

transactions in regard to the sale of corn and hay to travelers and the board of horses belonging to his family. From the testimony of L. S. Moore, his wife Sarah Moore; also his daughter, as well as the testimony of several of the inmates of the Asylum who were critically examined, your Committee has been compelled to make the following statement as the result, as follows. To wit: From bills rendered since July 12th 1875 we find that there is the following wrong distribution:

Prints purchased ostensibly for the Asylum	120 yds	10.80
Brown Muslin	100 "	10.00
Shirting	37 "	5.78
Flannel	17 "	3.40
Jeans	20 "	8.00
Repps	8 "	1.60
Picking	20 "	5.00
Gingham	20 "	2.00
Cotton Batting		1.56
1 pr Mitts		1.00
1 yds Cotton Cassimere 6 yds Cottonade		2.95
1 pr Black gloves		.75
2 White Blankets		4.50
1 pair Cold "		3.08
2 Towels 75 = 3.50 70		1.65
1 Skirt		1.00
2 prs Womens Gaiters		3.00
Hay & Corn & Board of travelers		7.75
		<u>\$73.14</u>

making an aggregate of being in the estimate of your committee a fair valuation of the articles not accounted for by Superintendent Moore nor any member of his family nor any other person that he saw proper to introduce as a witness to establish facts throwing any light upon the subject. (But rather) from admissions made by L. S. Moore as well as his wife and statement of other witnesses your Committee has been compelled to find as the result of their investigations that these irregularities were not in all instances incidental, but gross neglect and a careless discharge of duty totally inconsistent with the position of a trustee of public property. And your Committee would further state that they feel that under the circumstances attending this investigation they have conscientiously discharged their trust and ask to be discharged with leave to make a supplemental report touching the previous administration of affairs of the asylum. All of which is Respectfully submitted

Signed — A. H. Shepherd
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