

# Annual Reports of the Town of Washington, New Hampshire For the Year Ending January 31, 1942

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**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
OF THE  
**TOWN OF WASHINGTON**  
NEW HAMPSHIRE

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FOR THE  
**FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31,**  
**1942**

**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
OF THE  
**RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES**  
OF THE  
**TOWN OF WASHINGTON**  
**NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
TOGETHER WITH THE  
**REPORTS OF TOWN OFFICERS**  
FOR THE  
**FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31,**  
**1942**  
AND THE  
**VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR**  
**1941**

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### Moderator

DAVID E. WILLIAMS

### Selectmen

ERNEST M. CAHOON	Term expires 1942
A. STANLEY DREW	Term expires 1943
HAROLD L. FARNSWORTH	Term expires 1944

### Town Clerk

S. MARTHA NEWMAN

### Town Treasurer

FRANCES J. CRANE

### Tax Collector

SAMUEL N. WENGER

### Highway Agent

HARRY E. NEWMAN

### Supervisors of the Check List

WARREN F. HAYFORD	LEWIS P. LINCOLN
GEORGE E. RAMSEY	

### Trustees of Trust Funds

GEORGE P. FOWLER	Resigned
ABNER H. BARKER	Term expires 1942
FRANK R. ROBY	Term expires 1943
FRANK W. CRANE	Term expires 1944

### Trustees Shedd Free Library

SARAH A. LINCOLN	Term expires 1942
RUTH OTTERSON	Term expires 1943
ELSIE FLETCHER	Term expires 1944

**Librarian**  
ZAIDA CILLEY

**School Board**  
AMY A. FARNSWORTH      Term expires 1942  
JOHN V. DYER              Term expires 1943  
PERLEY H. CRANE         Term expires 1944

**School Clerk**  
S. MARTHA NEWMAN

**School Treasurer**  
FRANCES J. CRANE

**Truant Officer**  
CAROLL E. FARNSWORTH

**Fire Wardens**  
ABNER H. BARKER          ANDREW SARGENT  
   WALDO E. FARNSWORTH  
GEORGE O'ROURKE         ERNEST M. CAHOON  
   W. D. OTTERSON JR.

**Police Officers**  
AUREN L. POWERS          SAMUEL N. WENGER

**Dog Constable**  
AUREN L. POWERS

**Sextons**  
GEORGE P. FOWLER, Resigned      FRANK R. ROBY  
   FRANK W. CRANE

**Janitor**  
ROBERT TANDY Deceased  
WILFRED WHEELER

## TOWN WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Washington in the County of Sullivan in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Tuesday, the tenth day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Town Clerk, Treasurer, One Selectman for three years, Road Agent, Tax Collector, Auditor, Member of Trust Funds Committee for three years, Member of Library Committee for three years, Overseer of the Poor, and all other necessary Town Officers.

Article 2. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the repair of its highways and bridges for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$630.00 and accept State Aid of \$1,890.00 for the construction of State Aid Road.

Article 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray Town Charges.

Article 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Shedd Free Library.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,460.40 to reimburse the town for forest fire expense during 1941.

Article 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to assist the band in putting on a series of concerts during the summer.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to adjust the town officers salaries and expenses.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for the support of the Fire Department.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,689.48 to defray the cost of street lighting.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to provide for additional fire protection due to the war emergency.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to provide for

watchmen and additional police protection due to the war emergency.

Article 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for use of the town health officer and board of health due to the war emergency.

Article 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the control of Blister Rust.

Article 17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$42.75 for the purpose of publicizing the natural advantages of the town, in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

Article 18. To see if the town will accept the sum of \$1,000.00 from the will of Estella M. Dole, to be held in trust and the interest only to be used for the benefit of the Community Church, Washington Center.

Article 19. To see if the town will accept the sum of \$1,000.00 from the will of Estella M. Dole, to be held in trust and the interest only to be used for the repair of the so-called Bailey Road in Washington.

Article 20. To see if the town will accept the sum of \$150.00 (Trust Fund) from Stella M. Waltz, income to be used only for the perpetual care of Adelaide E. Varrell lot in East Washington Cemetery.

Article 21. To see if the town will accept the sum of \$100.00 (Trust Fund) from Abbie C. Roby, income only to be used for perpetual care of Frank R. and Abbie C. Roby lot in East Washington Cemetery.



Article 22. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired through tax collector's deeds.

Article 23. To see if the town will accept the sum of \$1,000.00 from the late Estella M. Dole, income to be used for the care of Wallace W. Dole, lot in the Washington Center Cemetery, according to the provisions of the Trust.

Article 24. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the division of municipal accounting, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such an audit.

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to have the final action on each article read by the clerk and approved by the meeting, before being recorded.

Given under our hands and seal, this 19th, day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-two.

ERNEST M. CAHOON,  
A. STANLEY DREW,  
HAROLD L. FARNSWORTH,

Selectmen of Washington.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ERNEST M. CAHOON,  
A. STANLEY DREW,  
HAROLD L. FARNSWORTH,

Selectmen of Washington.

## INVENTORY

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Land and Buildings	\$396,035.00
Electric Plants	10,802.00
Horses, 29	3,155.00
Oxen, 1	25.00
Cows, 46	3,050.00
Other Neat Stock, 15	415.00
Fowls, 180	180.00
Portable Mills, 1	800.00
Boats and Launches, 21	1,050.00
Wood and Lumber, etc.	8,340.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks, 5	225.00
Stock in Trade	1,000.00
Mills and Machinery, 2	250.00
Total Poll Taxes	\$282.00
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Total Valuations	\$425,327.00
Total Valuation exclusive of soldiers' exemption	\$420,297.00
Amount of taxes to be committed to Collector, including poll taxes	\$16,589.52
Average rate per cent of taxation for all purposes	\$3.88
Amount exempted to soldiers	\$5,030.00

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WASHINGTON

### Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the En- suing Year Feb. 1, 1942 to Jan. 31, 1943 Com- pared with Actual Revenue and Expend- itures of the Previous Year Feb. 1, 1941 to Jan. 31, 1942

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1941	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1942	Increase	Decrease
<b>From State:</b>				
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$72.86			
Savings Bank Tax	254.88			
For Fighting Forest Fires	1,271.78			
Bounties	37.60	\$22.80		\$14.80
Class V. Highways	935.10	914.00		21.10
Reimbursement; Tax on State Land	246.94	200.00		46.94
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>				
Interest received on taxes and deposits	197.52	150.00		47.52
<b>Income of Departments:</b>				
(a) Highway, including				
rental of equipment	5.00			5.00
Rental of Fire Truck	2.00			2.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	262.44	150.00		112.44
Sale of Town Property acquired by Tax Deeds	74.50			
Rebate on electric light guar.	88.51			
Town Histories Sold	8.00			
Option on Fire Truck	5.00			
Refund on fire bill overdraft	18.05			
Relief reimbursement	5.00			
Fire Check refund	1.20			
<b>Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:</b>				
Temporary Loans	5,000.00	7,000.00	2,000.00	
Cash on Hand (Surplus)	1,943.97	1,176.84		767.13
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>				
(a) Poll Taxes	226.00	200.00		26.00
<b>Total Revenues from all Sources</b>				
Except Property Taxes	\$10,656.35	\$9,813.64	\$2,000.00	\$1,042.93
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes	\$16,307.52	\$15,054.55		
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$26,963.87</b>	<b>\$24,868.19</b>		

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WASHINGTON

### Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the En- suing Year Feb. 1, 1942 to Jan. 31, 1943 Com- pared with Actual Revenue and Expend- itures of the Previous Year Feb. 1, 1941 to Jan. 31, 1942

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1941	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1942	Increase	Decrease
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>				
<b>General Government:</b>				
Town officers' salaries	\$677.50	\$900.00	\$222.50	
Town officers' expenses	651.00	700.00	49.00	
Election and registration	29.30	72.50	43.20	
Expenses town hall and Other town buildings	8.90	50.00	41.10	
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>				
Police department	120.48	100.00		20.48
Fire department	217.29	250.00	32.71	
Moth Extermination— Blister Rust		200.00	200.00	
<b>Health:</b>				
Vital statistics	7.00	7.00		
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>				
Town maintenance	1,753.44	2,550.00	796.56	
Street lighting	1,689.69	1,689.69		
General expenses of highway department	1,295.00	1,200.00		95.00
Town Road Aid: Class V	935.10	914.00		21.10
<b>Libraries:</b>				
Libraries	175.00	175.00		
<b>Public Welfare:</b>				
Town Poor	1,803.26	1,200.00		603.26
Old Age assistance	394.20	700.00	305.80	
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>				
Memorial Day	40.00	40.00		
<b>Recreation:</b>				
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	9.84	15.00	5.16	
<b>Public Service Enterprises:</b>				
Cemeteries	54.40	25.00		29.40
<b>Interest:</b>				
On temporary loans	541.34	500.00		41.34

Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improve.

Highways and Bridges:

State aid construction—			
Town's share	640.56	630.00	10.56
New equipment	288.64		288.64

Indebtedness:

Payment on Principal of Debt:

(a) Temporary loans	7,000.00	7,000.00	
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

County Taxes	2,275.45	2,500.00	224.55
Payments to School Districts	3,320.52	3,441.00	120.48

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Total Expenditures	\$23,927.91	\$24,868.19	\$2,041.06	\$1,109.78
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## APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1941

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Town charges	\$4,447.00
Fire department	300.00
State Aid construction	640.50
Town maintenance	3,000.00
Tramp house	100.00
Street lighting	1,689.48
New equipment (portable pump)	300.00
Libraries	175.00
Memorial Day	40.00
County tax	2,275.45
School tax	3,374.00
Town hall repairs	300.00
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Total Town and School appropriations	\$16,641.43
Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:	
Interest and dividend tax	\$70.00
Insurance tax	1.50
Savings Bank tax	320.00
Motor Vehicle permit fees	200.00
House Bill No. 65	
Forest Reserve	200.00
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	\$791.50
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	\$15,849.93
Plus Overlay	739.59
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Net amount to be raised by taxation	\$16,589.52

Less Poll Taxes	\$282.00
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes on which town tax rate is figured	\$16,307.52
Taxes committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	\$16,307.52
Poll Taxes	282.00
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Total Taxes to be committed to Collector	\$16,589.52

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

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SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1941

Dr.

Taxes committed to Collector:

Non-resident property tax	\$12,303.94
Resident property tax	4,003.57
Poll tax	282.00

Total Warrant	<u>                    </u>	\$16,589.51
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Added Taxes:

Property tax	\$415.16
Poll tax	2.00
Interest collected	3.34

                      
\$420.50

                      
                      
\$17,010.01

Cr.

Total remittance to treasurer	\$14,500.64
Interest paid to treasurer	3.34
Abatements	103.77
Uncollected property tax	2,350.26
Uncollected poll tax	52.00

                      
\$17,010.01

SAMUEL N. WENGER,  
Tax Collector.



## REPORT OF TAXES TO TREASURER

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Property taxes collected	\$14,274.64
Poll taxes collected	226.00
Interest collected	3.34
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Total	\$14,503.98

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## SUMMARY OF TAX LEVY OF 1940

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Dr.	
Uncollected taxes as of	
Feb. 1, 1941	\$2,977.40
Interest collected during year	170.53
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	\$3,147.93

Cr.	
Total remittance to treasurer	\$2,932.40
Interest paid treasurer	170.53
Abatements	45.00
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	\$3,147.93

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## SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

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Dr.	
Unredeemed taxes as of Feb. 1, 1941:	
Levy of 1938	\$380.79

Levy of 1939	674.92	
Levy of 1940	399.08	
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Total unredeemed taxes as of Feb. 1, 1941		\$1,454.79
Interest collected after sale		60.37
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		\$1,515.16

	Cr.	
Total remittances to selectmen a-c redemptions		\$411.93
Abatements		17.50
Town lien sold		34.44
Deeded to town		499.12

Unredeemed taxes as of Jan. 31, 1942:		
Levy of 1939	\$237.63	
Levy of 1940	314.54	
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Total unredeemed taxes as of Jan. 31, 1942		\$552.17
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		\$1,515.16

NRMAN W. FLETCHER,  
Tax Collector.

**Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures**

	Appropriations	Expenditures
Town Maintenance	\$3,000.00	\$3,048.44
State Aid Construction	640.50	640.56
Shedd Free Library	175.00	175.00
Memorial Day	40.00	40.00
Town Hall repairs	300.00	
Fire Department	300.00	217.29
Street Lights	1,689.48	1,698.69
Forest Fire		2,732.18
County Tax	2,275.45	2,275.45
Support of Schools (unexpended 1941, \$1,474.00)	3,374.00	1,900.00
Support of Schools 1940 balance	1,367.00	1,367.00
Town Charges	4,447.00	
Town Officers' Salaries		677.50
Town Officers' Expenses		651.00
Election and Registration		29.30
Town Hall Expenses		8.90

Police Department	120.48
Vital Statistics	7.00
Town Poor	1,803.26
Old Age Assistance	394.20
Cemeteries	54.40
Refunds	19.40
Interest on Temporary Loans	541.34
Tramp House	100.00
New Equipment (Portable Pump)	300.00
	288.64

**REPORT OF TOWN CLERK**

**For Year Ending Jan. 31, 1942**

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**Dog License Report**

For Year 1940:

Number male dogs licensed 13 at \$2.00      \$26.00

For Year 1941:

Number male dogs licensed 37 at \$2.00      74.00

Number of female dogs licensed, 6 at \$5.00 30.00

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\$130.00

Credit Town Clerk's Commission                      11.20

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Balance paid to treasurer                              \$118.80

**Motor Vehicle Permits For Registration**

Number of permits for registration of automobiles 108

Cash received for permits                              \$262.44

Cash paid treasurer                                      \$262.44

S. MARTHA NEWMAN,  
Town Clerk.

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
of the  
**TOWN OF WASHINGTON**  
**IN SULLIVAN COUNTY**  
for the  
Fiscal Year Ended January 31, 1942

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**CERTIFICATE**

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This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
February 11, 1942.

ERNEST M. CAHOON,  
A. STANLEY DREW,  
HAROLD L. FARNSWORTH,

Selectmen.

FRANCES J. CRANE,

Treasurer.

## BALANCE SHEET

### ASSETS

#### Cash:

In hands of treasurer, including  
town hall repairs \$300,  
tramp house \$100                      \$1,176.84

#### Accounts Due to the Town:

Due from State:  
Bounties                                      22.80  
George Ramsey case                      66.00  
Town histories sold                      7.00  
Premium deposit on  
truck insurance                              39.50

#### Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1940                                      314.54  
Levy of 1939                                      237.63

#### Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1941                                      2,402.26

Total Assets		\$4,266.57
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)		3,326.23
Grand Total		\$7,592.80

Net Debt—Jan. 31, 1941	\$4,022.69
Net Debt—Jan. 31, 1942	3,326.23
Decrease of Debt	696.46

## BALANCE SHEET

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### LIABILITIES

#### Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to School Districts:	
Dog licenses	\$118.80
Balance of approp.	1,474.00

#### Outstanding Temporary Loans in

Anticipation of Taxes:	
Citizens National Bank,	
June 10, 1942	2,000.00
Citizens National Bank,	
March 10, 1942	2,000.00
Citizens National Bank,	
April 10, 1942	2,000.00

Total Liabilities	<hr/>	\$7,592.80
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## RECEIPTS

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### Current Revenue

#### From Local Taxes:

Total taxes committed to collector, 1941	\$17,006.67
Less abatements, 1941	103.77
Less uncollected, 1941	2,402.26

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Property taxes, current year, actually collected	\$14,274.64
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected	226.00

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Total of current year's collections	\$14,500.64
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected	2,932.40
Tax sales redeemed	175.73

#### From State:

For Class V roads	935.10
Reimbursement for tax loss of state land	246.94
Interest and dividend tax	72.86
Savings bank tax	254.88
Fight forest fires	1,271.78
Bounties	37.60

#### From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	118.80
Rent of town property:	
Fire truck	\$2.00

Tractor	5.00	
		7.00
Interest received on taxes		197.52
Registration of Motor Vehicles:		
1940		.50
1941		247.92
1942		14.02
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	5,000.00	
Reimbursement town poor	5.00	
Trust funds	2,600.00	
Sale of town property acquired by tax deed	74.50	
Cemetery lots sold	24.00	
Town histories sold	8.00	
Tax liens sold	284.60	
Fire check refund	1.20	
Refund for mowing Center cemetery	30.00	
John Warne property deeded to former owner	46.94	
Refund on registry receipts	5.05	
Refund for overdraft on fire bill	18.05	
Rebate on street lighting	88.51	
Option on fire truck	5.00	
Total receipts other than current revenue	\$8,190.85	
Total receipts from all sources		\$29,204.54
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1941		1,943.97
Grand total		\$31,148.51

## PAYMENTS

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### Current Maintenance Expenses

#### General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$677.50
Town officers' expenses	651.00
Election and registration	29.30
Expenses town hall	8.90
Police department, including care of tramps	120.48
Fire department, including forest fires	2,949.47
Bounties	22.80

#### Health:

Vital statistics	7.00
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#### Highways and Bridges:

Town road aid acct. 1940	3.32
Town Maintenance:	
Summer \$2,022.93,	
Winter \$665.61	2,688.54
Street lighting	1,698.69
General expenses of highway department	1,295.00

#### Libraries:

Libraries	175.00
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Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	394.20
Town poor	1,803.26

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day	40.00
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Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds	9.84
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Cemeteries	54.40
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Unclassified:

Legal expenses	38.70
Taxes bought by town	399.08
Refund	19.40
Dog tags	2.96
Liability insurance	113.60
Auto permits	27.00
Tax sales redemptions	36.23
Collector's fees	5.00
Registered mail and box rent	.48
Wiring observation post	2.01

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	541.34
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Total Interest Payments	<u>541.34</u>	\$541.34
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Highways and Bridges—

State Aid construction	\$640.56
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New equipment—

Portable fire pump	288.64
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	<u>288.64</u>	\$929.20
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Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$7,000.00	
Payments to trustees, trust funds	2,632.00	
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Total indebtedness payments		\$9,632.00

Payments to other Governmental Divisions:

Taxes paid to county	\$2,275.45	
Payments to school districts	3,320.52	
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Total payments to other governmental divisions		\$5,595.97
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Total payments for all purposes		\$29,971.67
Cash on hand January 31, 1942		1,176.84
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Grand total		\$31,148.51

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

### Description

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$5,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	200.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	4,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	100.00
Police Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	50.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	2,200.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	1,000.00
Equipment	2,500.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings & Equipment	3,000.00
All lands and buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:	
200a. Copeland and Metcalf land	400.00
75a. Cota land	150.00
100a. Dow pasture	200.00
28a. Clyde land	100.00
57a. Metcalf land	100.00
200a. Hoyt and Wood pasture	600.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$19,600.00</b>

## ANNUAL REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

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### Receipts

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1940	\$1,943.97
From Selectmen:	
Rebate on electric light guarantee	\$88.51
Use of tractor from Mrs. Spofford	5.00
Town Histories sold	8.00
Use of fire truck, Snow fire	2.00
Option on fire truck	5.00
Sale of tax acquired property at public auction	74.50
Refund, fire bill overdraft	18.05
Refund, Thayer check (unable to locate)	1.20
Local relief reimbursement	5.00
Cemetery lots sold	24.00
Refund mowing Center cemetery	30.00
Tax sales redeemed:	
Levy of 1938	39.00
Interest	9.17
Levy of 1939	107.33
Interest	13.59
Levy of 1940	29.40
Interest	.89

Tax liens sold:	
Levy of 1938	137.78
Levy of 1939	146.82

Trust Funds:	
Estella M. Dole, Community Church Fund	1,000.00
Estella M. Dole, Bailey Road Fund	1,000.00
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	\$2,745.24

From Ralph G. Smith Exec.:	
Etta L. Gile Trust Fund	\$500.00

From Norman W. Fletcher:	
George W. and Jennie M. Carr Trust Fund	100.00
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	\$600.00

From N. W. Fletcher, 1940 Collector:	
1940 Property taxes	\$2,856.40
1940 Poll taxes	76.00
Interest	170.53
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	\$3,102.93

From S. N. Wenger, 1941 Collector:	
1941 Property taxes	\$14,274.64
1941 Poll taxes	226.00
Interest	3.34
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	\$14,503.98

From Town Clerk:	
1940 Auto permits	.50



1941 Auto permits	247.92	
1942 Auto permits	14.02	
1940 Dog licenses	23.40	
1941 Dog licenses	95.40	
		\$381.24

From State Treasurer:

Bounty on 188 hedgehogs	37.60
Maintenance Class V highways	935.10
Savings Bank tax	254.88
Interest and Dividends tax	72.86

Forest fire reimbursements:

August 19, 1941	73.73	
July 7, 1941	1.57	
Sept. 25, 1941	4.61	
Oct. 25, 1941	40.08	
April 28, 1941	1,145.98	
Mill investigations and ban notices	5.81	
Reimbursement for loss of tax on public land	246.94	
		\$2,819.16

From Citizens National Bank:

Temporary loans	\$5,000.00	
Refund on registry receipts	5.05	
		\$5,005.05

Received from Selectmen Jan. 14, 1942:

Check of May 3, 1941 of George P. Fowler, agent for Ralph Smith and Mrs. Nerine Duarte in payment of

back taxes and interest on property acquired through Tax Collector's Deed and deeded back to former owner	\$46.94
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Total Receipts (all sources)	\$31,148.51
Less Selectmen's orders paid	29,971.67
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Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1941	\$1,176.84

Respectfully submitted,  
FRANCES J. CRANE,  
Treasurer.

MEMORIAL DAY ACCOUNT, 1941

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Receipts

Received from Town appropriation \$40.00

Payments

Rev. C. W. Turner \$5.00

Flags 8.00

American Legion, trans. 5.00

Washington Band 22.00

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\$40.00

Respectfully submitted,  
FLORENCE M. CAHOON,  
Treasurer.

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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### Town Officers' Salaries

Ernest M. Cahoon, selectman	\$146.50
A. Stanley Drew, selectman	125.00
Harold L. Farnsworth, selectman	86.50
Warren F. Adams, selectman	38.50
Hiram B. Currier, Overseer	26.00
Frances J. Crane, treasurer	50.00
Samuel N. Wenger, collector	75.00
S. Martha Newman, town clerk	50.00
Lewis P. Lincoln, auditor	31.50
Wilfred Wheeler, janitor	45.00
David E. Williams, moderator	3.50
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	\$677.50

### Town Officers' Expenses

Ernest M. Cahoon, selectman	\$53.25
A. Stanley Drew, selectman	35.00
Harold L. Farnsworth, selectman	13.50
Warren F. Adams, selectman	1.80
Frances J. Crane, treasurer	14.59
Samuel N. Wenger, collector	26.27
Norman W. Fletcher, collector	2.00
S. Martha Newman, town clerk	15.30
Lewis P. Lincoln, auditor	2.75
Abner H. Barker, trustee	3.48
Harold E. Newman, justice fees	3.50
Thomas F. Roberts, officers' bonds	45.00

Edson C. Eastman Co., office supplies	26.49
Wheeler and Clerk, office supplies	16.04
Brown and Saltmarsh, office supplies	5.56
Maxwell Press, printing and supplies	11.13
Maxwell Press, town reports	303.98
Claremont Eagle, office supplies	15.55
Clinton K. Barton, deeds and transfers	21.15
Argus Press, printing	8.25
State of New Hampshire, speed signs	8.52
Wilfred J. Boisclair, Hillsboro County Probate notices	.20
Esther G. Bennett, Cheshire County Probate notices	.10
Bernice M. Sawyer McWilliams, Sullivan County Probate notices	.40
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	\$651.00

#### Election and Registration

Lewis P. Lincoln, supervisor	\$8.80
George E. Ramsey, supervisor	8.75
Warren C. Hayford, supervisor	8.75
Warren C. Hayford, writing check lists	3.00
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	\$29.30

#### Expense of Town Buildings

Warren C. Hayford, washing windows	\$1.50
Harold L. Farnsworth, supplies	1.56
Ernest M. Cahoon, supplies	1.09
Halladay's Store, supplies	1.00
Frank S. Cutting, supplies	1.00
Wilfred Wheeler, supplies	1.25
Wilfred Wheeler, wood	1.50
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	\$8.90

### Police Department

Samuel N. Wenger, collecting dog taxes	\$5.74
Samuel N. Wenger, police duties	75.18
Samuel N. Wenger, care of tramps	14.00
Harold L. Farnsworth, care of tramps	2.11
Thompson & Hoague, supplies	22.45
Virgil N. Houghton, towing police car	1.00
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	\$120.48

### Bounties

Ernest M. Cahoon	\$10.40
A. Stanley Drew	3.80
Harold L. Farnsworth	3.40
Caroll E. Farnsworth	4.60
Walter E. Chamberlain	.60
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	\$22.80

### Vital Statistics

S. Martha Newman	\$7.00
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### Town Maintenance

Harry Newman, Agent, Summer Payroll	\$2,022.93
Winter Payroll	665.61
General Expense	1,295.00
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	\$3,983.54

### Libraries

Shedd Free Library, appropriation	\$175.00
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### Street Lighting

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$1,698.69
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### Charities

Old age assistance	\$394.20
Town poor	1,803.26
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	\$2,197.46

### Cemeteries

Frank Tucker, shoveling snow	\$2.00
Frank W. Crane, mowing	30.00
F. R. Roby, mowing	22.40
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	\$54.40

### Memorial Day

Florence M. Cahoon	\$40.00
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### Parks and Playgrounds

Wilfred Wheeler, labor	\$3.00
Augustus Day, labor	4.80
J. E. Leazott, sharpening lawn mower	1.10
Silsby & Johnson, grass shears	.94
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	\$9.84

### Legal Expenses

Barton & Andler:	
Retainer fees	\$15.00
Taxes and Deed re Warne estate	3.00
Conference	1.00
Drafting four quitclaim deeds	12.00
Toll call	.20
Five tax collector's deeds	7.50
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	\$38.70

**Taxes Bought By Town**

Norman Fletcher \$399.08

**Discounts and Refunds**

Refund, Edward F. Stevens \$19.40

**Tax Sales Redeemed**

Town treasurer \$36.23

**Interest**

Sugar River Savings Bank \$42.22

Citizens National Bank 499.12

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\$541.34

**Temporary Loans**

Citizens National Bank \$5,000.00

Sugar River Savings Bank 2,000.00

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\$7,000.00

**Payment to Trust Funds**

Etta L. Gile Fund \$500.00

Community Church Fund 1,000.00

Bailey Road Fund 1,000.00

George & Jennie Carr Fund 100.00

Cemetery Lot, Washington Center 8.00

Cemetery Lots, East Washington 24.00

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\$2,632.00

**Taxes Paid to County**

County Treasurer, levy of 1941 \$2,275.45



### Payments to School District

#### School Treasurer:

1940-41 appropriation balance	\$1,420.52
1941-42 appropriation	1,900.00

#### Unclassified

Wheeler & Clark, dog tags	\$2.96
Marshall A. Derby, workmen's compensation and liability insurance	113.60
S. Martha Newman, auto permit fees	27.00
State Treasurer, balance of 1940 TRA	3.32
Ernest M. Cahoon, registered mail and box rent	.48
Public Service Co. of N. H., wiring observation post	2.01
Norman W. Fletcher, tax collector fees	5.00
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	\$154.37

#### S. A. O. Construction

State treasurer	\$604.56
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#### New Equipment

W. S. Darley Co., portable fire pump	\$288.64
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#### Abner H. Barker, Warden

##### Forest fire:

West Side of Long Pond	\$80.16
Drinkwater's Camp	9.22
Baker's Mill	147.45
Lowell Place	16.16
Carr Place	35.84
Snow fire	13.85
Posting ban notices	7.13

Marlow Stoddard Washington Fire	2,422.37
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	\$2,732.18

**Fire Department**

Abner H. Barker, Chief:

Garage rent	\$17.50
Labor	15.50
Telephone	2.80
Mileage	1.98
Federal use stamp	2.09
Harold G. Fairbanks, repairs	27.60
Robert W. Haskell Ass'n, supplies	31.48
P. M. Young, gas, oil and supplies	15.09
Marshall A. Derby, fire truck insurance	93.85
Halladay's Store, flashlight batteries	4.80
Newport Motor Co., chain hooks	2.70
Batchelder & Cressy, paint	1.90
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	\$217.29

## ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

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Money available:	
Town appropriation	\$3,000.00
Gas tax	935.10
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	\$3,935.10
Money received from Selectmen	\$3,983.54
Money spent:	
Summer report	\$2,022.93
Winter report	665.61
General expense and winter	1,295.00
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Total expenditure	\$3,983.54

## SUMMER REPORT

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Harry Newman, agent	\$321.95
John Remes, hand	140.00
E. R. McGray, hand	137.60
Frank Roby, hand	81.60
Harry Severance, hand	60.80
Alfred Tandy, hand	130.40
Clinton Cornell, hand	48.40
Bert Craig, hand	97.60

W. C. Hayford, hand	92.40
John Leeds, hand	87.20
John Newman, hand	16.00
Frank Tucker, hand	122.00
George Ramsey, hand	219.20
Phil Gaudet, hand	3.20
A. S. Drew, hand	2.40
P. H. Crane, hand	2.00
Gus Day, hand	3.20
James Dowlin, hand	9.20
E. E. Blanchard, hand	18.40
Shirley Blanchard, hand	3.20
C. Farnsworth, hand	7.60
Charles Hersey, driller	17.40
E. V. Kemp, compressor	72.50
F. P. Dodge, truck	7.20
Harry Newman, truck	297.60

**Bills Paid by Road Agent**

J. M. Moulton	1.20
P. E. Belisle	6.90
J. W. Wood	6.00
F. S. Cutting	9.78

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\$2,022.93

Respectfully submitted,  
**HARRY NEWMAN,**  
 Road Agent.

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**WINTER REPORT**

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Harry Newman, agent	\$226.71
John Remes, hand	59.70

A. S. Drew, hand	95.10
Phil Gaudet, hand	2.00
W. C. Hayford, hand	85.70
John Newman, hand	18.40
E. R. McGray, hand	82.00
W. D. Otterson Jr., hand	4.40
Fred Otterson, hand	4.40
W. D. Otterson Sr., hand	6.40
Allen Plumb, hand	7.20
George Ramsey, hand	2.40
Frank Tucker	1.60
Alfred Tandy, hand	2.40
Clinton Cornell, hand	4.00
Abner Barker, hand	6.00
Frank Roby, hand	7.60
H. Farnsworth, hand	2.00
P. H. Crane, hand	1.20
Harry Severance, hand	6.40
Harry Newman, truck	38.40

**Bill Paid by Road Agent**

Harry Newman	1.60
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	\$665.61

**GENERAL EXPENSE**

**Bills For Summer**

John Remes	\$9.20
Harold Fairbanks	96.44
P. M. Young	9.37

Bill's Auto Service	.75
E. P. Flint, blacksmith	2.50
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.	65.96
Standard Oil Co.	99.76
Merit Steel Co.	62.52
Eastman Oil Co.	35.00
P. I. Perkins	35.11
Guy Veino	134.78
J. A. Fleming	61.04
Farm Bureau, truck insurance	30.14
James Oski	9.95
Halladay's Store	17.66
N. H. Explosive Co.	70.70
Western Auto	7.50
Farmer's Feed & Supply	3.00
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	\$751.38

Respectfully submitted,  
**HARRY NEWMAN,**  
 Road Agent.

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**Bills for Winter**

Marshall Derby, tractor insurance	\$17.25
Farm Bureau, truck insurance	30.00
Standard Oil Co.	153.07
Concord Welding	45.00
Bill's Auto Service	16.41
Farmer's Feed & Supply	19.88
P. I. Perkins	21.23
Harold Fairbanks	74.18
Public Service	1.68
Guy Veino	43.28
Moulton's Store	4.50

James Oski	16.20
D. Williams, gravel	4.00
C. I. Nelson, gravel	32.80
A. O. Blakney, gravel	7.10
United Steel	52.86
Harry Newman, used car stamps	4.18
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	\$543.62

Respectfully submitted,  
HARRY NEWMAN,  
Road Agent.

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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Washington, N. H., February 19, 1942.

I have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Road Agent, Trustees of Trust Funds and Trustees of the Shedd Free Library for the fiscal year ending January 31st, 1942. I find them correctly cast and properly vouched. I have examined the books of the Tax Collector. I find the Warrant correct and the list of Taxes correctly cast. A verification of the Uncollected Taxes as shown by the Tax Collectors book and report disclosed three cases of Taxes paid which were not credited or accounted for. I am informed by the Selectmen that these have been accounted for since February 1st, 1942. However as of January 31, 1942 the list of uncollected Tax was incorrect.

LEWIS P. LINCOLN,  
Town Auditor.



Report of Trust Funds of the Town of Washington, N. H., February 1, 1942  
East Washington Cemetery Trust Funds Account

Name and Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Principal	Per Cent of Int.	On Hand January 31, 1941	Interest Received	Paid on Lot	On Hand January 31, 1942
Ellen M. Lewis, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$100 00	2 1/2		2 51	\$2 51	
Julia Tandy, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	
Hannah B. Chase, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	75 00	2 1/2		1 88	1 88	
Abbie M. Woodbury, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200 00	2 1/2		5 03	5 03	
Edward Woodward, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1 154 55	2 1/2		28 98	7 84	
Ellen Dickinson, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200 00	2 1/2		5 03	5 03	
Ida Crosby, Cemetery Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 50	2 50	
C. B. Gallond, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	
Hittie Gilman, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150 00	2 1/2	01	3 77	3 78	
Georgiana Muzzey, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200 00	2 1/2		5 03	5 03	
Ella Abbott, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	
Levi M. Powers and Simon Ayers, C. F.	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	
Charles D. Proctor, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	
Hiram J. Gage, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	
Grace Bixby, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	125 00	2 1/2		3 14	3 14	
Eugene C. Gage, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	
Hiram Nichols, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	
Charles Little, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/2		2 51	2 51	

H. B. Adams, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$100 00 21/2	\$2 51	\$2 51
Andrew J. Cutting, Cemetery Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 50	2 50
William H. Manahan Jr., Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200 00 21/2	5 03	3 25
Jennie Tricartin Fox, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200 00 21/2	5 03	5 03
Joseph Clark Jones, Cemetery Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00 3	3 02	3 02
Joseph C. Jones and Frank Morrill, C. F.	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00 3	2 52	2 52
Etta L. Gile, Cemetery Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	500 00		
George W. and Jennie M. Carr, C. Fund.	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00		
*Paid on yard, \$21.14				

Washington Center Cemetery and Other Trust Funds Account

G. Dinsmore, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$100 00 21/2	\$2 51	\$2 51
M. F. Fowler, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
Albert Codman, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00 21/2	1 26	1 26
Roxanna Atwood, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
Greeley Putney, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00 21/2	1 26	1 26
Arthur Jaquith, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	961 69 21/2	24 17	6 00
Henry Willard, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
Sarah M. Blanchard, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
Angeline Mellen, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00 21/2	1 26	1 26
D. Heald and J. Burbank, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
E. Hall and Geo. Way, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
David Buffum, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00 21/2	1 26	1 26
Adelaid M. Hill, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00 21/2	1 26	1 26
Fred H. Mellen, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
Belle C. Ball, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00 21/2	1 26	1 26
C. McKinley, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00 21/2	1 26	1 26
George W. Dutton, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
William Shaw, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
George D. Trow, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 51	2 51
Albert T. Wright, Cemetery Fund	Indian Head National Bank	50 00 2	82	82
Clara L. Healy, Cemetery Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	250 00 21/2	6 25	6 25
Mason H. Dole, Cemetery Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	100 00 21/2	2 50	2 50

Report of Trust Funds of the Town of Washington, N. H., February 1, 1942  
Washington Center Cemetery and Other Trust Funds Account  
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Name and Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Principal	Per Cent of Int.	On Hand January 31, 1941	Interest Received	Paid on Lot	On Hand January 31, 1942
H. G. Newman, Cemetery Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	\$100 00	2 1/2		\$2 50	\$2 50	
Story and French, Cemetery Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	200 00	2 1/2		5 00	5 00	
George Newman, Cemetery Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	50 00	2 1/2		1 25	1 25	
O. Hartwell, Cemetery Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	3		3 02	3 02	
Timothy Barney, Cemetery Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	50 00	3		1 50	1 50	
D. S. Chapman, Cemetery Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	3		3 02	3 02	
Town of Washington Cemetery Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	616 90	3		17 66	17 66	
Sarah Shedd, Library Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	2 500 00	3		75 00	75 00	
Penneman School Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	500 00	3		15 11	15 11	
Roxanna Atwood, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	3 000 00	2 1/2		75 46	75 46	
Roxanna Atwood, School Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	74 07	2 1/2		1 85	1 85	
Russell Tubbs, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	480 63	2 1/2		12 08	12 08	
Russell Tubbs, School Fund	Hillsboro Savings Bank	500 00	2 1/2		12 50	12 50	
Russell Tubbs, School Fund	Newport Savings Bank	1 000 00	2 1/2		25 15	25 15	
Mason H. Dole, Cemetery Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	1 000 00	3				
D. S. Chapman, Cemetery Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	3 984 26	3	53 50	120 42	*140 59	833 33

<sup>o</sup> Paid on Yard \$18.17. <sup>oo</sup> Spent in East Washington. \*Paid on Yard \$140.59.

GEORGE P. FOWLER, F. R. ROBY, FRANK W. CRANE, Trustees.

## SHEDD FREE LIBRARY

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### Receipts

On hand Feb. 1, 1941	\$18.69	
Town appropriation	175.00	
Interest on trust funds	75.00	
Fines	9.50	
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		\$278.19

### Payments

Librarian's salary	\$82.50	
Magazines	27.25	
Books	73.53	
Wood	13.00	
Insurance	10.71	
Raking and cleaning yard	2.92	
Stamps	1.75	
Miscellaneous expenses of library	13.21	
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		\$224.87

Amount on hand Feb. 1, 1942 \$53.32

SARAH A. LINCOLN,  
Treasurer.

STATE AID BOOKS SENT WASHINGTON

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Aldington	Viking book of poetry
Boylston	Carol goes backstage
Burgess	Flower book for children
Cronin	Keys of the kingdom
Dark	Timeless land
DeLaRoche	Wakefield's course
Flack	Angus and the cat
James	Scorpion a good bad horse
Kelland	Silver spoon
Lincoln	New Hope
Miller	White cliffs
Baltis	Plants in the House
Cowles	1001 Sandwiches

**BOOKS PURCHASED FOR  
SHEDD FREE LIBRARY**

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I Don't Like Cats	Anson
Wives To Burn	Blockman
Country Schoolma'am	Lutes
Gambler's Chance	Hendryx
The Wounded Don't Cry	Reynolds
Justice Deferred	Raine
Doctor Wood	Seabrook
The Best I Know	Smith
Young Ames	Edmonds
Single Ladies	Hurst
All That Glitters	Keyes
Beyond Tomorrow	Larrimore
Dr. Kildare's Crisis	Brand
Frenchman's Creek	Du Maurier
Dragon Seed	Buck
Border Line	Gregory
The Little Secretary	Hauck
Girl of The Woods	Hill
Army Doctor	Seifert
Case of The Howling Dog	Gardner
Keeper of The Keys	Biggers
Shadows Tonight	Seifert
Dude Woman	Kyne
Return of The Rio Kid	Davis
Singing Guns	Brand
This Above All	Knight
Flotsam	Remarque

Random Harvest	Hilton
Out of The Night	Valtin
My Shadow In The Sun	Davis
"Hoss" Doctor	Dinsmore
For Whom The Bells Toll	Hemingway
Christmas Holiday	Maugham
Murder On High Heels	Burke
Windswept	Chase
Botany Bay	Nordoff-Hall
Strange Woman	Williams
Murder In The Casino	Wells
Death After Lunch	Abrahams
Practical Furniture Finishing	Patton
Four Years In Paradise	Johnson
His Wife The Doctor	McCord
The Hill of Doves	Cloete
Nurses Are People	Hancock
Berlin Diary	Shirer

#### Juvenile

The Clue of The Broken Locket	Keene
Barberry Gate	Abbott
Maida's Little House	Irwin
The Secret of The Old Mill	Dixon
Ken Ward In The Jungle	Grey
The Wolf Hunters	Curwood

#### Books Donated

At The Earth's Core	Burroughs
Doomsday	Deeping
The Wall	Rinehart
Wayside Thoughts and Fancies	Jeffery
How America Lives	Furnas
Flowering Thorn	Sharp
Nutmeg Tree	Sharp
Needle's Eye	Train
Spanish Cape Mystery	Queen

Dutch Shoe Mystery	Queen
Song After Midnight	Miller
Little Doctor	Hauck
Rogue Herries	Walpole
Fortress	Walpole
Judith Paris	Walpole
Lisa Vale	Prouty
Unseen	Terhune
Young and Secret	Rosman
Williams Room	Rosman
Before I Forget	Rascoe
The Spoilers	Beach
Deep Dark River	Rylee
The Letter	Maugham
Green Bay Tree	Bromfield
Tale of Bali	Baum
A Good Woman	Bromfield
Blue Envelope Murder	Packard
Sleeping Child	Rosman
Truth To Tell	Rosman
If Dreams Come True	Colver
Dimmest Dream	Colver
Lonely Road	Farnol
Crooked Furrow	Farnol
Happy Harvest	Farnol
Time Out of Mind	Field
Bound Copy National Geographic Magazine	
	Jan.-June 1914
Cumulative Index To National Geographic	
	1899 to 1940 Inclusive

#### Juvenile

Larkspur	Abbott
Little Aunt	Taggart
Prudence Omnibus	Hueston
Mysterious Monoplane	Adams
Star	Hooker



## SCHOOL WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Washington qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the tenth day of March 1942, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate \$550.00 for transporting high school children for a school year. (By request).

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Washington this 16th day of February 1942.

AMY A. FARNSWORTH,  
JOHN V. DYER,  
PERLEY H. CRANE,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

AMY A. FARNSWORTH,  
JOHN V. DYER,  
PERLEY H. CRANE,

School Board.

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE WASHINGTON  
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

For The Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1940 and  
Ending June 30, 1941

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**CERTIFICATE**

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This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire (Commissioners' Report 1941), and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

AMY FARNSWORTH,  
JOHN V. DYER,  
PERLEY H. CRANE,

School Board.

VINCENT GATTO,

Superintendent.

July 14, 1941.

### Receipts

Income from local taxation	\$2,967.00
From Sources Other Than Taxation:	
Dog licenses	\$53.52
Elementary school tuitions	575.06
Income from local trust funds	142.15
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Total	\$770.73
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Total receipts from all sources	3,737.73
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1940	708.96
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Grand total	\$4,446.69

### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Washington, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

LEWIS P. LINCOLN,

Auditor.

July 11, 1941.

## PAYMENTS

### Distribution of Expenditures

	Total Amount	General Expense	Support of High School	Support of Elem. Schools
<b>Administration:</b>				
Salaries of district officers	\$120.00	\$120.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	73.68	73.68		
Truant officers and school census	10.90	10.90		
Expenses of administration	23.49	23.49		
<b>Instruction:</b>				
Principals' and teacher's salaries	1,950.00			\$1,950.00
Text books	40.14			40.14
Scholars' supplies	68.17			68.17
Flags and appurtenances	3.78			3.78
Other expenses of instruction	1.98			1.98
<b>Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:</b>				
Janitor service	111.00			111.00
Fuel	76.00			76.00

Water, light, janitor's supplies	18.63		18.63
Minor repairs and expenses	62.58		62.58
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:			
Medical inspection, health supervision	75.45		75.45
Transportation of pupils	778.90		778.90
High school and academy tuition	392.05	392.05	
Other special activities			
Fixed Charges:	3.75		3.75
Tax for state wide supervision	82.00	82.00	
Insurance and other fixed charges	103.00	103.00	
Outlay for Construction and Equipment:			
New equipment	3.50	3.50	
Debt, Interest and Other Charges:			
Payments of notes or bills from previous year	123.15	123.15	
Total payments for all purposes			
	\$4,122.15	\$539.72	\$392.05
Total cash on hand at end of year June 30, 1941	324.54		\$3,190.38
Grand total	\$4,446.69		

**BALANCE SHEET**

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**Assets, June 30, 1941**

Cash on hand:

Balance June 30, 1941	\$324.54
Total Assets	\$324.54

**Liabilities, June 30, 1941**

Total Liabilities	\$324.54
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## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

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To Mr. Vincent Gatto, Superintendent of Schools:

My report of the health work from Jan. 1941 to Jan. 1942 follows:

Number pupils examined	28
Number 10% underweight	4
Number defective vision cases	1
Number defective teeth	10
Number diseased tonsils	2
Number pediculosis cases (attended to)	2
Number skin defects (acne)	1

### CORRECTIONS

Defective vision, corrected to glasses	1
Defective teeth	16
Class-room inspections	9
School visits	17
Official visits	6
Home visits	4
Days given to school work	8

The Audiometer is requisitioned for a hearing test, in the near future. It was provided by the American Legion Association for use in the schools, and is the most accurate method for detecting aural defects.

First Aid Kits were replenished.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARGARET E. HARRIS, R. N.



**ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER**  
**For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1941**

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**SUMMARY**

Cash on hand June 30, 1940	\$708.96
Received from selectmen, approp. for current year	\$2,967.00
Dog tax	53.52
Income from trust funds	142.15
Received from all other sources	575.06
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	\$3,737.73
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Total amount available for fiscal year	4,446.69
Less School Board orders paid	4,122.15
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1941	\$324.54

FRANCES J. CRANE,  
District Treasurer.

July 8, 1941.

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**AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Washington, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941 and find them correct in all respects.

LEWIS P. LINCOLN,  
Auditor.

July 11, 1941.

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

DATE	FROM WHOM	SOURCE	AMOUNT
1940			
July 1	George P. Fowler	Cash on hand	\$708.96
July 25		Tubbs Fund Dividend	12.08
Oct. 17	Selectmen	Atwood Fund Dividend	75.46
Oct. 17	Selectmen	Part of 1940-41 School Money	300.00
Nov. 18	Selectmen	Part of 1940-41 School Money	900.00
Dec. 31	Selectmen	Part of 1940-41 School Money	400.00
1941			
Jan. 13	School Dist. of Windsor	4 months Tuition, Dole School	255.56
Feb. 11	Selectmen	Part of 1940-41 School Money	150.00
March 14	Selectmen	Part of 1940-41 School Money	350.00
March 20	School Dist. of Windsor	2 months Tuition, Dole School	127.78
April 8	Selectmen	Part of 1940-41 School Money	250.00
May 16	Selectmen	Bal. of 1940-41 School Money	617.00
May 23	George P. Fowler	1940 Dog Tax	53.52
		Tubbs Fund Dividend	37.65
		Atwood Fund Dividend	1.85
		Penniman Fund Dividend	15.11
June 14	School Dist. of Windsor	Bal. of 1940-41 Tuition Dole Sch.	191.72

TOTAL RECEIPTS DURING YEAR

\$4,446.69

## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1942-1943

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### School District of Washington

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1942.

### Detailed Statement of Expenditures

#### Support of Schools:

	Elementary
Teachers' salaries	\$2,000.00
Text books	50.00
Scholars' supplies	50.00
Flags and appurtenances	10.00
Other expenses of instruction	10.00
Janitor service	72.00
Fuel	80.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	25.00
Minor repairs and expenses	50.00
Health supervision (medical inspection)	70.00
Transportation of pupils	500.00
Other special activities	5.00
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	\$2,922.00

#### Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of district officers (Fixed by district)	\$120.00
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Truant Officer and School Census (Fixed by district)	10.00	
Payment of tuition in High schools and academies (estimated by board)	510.00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by supervisory union)	75.00	
Per capita tax (report of state treasurer)	102.00	
Janitor's excess salary	39.00	
Other obligations imposed by law or established by district	15.00	
		\$871.00
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Total amount required to meet School Board's budget		\$3,793.00

**Estimated Income of District**

Balance June 30, 1942	\$362.00	
Income trust funds	140.00	
Elementary School tuition receipts (Windsor)	400.00	
		\$902.00
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Assessment required to balance School Board's budget		\$2,891.00

AMY FARNSWORTH,  
JOHN V. DYER,  
PERLEY H. CRANE,

School Board.

Washington, Feb. 16. 1942.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and the Citizens of the Washington School District:

I take pleasure in presenting a brief account concerning the Washington schools.

### SCHOOL ORGANIZATION

School Board: Mrs. Amy Farnsworth, chairman; John V. Dyer, Perley H. Crane.

Superintendent of Schools: Vincent Gatto, Ed. M., Hillsboro, N. H.

School Nurse: Margaret E. Harris, R. N., Keene.

Teacher	School	Salary	N.H. App.
Mrs. Doris Newman	Dole	\$900.00	Certificate
Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts	Center	900.00	Certificate

Miss Frances Shaughnessy, Music supervisor, salary \$200.00.

The following pupils were graduated from the Washington public schools in June 1941.

Clinton Cornell, Elizabeth Ramsey, Eunice Ramsey, Hazel Woodrow,

The following pupils receive honorable mention for having maintained perfect attendance during the school year 1940-1941, for the number of periods indicated. The school year consists of thirty-seven weeks divided into four periods. Henry Daigle, entire year; Erwin Day, one period; Sidney Blanchard, one period; Virginia Daigle, two periods; Dorothy Duefield, one period; Donald Crane, three periods; Ruth Day, two periods; Mildred Crane, three periods; Leda Day, three periods; Robert Crane, three periods; Gloria Woodrow, two periods; Harley Nelson, one period; Mary Day, one period; Hazel Woodrow, one period; William Howe, one period; George Ramsay, one period; Mary Ellen Young, two periods; Clinton Cornell, one period; Phebe Ramsey, one period.

#### GENERAL DISCUSSION

The Washington schools opened in the fall with a registration of eleven children at the Center school, and twenty at the Dole. Last year's teachers secured other positions at the close of school in June. Consequently we engaged the services of two other teachers both of whom had previous successful experience.

One of our problems has been catering to the children of temporary residents of the town who usually move on with the expiration of lumbering activities. This case of children creates problems of transportation, the purchase of additional books and supplies, and their fitting into our teaching program. We do the best we can to maintain suitable educational advantages for all the children who come to us.

At the present time we have two or three children attending high schools in neighboring towns. I say two or three because some of them keep moving from town to town, which makes it difficult oftentimes to decide who is responsible for the payment of their tuition. The question of transportation for high school children has bothered some. It is unfortunate that the law makes no provision to transport high school children unless they are below fourteen years of age. Lack of transportation to high school often keeps worthy boys and girls out of high school. This is a common difficulty in our state. Perhaps the Federal government should do something about it. However we should do something for ourselves.

The school board and the superintendent meet regularly in order to attend to the duties of their offices. We should be glad to welcome to our meetings interested individuals who may wish to present any problems of importance.

In these days of national and international strife let us not lose sight of the fact that the education of our boys and girls must go on uninterrupted even by the lure of high wages. We need constantly all the advantages which education affords in order to maintain and propagate the democratic principles for the defense of which we have taken up arms. Dictatorships do not thrive among enlightened peoples.

Respectfully yours,  
VINCENT GATTO,  
Superintendent of Schools.  
Hillsboro, N. H., February 9, 1941.

## VITAL STATISTICS

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### Marriages

- Jan. 1, 1941—In Hillsboro, N. H. Glendon Perley Crane and Josephine Anna Gardner, Rev. Frank A. M. Coad, Hillsboro, N. H.
- June 25, 1941—In Washington, N. H. Lester Manfred Small and Carolyn Louise Farnsworth, Rev. N. M. Address, Stoneham, Mass.
- Aug. 24, 1941—In Washington, N. H. Otto Herman Arns and Haroldine Morton Chace, Rev. Charles Wm. Turner, Antrim, N. H.

### Births

- Jan. 19, 1941—Patricia Mae Blanchard. Shirley Lammore Blanchard and Theda Mae Houghton.
- April 15, 1941—Stanley Leroy Monroe Clarence Leroy Monroe and Genevieve Frances Vinton.
- Aug. 18, 1941—Velmar Ann Ramsey. George Ernest Ramsey and Sarah Julia Wood.



Aug. 29, 1941—Elizabeth Ann Perrault. Walter Joseph Perrault and Evaline Martin.

Dec. 24, 1941—Gerald Shirley Blanchard. Shirley Larmour Blanchard and Theda Mae Houghton.

### Deaths

Feb. 5, 1941—Hattie Susan Shaw, aged 71 years, died in Hillsboro, N. H.

Feb. 6, 1941—Alice J. Sawyer, aged 86 years, died in Concord, N. H.

Feb. 15, 1941—Addie Smith, aged 77 years, died in Goffstown, N. H.

Feb. 28, 1941—Robert Harrison Tandy, aged 67 years, died in Newport, N. H.

June 16, 1941—Max Strachman, aged 52 years, died in Washington, N. H.

Oct. 6, 1941—Carrie L. Goodwin, aged 86 years, died in New York, N. Y.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to best of my knowledge and belief.

S. MARTHA NEWMAN,  
Town Clerk.