marshall's	223	314	39.00	38.00	13.65	53.65	107.30
J. S. Bellamy.	Knoxville	1,118	1,703	197.00	86.70	84.34	171.10	345.44
W. C. Arthur.	Sioux City	958	1,107	151.15	75.49	33.47	198.66	397.15
F. N. Chase.	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Due Luther A. Brewer, state insp.	on months of April, May, June.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	630.50
Due L. A. Brewer, state ins., Aug. 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	841.31	.....	.....	841.31
Total	.....	12,802	15,127	\$2,478.02	\$ 963.24	\$ 864.28	\$2,478.02	\$4,916.34

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 1895.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- ported.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. given for illuminat- ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer.	Cedar Rapids	1,845	1,181	0	\$ 283.75	\$ 0	\$ 35.66	\$ 30.66
R. M. Garrison.	Cedar Rapids	1,736	1,170	232.10	95.82	\$ 106.16	169.61	275.77
Theo. Guttar.	Council Bluffs	1,094	927	134.75	70.94	43.16	114.30	228.40
Jasper Giltner.	Otumwa	2,210	1,471	234.55	100.00	198.14	295.14	493.28
F. G. Udall.	Dubuque	111	111	11.10	11.10	0	22.20	44.40
W. H. Goodreil.	Iowa City	884	1,096	139.40	72.10	36.10	138.20	276.40
W. R. Weir.	Davenport	951	927	111.45	65.35	26.50	91.85	183.70
Louis Weisstein.	Harrison	1,779	1,591	256.55	100.00	113.40	213.40	426.80
H. M. Pickell.	Des Moines	1,712	1,446	243.65	98.41	88.84	197.25	396.09
C. F. Gullixson.	Pl. Dodge	816	876	119.40	66.10	39.55	95.65	191.20
J. K. Mason.	Keokuk	1,537	1,733	243.40	98.90	48.15	146.45	292.90
G. D. Frink.	Marshall's	394	364	54.60	31.15	17.10	38.25	76.50
J. S. Bellamy.	Knoxville	1,385	1,452	197.00	84.90	84.90	174.80	349.70
W. C. Arthur.	Sioux City	1,602	845	302.45	88.11	30.88	127.99	255.99
F. N. Chase.	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Due L. A. Brewer, state ins., Aug. 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	441.37
Due L. A. Brewer, state ins., Sept. 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	.....	17,561	14,194	\$2,493.75	\$1,107.37	\$ 944.78	\$2,493.75	\$4,546.30

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1895.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls oil re- ceived.	No. bbls oil ap- proved.	No. bbls gaso- line rejected for illumina- ting purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer.	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 98.25	\$ 98.25
H. M. Garrison.	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80.75	102.14
Theo. Guttler.	Council Bl'fs	1,788	900	0	\$ 175.00	.....	105.29	305.29
Jasper Giltner.	Council Bl'fs	2,770	1,299	341.95	100.00	.....	105.29	305.29
F. C. Udall.	Dubuque	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	138.85	138.85
W. H. Goodrell.	Dubuque	254	2,172	412	251.29	.....	105.50	356.50
W. H. Weir.	Davenport	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.85	11.85
Louis Weinstein.	Burlington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78.00	135.15
H. M. Pickett.	Des Moines	1,390	331	143.65	75.90	.....	84.35	158.15
C. F. Gullixson.	Des Moines	2,955	1,423	306.65	100.00	.....	109.85	309.85
J. K. Mason.	Keokuk	1,170	357	153.65	85.84	.....	75.84	151.72
G. D. Frink.	Keokuk	2,561	427	177.45	81.86	.....	32.53	114.39
J. S. Bellamy.	Marshall's	1,597	742	364.30	100.00	.....	51.58	151.58
W. C. Arthur.	Knoxville	111	594	479	94.45	.....	61.11	88.47
F. N. Chase.	Sioux City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	98.57
State treasurer.	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57.74	27.00
Total	.....	687	33,781	6,981	\$2,792.85	\$1,132.27	\$1,651.77	\$2,792.85

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1895.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls oil re- ceived.	No. bbls oil ap- proved.	No. bbls gaso- line rejected for illumina- ting purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer.	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 31.25	\$ 31.25
H. M. Garrison.	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70.00	111.41
Theo. Guttler.	Council Bl'fs	2,205	1,215	371.40	100.00	.....	89.85	190.41
Jasper Giltner.	Council Bl'fs	1,514	773	254.40	100.00	.....	82.87	182.27
F. C. Udall.	Dubuque	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	174.81	274.81
W. H. Goodrell.	Dubuque	321	2,574	582	296.50	.....	100.00	396.50
W. H. Weir.	Davenport	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22.39	32.16
Louis Weinstein.	Burlington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	79.23	64.80
H. M. Pickett.	Des Moines	1,701	561	198.15	87.64	.....	52.25	139.89
C. F. Gullixson.	Des Moines	1,417	1,398	204.80	100.00	.....	126.45	226.45
J. K. Mason.	Keokuk	1,100	699	306.65	88.76	.....	87.70	176.46
G. D. Frink.	Keokuk	1,100	509	114	60.10	.....	28.70	88.72
J. S. Bellamy.	Marshall's	1,284	1,170	258.80	100.00	.....	65.00	165.00
W. C. Arthur.	Knoxville	110	763	300	97.20	.....	61.82	86.88
F. N. Chase.	Sioux City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	207.80	220.83
State treasurer.	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	71.01	51.64
Total	.....	1172	20,814	6,863	\$3,891.75	\$1,156.00	\$1,155.00	\$2,691.75

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1895.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls oil re- ceived.	No. bbls oil ap- proved.	No. bbls gaso- line rejected for illumina- ting purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer.	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 23.20	\$ 23.20
H. M. Garrison.	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	144	207.27
Theo. Guttler.	Council Bl'fs	3,095	1,200	317.90	100.00	.....	113.65	213.65
Jasper Giltner.	Council Bl'fs	1,577	1,150	152	100.00	.....	102	202.00
F. C. Udall.	Dubuque	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	208.40	208.40
W. H. Goodrell.	Dubuque	2,725	261	308.40	100.00	.....	158.25	266.25
W. H. Weir.	Davenport	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.15	11.15
Louis Weinstein.	Burlington	2,775	79	82	100.00	.....	103.60	174.60
H. M. Pickett.	Des Moines	1,981	323	138.19	57.00	.....	41.90	124.00
C. F. Gullixson.	Des Moines	4,093	144	422.50	100.00	.....	117.85	217.85
J. K. Mason.	Keokuk	1,804	308	304.40	53.57	.....	52.33	136.85
G. D. Frink.	Keokuk	3,002	306	513.00	91.38	.....	28.85	130.23
J. S. Bellamy.	Marshall's	1,682	111	168.20	75.00	.....	70.00	160.50
W. C. Arthur.	Knoxville	143	693	111	100.00	.....	84.69	89.17
F. N. Chase.	Sioux City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,330	2,023
State treasurer.	Waterloo	1,838	111	180.50	84.84	.....	103.22	171.50
Total	.....	210	30,086	2,517	\$3,157.25	\$1,179.72	\$1,117.88	\$3,157.25

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1895.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls oil re- ceived.	No. bbls oil ap- proved.	No. bbls gaso- line rejected for illumina- ting purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer.	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 48.33	\$ 48.33
H. M. Garrison.	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	97.50	194.94
Theo. Guttler.	Council Bl'fs	2,105	966	0	\$ 238.80	.....	100.00	338.80
Jasper Giltner.	Council Bl'fs	2,661	80	207.50	100.00	.....	113.45	213.45
F. C. Udall.	Dubuque	2,643	80	283.50	100.00	.....	73.82	173.82
W. H. Goodrell.	Dubuque	4,761	81	476.50	100.00	.....	108.29	258.29
W. H. Weir.	Davenport	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.10	25.10
Louis Weinstein.	Burlington	2,269	211	219.55	62.22	.....	368.50	397.74
H. M. Pickett.	Des Moines	1,294	125	40	68.85	.....	60.75	68.80
C. F. Gullixson.	Des Moines	3,965	403	419.85	100.00	.....	117.25	217.25
J. K. Mason.	Keokuk	2,127	347	260.05	100.00	.....	107.08	207.08
G. D. Frink.	Keokuk	1,092	117	112.05	63.60	.....	28.80	194.89
J. S. Bellamy.	Marshall's	1,423	111	147.85	74.45	.....	74.45	151.30
W. C. Arthur.	Knoxville	656	69	69.60	51.95	.....	24.14	74.11
F. N. Chase.	Sioux City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	348	278.88
State treasurer.	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62.50	81.06
Total	.....	19	30,323	2,516	\$3,150.10	\$1,166.84	\$1,288.40	\$3,150.10

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1896.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bills, oil re-jected.	No. bills, oil ap-proved.	No. bills, gas-oil re-jected for illumi-nat-ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.	
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids		70		\$ 228.50	\$ 97.12	\$ 39.54	\$ 29.54	
R. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	1	2,450		276.25	108.65	118.25	215.47	
Theo. Guttar	Council Bluffs		303		188.75	94.68	85.20	308.43	
Jasper Giltner	Ottumwa		1,522		111.75	55.44	52.25	108.88	
F. G. Udall	Dubuque		3,942		300.00	100.00	177.00	277.90	
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City		801		19.30	19.30	19.30	19.30	
W. H. Weir	Davenport		1,771		290	85.25	85.25	174.45	
Louis Weinstein	Burlington		1,157		118.70	57.18	30.98	58.13	
H. M. Pickell	Des Moines	335	3,072	504	360.00	100.00	125.45	225.45	
C. F. Gullixson	Fort Dodge		1,867		338	199.60	67.40	85.38	172.66
J. K. Mason	Keokuk		1,190		126	125.00	68.60	42.15	111.55
G. D. Frink	Marshall's		4,445		330.65	100.00	86.90	148.90	
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville				84.40	58.25	30.80	83.71	
W. C. Arthur	Sioux City		1,234		127	301.75	100.00	120.98	
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	6	1,971		356	205.50	88.88	63.00	151.88
State treasurer								530.55	
Total		233	26,900	3,344	\$2,879.50	\$1,107.06	\$1,201.89	\$2,879.50	

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1896.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bills, oil re-jected.	No. bills, oil ap-proved.	No. bills, gas-oil re-jected for illumi-nat-ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids		1		\$ 240.50	\$ 90.56	\$ 69.56	\$ 69.56
R. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	1	2,494		221	221.25	131.25	221.25
Theo. Guttar	Council Bluffs		1,194		599.75	300.00	113.25	313.25
Jasper Giltner	Ottumwa		1,053		111.75	55.44	52.25	115.67
F. G. Udall	Dubuque		3,822		371.70	300.00	190.15	290.15
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City		801		22.10	22.10	22.10	22.10
W. H. Weir	Davenport		1,749		179.70	82.43	91.74	174.17
Louis Weinstein	Burlington		1,668		168.50	79.03	38.40	117.45
H. M. Pickell	Des Moines	345	4,456	456	371.55	100.00	106.15	206.15
C. F. Gullixson	Fort Dodge		1,870		305.20	88.80	82.01	170.81
J. K. Mason	Keokuk		947		98.70	62.18	38.35	65.53
G. D. Frink	Marshall's		1,811		227	129.45	85.61	89.80
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville	118	813		144	109.30	62.58	124.00
W. C. Arthur	Sioux City		1,558		318	211.80	92.95	123.94
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	1	2,028		15	103.25	88.34	56.74
State treasurer								461.59
Total		130	26,622	2,906	\$2,801.50	\$1,129.35	\$1,213.55	\$2,801.50

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1896.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bills, oil re-jected.	No. bills, oil ap-proved.	No. bills, gas-oil re-jected for illumi-nat-ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids		5		1,555	180.80	84.82	216.70
R. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids		1,228		281	145.65	74.10	110.88
Theo. Guttar	Council Bluffs		609		70.70	55.17	44.67	74.90
Jasper Giltner	Ottumwa		1,283		282.70	100.00	81.90	149.00
F. G. Udall	Dubuque		511		311	30.15	30.15	42.85
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City		754		138	62.30	60.54	51.10
W. H. Weir	Davenport		229		66.15	54.94	19.80	68.34
Louis Weinstein	Burlington	130	1,489	1,505	338.15	96.53	112.20	208.73
H. M. Pickell	Des Moines		822		368	96.60	61.65	63.96
C. F. Gullixson	Fort Dodge		471		40	49.10	49.10	45.93
J. K. Mason	Keokuk		800		306	114.30	68.08	69.05
G. D. Frink	Marshall's		850		82	69.10	54.77	22.18
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville		1,484		672	183.00	83.35	244.82
W. C. Arthur	Sioux City		593		979	108.25	64.56	40.28
F. N. Chase	Waterloo					401.09		104.94
Due L. A. Brewer, state in.								
Total		139	14,322	5,779	\$2,026.11	\$ 934.85	\$1,701.25	\$2,026.11

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1896.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bills, oil re-jected.	No. bills, oil ap-proved.	No. bills, gas-oil re-jected for illumi-nat-ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids		466		\$ 548	\$ 101.10	\$ 69.85	\$ 129.65
R. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids		950		874	137.70	71.92	107.69
Theo. Guttar	Council Bluffs		640		374	14.80	58.85	53.32
Jasper Giltner	Ottumwa		854		614	143.75	79.94	162.80
F. G. Udall	Dubuque		83		38	16.60	16.60	22.65
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City		83		83	16.60	16.60	39.25
W. H. Weir	Davenport		384		570	74.70	56.17	90.82
Louis Weinstein	Burlington		281		186	74.45	58.80	38.80
H. M. Pickell	Des Moines	1,369	863		298.95	89.75	113.20	209.05
C. F. Gullixson	Fort Dodge		793		610	108.70	61.67	86.55
J. K. Mason	Keokuk		419		454	72.10	55.52	41.54
G. D. Frink	Marshall's		573		349	74.10	54.60	114.90
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville		284		222	62.05	50.51	54.48
W. C. Arthur	Sioux City		1,325		991	190.30	86.87	163.20
F. N. Chase	Waterloo		621		590	94.05	61.01	43.98
Due L. A. Brewer, state in.						635.59		104.59
Total			9,285	6,236	\$2,064.04	\$ 857.05	\$1,206.99	\$2,064.04

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF
MAY, 1893.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bids all re- jected.	No. bids all ap- proved.	No. bids gene- rally rejected for unavail- ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids	1	260	679	\$ 180.00	\$ 112.00	\$ 116.61	\$ 194.61
E. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	1,202	1,440	179.50	100.00	71.70	177.70	358.70
Thos. Guitner	Council Bluffs	034	1,447	179.50	96.52	110.75	373.78	470.28
Jasper Giltner	Ottumwa	914	1,417	504.10	41.70	217.27	63.47	323.62
F. O. Udall	Dubuque	192	644	121.50	68.38	32.54	39.79	108.13
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City	352	397	59.00	36.71	22.50	32.25	68.75
W. E. Weir	Davenport	1,082	1,062	967.40	100.00	140.13	61.45	140.43
Louis Weinstein	Hurlington	448	1,112	148.10	78.62	38.36	38.12	116.74
H. M. Pickett	Des Moines	787	607	139.40	69.85	39.85	139.69	279.54
C. F. Gullison	Pt. Dodge	895	1,164	365.90	63.40	34.59	39.79	103.28
J. K. Mason	Keokuk	914	778	78.90	57.21	32.54	39.79	96.98
J. R. M. Bishop	Marshall's	102	1,171	307.30	89.32	67.64	154.90	222.54
J. K. Bellamy	Keosauqua	838	1,258	168.50	84.70	54.75	124.45	179.20
Peter Bely	Sioux City							
F. N. Chase	Waterloo				429.82			429.82
Das E. A. Brewer, state in- specter, April and May								
Total		1	18,006	9,872	\$2,720.51	\$1,071.25	\$1,016.79	\$2,721.63

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF
JUNE, 1893.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bids all re- jected.	No. bids all ap- proved.	No. bids gene- rally rejected for unavail- ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids				\$ 800.50	\$ 119.91	\$ 119.21	\$ 119.21
E. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	1,014	1,421	1,010.00	100.00	117.75	217.75	317.75
Thos. Guitner	Council Bluffs	1,250	1,596	249.60	95.90	59.33	139.23	195.23
Jasper Giltner	Ottumwa	1,250	1,596	249.60	95.90	59.33	139.23	195.23
F. O. Udall	Dubuque	1,487	1,500	254.70	306.15	168.38	206.05	374.43
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City	448	379	71.40	55.25	34.30	69.62	103.92
W. E. Weir	Davenport	721	610	115.40	65.25	40.70	107.00	147.70
Louis Weinstein	Hurlington	911	1,113	113.10	65.75	24.80	90.55	115.35
H. M. Pickett	Des Moines	1,840	1,797	312.30	109.00	84.75	124.75	188.75
C. F. Gullison	Pt. Dodge	1,569	1,220	289.50	130.00	64.75	124.75	188.75
J. K. Mason	Keokuk	1,248	818	307.40	89.25	43.85	123.90	167.75
J. R. M. Bishop	Marshall's	1,434	818	249.60	95.90	59.33	139.23	195.23
J. K. Bellamy	Keosauqua	894	343	74.70	55.92	19.58	75.50	105.08
Peter Bely	Sioux City	1,382	1,285	523.80	200.00	56.14	136.64	192.78
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	1,612	1,302	312.00	95.20	52.23	142.72	194.95
Das Luther A. Brewer, state in- specter, April and May								429.82
State treasurer								95.00
Total		15,981	13,353	\$1,929.40	\$1,322.80	\$1,187.00	\$2,329.40	

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF
JULY, 1893.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bids all re- jected.	No. bids all ap- proved.	No. bids gene- rally rejected for unavail- ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids				\$ 96.00	\$ 86.00	\$ 86.00	\$ 86.00
E. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	4	1,966	2,141	100.00	115.15	225.15	325.15
Thos. Guitner	Council Bluffs	640	1,841	1,801	100.00	120.00	220.00	320.00
Jasper Giltner	Ottumwa	731	618	128.00	72.07	32.12	104.19	176.19
F. O. Udall	Dubuque	1,029	711	270.00	168.00	164.00	254.00	418.00
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City	618	418	105.70	61.17	44.85	106.12	147.97
W. E. Weir	Davenport	1,078	610	170.00	80.00	51.00	131.28	182.28
Louis Weinstein	Hurlington	584	317	47.10	23.27	14.85	38.12	53.17
H. M. Pickett	Des Moines	1,271	2,003	384.50	100.00	117.00	217.00	317.00
C. F. Gullison	Pt. Dodge	1,020	864	188.40	84.00	61.00	145.00	196.00
J. K. Mason	Keokuk	144	254	108.00	44.20	35.25	100.00	135.25
J. R. M. Bishop	Marshall's	314	861	123.00	68.45	42.00	110.45	152.45
J. K. Bellamy	Keosauqua	200	802	72.80	35.70	25.00	60.70	85.70
Peter Bely	Sioux City	1	1,350	226.25	98.25	66.62	164.87	231.49
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	707	1,072	177.00	81.97	51.40	113.37	164.77
State treasurer								429.82
Total		5	12,418	12,845	\$2,073.45	\$1,130.21	\$1,084.00	\$2,214.46

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF
AUGUST, 1893.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bids all re- jected.	No. bids all ap- proved.	No. bids gene- rally rejected for unavail- ing purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids				\$ 97.33	\$ 97.33	\$ 97.33	\$ 97.33
E. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	300	1,701	1,125.70	100.00	106.42	206.42	312.84
Thos. Guitner	Council Bluffs	1,434	1,801	284.10	100.00	85.75	185.75	270.75
Jasper Giltner	Ottumwa	1,205	611	260.00	85.00	75.70	150.70	210.70
F. O. Udall	Dubuque	1,566	1,484	254.20	100.00	143.80	243.80	343.80
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City	510	418	49.70	40.70	19.45	60.15	80.15
W. E. Weir	Davenport	851	322	66.50	22.10	40.00	62.10	82.10
Louis Weinstein	Hurlington	679	256	65.50	38.57	23.85	62.42	86.27
H. M. Pickett	Des Moines	820	2,102	209.40	100.00	107.45	217.45	317.45
C. F. Gullison	Pt. Dodge	739	1,127	185.20	63.80	68.71	132.51	196.31
J. K. Mason	Keokuk	800	745	93.20	60.80	51.25	112.05	163.30
J. R. M. Bishop	Marshall's	707	702	154.50	27.72	80.18	162.90	212.62
J. K. Bellamy	Keosauqua	296	709	58.40	52.25	43.81	96.06	139.06
Peter Bely	Sioux City	142	1,028	25.20	22.52	26.65	51.17	73.69
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	492	819	131.00	70.20	51.68	115.56	167.24
State treasurer								429.82
Total		4,668	15,211	\$2,167.70	\$1,045.00	\$1,038.44	\$2,083.44	

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1896.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- jected.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. gaso- line rejected for impurities.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 39.71	\$ 39.71
H. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	\$ 151.40	\$ 83.25	113.45	136.81
Theo. Guittar	Council Bluffs	.....	.....	.....	1,035	399.70	89.67	180.72
Jasper Gilmer	Ottumwa	.....	.....	.....	1,307	546	108.30	87.07
F. O. Udall	Dubuque	.....	.....	.....	112	674	291.30	100.00
W. H. Goodfellow	Iowa City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	185.35	206.25
W. R. Weir	Davenport	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	87.42	99.90
Louis Weinstein	Burlington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37.80	164.40
H. M. Pickett	Des Moines	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32.50	7.90
O. F. Gullixson	Pt. Dodge	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	114.80	214.89
J. K. Mason	Keokuk	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	94.75	176.46
T. R. M. Bishop	Marshall's	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	76.98	39.39
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	109.94	182.42
Peter Reilly	Sioux City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31.32	56.25
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	139.50	220.50
State treasurer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	74.73	47.86
Total	.....	112	15,831	8,171	\$2,411.40	\$1,691.77	\$1,997.71	\$2,411.40

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1896.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- jected.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. gaso- line rejected for impurities.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 31.85	\$ 31.85
H. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	\$ 339.50	\$ 160.80	194.26	294.26
Theo. Guittar	Council Bluffs	.....	.....	.....	3,377	854.80	300.00	359.25
Jasper Gilmer	Ottumwa	.....	.....	.....	1,688	581	238.10	94.02
F. O. Udall	Dubuque	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	188.70	298.73
W. H. Goodfellow	Iowa City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	86.57	89.80
W. R. Weir	Davenport	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70.87	48.70
Louis Weinstein	Burlington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	85.45	54.15
H. M. Pickett	Des Moines	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	418.40	130.00
O. F. Gullixson	Pt. Dodge	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100.00	130.20
J. K. Mason	Keokuk	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	148.10	161.83
T. R. M. Bishop	Marshall's	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	321.60	321.68
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	163.70	39.26
Peter Reilly	Sioux City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	87.80	150.74
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	258.00	53.84
State treasurer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,394.53
Total	.....	111	32,929	6,028	\$3,996.90	\$1,291.12	\$1,411.15	\$3,930.80

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1896.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- jected.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. gaso- line rejected for impurities.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 49.93	\$ 49.93
H. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	2,026	.....	\$ 222.40	127.73
Theo. Guittar	Council Bluffs	.....	.....	.....	1,559	.....	354.00	154.50
Jasper Gilmer	Ottumwa	.....	.....	.....	2,964	113	367.70	100.00
F. O. Udall	Dubuque	.....	.....	.....	4,118	362	448.00	100.00
W. H. Goodfellow	Iowa City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,277	58.10
W. R. Weir	Davenport	.....	.....	.....	1,219	130	155.00	53.43
Louis Weinstein	Burlington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45.70	12.69
H. M. Pickett	Des Moines	.....	.....	.....	3,401	315	871.80	100.00
O. F. Gullixson	Pt. Dodge	.....	.....	.....	2,336	213	244.00	98.73
J. K. Mason	Keokuk	.....	.....	.....	1,410	528	194.80	86.20
T. R. M. Bishop	Marshall's	.....	.....	.....	1,380	301	395.10	88.78
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville	.....	.....	.....	770	166	93.00	30.04
Peter Reilly	Sioux City	.....	.....	.....	2,179	869	374.80	100.00
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	2,616	277	293.50	94.82
State treasurer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	805.91
Total	.....	10	30,564	2,833	\$3,412.79	\$1,218.85	\$1,889.34	\$3,412.79

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1896.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- jected.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. gaso- line rejected for impurities.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 33.81	\$ 33.81
H. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	.....	.....	.....	1,783	.....	\$ 189.00	183.42
Theo. Guittar	Council Bluffs	.....	.....	.....	3,316	514	373.00	143.60
Jasper Gilmer	Ottumwa	.....	.....	.....	2,032	349	240.40	97.00
F. O. Udall	Dubuque	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	495.00	100.00
W. H. Goodfellow	Iowa City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	191.00	63.25
W. R. Weir	Davenport	.....	.....	.....	1,370	205	157.50	78.87
Louis Weinstein	Burlington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	115.00	58.80
H. M. Pickett	Des Moines	.....	.....	.....	3,498	364	397.10	100.00
O. F. Gullixson	Pt. Dodge	.....	.....	.....	2,177	368	256.10	100.00
J. K. Mason	Keokuk	.....	.....	.....	1,384	125	141.90	72.08
T. R. M. Bishop	Marshall's	.....	.....	.....	2,643	364	343.10	86.27
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville	.....	.....	.....	1,199	300	138.90	72.15
Peter Reilly	Sioux City	.....	.....	.....	2,880	576	328.60	100.00
F. N. Chase	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....	1,594	834	243.80	95.45
State treasurer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	715.43
Total	.....	191	35,412	4,796	\$5,333.90	\$1,316.62	\$1,491.96	\$3,333.90

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1897.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- fined.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. gaso- line re- fined for illumi- nating purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids					\$ 100.00	\$ 17.97	\$ 17.97
R. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	1	3,226	538	277.70	109.16	259.15	
Theo. Gulttar	Council Bluffs		2,595	152	215.90	100.00	109.15	259.15
Jaeger Giltner	Oshtemo		1,696	147	184.00	83.65	69.18	132.83
F. O. Udall	Dubuque		3,811	28	353.90	100.00	212.85	312.85
W. H. Goodrell	Davenport		1,885		132.00	73.25	86.81	132.75
W. R. Weir	Iowa City		685	311	179.00	83.40	67.43	140.83
Louis Weinstein	Burlington		971		67.00	61.82	34.55	96.37
H. M. Pickell	Des Moines		3,085	535	354.00	100.00	121.40	211.40
C. F. Gullixson	Ft. Dodge	1	2,145	407	253.30	100.00	112.29	212.29
J. K. Mason	Keokuk		1,450	197	164.70	78.68	35.41	114.09
J. B. M. Bishop	Marshall's n.		1,977	376	225.00	53.52	103.66	196.86
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville		929		92.00	60.50	36.96	100.46
Peter Rely	Sioux City		3,332	585	391.70	100.00	167.00	267.00
F. N. Chase	Waterloo		2,151	371	245.30	86.80	63.86	144.16
State treasurer								698.36
Total		8	29,326	2,426	\$2,956.60	\$1,251.92	\$1,356.32	\$1,356.60

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1897.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- fined.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. gaso- line re- fined for illumi- nating purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids					\$ 90.48	\$ 59.48	
R. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids		1,797	307	\$ 9.40	\$ 90.16	103.31	197.41
Theo. Gulttar	Council Bluffs		2,623	210	227.40	94.35	112.43	296.86
Jaeger Giltner	Oshtemo	26	1,748	83	185.10	83.75	71.23	155.01
F. O. Udall	Dubuque		3,624	237	391.00	100.00	195.55	295.55
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City		1,601	111	130.23	67.55	45.32	112.87
W. R. Weir	Davenport		1,007	79	108.60	63.15	40.00	102.15
Louis Weinstein	Burlington		958	171	110.90	65.22	29.60	94.22
H. M. Pickell	Des Moines		3,396	644	304.00	100.00	124.43	224.43
C. F. Gullixson	Ft. Dodge	1	1,978	459	170.50	80.12	59.56	149.68
J. K. Mason	Keokuk		995	317	141.20	70.39	35.70	106.00
J. B. M. Bishop	Marshall's n.		1,535	193	172.70	80.48	112.01	192.69
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville		848		84.80	56.88	27.11	85.79
Peter Rely	Sioux City		1,812	904	271.70	100.00	129.79	239.79
F. N. Chase	Waterloo		1,412	185	153.60	75.90	58.14	114.28
State treasurer								363.15
Total		21	22,478	3,924	\$2,642.10	\$1,129.82	\$1,950.09	\$2,642.10

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1897.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- fined.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. gaso- line re- fined for illumi- nating purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids					\$ 131.87	\$ 121.27	
R. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids	1	1,362	281	\$ 154.40	\$ 76.10	89.60	165.70
Theo. Gulttar	Council Bluffs		3,305	191	301.00	100.00	107.40	207.40
Jaeger Giltner	Oshtemo		1,30	423	140.80	83.82	34.79	188.61
F. O. Udall	Dubuque		2,474	317	\$ 9.10	100.00	165.20	266.20
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City		774	173	134.00	61.65	34.88	96.19
W. R. Weir	Davenport		754	189	92.20	61.55	28.35	89.80
Louis Weinstein	Burlington		1,129	235	138.40	75.10	32.90	105.00
H. M. Pickell	Des Moines		2,708	470	307.80	100.00	112.70	212.70
C. F. Gullixson	Ft. Dodge		1,100	441	194.00	86.02	95.84	182.86
J. K. Mason	Keokuk		1,682	259	194.15	86.63	43.20	131.33
J. B. M. Bishop	Marshall's n.		1,918	398	229.10	94.33	117.34	211.97
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville		627	194	81.16	58.63	20.68	78.71
Peter Rely	Sioux City		2,420	452	205.20	100.00	168.80	268.80
F. N. Chase	Waterloo		1,190	767	193.70	85.42	57.04	133.46
State treasurer								413.89
Total		1	29,187	5,241	\$2,847.90	\$1,164.55	\$1,594.30	\$2,847.90

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1897.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbls. oil re- fined.	No. bbls. oil ap- proved.	No. bbls. gaso- line re- fined for illumi- nating purposes.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expense.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer	Cedar Rapids					\$ 17.80	\$ 17.80	
R. M. Garrison	Cedar Rapids		1,285	335	\$ 109.70	\$ 74.45	78.19	153.64
Theo. Gulttar	Council Bluffs		1,355	706	\$ 0.10	89.02	85.63	174.67
Jaeger Giltner	Oshtemo		516	429	94.50	61.12	41.21	102.43
F. O. Udall	Dubuque		1,282	822	244.40	98.40	145.55	264.55
W. H. Goodrell	Iowa City		685	20	68.50	54.62	31.30	85.92
W. R. Weir	Davenport		741	178	91.90	60.47	25.75	89.22
Louis Weinstein	Burlington		355	244	77.70	58.92	17.80	74.82
H. M. Pickell	Des Moines	110	1,398	2,023	254.10	100.00	127.30	227.30
C. F. Gullixson	Ft. Dodge	1	1,237	801	222.90	96.22	94.85	186.10
J. K. Mason	Keokuk		413	156	61.70	51.61	31.10	84.63
J. B. M. Bishop	Marshall's n.		1,101	785	188.60	84.65	108.54	167.19
J. S. Bellamy	Knoxville		319	396	52.50	51.88	14.60	67.48
Peter Rely	Sioux City	3	1,267	1,714	246.38	100.00	144.80	244.80
F. N. Chase	Waterloo		1,210	316	152.65	75.65	52.80	128.44
State treasurer								132.20
Total		156	13,790	8,308	\$2,227.50	\$1,056.11	\$1,629.10	\$2,227.50

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF
MAY, 1897.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbks. oil re- jected.	No. bbks. oil ap- proved.	No. bbks. gaso- line rejected for impurities.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer.	Cedar Rapids		1,090	1,042	\$ 212.20	\$ 90.25	\$ 18.90	\$ 16.00
H. M. Garrison.	Cedar Rapids		1,218	1,160	278.70	101.00	27.09	179.23
Theo. Guttar.	Council Bluffs		535	535	147.00	52.45	32.88	333.45
Jasper Giltner.	Ottumwa		1,643	1,643	462.00	167.15	107.15	395.35
F. C. Chadl.	Dubuque		653	653	182.40	71.10	21.80	94.90
W. H. Goodrell.	Iowa City		599	599	162.00	58.70	14.20	74.90
W. R. Welz.	Davidsonport		541	541	150.00	50.00	10.40	60.40
Louis Weinstein.	Burlington		1,445	1,388	392.00	130.00	119.45	219.45
H. M. Pickett.	Des Moines		926	926	254.10	90.50	71.90	185.45
C. F. Guilsson.	Pt. Dodge		562	562	151.00	53.48	31.49	112.98
J. E. Mason.	Cooke		540	540	150.70	50.00	30.19	80.19
J. B. M. Bishop.	Marshalltown		351	351	98.00	32.30	13.50	45.80
J. S. Bellamy.	Knoxville		4	4	1.00	0.00	0.00	1.00
Jasper Kelly.	Moore City		1,520	1,520	420.00	150.00	137.17	267.17
F. N. Chase.	Waterloo		1,520	1,520	420.00	150.00	91.28	241.28
State treasurer.								976.32
Total.		4	14,142	13,442	\$2,536.80	\$1,108.41	\$1,074.06	\$2,156.50

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS, SALARY AND EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH OF
JUNE, 1897.

INSPECTOR.	STATION.	No. bbks. oil re- jected.	No. bbks. oil ap- proved.	No. bbks. gaso- line re-jected for impurities.	Amount of fees received.	Amount of fees retained.	Expenses.	Total expense.
Luther A. Brewer.	Cedar Rapids		774	1,122	\$ 192.60	\$ 85.65	\$ 20.26	\$ 30.26
H. M. Garrison.	Cedar Rapids		916	1,212	212.00	80.70	75.50	303.24
Theo. Guttar.	Council Bluffs		621	621	175.20	64.57	78.90	179.00
Jasper Giltner.	Ottumwa		1,561	1,561	432.00	154.00	144.00	330.00
F. C. Chadl.	Dubuque		1,314	1,314	368.00	132.00	44.00	186.00
W. H. Goodrell.	Iowa City		595	651	180.00	62.00	19.71	77.44
W. R. Welz.	Davidsonport		752	814	225.00	77.25	16.71	94.00
Louis Weinstein.	Burlington		501	579	156.00	50.50	22.40	72.90
H. M. Pickett.	Des Moines		926	1,277	330.00	110.00	119.50	210.50
C. F. Guilsson.	Pt. Dodge		543	612	170.00	56.50	31.35	87.85
J. E. Mason.	Cooke		529	596	162.00	54.47	31.35	85.82
J. B. M. Bishop.	Marshalltown		429	496	135.00	45.00	22.40	67.40
J. S. Bellamy.	Knoxville		279	329	75.00	25.00	10.19	35.19
Jasper Kelly.	Moore City		1,520	1,549	420.00	150.00	34.35	184.35
F. N. Chase.	Waterloo		1,520	1,549	420.00	150.00	34.35	184.35
State treasurer.								67.40
Total.		3,352	11,100	12,045.70	\$1,094.32	\$ 461.72	\$1,045.70	

CONSOLIDATION OF INSPECTION BY MONTHS FROM JULY 1, 1897, TO
JULY 1, 1897.

MONTHS.	No. bbks. oil re- jected.	No. bbks. oil ap- proved.	No. bbks. gaso- line re-jected for impurities.	Amount of fees received.
1897—				
July	12,863	15,127		\$ 2,039.85
August	17,551	14,194		2,454.90
September	23,781	8,911		2,782.85
October	1,272	20,514		2,661.75
November	244	20,288		3,137.25
December	10	10,333		1,150.10
1898—				
January	230	26,900	1,144	2,879.50
February	220	28,582	3,206	2,804.50
March	225	14,232	5,770	1,734.45
April		8,395	6,930	1,426.45
May	1	11,008	9,872	2,206.80
June		15,661	13,313	2,629.40
July	5	13,354	12,545	2,613.40
August		8,406	12,211	2,362.70
September	113	15,561	8,711	2,411.45
October	111	11,929	6,048	1,968.80
November	10	20,964	2,553	3,412.70
December	101	28,412	4,536	3,553.90
1897—				
January	2	20,226	2,475	2,286.80
February	21	22,470	3,234	2,212.10
March	1	21,187	3,241	2,243.30
April	185	13,750	8,265	2,227.00
May	4	14,142	11,442	2,753.00
June		9,207	11,100	2,043.70
Total.	3,177	461,972	195,523	\$31,405.10