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-ANNUAL REPORT-

HANOVER, N. H.

TOWN PRECINCT TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1





ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN

AND OTHER OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Hanover, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31
1918

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Chief of Police L. H. JONES

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the town of Hanover in the County of Grafton in the State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

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

1st. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing, also two delegates to the constitutional convention which are to be elected by Australian ballot.

2nd. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3rd. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars, the same or such part thereof as may be necessary, to be expended for the construction or purchase of a snow roller.

4th. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen dollars, the same or such part thereof as may be necessary, to be expended for the purchase of U. S. Flags to decorate the graves of G. A. R. men.

5th. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, the same to be expended, or such part thereof as may be necessary, under the direction of the selectmen in co-operation with the State and Federal agents engaged in the work of ex-

terminating and preventing the spread of the disease commonly known as pine blister rust. It being understood that a like amount shall be available from both the State and Federal Governments.

6th. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto, and transact any business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-third day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighteen.

DON S. BRIDGMAN
FRANK I. SPENCER
EDWIN P. MERRILL

Selectmen

of
Hanover

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

DON S. BRIDGMAN | Selectmen | FRANK I. SPENCER | of | Hanover

BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the year February 1, 1918-January 31, 1919, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the year February 15, 1917 to January 31, 1918.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

From State	Actual Revenue Previous Year	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year
Insurance Tax	\$39 94	\$50
Railroad Tax	261 04	275
Savings Bank Tax	3,528 49	3,675
For Fighting Forest Fires	114 70	50
For Highways		
State Aid Maintenance		
(including Precinct)	396 61	525
Trunk Line Maintenance		
(including Precinct)	2,097 88	2,500
For Bounties		50
From County for Poor	41 60	230
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXE	ES	
All Licenses and Permits exce	ept	
Dog Licenses	301 35	250
Fines	45 00	50
Highway Supplies	25 44	
FROM POLL TAXES	1,126 00	1,100
From Uncollected Taxes of 1917		3,800
From Notes Issued (includi	ng	
\$2,817 09 to cover increa	ise	
of uncollected taxes over la	ast	
year)	4,018 81	

Revenue Applicable Only to New Construction

FROM ST	ATE				
For	State	Aid	Highway	Con-	
	structio	n'			1,125

Revenue Which Must Be Paid to Other Governmental Divisions

School Funds, by votes of	dis-		
tricts and by law	21,958	50	
School Funds, state, etc.	2,891	04	
Precinct, by vote of district	8,867	00	
Total Revenues from all			
Sources Except Town			
Property Taxes	\$45,713	40	13,680
Amount Raised by Property Taxes	21,306	84	23,320
Total Revenues, 1917 Total Estimated, 1918,	\$67,020	24	
omitting Schools and Pred	inct		\$37,000

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURE

Current Maintenance Expenses

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year
GENERAL GOVERNMENT		
Salaries and Expenses of	Town	
Officers	\$1,742 03	\$1,800
Election and Registration	Ex-	
penses	50 00	200
Municipal Court Expenses	200 00	200
Protection of Persons and	Property	
Forest Fires	229 40	100
Bounties	34 20	25
Dog Account	20 00	<i>7</i> 5
HEALTH		
Health Department	23 50	25
Vital Statistics	21 75	25
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES		
State Aid Maintenance,		
State's Contribution	71 <i>77</i>	95

State Aid Maintenance,			0.5
Town's Contribution	37	28	95
Trunk Line Maintenance,			
State's Contribution	1,447	36	1,760
Trunk Line Maintenance,	4 4 7 2		
Town's Contribution	1,453		1,765
Town Maintenance	2,710	72	3,000
Town Maintenance,			
East Side Road	357		350
Insurance	99	95	100
Education			
Library	220	50	220
Charities			
County Poor		10	200
Damages and Legal Expenses	7 7 9		50
Interest	97	25	100
Outlay for New Construction and Per	manent	Imp	rovements
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES			
State Aid Construction,			
State's Contribution			175
State Aid Construction,			
Town's Contribution			885
Indebtedness			
To Restore Trust Funds	4,000	00	
Temporary Notes			4,000
Payments to Other Governmental Div	isions		
State Taxes	6,332	50	5,960
COUNTY TAXES	4,960	33	4,960
Precinct			
Share of Road Tax and Precinc	et		
Tax	12,967	00	4,100
Taxes to obtain State Aid	3,272		3,060
State Aid	975	36	1,975
. 9			

School District No. 1	
By vote of District and by	
Law 16,496 75	
State Funds, etc. 2,092 81	
Town School District	
By vote of District and by Law 5,461 75	
State Funds, etc. 827 68	
Miscellaneous	
To carry uncollected taxes and to	
meet emergencies	1,700
TOTAL EXPENDITURES, 1917 \$67,032 16	
Total Budget, 1918, omitting	
Schools and Precinct	\$37,000
EFFECT ON TAX RATE	
Assessed Valuation Previous Year	\$3,290,000
Estimated Increase	10,000
Estimated Assessed Valuation Ensuing Year	\$3,300,000
Amount required by Budget to be Raised by	
Property Taxes	\$23,320
Tax Rate Ensuing Year per \$100 of Val-	
uation	75 cents
Every Appropriation of \$1000 in addition to	\
the Estimates in this Budget will raise	
the Tax	3 cents

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Current Assets

Cash		
In hands of Treasurer of Town I	Library	\$104 45
Accounts Due Town		
Due from the State		
State Aid Construction	\$620 54	
State Aid Maintenance	353 39	
State Aid Trunk Line Maintenan	ce 152 12	
Bounties	34 20	
Due from the County		
Poor	32 79	
Taxes not Collected		
Levy of 1912 \$33 07		
Levy of 1913 18 58		
Levy of 1914 12 72		
Levy of 1915 55 64		
Levy of 1916 389 73		
Levy of 1917 3,449 83		
	3,959 57	
		5,152 61
Other Assets		
Highway Supplies, plank, etc.		100 00
Road Machinery, Tools		
One-third interest in steam roller	\$200 00	
Four road machines	300 00	
One sprinkler	200 00	
One roller	100 00	
Gasoline engine pump and truck	140 00	
Derrick and outfit	85 00	

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Total Current Liabilities		\$6,682 ===	
Balances for Special Purposes			
Due to schools, dog licenses \$28 Town Library Fund 10 State Aid Construction 52 State Aid Construction, Precinct 53 State Aid Maintenance 12 State Aid Maintenance Precinct 29	7 52 4 45 8 59 2 45 6 47 0 16 1 88		
		\$2,181	52
Note Payable		4,018	81
Total Current Liabilities Excess of Current Assets over Liability	TES	\$6,200 481	
Total		\$6,682	06
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SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

(Not including Trust Funds)

Ends and the ball to the Man	TT': -11
Endowment of two beds in the Mary	Hitchcock
Memorial Hospital	\$10,000 00
Library Building at Etna	3,000 00
Storehouse at Etna	350 00
	\$13,350 00

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue				
From Local Taxes				
Property and poll taxes, cur-				
rent year	\$52,105	86		
Property and poll taxes, pre-				
vious years	970	78		
Property bid in by town pre-				
vious year	171	70		
			\$53,248	34
From State				
For Highways				
For State Aid Maintenance	\$396	61		
For Trunk Line Maintenance				
Insurance Tax	39			
Railroad Tax	261			
Savings Bank Tax	3,528			
Literary Fund	353			
School Fund	2,250			
Fighting forest fires	114	70		
			9,042	18
FROM COUNTY				
For Support of Poor			41	60
From Local Sources Except Tax	ES			
Dog licenses	\$287			
Billiard and bowling licenses	156			
Vendors licenses and taxes	154			
Fines from Municipal Court	45			
Supplies sold	25	44		
			669	31
Total Current Revenue Receipts			\$63,001	43
Receipts Other Than Curren	t Reven	ues		
Notes Payable			4,018	
Cash on hand beginning of year			11	92
GRAND TOTAL			\$67,032	16

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses GENERAL GOVERNMENT Salaries and expenses of town \$1,742 03 Election and registration expenses 50 00 Municipal court expenses 200 00 PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY 229 40 Forest fires 34 20 Bounties 20 00 Damage by dogs HEALTH Health department 23 50 21 75 Vital statistics HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES "State Aid Maintenance" joint account 109 05 "Trunk Line Maintenance" joint account 2.901 15 2,710 72 Town Maintenance Town Maintenance, East Side Roads 357 46 99 95 Insurance EDUCATION 220 50 Library CHARITIES County poor 49 10 DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES 779 66 Total Current Maintenance Expenses \$9,548 47 Interest Paid on Trust Funds 97 25

Indebtedness

4,000 00 Trust Funds, balance paid Payments to Other Governmental Divisions \$6,332 50 Taxes paid to State Taxes paid to County 4,960 33 Payments to Village Precinct of 17,214 62 Hanover Payments to School District No. 1 18,589 56 Payments to Town School District 6,289 43 53,386 44

Total Payments for All Purposes

\$67,032 16 =====

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Salaries and Expenses of Town Off	ICERS	
J. H. Foster, auditor	\$5	00
H. C. Edgerton, auditor	5	00
W. J. Randolph, record of trans-		
fers	5	58
R. S. Cross, services	5	00
J. E. Cassin, use of car	5	00
N. A. Frost, surety bonds	21	00
The Dartmouth Press, printing		
reports, etc.		25
E. T. Ford, stamps		25
P. S. Dow, services		00
E. T. Ford, stamps		87
L. E. Hartshorn, binding		50
The Dartmouth Press, printing		34
Nash & Tenney		30
F. W. Davison, rent of office	100	00
Town of Lebanon, expense per-		
ambulating	6	00
Town of Lyme expense perambu-		
lating		50
H. F. Hoyt, collecting taxes	225	
A. D. Storrs, for supplies		50
D. B. Russell, town treasurer	110	
J. Chesley, collecting taxes	450	00
F. I. Spencer, services and ex-		
penses	101	
E. P. Merrill, services and expenses	140	25
D. S. Bridgman, services and ex-		
penses	293	<i>7</i> 5
G. M. Bridgman, services and ex-		
penses	110	
C. A. LaBombard, planting trout	2	00

\$1,742 03

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSE J. H. Foster, supervisor W. H. Murray, supervisor J. Chesley, supervisor Nash & Tenney, teams	15 15 15	00		
MUNICIPAL COURT EXPENSES			\$50	00
H. E. Burton, police judge			200	00
Forest Fires H. B. Fullington			229	40
Bounties				
D. S. Bridgman, on hedgehogs		60		
E. P. Merrill, on hedgehogs	-20			
R. S. Cross, on hedgehogs	13	20		
			34	20
Damage by Dogs				
M. Camp, dog constable	10			
L. H. Jones, dog constable	10	00		
		—	20	00
HEALTH DEPARTMENT				
W. G. Spencer	17	50		
W. A. Churchill, expenses ac-				
count of glanders	6	00		
		_	23	50
VITAL STATISTICS	•			
G. D. Frost, births and death	20			
E. E. Dean, births and death	1	50	-	
		- ,	21	75
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES—STATE AID J. D. Hutchins, (9 bills)	MAINT	ENAN	се 1 0 9	05
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES— TRUNK LE H. L. Biathrow, labor and amounts paid for labor and materials (34 bills)	3		NANC	E

New England Road Machine Co.	,	
road machine	190	00
Freight on road machine	4	80
Cool manuscrip	1 746	
Cash payments	1,746	
Bills paid by State Highway Dept.	1,154	33
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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES—TOWN MAI	NTENA	NCE
J. D. Hutchins, Agent		
J. D. Hutchins, (18 bills)	600	54
H. Camp	13	82
Mrs. A. Hill, land damage	5	00
L. LaBombard	16	18
D. Tobin	17	64
W. H. Jones,	16	50
R. Whitcher, (2 bills)	20	00
A. M. Goodwin, (3 bills)	21	92
C. D. Brown & Co., heater	9	00
A. Poland	12	42 .
D. O. Hoyt, (2 bills)	21	00
W. C. Shovan, (3 bills)	45	30
C. Orcutt	5	00
H. Guyer	34	91
O. H. Hoyt	4	50
B. P. Walker	5	60
W. J. Boyd, (2 bills)	14	90
H. W. Barnes, (2 years)	44	42
C. C. Ward	4	48
G. N. LaBombard	18	87
Hanover Water Works Co., plank		06
R. B. McKim, shovels	9	57
B. L. Murdock, (2 bills) labor on	ı	
bridges		75
O. Trombly		00
G. Wardrobe		90
R. Stevens	5	00

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Thompson & Hoague Co., plow	18 00
Good Roads Mch. Co., hone	25 00
G. B. White, (2 bills)	26 50
P. S. Dow, surveying	8 55
Mrs. Stone, gravel	16 35
A. Grass	7 00
A. White	6 11
F. Gauthier, (3 bills)	48 60
H. N. Camp	72 25
F. P. Barraby	1 33
W. H. Hart, (2 bills)	10 45
F. I. Spencer	10 00
D. Humiston	10 00
A. M. Hayes	13 25
T. Hamell	31 25
M. G. Brown	28 00
G. H. Moore	11 00
Precinct of Hanover, for tile	32 40
E. J. Tobin (3 bills)	64 50
T. Hamel, (2 bills)	38 10
M. C. Camp, (2 bills)	10 10
L. LaBombard (3 bills)	41 84
C. W. Richardson (6 bills)	70 50
J. Valia, (2 bills)	7 10
J. D. Goodfellow, (3 bills)	42 20
W. LaBombard (10 bills)	97 75
A. M. Hayes, (7 bills)	81 29
P. Hill, (9 bills)	85 00
N. Monica, (9 bills)	270 81
A. M. Goodwin, (8 bills)	69 63
S. McAlister, (2 bills)	9 50
C. P. Gerue	18 25
D. J. LaCoss	18 75
R. Whitcher	5 00
E. Kimball	5 62
L. Kimball	7 48
A. Dana	5 00

A. Bennett	15 78
F. A. Stevens	24 38
F. V. Tuxbury	12 50
A. D. Hutchins	6 75
S. Hamel	6 00
H. H. Camp	10 29
H. N. Camp	95 68
E. W. Cutting	15 20
Trumbell Bros., hardware	5 78
L. Bachand	5 00
C. E. Thompson	60 12
V. C. Harris	9 25
F. G. Emerson, gravel	2 75
R. A. Stevens	8 25
D. Humiston	12 50
W. G. Hurlbutt	2 40
W. C. Shovan	18 50
A. B. Elder	8 35
H. Guyer	9 25
A. J. Bennett	7 00
G. N. LaBombard	23 12
W. Tobin	14 75
G. B. Foss	5 38
E. P. Merrill	16 00
D. O. Hoyt	14 00

2,710 72

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES—EAST SIDE ROADS

R. S. Cross, Agent		
E. A. Burnham, (3 bills)	53 80)
R. K. Adams, (2 bills)	29 99)
W. M. Tobin	20 45	5
R. S. Cross, (3 bills)	48 50)
I. Wheeler	5 90)
P. J. Bill	38 60)
J. F. Eastman, (3 bills)	31 05	5
Mrs. A. D. Eastman, (2 bills)	12 65	5

Stewart Bros. B. F. Adams J. Thompson W. M. Bressett, (5 bills) E. H. Meader	26 25 5 50 5 25 71 72 7 80	
		357 46
INSURANCE—	18 75	
A. D. Storrs, bridge insurance N. A. Frost, storehouse insurance	7 70	
N. A. Frost, bridge insurance	73 50	
The Front Strage Moderation		•
_ 1000		99 95
LIBRARIES		220 50
H. F. Hoyt, library appropriation		220 50
County Poor		
Nash & Tenney, transportation	3 50	
F. B. Tenney, transient	2 81	
L. H. Jones, transportation to	40.00	
County Farm	10 00	
F. I. Spencer, transportation to	7 23	
County Farm E. P. Merrill, for C. P. King	7 23 3 50	
L. H. Jones, expenses	1 37	
Trumbell Bros., for C. P. King	20 69	
Trumben Bros., for C. 1. King		
		49 10
Damages and Legal Expenses		
W. M. Tobin, horse	100 00	*
Stewart Case, settlement	500 00	
O. F. Butman, damage	10 00	
Allen Hollis, services	128 66	
H. G. Pender, services	30 00	
W. H. French, services	5 00	
J. M. Gile, services	5 00 1 00	
Miss Needham, services		770 ((
		779 66

Interest Paid on Trust Funds		97 25
Indebtedness Trust Funds		4,000 00
TAXES PAID TO STATE Regular State Tax Special State Tax	5,587 50 745 00	
		6,332 50
Taxes Paid to County E. H. Hallett, County Treasurer		4,960 33
TAXES PAID TO VILLAGE PRECINCT OF	HANOVER	
C. E. RICE, TREASURER Precinct Tax by vote of precinct Highway Tax required by law	8,867 00	
(82% of \$5,000)	4,100 00	
Highway State Aid Construction (82% of \$2,447.25)	2,006 75	
Highway State Aid Maintenance (82% of \$750)	615 00	
Highway State Aid Trunk Line Maintenance State Highway Days Trunk Line	650 51	
State Highway Dept. Trunk Line Maintenance	41 58	
	16,280 84	
State Highway Dept. State Aid Maintenance (deduct)	1 76	
TOTAL CASH PAYMENTS	16,279 08	
Expended by State, State Aid Maintenance Expended by State, Trunk Line	326 60	
Maintenance	608 94	

Payment to School District No. 1, A. W., Guyer, Treasurer

School tax required by law 82%	4,581 75	
Extra money by vote of district	11,915 00	
Dog licenses 82%	259 92	
Literary fund state 82%	289 89	
School fund from state	1,543 00	
		18.589 56

PAYMENTS TO TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT, E. P. MERRILL, TREASURER

School tax required by law 18%	1,005 75
Extra money by vote of district	4,456 00
Literary fund state 18%	63 63
School fund from state	707 00
Dog license 18%	57 05

TOTAL PAYMENTS

67,032 16

6,289 43

STATEMENT OF ASSESSMENTS FOR 1917

State tax	\$6,332	50		
County tax	4,960			
Highway tax required by law	5,000			
Highway tax to obtain state aid	, ,			
construction	2,447	25		
Highway tax to obtain state aid	,,,,			
maintenance	750	00		
Highway tax to obtain state aid				
trunk line maintenance	2,250	00		
General tax, including extra high-	-,200	00		
way	3,002	75		
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc.)	1,094			
(to cover discounts, etc.)				
Total town tax (rate 75c)			\$25,837	60
Town School District, by vote of			φ20,007	
district	4,456	00		
Amount required by law	1,005			
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc.)	224			
(to cover discounts, etc.)				
Total town school tax (rate 98c)			5,686	56
School District No. 1, by vote of			3,000	30
district	11,915	Ω		
Amount required by law	4,581			
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc.)	846			
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc.)	040	13		
Total School District No. 1 tax				
(rate 64c)			17,343	50
Village Precinct of Hanover, by			17,040	50
vote of precinct	8,867	Ω		
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc.)	346			
overlay (to cover discounts, etc.)	340	-55		
Total Precinct Tax (rate 34c)			9,213	05
Total Treemet Tax (Tate 540)			9,413	93
			\$58,081	61
			1	

ASSESSMENT STATISTICS

	Dist. No. 1	Town Dist.
Land and buildings	\$2,456,500	\$487,068
368 Horses	15,642	32,038
2 Mules	270	
14 Oxen		1,266
635 Cows	4,866	26,116
345 Other Neat Stock	774	10,650
146 Sheep	100	634
5 Hogs		130
466 Fowls	18	376
150 Vehicles, including automob	oiles 29,990	5,950
5 Portable Mills		1,280
1 Boat	300	
Wood and Lumber		5,196
Stock in Public Funds	10,900	
Stock in Banks and other Cor-	-	
porations	31,470	700
Money on hand at interest or or	ı	
deposit	79,298	3,604
Stock in Trade	77,274	4,300
Aqueducts	2,500	800
	\$2,709,902	\$580,108
Grand Total		\$3,290,010
Number of Polls	386	177

DON S. BRIDGMAN | Sclectmen | FRANK I. SPENCER | Of | Hanover

TAX COLLECTORS' ACCOUNTS

H. F. Hoyt's Tax Bill, 1916 Abated Collected Uncollected	\$6 00 221 90 30 30	258 20
H. F. Hoyt's Tax Bill, 1917 Additions	10,410 36 22 48	258 20
Abated Discounts Collected Uncollected	35 19 335 45 9,916 12 146 08	10,432 84
J. Chesley's Tax Bill, 1912 Uncollected J. Chesley's Tax Bill, 1913 Uncollected J. Chesley's Tax Bill, 1914 Uncollected J. Chesley's Tax Bill, 1915 Abated Collected Uncollected	32 95 100 23 55 64	10,432 84 33 07 33 07 18 58 18 58 12 72 12 72 188 82
J. Chesley's Tax Bill, 1916 Additions Abated Collected Uncollected	1,036 12 3 18 31 22 648 65 359 43	188 82 1,039 30 1,039 30

J. CHESLEY'S TAX BILL, 1917 Additions	47,671 66 45 07	
		47,716 73
Abated	246 81	1
Discounts	1,976 43	
Collected	42,189 74	
Uncollected	3,303 75	
		47,716 73

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance from last year	\$11 92
Received from H. F. Hoyt, tax collector	10,138 02
Received from J. Chesley, tax collector	42,938 62
Received from G. M. Bridgman, town clerk	287 52
Received from selectmen, other receipts	1,214 88
Received from money borrowed	4,018 81
	\$58,609 77
Selectmen's orders paid	58,609 77

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS FOR THE TOWN OF HANOVER

Debits

Balance last year—Note of town	\$4,000	00	
Savings bank accounts	1,794	50	
Received of John D. Bridgman and			
Collina B. Simmons for			
care of Daniel Bridgman			
lot in Ruddsboro cemetery	100	00	
Interest on town note	97	25	
Interest on Savings Bank account	57	94	
Rent of school lands	23	00	
Money borrowed	700	00	
			\$6,772 69
Credits			
Interest on Liberty Bonds	\$7	26	
School District No. 1, proportion of			
income on School Funds	96	74	
Town School District proportion of			
income on School Funds	27	29	
H. F. Hoyt, care of cemetery lots	10	00	
J. A. Humiston, care of cemetery lots	15	00	
Loan paid	700	00	
Balance January 31, 1918—			
U. S. Liberty Loan 4% bonds	5,800	00	
Cash in Dartmouth Savings Bank	116	40	
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Rent of school land unpaid; Mrs.			7 00
A. L. Barnes			5 00

DETAILS ON TRUST FUNDS

FOR THE SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

	Principal	Bal. of Income Last Year	Income for Year	Income Expended	Bal. of Income Forwarded
School	\$1,422 58		\$59 65	\$59 65	
Freeman	2,000 00		51 50	51 50	
William Tenney	500 00		12 88	12 88	
FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE POOR					
John Williams	200 00	\$4 00	5 15		\$9 15
FOR THE CARE OF CEMET	ERY LOTS				
Andrew Tenney	50 00	1 75	1 29	2 50	, 54
Frances S. Spencer	100 00	3 50	2 57	2 50	3 57
David T. Ross	100 00	50	2 57	3 50	dr. 43
David Mason Ross	100 00	50	2 57	3 50	dr. 43
John R. Runnals	50 00	1 75	1 29	1 00	2 04
Laura Smith Barnes	200 00	7 00	5 15	9 00	3 15
William B. Weeks	200 00	2 26	5 15	3 00	4 41
Bridgman & Simmons	100 00				
FOR THE TOWN LIBRARY					
Town	714 76	25 21	18 41		43 62
David T. Ross	106 95	3 74	2 75		6 49
	\$5,844 29	\$50 21	\$170 93	\$149 03	\$72 11

All of the town trust funds have been invested this year in United States Liberty Loan 4% Bonds. As a result the income for the year has been less than usual but hereafter it will be larger.

H. C. EDGERTON, Treasurer, Trustees of Trust Funds for the Town of Hanover

TOWN LIBRARY REPORT

Dевіт					
Cash on hand	\$54 50				
Town appropriation	220 50				
Fines	1 13				
_		\$276 13			
Credit					
H. F. Hoyt, care building and grounds	7 00				
Woden Pub. Co., books	1 50				
Dartmouth Bookstore, books	104 90				
Corey Press, printing	2 00				
A. Rennie, wood	6 00				
H. F. Hoyt, labor and supplies	3 00				
Trumbell Bros., supplies	1 75				
Mrs. N. J. Praddex, salary	45 00				
Mrs. N. J. Praddex, supplies	53				
Cash in Dartmouth National Bank	104 45				
		\$276 13			
Н. F.	ночт,	Treasurer			
DOG ACCOUNT, 1917					
Whole number of dogs licensed		139			
Amount of money received		\$315 32			
Paid treasurer	\$287 52				
Fees	27 80				

GEORGE M. BRIDGMAN, Town Clerk

\$315 32

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Collectors of Taxes and the Treasurer of the Town Library and find them correct and all disbursements supported by proper vouchers.

H. C. EDGERTON, Auditor

Hanover, N. H., February 23, 1918.

I have examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the Town of Hanover and find them correct in accordance with the foregoing report.

DON S. BRIDGMAN

HANOVER TOWN LIBRARY REPORT

Whole number of volumes added by purchase	103
Number of volumes at this date	2,735

This does not include magazines or pamphlets and other reports that accumulate in a library. Your Librarian, in presenting the annual report, would respectfully say that a goodly number of volumes are taken out each week.

Respectfully,

MRS. NETTIE J. PRADDEX, Librarian

Etna, N. H.

TOWN BEDS IN HOSPITAL

During the year beginning February 1, 1917, and ending January 31, 1918, the two free beds in the Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, for use of the residents of Hanover, have been occupied four hundred and seventy-one days.

Twenty-three people have been given the use of the beds.

IDA F. SHEPARD, Supt.

ABSTRACT FROM TOWN CLERK'S RECORD

At a legal meeting of inhabitants of the Town of Hanover, on the 13th day of March, 1917, at Trumbell's Hall, in said town, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the meeting was called to order by Harlow S. Person, Moderator, the warrant under which the meeting was called was read by the Clerk, after which proceeded to the election of town officers and other business as follows:

For Town Clerk George M. Bridgman

For Selectmen
Don S. Bridgman, Frank I. Spencer and Edwin P. Merrill

For Treasurer Daniel B. Russell

For Auditors
Halsey C. Edgerton and John H. Foster

For Library Trustee Horace F. Hoyt

For Fence Viewers James Spencer, Daniel O. Hoyt and Irving P. Fitts

For Surveyors of Wood and Lumber John J. Bond and William H. Hart

For Prosecuting Agent to Prosecute Violations of the Liquor Laws Horace G. Pender

> For Sealer of Weights and Measures Lionel H. Jones

For Trustee of the Trust Funds for Three Years
John A. Humiston

A motion was made and duly seconded to elect Highway Agents.

Discussion ensued.

A viva voce vote upon the motion being taken, the motion was declared lost.

A division of the house was called for, resulting as follows: In favor of the motion, 56; against the motion, 76.

A ballot was then demanded, with the following result: The whole number of votes given in was 139. In favor of the motion, 57 votes. Against the motion, 82 votes, and the motion was declared lost.

Upon the second article in the warrant it was upon motion of H. C. Edgerton

Voted:

That in addition to the State, County, School and Highway taxes required by law, the town raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$8,450), which sum shall include the amount necessary to obtain state aid for construction \$2,447.25, the amount necessary to obtain state aid maintenance \$750.00, the amount necessary to obtain state aid trunk line maintenance \$2,250, and \$3,000 for all other expenses of the town including extra highway, town library appropriation, lighting the streets of Etna \$50, interest on indebtedness, payments on indebtedness and other expenses of the town.

Upon motion

Voted:

To pass over the third article in the warrant. Upon motion

Voted:

To give the name "Greensboro Road" to the highway extending from the corner in front of the residence of Edwin J. Cilley to the corner in front of the residence of Eugene W. Cutting, and provide for so marking it upon the signboards maintained by the town.

Upon motion

Voted:

To pass over the fifth article in the warrant.

Mr. Perley R. Bugbee moved that the surplus liquor belonging to the town be donated to the New Hampshire State Hospital at Concord, N. H. Mr. C. P. Chase moved an amendment to Mr. Bugbee's motion, that one-half of the aforesaid liquor be donated to the Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital in Hanover. Mr. Jerome Chesley moved an amendment to Mr. Chase's amendment, that all of the aforesaid liquor be donated to the Mary Hitchcock Hospital. A vote being taken upon Mr. Chesley's amendment it was decided in the affirmative.

The following resolutions were introduced by Mr. H. F. Hoyt.

The citizens of Hanover, in town meeting assembled, affirm their loyal adherence to the principles of vigorous freedom fundamental to the existence of the United States.

They declare their approval of the course of the President of the United States in all his efforts to protect the lives and property of their fellow citizens against piratical attacks upon the sea.

They urge upon him and upon all representatives of the people the speedy prosecution of every measure calculated to strengthen the entire nation to guard its own rights and the rights of humanity against unwarranted aggression.

And in the carrying out of such measures for the common defence they pledge to the Chief Executive and to Congress their unqualified support.

Voted:

That a copy of the foregoing resolutions be forwarded to the Governor of the State.

Prof. George Ray Wicker moved to amend the foregoing resolutions by striking out the word "piratical," and to insert after the word "sea," the words "in contravention of international law." The amendment was voted down, and the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Voted:

That the selectmen be authorized to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the town in anticipation of the receipts from taxes.

Voted:

That upon all taxes upon real and personal property paid on or before the 15th day of July, 1917, a discount of five per cent be allowed the taxpayer, and upon all taxes upon real and personal property paid on or before the 15th day of September, 1917, a discount of three per cent be allowed the taxpayer.

Voted:

To accept and adopt the reports of the town officers as published in the Annual Report.

Voted:

To adjourn.



VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths, to the municipal officers for publication in the annual town report, I hereby submit the following.

Respectfully,

George M. Bridgman,

Town Clerk.

Explanation Regarding Vital Statistics

The following statistics include the births and deaths occurring in the Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital during the year 1917, which do not properly belong to the town.

Fifty-one were children born there of mothers from other towns, and fifty-three persons from other towns died there, taking these from the number given in the tables, the record for Hanover would be thirty-three births and twenty-four deaths.

Births Registered in the Town of Hanover for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1917.

	Mother's Age	37	21	222	128	26	24	29	242	21	25	4 %	23	24	25	26	23	37	223	500	36
	Father's Age	47	23	31	24 18	25.	28	30	23	23	26	39 28	24	29 24	35 25	31	33	33	23 23	31	38
	Birthplace of Mother	Jacksonville, Vt.		Beltast, Ireland Newark, N. I.	Randolph, Vt.	Oka, F. Q. Northfeld	:ئـ		N.Y.	Newport	Hinesburg, Vt.	Hanover W R Ict Vt	Lebanon	Colebrook	Wotton, P. O.	Brookfield, Vt.	Thetford, Vt.	Enfield	Fairiax, vt. Lyme	Alexandria	Westiord, Mass. Canada
./ st '15'	Birthplace of Father	New London	Hanover	Ashburnh'm. Mass	Hartford, Vt.	Norwich, vt. Franklin	Mass.	Ansonv'e, N. C.	Clinton, N. Y.		Malden, Mass	Tilton Hanover		Waitefald Vt	Thetford, P. O.	Bury, Canada	Hanover	Boston, Mass.	So. Ham. P. O.	Leominster, Mass.	Salisbury Canada
	Occupation of Father	Farmer	Post Carrier	Sec. Y.M.C.A.	Teamster	Stenographer	Machinist	College Prot.	Laborer	Fireman	Laborer	Expressman	Machinist	Printer D a'de clerk	Tel. Operator	Supt. of Sch.	Butcher	Carpenter	Farmer	Farmer	Minister Weaver
	Residence of Parents	New London	Hanover	Hanover	W. R. Jet., Vt.	W. R. Jet., Vt.	Windsor, Vt.	Hanover	Hanover	Hanover	Hanover	Hanover	Windsor, Vt.	Lebanon	Norwich, Vt.	Bradford, Vt.	Hanover	Enfield	Hanover	N. Pomfret, Vt.	Lyme Lebanon
	Maiden Name of Mother	Clara Stetson	Edith M. Brown	Helen C. Hartshorne	Ellen May Russell	Gertrude Prescott	Alice May Cone	Marie Blain Gladys Blood	Maude Trumbley	Susie B. Fowler	Helen F. Degree	Edith M. Hart Tessie Ober	Elizabeth M. Martin	Hazel Aldrich Edith Howe	Annie O'Bready	Myrtle A. Smith	Grace D. Smith	Grace M. Wheeler	Alice M. Stark	Ethel B. Gove	Ludivine Matte
	Name of Father	Herman Messer	Walter Cilley	Wallace M. Ross	Leon F. Jacobs	P. John Cushing	William E. Farrell	Leon E. Avery	Abraham Rukey	Kay B. Rich	Wilbur B. Stewart	Albert G. Brown	Harold Nash	Edward L. Corey Raymond B. Baird	Alfred Morin	Edward L. Clark	Charles H. Lewin	Fdward Chelen	Chas. E. Thomps'n	Chester F. Walker	Wilbur Gignac
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	Date of Birth 1917	Jan. 6	Jan. /	Jan. 15	Jan. 28 Ian 29	Jan. 31	Feb. 4	Feb. 8	Feb. 20	Mar. 11	Mar. 28	April 3	April 5	April 5 April 7		April 16	April 23	April 30	May 3	May 5	May 14

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	Birthplace of Mother		Hanover	Ireland		Strafford, Vt.	Ausable, N. Y.	Warren, Vt.	Andover	Mechanicsv'e, Ct.	_	I,P.Q.	Runney 4			Peabody, Mass.				Vt.			Wolfe Is., P. Q.	
	Birthplace of Father	Washingt'n, Vt.	Kyegate, Vt. Norwich, Vt.	Colrain, Mass	Brattleboro, Vt.	Norwich, Vt.	Canaan	Pomfret, Vt.	Lebanon	Hartford, Vt.	Augusta, Me.	Plainfield	Decrfield	Ryegate, Vt.	Hanover	Cornish	Billtown' N C	Fastport Me	Maryland	Pomfret, Vt.		7		Boston, Mass. Hartland, Vt.
	Occupation of Father	Farmer	Farmer Watchman	Plumber	Farmer	Plumber	Lawer	Farmer	Teacher	Millworker	Mechanic	Instruct'r C.E.	Asst. P. M.	Carpenter	Janitor	Farmer	College Prof	Machinist	Cafe' Mgr.	Farmer	Civil Eng.	Farmer	Farmer	Forester Weaver
	Residence of Parents	Hartford, Vt.	Lopsham, vt. Hanover	Hanover	E. 1 opsham, Vt.	Hanover	Lebanon	W. R. Jet., Vt.	Meriden	Dew'v's M's,Vt.	Hanover	Hanover		S. Ryegate, Vt.	Hanover	Cornish Flat	Honorer	Wilder Vt	Phila'a, Pa.	Pomfret, Vt.	Orford	Hanover	Thetford, Vt.	Hanover Lebanon
	Maiden Name of Mother	Lilah Day	Mabel Carruth Annie Hall	Mollie T. Crowley	Alice E. White	Alma Wood	Kathryn Severance	Etta Phelps	Flor'ce E. Severance	Mary G. Daigle	Elizabeth A. Merrill	Lena P. Roy	Isabelle Doe	Caroline M. Gray	Lillian Larsen	Marion Kibbey	Villa C. McFalland	Geneva Sprague	Lillian Kellogg	Esther Kenyon	Ruth Carr	Dora Colcord	Leola McEwan	Eleanor C. Furman Stella Dusault
The state of the s	Name of Father	Enoch L. Lyford	Jared Miller John H. Bond	Roscoe C. Nichols	Harry G. Currier	Dana B. Cloud	Toseph Moore	Rollo S. Child	Gardner W. Hazen	Jesse Gibbs	Ernest C. Tanzi	Sydney L. Ruggles	George W. Stevens	Fred J. Doe	A. C. Masterson	Harry B. Wardner	Fied & W. Dauger	Emery S. Mallock	Carl Windsor	Harlin C. Harring'r Esther Kenyon	Clarence W. Pierce	Wm. LaBombard	Charles A. Wilcox	Joseph L. Kichards
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BIRTHS — Concluded

Mother's Age	220 220 220 220 220 220 220 220 220 220
Father's Age	10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10
Birthplace of Mother	Lyme Grafton Barnet, Vt. Canada Hanover Highgate, Vt. Fairlee, Vt. Landaff Hyde Park, Vt. Crete, Neb. Corinth, Vt. Montpelier, Vt. Crete, Neb. Claremont Corinth, Vt. Middlesex, Vt. Widdlesex, Vt. Widdlesex, Vt. Widdlesex, Vt. Wignia Somerville, Mass. Bethel, Vt. Wignia Wirefiedd Fairlee, Vt. W. Fairlee, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Hartford, Vt. Hartford, Vt. Hartford, Vt.
Birthplace of Father	Boston, Mass. Canaan Woodbury, Vt. Lyme Springfield, III. Corinth, Vt. Plymouth Orford St. Albans, Vt. St. Johnsbury, Vt. Hanover Pomfret, Vt. Monson, Mass Williamst'n, Mass Williamst'n, Mass Norwich, Vt. Fairlee, Vt. Fairlee, Vt. Fairlee, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Fairlee, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Fairlee, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Fairlee, Vt. Willenburg, N. Y. W. Berwick, Me. Ellenburg, N. Y. W. St., Vt. Westbury, P. Q. W. R. Jot., Vt. Westbury, P. Q. W. R. Jot., Vt. Westbury, P. Q. W. R. Jot., Vt. Westbury, P. Q. Wastick, Mass, Littleton, N. H. Marick, Mass, Littleton, N. H. M. Marick, Mass, Littleton, N. H. M. Marick, Mass, Littleton, N. H. M. M. Jot., Vt. Lyme Bradford, Vt. N. Y. City
Occupation of Father	Fire Warden Machinist Optometrist Farmer College Prof. Civili Eng. Hd. Store Clk. L'motive Eng. Laborer Prof. & Teacher Farmer Office Mgr. Mail carrier Garage Mgr. Hydrographer Meat market P. O. Clerk Hed. Store Clk. Steam fitter Weaver Carpenter Teamster Teamster Teamster Teamster Teamster Teamster Teamster Farmer Dentist Storekeeper
Residence of Parents	Gorham Hanover Hanover Hanover Bradford, Vt. Bradford, Vt. Plymouth W. Lebanon Hanover Hanover Windsor, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Windsor, Vt. Fairlee, Vt. Hanover
Maiden Name of Mother	Blanche M. Pushee Gertrude L. Valia Elizabeth E. Merrill Mary I. Goodwin Margaret L. Sherman Anna J. Chamberlin Gladys M. Woodward Luthera Carleton Esther R. Sanborn Ruth L. Merrill Kathryn Glibert Myrtie M. Bundy Add Gaspar Lou Woodward Mary Bowlby Evelyn E. Delona Mary Bowlby Lucy Bubnks Add Gaspar Lou Woodward Mary Bowlby Add Gaspar Lou Woodward Mary Bowlby Add Gaspar Myrtie M. Bundy Add Garea Mare Still Ducy Eubanks Ada P. Lloyd Blanche Reed Grace Barrows I) Dorothy A. Desilet Hazel M. Falconer Emerette E. Rogers Hazel M. Falconer Emerette E. Rogers Ada D. Towse Margaret Chase Ruth M. Bugbee Ruth M. Bugbee
Name of Father	Carleton E. Pike Stacy McAllister Arby M. Johnson Eugene W. Cutting Francis J. Neef Harold E. Slack Francis D. Richards Fred Wilcox L. J. Ackerman Walter M. May Harry W. Jones Wm. L. Brockway Edward M. Peck Titus H. Wilfore Arthur J. Ela Benj. H. Smith Wm. W. Thurber Jennich B. Smith Wm. W. Thurber Arthur J. Ela Emi. H. Smith Wm. W. Thurber Arthur J. Ela Emi. H. Smith Wm. W. Thurber Arthur J. Ela Edward H. Pennock George Baker George Baker George Baker Walter S. Bell Edgar H. Pennock Clarence L. Pushee Frank E. DeGoosh Walter B. Mayo Albion R. Fogg Albion R. Fogg Edward C. Hughes
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Date of Birth 1916	Sept. 26 D D Sept. 25 D D D C. 15 D

Marriages Registered in Town of Hanover for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1917

Name, residence and official station of person by whom married	1 Rev. James E. McCooey	1 Rev. Lucius	Waterman, Hanover	1 Rev. Eliza- beth H. Goldthwaite.	Enfield I Rev. Edward C.	Sargent, 2 Hanover	1 Rev. James E. McCooey,	Hanover H. Hanover	Sisson, Bartford,	Vt. 1 Rev. Robert C. Falconer, Hanover	Rev. Arnold S. Yantis, Manchester
Occupation	Painter Housewife	Housewife Farmer	Carpenter Carpenter Housewife	Farmer Housewife Overseer	Weaver	Farmer	Shoemaker Housewife	Janitor Housewife Engineer	Housewife Carpenter Housewife	Retired Housewife Mail-carrier	housewife Farmer Housewife Overseer Housewife
Birthplace of Parents	Orfora Hartford, Vt.	E. Barnet, Vt.	Plymouth Island Brook, P.Q.	St. Hyacinthe, P.Q. St. Hyacinthe, P.Q. Dexter, Me.	Gardiner, Me. Lunenburg, Vt.	Hanover	Klemensker, Den. Klemensker, Den.	Arthabaska, P. Q. Hanover Woodstock, Vt.	Richford, Vt. Quincy, Mass.	Charlest'n, Mass. Northumberland	Stratford Enfield Hanover Everett, Mass. Boston, Mass.
Names of Parents	Joseph A. Pennock Annie Benjamin	Nora McGee James R. Moore	Frank Crowell Abbie Weston	Ambrose Poland Delia Fredette Walter S. Arnold	Lillian M. Payne Edwin Gee	Fred O. Camp	Christian Jorgenson Margrete Kafoed	Alphonse, Trachier Mary Gunn Fred E. Jones	Alice M. Smith Albert E. Thomas	Louis K. F. Howland Sarah E. Prouty Fred Rich	Ada F. Swift Jas. F. Withington Annie E. Tenney Augustus Baldwin Annie P. Lewis
Place of Birth of each	Norwich, Vt.	E. Barnet,	Hanover	Lebanon Gardiner,	Me. Lunenburg,	Lebanon	Klemensker, Denmark	Hanover Hartford,	Vt. Wilmot	Norwell, Mass. Lyme	Hanover Lebanon
Age and Bride	19 Mechanic	23 Clerk	Printing Office	22 At Home	42 Laborer	49 Housewife	33 Carpenter	22 Telephone Operator 32 Painter	24 Housework	24 Bank Clerk 18 At 110me	of
Residence of each at time of Marriage	Hanover 1		anover	Enfeld 2	Hanover 4	Hanover	anover	Hanover 3	Hanover 2	Norwell, 2 Mass. 1	Hanover 2
Name and Sur- name of Groom and Bride	Edgar H. Pennock Hazel M. Falconer		ell	Helene H. Arnold	Luie J. Gee	Anna M. Dana		Florence M. Trachier Frederick E. Jones	Belle E. Tupper	Malcolm G. Howland Florence A. Rich	John D. Withington Irene B. Baldwin
of Place of Marriage	1 Hanover	reb. 21 Hanover	Mar 21 Enfold	o Funcia	April 18 Hanover		April 24 Hanover	May 13 Hanover		June 3 Hanover	Aug. 22 Manches-
Date of Mar'ge 1917	Ian.	reb.	Mor	Mal.	April		April	May		June	Aug.

MARRIAGES—Continued

Name, residence and official station of person by whom married	1 Rev. Olof P. Peterson,	Rev.	Rev. Lucius Waterman,	Hanover Rev. Stanly F. Blomfield,	1 Montpelier, Vt. 1 Rev. Lucius Waterman, 1 Hanover	1 Rev. Wm. F. Pendergast, Enfeld	Rev. James Queenan, Concord,
Occupation	Farmer Housewife	Carpenter Housewife	Farmer Housewife Farmer Housewife	Farmer Housewife	Farmer Housewife	Farmer Housewife Farmer Farmer	Housewife
Birthplace of Parents	Hanover Hanover	Brandon, Vt. Chittenden, Vt.	Tunbridge, vr. Tunbridge, Vr. Sanbornton Sanbornton	Hanover Grafton W. Topsham, Vt. Topsham, Vt.	Calais, Vt. Moretown, Vt. Hemmingf'd, P.Q. Farmer Elgin, P. Q. Housewif. Chertsey, S'rv. Eng. Detective	Chertsey, S'ry, Eng. Housewife Canada Farmer Campton Housewife Farmer	
Names of Parents	Frank G. Emerson Etta F. Merrill Claes Nelson	Bettye Magnuson John D. Rogers	Van S. Howe Laura A. Bacon Edward B. Carr Annie Wood	Emmett H. Marshall Ida F. Sanders Arthur T. Smith Nellie Collins	Dell B. Dwinell Olive Pierce IDavid M. Tobin Elizabeth Lanktree Walter Hazell	Ellen A. Cavey Prosper Romprey Ida Young Peter Bill	Celina Brisette Joseph F. Perley Addie J. Hall John McCarthy Mary E. O'Brien
Place of Birth of each	Hanover Worcester	Lowell, Mass.	Tumbridge, Vt. Sanbornton	Hanover W. Topsham, Vt.	Calais, Vt. Huntingdon, P. Q. Chertsey,	Surry, Eng'd Campton Enfeld	Vermont Hanover
Occupation of Groom and Bride	31 Accountant32 Bookkeeper	38 Laundry- man	34 Farmer	20 Domestic 27 Civil Engineer	20 Farmer 22 Domestic	24 Teamster 23 Housework	37 Cattle Dealer 25 Nurse
Residence of each at time of Marriage	Hanover 3		ن >		Hanover Hanover Hanover		<u></u>
Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Nathaniel A. Emerson Etta A. U. Nelson	Guy L. Rogers	Harry D. Carr	Victor C. Smith	Irene A. Dwinell Earl J. Tobin Lillian M. Hazell	Joseph P. Romprey Rose A. Bill	Joseph B. Perley Helen I. McCarthy
f Place of Marriage	Sept. 19 Worces- ter, Mass.	Oct. 13 Hanover	7 Hanover	Dec. 12 E. Calais,	Dec. 27 Hanover	Feb. 12 Enfield	April 18 Concord
Date of Mar'ge 1917	Sept. 1	Oct. 1	Nov.	Dec. 1	Dec. 2	Feb. 1	April 1

Deaths Registered in the Town of Hanover for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1917

Topignate	Maiden Name of Mother	Clara Stetson Julia LaMay	Eliza Lovejoy Bessie Vaughn	Mary Blois	wind Cidin	Sarah McDonald Theresa Moreney	Nellie Lawrence	Dianah Lowell	Mary Guill	Abigail Graves	Honora Kane Abie Currier		Eliz'h M. Martin Fdith Howe	Min'e E. Barnard			Almaretta Morey	Jane Willey Flor'ce Hutchins	
	Name of Father	Herman Messer E. Trachier	Asa S. Rhodes John T. Boles	James P. Nowlan	Laramore	Frank E. Norman	Miner Cochrane	Samuel Woods	Alphonse I rachier	Amos Camp	Wm. B. Lawrence Chas M Gibson		Harold Nash Raymond B Baird	James M. Shepard			John Taylor	Samuel E. Dearth Charles H. Jones	Edward Turcotte
	Place of Birth Mother	Jacksonv'e, Vt. Becancour	Woodstock, Vt.	Amherst, N. S.		Norwood, N. Y.	Hanover		Hanover	Acworth	Ireland	Camada	Waitefeld Vt	L'rencev'e, N.Y.			Schen't'y, N. Y.	Peacham, Vt.	
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I hereby certify that the above transcript is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief,

GEORGE M. BRIDGMAN, Town Clerk



SEVENTEENTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

OFFICERS

OF THE

VILLAGE PRECINCT

OF HANOVER, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31
1918



STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the INHABITANTS of the Village Precinct in the town of Hanover, in the County of Grafton, in said State, qualified to vote in Precinct affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Nugget Theatre in said Village on Tuesday, the 19th day of March, 1918, at 7.30 o'clock P. M. to vote on the following subjects:—

FIRST: To choose a Moderator to preside over said meeting, the same to be chosen by ballot.

SECOND: To choose by ballot a clerk to serve for the term of one year.

THIRD: To hear the reports of the Precinct Commissioners, Treasurer, and Auditor, and to pass any votes relating thereto.

FOURTH: To choose by ballot, a Treasurer and Auditor, each to serve for one year, and one Precinct Commissioner to serve for three years.

FIFTH: To raise such sums of money as shall be necessary to defray the expenses of the Precinct for the Current Year, including a Police Department, Fire Department, Highway Department, Street Lighting Department, and all other necessary Departments, and to pay the interest on the bonds of the Precinct, and to provide for a sinking fund, and to pay outstanding notes and obligations as they shall become due, and any contracts which the Precinct may authorize at said meeting.

SIXTH: To transact any other business which may come before the meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this first day of March, 1918.

ADNA D. STORRS ARTHUR P. FAIRFIELD JEROME CHESLEY

||Commissioners

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ADNA D. STORRS ARTHUR P. FAIRFIELD JEROME CHESLEY

OFFICERS OF THE PRECINCT

Moderator EDWIN J. BARTLETT

Treasurer C. EDWARD RICE

Auditor WILLIAM R. GRAY

Commissioners
JEROME CHESLEY, for one year
ADNA D. STORRS, for two years
ARTHUR P. FAIRFIELD, for three years

Chief Engineer THOMAS E. WARD

Captain Volunteer Hose Company ROLAND E. LEWIN

1st Assistant Volunteer Hose Company CHARLES LEWIN

2nd Assistant Volunteer Hose Company H. A. BROWN

> Police Officers L. H. JONES, Chief

A. W. CONNER E. S. CONNER ANGUS MACULEY A. P. McPHERSON H. B. ROOD W. E. SMALLEY E. J. SULLIVAN I. E. TUCKER

ANNUAL MEETING

Hanover, N. H., March 15, 1917

Meeting of the legal voters of the Village Precinct of Hanover, N. H., called to order by Edwin J. Bartlett, Moderator, at 7.35 P. M., March 15, 1917.

The following officers were elected for the year:

Moderator, Edwin J. Bartlett.

Clerk, Charles H. Dudley.

Treasurer, C. Edward Rice.

Auditor, William R. Gray.

Commissioner for three years, Arthur P. Fairfield.

Article III.

Voted to accept the various reports as submitted by the Commissioners, Treasurer, and Auditor and to place same on file.

Article V.

Voted: That the Precinct raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,867.00, which sum shall include \$1,500.00 to pay three bonds; \$500.00 to pay one Walker House note; \$1,167.00 to pay other notes and the balance of \$5,700.00 to defray other expenses of the Precinct, as itemized in the Budget for 1917-18 presented by the Commissioners.

Article VI.

(a) Voted: That the Precinct adopt the provisions of Chapter 79 of the New Hampshire Statutes relating to the construction and control of sidewalks as now applied to cities.

Article VII.

Voted: That the report of the Committee of Ten be accepted and adopted, and that it go into effect whenever

School District No. 1 shall endorse the plan and provide for the appointment of its members on the joint committee of Thirty.

- (b) Voted: That the plan remain in force until either the Precinct or School District No. 1 shall vote that it be discontinued.
- (c) The Precinct Committee of Ten recommends the following:
- 1. That for the joint explanation and discussion of the budget of the Precinct and the School District, and for the investigation of such other matters as may be referred to it by the Precinct Commissioners, the School Board, or by a meeting of the Precinct or the School District, a permanent Committee be formed, composed of Thirty members.
- 2. That eighteen of these thirty be chosen to represent the Precinct, and that twelve members be chosen to represent the School District; provided that of the eighteen chosen to represent the Precinct at least four shall be excommissioners of the Precinct.
- 3. That the members of the permanent Committee to represent the Precinct shall be appointed by the Moderator of the Precinct, and that the members to represent the School District shall be appointed by the Moderator of the School District.
- 4. That the members of this Committee shall hold office for a period of two years, except for the ensuing year one-half of the representation of the Precinct and the School District, respectively, shall be appointed for one year, and one-half for two years.
- 5. That it shall be the duty of this joint permanent Committee to advise with the Precinct Commissioners and the members of the School Board in the formation of their respective budgets, and to express their opinion on any

matters on which they may be consulted by the Precinct Commissioners and the members of the School Board.

- (d) Voted: That each of the Commissioners of the Precinct receive a compensation of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per year for his services to the Precinct.
- (e) Voted: That the Precinct Commissioners be and hereby are authorized to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the Precinct before the taxes shall be collected and paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Precinct.
- (f) Voted: That in case labor or other conditions seem to the Commissioners to make the construction of highways, other than State Aid Roads inexpedient during the coming summer, authority is hereby granted to use the \$2,000 provided in the budget for such construction in the payment of Precinct notes or bonds.
- (g) Voted: That upon all taxes upon personal property and upon real estate paid on or before the fifteenth day of July, 1917, a discount of five per cent be allowed the taxpayer, and that upon all taxes upon personal property and real estate, paid on or before the fifteenth day of September, 1917, a discount of three per cent be allowed the taxpayer.

Voted to adjourn. Adjourned at 8.35 P. M. CHARLES H. DUDLEY, Clerk

SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COMMIS-SIONERS OF THE VILLAGE PRECINCT OF HANOVER, N. H.

 The Commissioners of the Village Precinct of Hanover, in compliance with the requirements of the Act of Incorporation, herewith submit their seventeenth annual report.

Detailed statements showing the expenditures of the Commissioners together with the details of income and balance sheet are given in the body of the report. These statements differ slightly from those previously used as they have been brought to the form required by the new state law. It is expected that the report this year is in practically a standard form which can be followed year after year.

The debt of the Precinct has now been reduced to sixteen bonds of five hundred dollars each, which with fifty dollars of unpaid coupons and a liability of thirty-seven hundred seventy-five dollars and ninety-six cents to the state for money voted for highway construction, but not expended, constitutes the entire debt of the Precinct.

No State Aid road was built during the last year and it is probable that none will be built this year as the cost of labor and materials is excessive and neither could be obtained in sufficient amount to make construction possible even if it was best to try to divert labor to work of this sort when it was so badly needed in other work.

The Precinct paid during the last year two dollars and fifty cents a day for labor and five dollars a day for teams.

The Commissioners spent \$1,119.82 on laying tile on West and Allen Streets and in building several badly needed concrete street crossings.

A light truck was also bought at a total cost, for truck, body, lifting apparatus and labor, of \$921.64. \$365.00 of this cost was paid by F. W. and F. F. Davison and the Commissioners feel that the Precinct was saved a considerable amount of money by the use of this truck in place of teams.

The same policy as in previous years was followed in the administration of the affairs of the Precinct, and nothing of particular note occurred during the year.

BUDGET

Current Maintenance Expense

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

GENERAL GOVERNMENT						
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Printing and Stationery	191 7 \$150		1917- \$134		1918- \$150	
Miscellaneous	200		514		350	
Total	\$350	00	\$649	60	\$500	00
Protection of Persons an	d Prope	RTY				
Fire Department:						
Firemen's Services	. \$600	00	\$425	50	\$600	00
Light and Heat	175	00	109	13	175	00
Repairs and Renewals	300		207	76	300	00
Other Expense	125	00	85	85	125	00
Total	\$1,200	00	\$828	24	\$1,200	00
Police Department:						
Regular Services	\$1,000	00	\$1,000	00	\$1,000	00
Special Services	150	00	176	87	175	
Heat and Light	75			31		00
Other Expense	75	00	48	03	75	00
Total	\$1,300	00	\$1,283	21	\$1,325	00
HEALTH AND SANITATION	\$100	00	\$23	20	\$50	00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES						
State Aid Maintenance	\$800	00	\$671	63	\$850	00
Trunk Line Maintenance	1,400		1,269		1,400	
Other Maintenance	2,000		1,875		2,500	
Oiling	1,700		1,401		1,500	
Snow and Ice	400		458		400	
Sweeping		001	166 34		150	
Sprinkling Rep. & Ren. of Equipme	100 nt 100		133		150	00
Trees and Shrubbery	200		301		200	
Miscellaneous	150		216		150	
Total	\$6,950		\$6,528		\$7,350	
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Street Lighting	\$1,600	00	\$1,584	68	\$1,600	00
Water Dept. Rentals	\$1,000	00	\$1,000	00	\$1,000	00
Precinct Hall Property						
Walker House	\$125	00	\$54	36	\$100	00
Bly House	75	00	11	50	50	00
Total	\$200	00	\$65	86	\$150	00
TOTAL FOR MAINTENANCE	\$12,700	00	\$12,458	41	\$13,175	00
Interest						
Bonds	\$510	00	\$456	01	\$350	00
Notes, etc.	300	00	123	07	50	00
Total	\$810	00	\$579	08	\$400	00
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSE				49	\$13,575	00
Outlay for New Construction				49	\$13,575	00
Outlay for New Construction HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES	and Impr	ove		49		
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Outlay for New Construction HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES State Aid	\$3,025 2,000	00 00	\$2,041	46		00
Outlay for New Construction HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES State Aid Other	\$3,025 2,000	00 00	\$2,041	46	\$2,425	00
Outlay for New Construction HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES State Aid Other Total	\$3,025 2,000 \$5,035	00 00 00	\$2,041 \$2,041	46	\$2,425	00
Outlay for New Construction HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES State Aid Other Total Indebtedness	\$3,025 2,000	00 00 00 00	\$2,041 \$2,041 \$3,000	46	\$2,425	00
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SOURCES OF REVENUE

CURRENT REVENUE:

CRREAT TELLETON.			
		Est	imated
	1918-1	9	1917-18
From Local Taxes			
Precinct Taxes	\$7,200	00	\$8,877 00
Town Taxes	7,000	00	7,511 00
From State for Highways	1,550	00	1,749 00
From Local Sources (except	taxes)		
License Fees	250	00	
Rentals	750	00	750 00
Dividends	1,000	00	1,000 00
Town of Norwich	50	00	25 00
Balance from last year	1,200	00	1,800 00
Total	\$19,000	00	\$21,712 00

BALANCE SHEET

Current Assets				
	•		Feb. 15,	
Cash on hand	\$1,161	57	\$1,841	51
Accounts Receivable				
Norwich		00		
Rent accrued	150	00	206	25
From State				
State Aid Construction	532			
State Aid Maintenance	290	16		
Other Assets (not including Prop-	-			
erty or Trust)				
Materials and Supplies				
(Schedule)	544	35	646	50
Total Current Assets	\$2,728	53	\$2,747	51
Excess of Current Liabilities over	r ' '		, ,	
Current Assets	\$1,097	43		
	+4.005		****	
	\$3,825	96 	\$2,747 ————	51
Current Liabilities				
Accounts Payable				
Interest Accrued			\$4	50
Bond coupons not presented	\$50	00	80	00
Notes Payable				
Motor Truck			500	00
Storehouse			667	00
To State				
State Aid Construction	3,195	65		
State Aid Maintenance	580	31		
Total Current Liabilities	\$3,825	96	\$1,251	50
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Excess of Current	Assets of	ver				
Current Liabil					1,496	01
		-	\$3,825	96	\$2,747	51
Other Assets						
Investments						
Capital Stock (200	shares H	an-				
over Water Co	0.)		\$20,000	00	\$20,000	00
Precinct Hall Prop	erty		7,000	00	7,000	00
Storehouse Propert	y		3,500	00	3,500	00
Fire Department						
Equipment			3,600			00
Alarm System			1,100	00	1,100	00
Crusher Plant (Schee	dule.)		2,170			00
Scales and Foundation			500	00	500	CO
Other Equipment (So	chedule)		3,332	25	2,615	25
Total other as	sets	-	\$41,202	25	\$40,485	25
Excess of Current			, ,		,	
Liabilities					1,496	01
		-	\$41.202	25	\$41,981	26
OTHER LIABILITIES			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		ψ·2,502	
22 Precinct Bonds			\$8,000	00	\$11,000	00
Walker House Notes			φο,σσο		1,500	
Total Other L	iabilities	-	98,000	00	\$12,500	
Excess of Current Li		vor	φο,000	00	\$12,300	00
Assets	abilities 0	VCI	1,097	43		
Surplus					29,481	26
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		-	\$41,202	25	\$41,981	<i>2</i> 6
Surplus						
Feb. 15, 1917	\$29,481					
Feb. 15, 1916	23,075	13				
Gain for the year	\$6,406	13				
Surplus	, , ,					
Jan. 31, 1918	\$32,104	82				
Feb. 15, 1917	29,481					
· ·	\$2,623					
Gain for the year	\$2,023	20				

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Year Ending Jan. 31, 1918

Current Revenue

FROM LOCAL TAXES				
	1917-18	3	1916-1	7
Precinct tax	\$8,867	00	\$10,300	00
Highway tax required by law	4,100	00	4,200	00
- Highway tax for state aid				
construction	2,006	75	1,968	75
Highway tax for state aid				
maintenance	615	00	420	00
Highway tax for trunk line	:			
maintenance	650	51	653	33
Total	\$16.239	26	\$17,542	08
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From State				
State aid construction			\$247	04
State aid maintenance	\$324	84	262	33
Trunk line maintenance	650	52		
Trunk line maintenance over-	•			
draft deducted			117	17
Total	\$975	36	\$392	20
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From Local Sources Except Tax	XES			
License Fees				
Moving Pictures	\$250	00	\$125	00
Street Stand			3	00
Rentals				
Walker House	550	00	450	00
Bly House	150	00	125	00

Hanover Water Stock Co.	1,000	00	1,000	00
Income from Departments:				
Sale of Materials and service	s 423	87	26	44
Scales	20	00	14	00
Toward expense of truck	362	50		
(F. W. & F. F. Davison)				
Total	\$2,756	37	\$1,743	44
Total Current Revenue Receipts	\$19,970	99	\$19,677	72
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT R	EVENUE			
	1917-18	3	1916-1	7
Temporary Loans	\$2,000	00	\$6,600	00
Other				
Total	\$2,000	00	\$6,600	00
Cash on hand at beginning of year	\$1,841 ====	51 ==	\$90 ====	89
TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM				
ALL SOURCES	\$23,812	50	\$26 368	61
SEPARATE FUNDS IN THE HANDS OF THE COM- MISSIONERS				
Village Improvement Tree				

Dividends

Fund (Savings Bank) \$40 26

\$38 01

SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS

Year Ending	Jan. 31	'18	Feb. 15,	18
Current Maintenance Expenses			1	
GENERAL GOVERNMENT				
(Schedule A)	\$649	60	\$263	92
Protection of Persons and Pro	PERTY			
Police Department, Schedule I	3 1,283	21	1,230	24
Fire Department, Schedule C	828		1,082	
Health and Sanitation, Schedul	e D 23	20	26	00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES				
Maintenance, Schedule E	6,528	81	5,630	33
Street Lighting, Schedule F	1,584	68	1,556	21
WATER RENTALS, Schedule G	1,000	00	1,000	00
Precinct Hall Property,				
Schedule H	65	86	364	47
Total Current Maintenance	\$11,963	60	\$11,153	49
Interest:				
Schedule J	\$579	08	\$754	03
Outlay for New Construction and Im-	provemer	its:		
HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION:				
Schedule K	2,041	46	2,047	86
Fire Department				
Police Department				
Precinct Hall Property				
Total Outlay Paid	\$2,041	46	\$2,047	86

Indebtedness:

Bonds, Schedule O Notes	\$3,000 4,667		\$500 10,033	
Total Indebtedness Paid	\$7,667	00	\$10,533	00
Other Disbursements:				
Work for Outside Parties	399		\$38 ====	
Total payments for all purposes	\$22,650	93	\$24,527	10
GENERAL GOVERNMENT—SCHEDULE Salaries of Officers Expenses of Offices Printing and Stationery Legal Expenses, last four years Dump	\$175 94 134 240	13 62	649	60
Police—Schedule B Regular Services Special Services Heat and Light Other			1,283	21
FIRE DEPARTMENT—SCHEDULE C Firemen's Services Light and Heat Repairs and Replacements Fire Alarm Maintenance Other Expenses		13	828	24
Health and Sanitation—Schedu Services Supplies	11	00 20	23	20

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES—SCHEDULE	Ξ			
Trunk Line Maintenance	1,269	89		
State Aid Maintenance	671	63		
Other Maintenance	1,875	30		
Oiling	1,401	03		
Sweeping	166	56		
Sprinkling	34	91		
Snow and Ice	458	89		
Repairs and Replacements of				
Equipment	133	16		
Trees and Shrubbery	301	07		
Miscellaneous	216	37		
			6,528	81
HIGHWAY LIGHTING—SCHEDULE F				
Current	1,487	28		
Lamp Replacements	97			
Bump replacements			1,584	68
			-,00.	
WATER DEPARTMENT—SCHEDULE G				
Rentals of Hydrants	1,000	00		
PRECINCT HALL PROPERTY—SCHEDUL	εН			
Repairs Walker House	1	38		
Repairs Bly House	5	50		
Insurance, Water, Sewer, etc., Walk	er 52	98		
Insurance, Water, Sewer, etc., Bly	. 6	00		
			65	86
Interest—Schedule J				
Bonds	456	01		
Notes	123	07		
			<i>57</i> 9	08

CONSTRUCTION

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES—SCHEDUL	ь K	
Trunk Line, State Aid, Other	er	
Construction	1,119 82	
Equipment, Truck	921 64	
		2,041 46
INDEBTEDNESS—SCHEDULE O		
Bonds	3,000 00	
Notes—Walker House	1,500 00	
Fire Truck	500 00	
Storehouse	667 00	
Current Loans	2,000 00	
		7,667 00

ASSETS

CRUSHER PLANT

	Year Ending			
	Feb. 15	Jan. 31		
	1916-17	1917-18		
Engine and boiler (E. L. Bacon's				
valuation)	\$450 00	\$450 00		
Steel plate screen, elevator and belt-				
ing (E. L. Bacon's valua-				
tion \$300)	300 00	300 00		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		300 00		
Steel frame crusher (E. L. Bacon's		000 00		
valuation \$900)	800_00			
Bins for stone	125 00			
Crusher house	20 00	20 00		
Engine house	250 00	250 00		
Steam drill	175 00	175 00		
Anvil and forge	11 00	11 00		
Pump and hose	5 00	5 00		
Tools	34 00	34 00		
	\$2,170 00	\$2,170 00		
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Street Machinery,	Tools			
Precinct's share of steam roller	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Little Western road grader	90 00	70 00		
Street sweeper	80 00	60 00		
Street sweeper, extra broom	25 00	25 00		
Street scraper	80 00	70 00		
Snow roller	75 00	75 00		
Sprinkling wagon	300 00	300 00		

Wheel scraper	25	00	20 00
1 dump cart	10	00	10 00
Steam boiler trucks	50	00	50 00
Tarrant 150-gal. melting pot	80	00	70 00
2 pouring pots	3	00	3 00
1 Smith Form-a-truck (cost \$900)			760 00
Four snow plows	100	00	100 00
Gutter plow	125	00	125 00
2 hard pan plows	35	00	35 00
2 drag scrapers	7	00	7 00
Stone drag	5	00	5 00
6 chains	35	00	35 00
Cleaning cart	5	00	5 00
Spraying cart	5	00	5 00
2 road drags	5-	00	10 00
1 wheel truck	15	00	15 00
Rock lifter	30	00	30 00
2 box rolls	6	00	6 00
Pavement cleaner	3	00	3 00
1 hand roller	5	00	5 00
7 dumping boards	8	00	8 00
1 grindstone	2	50	2 50
3 hand screens	5	00`	5 00
10 turnbuckles	9	00	9 00
Set pulley blocks	5	00	5 00
1 desk	10	00	10 00
Jack screw	2	00	2 00
1 lawn mower	2	00	2 00
2 oil tanks	6	00	6 00
2 oil cans	1	00	1 00
Battery	12	00	12 00
Sewer pipe cleaners and coupling rods	10	00	10 00
3 tool boxes	5	00	5 00
Pair skids	3	00	3 00
1 spreader	1	50	1 50
6 wheelbarrows	8	00	12 00
1 cart harness and pad	4	00	4 00

2 straight edge	5	00	5 00)
2 dozen lantern globes	3	00	3 00)
27 lanterns	8	00	8 00)
19 lantern rods	8	00	8 00)
63 shovels	31	50	31 50)
8 scoop shovels	4	00	4 00)
6 snow shovels	4	00	4 00)
3 stone forks	2	00	2 00)
4 manhole spoon shovels	4	00	4 00)
4 manhole dippers	5	00	5 00)
5 hoes	2	00	2 00)
13 picks	3	25	_3 25	,
5 mattocks	2	50	2 50)
6 rakes	4	00	4 00)
11 iron bars	8	00	8 00)
8 tampers	3	50	3 50)
2 stamping irons		50	50)
2 scythes	1	00	2 00)
15 wrenches	4	00	8 00)
12 street brooms	2	00	5 00)
Water heater	4	00	4 00)
6 pails	1	00	1 00	,
Oil stove	2	00	2 00	
7 pairs rubber boots	8	00	8 00	,
7 wooden horses	2	00	2 00	ŀ
3 axes			5 00	,
	2,615	25	3,332 25	
Supplies			-,	
Sewer pipe	430	00	300 00	
Sewer pipe covers	45	00	45 00	
Cylinder oil	5	00	5 00	
Machine oil	3	00	3 00	
5 bbl. tarvia	16	00	20 00	
8 bbl. asphalt	20	00	55 00	
4 bbl. road oil	12	00	12 00	
Crushed stone	15	00	15 00	

2 bags of cement 1 ton coal	7	00	1	35
Caps and fuse		00	1	00
Lumber		00	40	
20 glass battery jars (Fire Department)		50		50
8 battery zincs (Fire Department)		00		00
2 battery coppers (Fire Department)		00	0	50
34 bbl. copperas (Fire Department)		00	35	
y bbi. copperas (Fire Department)	45			
•	546	50	544	35
ORDERS DRAWN, 1917-19	18			
1. Pay Roll, Week Ending Feb. 24, 19				
A. P. McPherson		90		
John Coombs		00		
F. P. Barraby		50		
Herman Stone		50		
Trerman Stone			27	90
2 Pay Pall Wook Ending March 2 10	17			
2. Pay Roll, Week Ending March 2, 19 A. P. McPherson	20	40		
B. Murdock		00		
		50		
John Coombs		25		
F. McCarthy	12			
F. P. Barraby	12	25	40	40
			49 16	
3. Ella Needham				25
4. J. A. Anderson	~	•		
5. Mascoma Electric Light and Gas (•	127	
6. New England Telephone & Telegrap		0.	2	05
7. Pay Roll, Week Ending March 8, 19		40		
A. P. McPherson	20			
B. Murdock		50		
F. P. Barraby		50		
Herman Stone	6	50	2-	00
			35	90

8.	Pay Roll, Week Ending, A. P. McPherson B. Murdock John Coombs F. P. Barraby Herman Stone	March 16, 1917 17 00 8 00 1 00 1 50 4 00	31 50
9.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		65
10.	Pay Roll, Week Ending	March 22, 1917	
10.	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	6 75	
	John Coombs	3 50	
	F. P. Barraby	50	
	·		31 15
11.	Pay Roll, Week Ending	March 30, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	10 25	
	H. McCarthy	11 25	
	John Coombs	6 75	
	F. P. Barraby	2 50	
	C. D. Manchester	9 00	
	H. M. Clifford	4 50	
10			64 65
	Pay Roll, Fire Dept.	A	104 25
13.	Pay Roll, Week Ending A. P. McPherson	April 6, 1917 20 40	
	B. Murdock	13 50	
	H. McCarthy	13 50	
	John Coombs	13 50	
	H. M. Clifford	70 00	
	Herman Stone	15 00	
	C. Marvile	10 00	
	F. P. Barraby	3 00	
	The state of the s		158 90
14.	J. P. Hutchinson		90
15.	S. C. Rogers		4 34
16.	Thos. E. Ward		27 93

17.	Vermont Farm Machine Co.		12 20
18.	Globe Mfg. Co.		35 00
19.	Israel Boye:a		4 00
20.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		2 85
21.	Mascoma Electric Light & Gas Co		139 59
22.	C. E. Rice		9 36
23.	A. D. Storrs		8 50
24.	The Dartmouth Press		90 65
25.	L. H. Jones		166 66
26.	<i>y</i> , G 1 .	, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	9 25	
	H. McCarthy	10 50	
	John Coombs	10 50	
	H. Clifford	21 46	
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27.	L. B. Downing		1 80
28.	Pay Roll, Week Ending April 20,	1917	
	A. P. McPherson	17 00	
	B. Murdock	11 50	
	Mary E. Ritchie	11 25	
	John Coombs	11 25	
	H. Clifford	42 79	
	F. P. Barraby	2 50	
	z. z. Barraby		96 29
29.	Boston & Maine R. R. Co.		95 51
30.	Pay Roll, Week Ending April 25,	1917	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
00.	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	12 78	
	John Coombs	12 50	
	E. R. Farr	7 50	
	H. Clifford	43 87	
	F. P. Barraby	1 27	
	I. I. Darraby	1 4/	98 32
31	A. P. McPherson		1 05
	L. H. Jones		83 33
	A. D. Storrs		3 20
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35. 36.	Boston & Maine R. R. Co. E. S. Conner E. F. Sullivan Pay Roll, Week Ending May	· ·	4 10 17 50 21 90
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	11 40	
	John Coombs	11 14 5 00	
	H. McCarthy H. Clifford	49 36	
	O. Gurn	15 00	
	C. Marvile	5 00	
	C. Marine		117 30
38.	John S. Lane & Son		87 29
	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		85
40.	Mascoma Electric Light & G	as Co.	125 69
41.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		3 10
42.	Pay Roll, Week Ending May	10, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	15 56	
	H. McCarthy	15 00	
	John Coombs	15 00	
	H. Clifford	74 55	
	F. P. Barraby	2 25	140.76
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	Ella Needham The Studebaker Corporation		18 00
	The Dartmouth Press		18 00
	A. W. Dodge Co.		180 65
	Pay Roll, Week Ending May	18 1917	100 03
⊣7.	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	15 28	
	John Coombs	15 00	
	H. McCarthy	15 00	
	H. Davis	10 00	
	H. Clifford ·	44 00	
,	F. P. Barraby	1 00	
			137 18

48	H. N. Clifford		9 43	
	J. P. Hutchinson		3 00	
	Pay Roll, Week Ending May	z 24. 1917		
	A. P. McPherson	20 40		
	B. Murdock	10 00		
	John Coombs	13 62		
	H. McCarthy	13 62		
	H. P. Davis	8 62		
	H. Clifford	44 00		
	F. P. Barraby	1 25		
			111 51	
51.	Boston & Maine R. R. Co.		10 45	
52	Pay Roll, Week Ending Ju	ne 2 1917		
٥	A. P. McPherson	17 00		
	B. Murdock	8 06		
	H. McCarthy	5 00		
	John Coombs	2 50		
	H. Davis	10 00		
	H. Clifford	22 00		
	F. P. Barraby	1 25		
			65 81	
53.	Mascoma Electric Light and	Gas Co.	131 75	
54.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		4 45	
55.	Newton A. Frost, Agt.		16 00	
56.	Davison & Ward		39 68	
57.	Thos. E. Ward		4 08	,
58.	Independent Coal Tar Co.		19 84	
59.	H. N. Kingsford		6 00	
60.	The Dartmouth Press		3 00	
61.	E. T. Ford Co.		13 44	
62.	A. D. Storrs		9 60	
63.	Pay Roll, Week Ending June	e 8, 1917		
	A. P. McPherson	20 40		
	B. Murdock	11 40		
	H. P. Davis	12 50		
	H. McCarthy	8 60		
	John Coombs	2 50		

	James Peavey	7 50	
	P. W. Davis	5 00	
	H. Clifford	30 55	
	H. S. Perley	22 00	
	W. A. Pierce	16 50	
	F. J. Spencer	11 00	
	. J. Spenser		147 95
64.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Ju	ne 16. 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	11 40	
	H. Davis	12 82	
	P. Davis	11 72	
	R. Moffatt	10 32	
	James Peavey	12 82	
	H. McCarthy	12 82	
	G. Williams	1 96	
	G. Roberts	11 76	
	McKeegan	84	
	H. Clifford	76 96	
	F. J. Spencer	21 99	
	W. A. Pierce	16 50	
	H. S. Perley	14 05	
	J. Richardson	18 32	
	J. D. Thompson	18 32	
	J. D. Thompson	15 87	
	J. D. Thompson	13 67	288 87
65.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Ju	ne 22. 1917	200 07
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	15 76	
	H. McCarthy	15 00	
	P. W. Davis	10 00	
	H. Davis	15 00	
	R. Moffatt	12 50	
	J. Peavey	15 00	
	G. Williams	5 00	
	McKegan	5 00	
	G. Roberts	25 00	
	G. ALODOLLO	20 00	

	John Coombs	12 50	
	H. Clifford	44 00	
	F. P. Barraby	3 50	
	C. Hutchinson	5 00	
			203 66
66.	C. E. Kendall		5 95
67.	H. S. Biathrow		55 32
68.	Pay Roll Week Ending June	29, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	13 34	
	H. McCarthy	5 00	
	John Coombs	15 00	
	P. W. Davis	13 62	
	H. P. Davis	7 50	
	J. Peavey	12 50	
	R. Moffatt	13 62	
	H. Clifford	18 95	
	F. P. Barraby	2 00	
	-, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -		121 93
69.	Eastern Clay Goods Co.		372 87
70.	Water Co.		500 00
71.	Alden Speare's Sons Co.		718 .20
72.	Lebanon Garage		877 50
73.	Pay Roll, Fire Dept.		66 50
74.	A. MacAuley		22 10
<i>7</i> 5.	Boston & Maine R. R. Co.		52 83
76.	Pay Roll, Week Ending July	6 1917	
70.	A. P. McPherson	17 00	
	B. Murdock	10 84	
	H. P. Davis	8 62	
	P. W. Davis	8 62	
	John Coombs	10 28	
	R. Moffatt	2 50	
	James Peavey	10 00	
	H. McCarthy	5 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 50	
	r. I. Dallaby	1 30	74 36
			74 30

77.	I. E. Tucker		4 55
78.	W. E. Smalley		7 35
79.	H. B. Rood		8 75
80.	Sydney L. Ruggles		1 25
81	C. M. Hildreth & Son		2 14
82.	E. T. Ford Co.		14 24
83.	Mascoma Electric Light & Gas Co.		132 98
84.	C. E. Kendall		2 70
85.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		6 00
86.	Independent Coal Tar Co.		49 84
87.	Eastern Clay Goods Co.		16 80
88.	The Inn Stable		4 50
89.	Thos. E. Ward		26 74
90.	The Barber Asphalt Co.		99 26
91.	Davison & Ward		17 33
92.	The Dartmouth Press		13 69
93.	John Masterson Est.		13 25
94.	Pay Roll, Week Ending July 13, 19	17	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	15 84	
	John Coombs	15 00	
	H. P. Davis	12 50	
	P. W. Davis	15 28	
	J. Peavey	7 50	
	B. Murdock	10 00	
	B. Connor	6 00	
	E. Trachier	1 50	
	F. P. Barraby	1 25	
			105 27
95.	S. C. Rogers		30 74
96.	Boston & Maine R. R. Co.		64 79
97.	A. P. McPherson		3 57
98.	John V. Hazen		5 50
99.	Dartmouth National Bank		
			501 12
100.			38 44
101.	Dartmouth National Bank		1,196 18

102.	Pay Roll, Week Ending July	20, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	15 56	
	John Coombs	15 00	
	H. Davis	15 00	
	P. Davis	11 10	
	J. Peavey	15 00	
	H. McCarthy	15 00	
	B. Connor	2 33	
	E. Trachier	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 25	
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103.	Boston & Maine R. R. Co.		50 87
104.	Newton A. Frost, Agt.		142 92
105.	Pay Roll, Week Ending July	28, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	15 28	
	H. Davis	10 00	
	P. Davis	5 00	
	J. Peavey	5 00	
	John Coombs	15 28	
	H. McCarthy	15 28	
	F. P. Barraby	4 50	
			90 74
106.	The Lebanon Machine Co.		90 00
107.	L. H. Jones		250 00
108.		3, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	H. McCarthy	13 90	
	John Coombs	14 18	
	B. Murdock	15 28	
	F. P. Barraby	1 50	
	E. Trachier	3 00	
	B. Connor	1 66	
	E. Trachier	5 50	
			75 42

109.	Pay Roll, Week Ending A. P. McPherson B. Murdock H. McCarthy John Coombs E. Trachier F. P. Barraby Truck	Aug. 10, 1917 20 40 15 56 7 50 7 50 3 00 1 50 27 50	
			82 96
110.	Pay Roll, Week Ending		
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	14 46	
	H. Davis	6 40	
	E. Trachier	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 50	45 76
111	E11 N 11		
	Ella Needham		5 50
	Scott Sloane		86 62
113.	Pay Roll, Week Ending	_	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	15 56	
	H. Davis	7 50	
	E. Trachier	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 25	AP 71
			47 71
114.	Pay Roll, Week Ending	*	
	A. P. McPherson	10 20	
	B. Murdock	7 78	
	E. Trachier	1 50	
	F. P. Barraby	1 00	20 48
115	II C Dondon Atto		50 00
	H. G. Pender, Atty.	C . 21 1017	30 00
116.	Pay Roll, Week Ending		
	A. P. McPherson	17 00	
	H. F. Murdock	7 50	
	John Coombs	5 28	

	E. Trachier ·	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 25	
			34 03
117.	George Carey		15 00
	Pay Roll, Week Ending Se	pt. 28, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	H. Murdock	16 53	
	John Coombs	15 56	
	E. Trachier	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 50	
			56 99
119.	Pay Roll, Fire Department	•	70 50
120.	C. E. Rice		5 19
121.	H. M. Clifford		11 55
122.	Pay Roll, Week Ending O	rt 6 1917	11 00
122.	A. P. McPherson	13 60	
	B. Murdock	5 28	
	John Coombs	7 52	
	E. Trachier	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 75	
	1. 1. Dallaby	1 / 3	31 15
123.	Pay Roll, Week Ending O	ct 12 1917	01 15
120.	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	12 78	
	John Coombs	12 78	
	E. Trachier	1 50	
	F. P. Barraby	1 50	
	r. r. Barraby	1 30	48 96
124	D D-11 W1- E1: O		70 70
124.	Pay Roll, Week Ending O A. P. McPherson		
		20 40	
	B. Murdock	14 18	
	John Coombs	14 46	
	H. McCarthy	9 18	
	E. Trachier	3 94	
	Nash & Tenney	1 50	
	F. P. Barraby	1 00	(1 (1
			64 66

	A. H. Dutton	42	00
126.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Oct. 26, 1917		
	A. P. McPherson 20 40		
	B. Murdock 10 58		
	John Coombs 11 40		
	H. McCarthy 11 40		
	E. Trachier 3 00		
	F. P. Barraby 2 00		
		58	
127.	L. H. Jones	250	
128.	American-LaFrance Fire Engine Co.	86	
129.	Barber Asphalt Paving Co.	17	98
130.	M. D. Bailey		65
131.	C. D. Brown & Co.	20	05
132.	H. A. Brown	4	60
133.	Dartmouth College	36	16
134.	Densmore Brick Co.	42	00
135.	Downing & Putnam	51	40
136.	E. T. Ford Co.	30	99
137.	Grafton County Electric Light & Power Co.	396	53
138.	J. P. Hutchinson	5	10
139.	John S. Lane & Son·	74	14
140.	Lebanon Machine Co.	37	50
141.	John V. Hazen	3	00
	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	8	86
143.	N. E. Broom & Supply Co.	15	00
	Rich Brothers	3	00
	H. B. Rood	7	50
146.	W. E. Smalley	37	22
147.	Alden Speare's Sons Co.	661	70
148	Thomas E. Ward	2	43
149.	J. Loveland	3	55
150.	W. Pierce	2	30
151.	A. D. Storrs	23	75
152.	John E. Allen	148	15
153.	Pay Roll, B. Murdock	15	16
	S. C. Rogers	61	93

155.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Nov. 2, 1917	52 63
156.	A. J. May	4 25
157.	Thos. E. Ward	5 17
158.	E. T. Ford	6 50
159.	G. B. Gale Co.	8 40
160.	A. D. Storrs	41 70
161.	Grafton County Electric Light & Power C	
162.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	2 55
163.	George Kibling	3 60
164.	S. C. Rogers	22 37 ·
165.	J. P. Hutchinson	1 50
166.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Nov. 9, 1917	50 93
167.	Ella Needham	9 27
168.	Dartmouth National Bank	2,575 81
169.	Void	
170.	Dartmouth National Bank	507 39
171.	Dartmouth National Bank	507 50
172.	A. P. McPherson	1 50
173.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Nov. 20, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson 20 40	
	B. Murdock 15 28	
	Mary E. Ritchie 15 00	
	W. Silly 4 00	
	E. Trachier 1 50	
	F. P. Barraby 1 25	
		57 43
174.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Nov. 27, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson 13 60	
1	B. Murdock 2 50	
	H. McCarthy 5 00	
	E. Trachier 1 50	
	F. P. Barraby 1 25	
		23 85
175	Pay Roll, Week Ending Nov. 30, 1917	
175.	A. P. McPherson 10 20	
	B. Murdock 2 80	
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		13 00

		4 25
	A. F. McKenzie	4 95
	Eastern Clay Goods Co.	19 67
178.	L. H. Jones	83 33
1 <i>7</i> 9.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Dec. 8, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson 22 30	
	B. Murdock 8 90	
	H. McCarthy 2 50	
	H. Stone 6 00	
	F. P. Barraby 4 00	
	E. Trachier 1 50	
	G. Whitcomb	
	F. P. Barraby 5 00	f2 f0
		53 50
180.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Dec. 15, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson 22 30	
	B. Murdock 7 50	
	C. S. Whitcomb 5 50 E. Trachier 5 50	
	E. Trachier 5 50 H. Stone 11 50	
	F. P. Barraby 8 00	
	H. Croall 5 50	
	II, Cloan	65 80
181.	Jerome Chesley	50 00
	A. D. Storrs	50 00
183.	•	
	A. P. Fairfield	50 00
184.	Dartmouth College	1 00
185.	S. C. Rogers	20 61
186.	J. P. Hutchinson	1 20
187.	Grafton County Electric Light & Power Co	o. 134 88
188.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	3 25
189.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Dec. 22, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson 20 40	
	B. Murdock 6 10	
	F. P. Barraby 6 50	
	H. Croall 4 50	

	E. Trachier	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 25	
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117.	George Carey		15 00
118.	Pay Roll, Week Ending S		
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	H ₄ Murdock	16 53	
	John Coombs	15 56	
	E. Trachier	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 50	
			56 99
119.	Pay Roll, Fire Departmen	ıt	70 50
120.	C. E. Rice		5 19
121.			11 55
122.			
	A. P. McPherson	13 60	
	B. Murdock	5 28	
	John Coombs	7 52	
	E. Trachier	3 00	
	F. P. Barraby	1 75	
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	B. Murdock	12 78	
	John Coombs	12 78	
	E. Trachier	1 50	
	F. P. Barraby	1 50	
		*****	48 96
124.	Pay Roll, Week Ending (Oct. 20, 1917	
	A. P. McPherson	20 40	
	B. Murdock	14 18	
	John Coombs	14 46	
	H. McCarthy	9 18	
	E. Trachier	3 94	
	Nash & Tenney	1 50	
	F. P. Barraby	1 00	
			64 66

125.	A. H. Dutton	42	00
126.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Oct. 26, 1917		
	A. P. McPherson 20 40		
	B. Murdock 10 58		
	John Coombs 11 40		
	H. McCarthy 11 40		
	E. Trachier 3 00		
	F. P. Barraby 2 00		
		58	78
127.	L. H. Jones	250	00
	American-LaFrance Fire Engine Co.	86	00
	Barber Asphalt Paving Co.	17	98
130.	M. D. Bailey		65
131.	C. D. Brown & Co.	20	05
132.	H. A. Brown	4	60
133.	Dartmouth College	36	16
134.	Densmore Brick Co.	42	00
135.	Downing & Putnam	51	40
136.	E. T. Ford Co.	30	99
137.	Grafton County Electric Light & Power Co.	396	53
138.	J. P. Hutchinson	5	10
139.	John S. Lane & Son	74	14
140.	Lebanon Machine Co.	37	50
141.	John V. Hazen	3	00
142.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	8	86
143.	N. E. Broom & Supply Co.	15	00
144.	Rich Brothers	3	00
	H. B. Rood	7	50
146.	W. E. Smalley	37	22
147.	Alden Speare's Sons Co.	661	70
148	Thomas E. Ward	2	43
	J. Loveland	3	55
	W. Pierce		30
	A. D. Storrs	23	75
	John E. Allen	148	
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	F. P. Barraby 1 2	25
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	B. Murdock 2 8	
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	Eastern Clay Goods Co.		19	
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		3 30		
	F. P. Barraby	5 00	F 2	50
			53	50
180.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Dec. 15, 1913			
		2 30 7 50		
		5 50		
		5 50		
		1 50		
		8 00		
		5 50		
			65	80
181.	Jerome Chesley		50	00
182.	A. D. Storrs		50	00
183.	A. P. Fairfield		50	00
184.	Dartmouth College		1	00
185.	S. C. Rogers		20	61
186.	J. P. Hutchinson		1	20
187.	Grafton County Electric Light & Pow	ver Co.	134	88
188.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		3	25
189.	Pay Roll, Week Ending Dec. 22, 1917	7		
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		5 10		
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	H. Croall	4 50		

DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME		
Interest on funded debt	\$800 \$800	00
Interest on mortgages	800	00
Interest on unfunded debt	289	85
		1,889 85
Net Income		\$4,458 54
Appropriations		. ,
Dividends		2,250 00
Profit for Year		\$2,208 54
Profit and Loss at Beginni	NG OF YEAR	7,770 37
PROFIT AND LOSS AT CLOSE OF	YEAR	\$9,978 91

PERLEY R. BUGBEE, Treasurer



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NET INCOME			\$4,458	54
Appropriations Dividends			2,250	00
PROFIT FOR YEAR			\$2,208	54
Profit and Loss at Beginn	ING OF	YEAR	7,770	37
Profit and Loss at Close of	F YEAR		\$9,978	91

PERLEY R. BUGBEE, Treasurer

CERTIFICATES OF THE AUDITOR

March 2, 1918

I have examined the accounts of the Commissioners of the Village Precinct of Hanover for the Fiscal Year, February 15, 1917, to January 31, 1918, and find them correct and supported by proper vouchers.

WILLIAM R. GRAY, Auditor

March 2, 1918

I have examined the accounts of C. Edward Rice, Treasurer of the Village Precinct of Hanover, for the Fiscal Year, February 15, 1917, to January 31, 1918, and find them correct and supported by proper vouchers.

WILLIAM R. GRAY, Auditor



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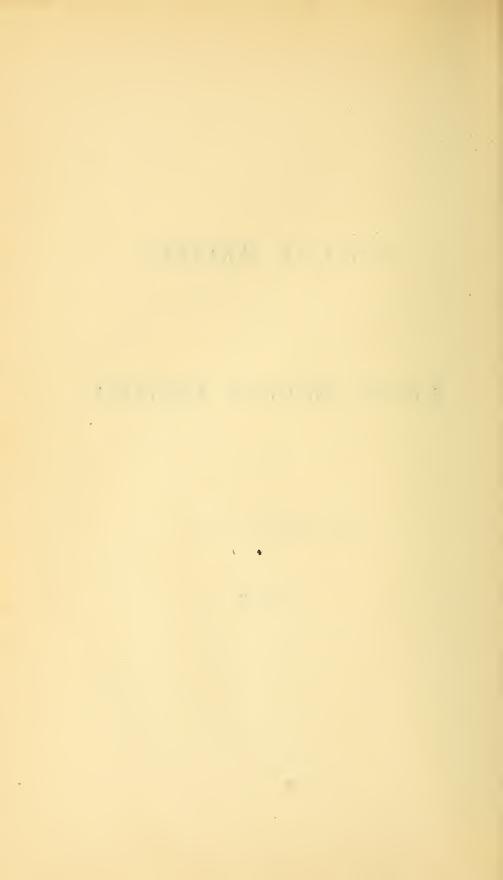
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HANOVER TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

In consequence of a change in the laws of the State, making the fiscal year for school districts close August 31st the financial report of the board of education cannot be made until after that date.

It will also be necessary for the district to vote money sufficient to finish out the current fiscal year to August 31, 1918.

A statement follows of the revenue and expenditures of the district to date, together with estimates of the amount necessary for the support of schools for the balance of this fiscal year and for the ensuing year.

REVENUE

Cash on hand, March 1, 1917	\$80	06
Literary fund	63	63
State aid average attendance and qualified teachers	457	00
State aid superintendent's salary	250	00
Money required by law 1	,005	<i>7</i> 5
Money voted by the district 4	,456	00
Dog license	57	05
\$6	5,3 69	4 9
Expenditures—Summary		

Teachers' salaries	\$2,231	00
High school tuition	1,126	38
Graded school tuition	328	00
Books and supplies	122	61
Transportation	281	05
Fuel	156	70
Upkeep and repairs	229	78

Janitor	36	40
School officers	634	00
Miscellaneous	30	90
District note with interest	211	20
	\$5,388	02
ESTIMATES REQUIRED FOR THE BALANCE OF H	FISCAL YEA	AR
For tuitions	\$500	00
For books and supplies	65	00
For school officers	135	00
For support of schools	1,000	00
For fuel	100	
	\$1,800	00
ESTIMATES FOR THE COMING YEA	R	
Money required by law, from state	\$1,000	00
For tuition	\$1,800	00
For books and supplies	200	00
For repairs	250	00
For flags	10	00
For school officers	386	00
For support of schools	1,800	00
For fuel	200	
	 \$4,646	00

FRANCIS V. TUXBURY ETTA EMERSON

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the Board of Education and Citizens of Hanover Town School District:

Your superintendent assumed charge of the schools of this district at the very beginning of the great conflict in Europe; and the present report, the fourth which I have had the honor of submitting to you, is an account of the work in your schools during a year in which we ourselves have been at war. For the general effect of the war upon the schools and upon the activities of the superintendent, will you kindly read the latter part of my report to the Hanover Special District. This will save the expense of printing in, perhaps, somewhat different form, what I have there said; for what has been done for the pupils of Hanover Special District, in the way of keeping them in touch with the work and thought of the leaders of our nation, has been done quite as faithfully for the boys and girls of Hanover Town District.

ATTENDANCE

On account of our shorter school year, the matter of attendance is especially important in our schools. Since the last report to the District, we have had 33 weeks of school; this is three weeks less than the length of the Lebanon school year and four weeks less than the Hanover Special District; but the condition of our roads in mid-winter and early spring makes a much longer school year inadvisable. We must make up for this by keeping all the children in school all the time it is in session. The superintendent has spoken in every school, urging the children to

resolve to have an education and to do their best to secure it by coming to school and attending to their work there. An attendance prize was offered to the school having the best per cent of attendance for the first two terms of the year. This prize was won by the Tunis school, with 99.5 per cent, a wonderful record. The County Road school had 98 per cent for the first two terms; and other schools also had very good records, considering the severity of the winter.

There never was a time when it was so necessary to keep the children in school. This country needs them and the whole world needs them to take the places of the thousands of trained leaders of men, who have died on the battlefield. And they have such opportunities of success and usefulness as no generation has ever known. The following statistics, taken from A Study of Distinguished Men in America, by W. W. Smith, rather under-estimates the facts, at present:—"The child with no schooling has 1 chance in 150,000 of making good in a big way.

"The child with an elementary education has 4 times the chance.

"The child with high school education has 87 times the chance,

"The child with college education has 800 times the chance."

Our statistical tables show an alarming decrease in the number of children in our schools. In 1915-'16, we had an average attendance of 100.9, in 1916-'17, it had dropped to 86.8; indications are that we shall have, in the present year, even less than in 1916-'17. Your superintendent believes that parents who withdraw their children from school at this time are making a terrible mistake which will be costly, in dollars and in citizenship, to the country, to the community, and, most of all, to the children themselves.

PHYSICAL CONDITIONS

The cost of labor and material is so great that it seems wise to confine our expenditures to strictly necessary repairs. Experience has shown that, with an average expenditure of about \$250 a year, we can take care of the minor repairs in all schoolhouses and make some badly needed improvements in one schoolhouse each year. This year we have put the Center school in shape, installing new seats and securing better lighting by changing the arrangement of the seats.

Transportation

As the Pinneo school was so small, it seemed to your Board that the best interests of the pupils would be better served if they could be carried to Hanover and Hanover Center. This plan would be very satisfactory, if it were not so difficult and so expensive to secure transportation. After having given the transportation plan a fair trial, we are convinced of the necessity of opening the Pinneo school for the spring term.

TEACHERS AND TEACHING

The first essential of good schools is good teaching. We have had good teachers in our school this year. Four of our six schools have been in charge of certificated teachers and we have made no changes during the first 21 weeks. First-year high school work has been done in two schools, Arven and County Road.

It is hard for your Board to determine how much they should advise, you to appropriate, this year, for teachers' salaries. The demand for all kinds of labor is so great that we must expect our teachers to leave us, unless we can pay them approximately what they can earn elsewhere. When we consider that we pay double what we used to pay for sugar, for a broom, for day labor, we must expect that the education of our children will increase in cost.

But if there never was a time when it cost so much to live and to do our part in the world's work, there never was a time when life was so well worth living; when every man, woman and child had such a splendid opportunity to do something for great causes and to write, in his life's history, a page which he will, all his life, be proud to turn. Your superintendent appreciates the greatness of this opportunity in the work of school supervision and thanks you for your continued and unfailing support during the four years of our work together.

Respectfully submitted,

CATHERINE A. DOLE,
Superintendent

HONOR ROLL

(Hanover Town District)

Names of those pupils who have not been absent or tardy.

CENTER

Three Terms—Frances Gale, Pearl LaBombard.
Two Terms—Doris LaBombard, Myrtle LaBombard.
One Term—Almeda LaBombard.

TUNIS

Entire Year-Bertha Pellerin, Jesse Pellerin.

PINNEO

One Term—Helena Brown, Israel Fogg, Malcolm Fogg, Wilson Fullington, Stella Jones.

COUNTY ROAD

Three Terms—Doris Biathrow, Nina Biathrow, Ethel Goodfellow.

Two Terms—Blanche Chapin, Edward Goodfellow, Louise Goodfellow, Robert Goodfellow, Roland Messier, Robert Russell.

One Term-Mary Goodfellow.

ARVEN

Three Terms—Donald Lacoss.

Two Terms-Margaret Chandler.

One Term—Alice Ayotte, J. Henry Chandler, Richard Lacoss.

HIGHLANDS

Three Terms—Herbert Shovan.

Two Terms-Marie Gauthier, George Shovan.

One Term-Hector Hamel, Albert Shovan,

ETNA

Three Terms-Frank Monica, Mae Monica.

Two Terms—Evelyn Bagley, Robert Bagley, Arleen Camp, Earl Camp, Raymond Camp, Hazel Cutting, Ralph Cutting, Grace Humiston, Leila Monica.

One Term—Benton Adams, Georgia Adams, Rolfe Camp, Ruth Cutting, Dorothy Hart, Frederick Hart, Evelyn Hayes, Morris Hayes, Lena Hewes, Kenneth Little, Raymond Pressey, Elda Monica, Esther Sargent.

			5	4				Visits	
School	Teacher	No. Wks.	Salary per Mo.	Av. Attendance	Ver cent Attendance	Tardy	S- Bd.	Supt.	Others
Etna	*Mary Eastman	31	\$50	28	93	3	r.c	16	41
Highlands	*Zilla Felch	31	\$40	9.34	93.4	ĸ	ιν	15	18
Arven	Aroline Sargent		\$36						
	Lucile Hunt	31	\$32	2.6	84.2	9	=	16	27
	Charlotte Seaver		\$36						
County Rd.		31	\$44	12.6	98.5	19	7	15	18
Pinneo		+27	\$48	8.7	87.8	∞	2	11	4
Tunis	*Susie Eastman	31	\$42	7.26	6	30	4	ഹ	37
Center	*Gladys Hurlbutt		\$44						
	*Una Rice (2 Terms)	31	\$50	13.24	95	51	01	17	78
Average or Total	Total	Av.	Av.	Total	Av.	Total	Total	Total	Total
for all Schools	hools	31	\$43	86.74	92.97	122	31	95	213

*State certification, entitling the District to \$2.00 a week from the State. *Pupils transported to other schools for 4 weeks.



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PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

Hanover, N. H., March 20, 1917

The annual meeting of School District Number One was called to order at 7.30 o'clock in the evening by the moderator, Edwin J. Bartlett.

The clerk, Henry H. Kew, read the warrant which had been duly posted according to law.

Art. 1. On motion of Frank A. Musgrove it was voted:

"That the report of the nominating committee be read before the election of moderator."

Frank A. Updyke as chairman of the nominating committee presented the following names as candidates for the several offices:

Moderator—Edwin J. Bartlett and Warren C. Shaw. Clerk—Marshall O. Edson and Henry H. Kew. Treasurer—Alfred W. Guyer and Lewis E. Hartshorn. Auditor—Henry W. Shelton and Ernest E. Snow. Two members of the Board of Education—Frank A. Musgrove and Carl C. Ward. Vesta F. Gile and Helen F. Murray. To fill unexpired term of Horace E. Hurlbutt—Grace E. Putnam and C. Edward Rice. On motion of Harlow S. Person it was voted:

"That the check list be used in balloting upon the names placed in nomination."

The ballot for moderator resulted in the election of Edwin J. Bartlett with 69 votes against 14 for Warren C. Shaw.

Art. 2. It was voted:

"That articles 2 and 3 be considered together." It was voted:

"That the Clerk, Treasurer, Auditor and Members of the School Board be elected on one ballot."

The meeting proceeded to ballot producing the following result:

Clerk—	
Marshall O. Edson	18
Henry H. Kew	64
and Henry H. Kew was elected.	
Treasurer—	
Alfred W. Guyer	62
Lewis E. Hartshorn	24
and Alfred W. Guyer was elected.	
Auditor—	
Henry W. Shelton	46
Ernest E. Snow	40
and Henry W. Shelton was elected.	
Board of Education Member No. 1—	
Frank A. Musgrove	68
Carl C. Ward	17
and Frank A. Musgrove was elected.	
Member No. 2—	
Vesta F. Gile	52
Helen F. Murray	34
and Vesta F. Gile was elected.	
Unexpired term—	
Grace E. Putnam	50
C. Edward Rice	30
Harry E. Burton	2
Chester A. Phillips	2
Benjamin T. Marshall	1
Helen F. Murray	1
and Grace E. Putnam was elected.	

Art. 4. H. S. Person for the School Board made a clear and concise explanation of the budget and the work and policy of the Board.

On motion of Herbert D. Foster it was voted:

"That the reports of the officers as printed be accepted."

On motion of Harlow S. Person it was voted:

"That the report of the Auditor be accepted and entered in the minutes of this meeting."

AUDITOR'S REPORT

HANOVER, N. H., March 3, 1917

I have examined the accounts and vouchers of Alfred W. Guyer, Treasurer, and find them correct and balance in his hands \$168.34.

CARL C. WARD, Auditor

Art. 5. On motion of Perley R. Bugbee it was voted: "To pass over Art. 5."

Art. 6. On motion of Harlow S. Person it was voted: "To consider Articles 6 and 7 together."

On motion of Harlow S. Person it was voted:

"That this district raise and appropriate, in addition to the amount required by law, the sum of eleven thousand nine hundred and fifteen dollars (\$11,915) for school purposes as follows: one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) for the payment of one bond; five hundred dollars (\$500) for the payment of one real estate note; twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) for the payment of one current note; nine hundred eighty dollars (\$980) approximately for interest on bonds and notes; one hundred forty-five dollars (\$145) for salaries of the Board and other officers; seven thousand five hundred and ninety dollars (\$7,590) for general current expenses and improvement of plant and equipment; as set forth in the budget."

Art. 8. On motion of Perley R. Bugbee it was voted:

"That a discount be allowed on all taxes upon real and personal property; 5 per cent if paid on or before July 15, 1917; 3 per cent if paid on or before September 15, 1917."

On motion of Charles D. Adams it was voted:

"Whereas the Precinct, at its annual meeting held March 15, 1917, approved the report of a committee which outlined in detail a plan for a standing advisory committee of thirty representing the Precinct and School District No. 1.

"Voted, that this district hereby accept this plan, to remain in force till otherwise ordered by the Precinct or the District.

"Voted, that of the twelve persons to represent the District, six be women.

"Voted, that the detailed plan as approved by the Precinct be made a part of the record of this school meeting."

The following is the above mentioned detailed plan adopted by the Precinct.

- (1) That for the joint explanation and discussion of the budgets of the Precinct and School District, and for the investigation of such other matters as may be referred to it by the Precinct Commissioners, the School Board, or by a meeting of the Precinct or the School District, a permanent committee be formed, composed of thirty members.
- (2) That eighteen of these thirty members be chosen to represent the Precinct, and that twelve members be chosen to represent the School District; provided that of the eighteen chosen to represent the Precinct, at least four shall be ex-commissioners of the Precinct.
- (3) That the members of this permanent committee to represent the Precinct shall be appointed by the Moderator of the Precinct, and that the members to represent the School District shall be appointed by the moderator of the School District.

- (4) That the members of the committee shall hold office for a period of two years; except that for the ensuing year one half of the representation of the Precinct and the School District, respectively, shall be appointed for one year, and one half shall be appointed for two years.
- (5) That it shall be the duty of this joint permanent committee to advise with the Precinct Commissioners and the members of the School Board in the formation of their respective budgets, and to express their opinion on any matters on which they may be consulted by the Precinct Commissioners and members of the School Board.

On motion of E. B. Woods it was voted:

"That Charles D. Adams, Mrs. Gilman D. Frost and Horace E. Hurlbutt be a committee to nominate two candidates for each office to be filled at the next annual meeting of the School District and to report at said meeting."

On motion of J. V. Hazen it was voted:

"That the Board of Education be and hereby is authorized to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary till such time as the taxes are collected and paid to the treasurer."

On motion of H. C. Edgerton it was voted:

"That the Committee of Thirty already provided for be requested to report at the next annual meeting on the expenditures of this district for school purposes, reduced to a per student and to a per capita basis, if possible, and on the relation our expenditures bear to those of other localities and in general, to report on any other facts with reference to school expenditures as may seem of value, and to make such recommendations as may seem expedient."

A motion by B. T. Marshall empowering the Committee of Thirty to investigate the workings of the two-session day in the High School was lost.

Adjourned.

HENRY H. KEW, Clerk

OFFICERS OF THE DISTRICT

Moderator: E. J. Bartlett Clerk: Henry H. Kew

TREASURER: Alfred W. Guyer Auditor: Henry W. Shelton

Members of the School Board:

Perley R. Bugbee, Chairman, Term expires 1918.

Vesta F. Gile, Term expires 1920

Frank A. Musgrove, Term expires 1920

Harlow S. Person, Term expires 1919

Frank M. Anderson, Term expires 1919

Grace E. Putnam, Term expires 1918

TEACHERS

High School

- French—Principal, Walter M. May, A.B., Dartmouth '05, Term of service began 1916. \$1850.
- Latin and Mathematics—Myra Hastings, A.B., Smith '05, Term of service began 1908. \$850.
- History and English—(until Nov.) Alice P. Hall, A.B., Bates 1910, Term of service began 1913. \$850. (Since Nov.) Dorothy Walter, A.M., Brown '16. \$850.
- Mathematics and Manual Training—Henry F. Hall, A.M., Brown, Term of service began 1917. \$900.
- Commercial Course—*Lillian L. Pickard*, Burdett Business College '16, Term of service began 1916. \$700.
- French and English—*Evelyn Fuller*, A.B., Radcliffe '16, Term of service began 1917. \$650.
- Chemistry—Almon W. Bushnell, B.S., Dartmouth '16, Term of service began 1914. \$150.

Grades

- Eighth grade—Principal, Almon W. Bushnell, B.S., Dartmouth '16. Term of service began 1916. \$850.
- Seventh grade—Sibyl Jesseman, Plymouth '17. Term of service began 1917. \$550.
- Sixth grade—Sarita M. Beverage, Gorham Normal. Term of service began 1914. \$600.
- Fifth grade—*Emily J. Dodge*, Gorham Normal. Term of service began 1915. \$600.
- Fourth grade—Anne Whiteley, Plymouth Normal 1915. Term of service began 1917. \$550.
- Third grade—Gladys E. Marshall, Plymouth Normal. Térm of service began 1914. \$600.
- Second grade—Edith Hall Hanold, Gorham Normal. Term of service began 1912. \$650.
- First grade—Jessie Tenney, Keene Normal. Term of service began 1917. \$550.
- Drawing—Anne Whiteley. Term of service began 1917. \$100.
- Music—Carrie E. Little. Term of service began 1913. \$300.
- Janitor-F. W. Gould. Term of service began 1913. \$936.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Board of Education for its report, herewith submits the Report of the Superintendent, the Report of the Principal of the High School, Report of the Principal of Junior High School, Report of the Supervisor of Music, Report of the Medical Inspector and the Treasurer's Report.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the Citizens of Hanover Special District Number 1:

The close of the present school year will mark the end of three years of supervision in the schools of Hanover and this report is the third which the present superintendent has had the honor of submitting to you.

Your superintendent hopes that you will, at some time, take up these three reports and compare them, in order that they may evidence to you the progressive and consistent policy of your Board of Education. Advising, directing, and supporting the efforts of superintendent, principals, and teachers, your Board is perfecting in Hanover a school system of which the district may well be proud. That every one of the six improvements which were set before us as the goal toward which we should strive is in process of accomplishment is due to the generosity and public spirit of the voters, the co-operation of the College, and the wisdom of the Board in planning the work of the schools.

PHYSICAL CONDITIONS

A survey of the elementary schools of the district was made last June, as a part of his work in education, by Mr. Charles Leonard Stone, now of the Dartmouth department of psychology. Mr. Stone's work was done in a thorough and scholarly manner, with cordial co-operation of the Dartmouth Department of Education on the one hand, and the superintendent and teachers of the grades on the other; and, as a result, the district has received, free of charge, what many cities and towns pay large sums to secure.

Mr. Stone calls attention to needed changes in our grade school buildings, especially in the matter of lighting. The Board have realized these defects but have felt that to put the building in satisfactory condition would involve more expense than the district would, at present, care to incur. Thanks to the survey, we now have the Cleveland and Minnesota requirements as a standard toward which we may work.

TEACHERS AND TEACHING

Mr. Stone's survey commends the interest and professional attitude of our teachers and suggests inspirational reading as a means of personal development. Regular teachers' meetings, once a week, in charge of Mr. Bushnell, provide for this professional reading and also for special study of methods of teaching certain subjects. For another fact revealed by the survey was that we need greater speed and accuracy in arithmetic and that the handwriting of the lower grades and the spelling of all except grade VII were poor. The results of a survey, where the work of a small system like our own is compared with accepted standards, is often discouraging, at first reading; but it is, at the same time, stimulating, rousing teachers and pupils to more concentrated effort and definiteness of aim.

Some important changes have been made in the personnel of our teaching force. Miss Peck, of the seventh grade, and Mrs. Woodward, of the fourth, resigned, and their places were filled by Miss Sibyl Jesseman, Plymouth 1917, and

Miss Anne Whiteley, another Plymouth Normal School graduate, whom we induced to leave a position as teacher in the fifth grade in the city of Dover, N. H., to take charge of our fourth grade here. In the high school, Mr. Huse resigned and Mr. Henry Hall, A.M., Brown University, formerly a teacher at Colby Academy, New London, N. H., was secured to take his place. The best interests of the schools were certainly served by these appointments. Miss Jesseman is admirably fitted for doing Junior High School work and, in addition to her other teaching, has taken charge of the domestic science work for the girls of the seventh and eighth grades. As Mr. Bushnell's report will show, we are now complying with all the State requirements and therefore hope to receive, very shortly, State approval of our Junior High School, a distinction which very few places in the State have yet received. By arranging to have Miss Tenney, of the first grade, take charge, under Miss Whiteley's supervision, of certain subjects in the fourth grade, Miss Whiteley was set free to supervise drawing throughout the eight grades. This work was greatly needed: our pupils were losing much that is of educational value on account of having, especially in the upper grades, almost no instruction in color and form. Miss Whiteley came to us highly recommended by Miss Johnston of Plymouth and by Supt. Damon of Dover, both as a teacher and as a supervisor of drawing and we believe that she is justifying these recommendations.

The war has called so many men from the ranks of the teachers that the supply of men teachers is much less than the demand. We feel that we were exceptionally fortunate in securing Mr. Hall, this year, as sub-master of our High School. How well Mr. Hall is fitted for the position of teacher is shown by the fact that, at the time he accepted our offer, he was closing an engagement to teach in the summer session of the Normal School by lecturing to the superintendents gathered for their summer institute at Plymouth. Moreover, Mr. Hall had had experience in installing

manual training and the Board decided to make the most of this favorable opportunity to equip the school for this work. Mr. Hall has himself made the necessary alterations in a room in the basement of the High School, tools have been purchased, and the boys of the Junior High School are now receiving instruction in wood-working and the care of tools, their first project being the construction of their own benches. We are now ready to give the manual training required by the State program for the seventh and eighth grades, and this at about half the ordinary expense.

One other change in our teaching force resulted from the resignation of Miss Alice Hall, who had been for more than four years one of the best beloved and most honored teachers of our High School. Miss Hall left us in November to go to the Pacific coast and the Board secured the services of Miss Dorothy Walter, who had had two years experience as a teacher of English and history and had, in 1916, taken her master's degree in history from Brown University. Miss Walter had been engaged to teach in a private school which failed to open and was therefore able to give up her secretarial work to accept the position here, a fortunate chance which enabled the work of the High School to go on without interruption.

Mr. Butterfield, now State Superintendent of Public Instruction, inspected our High School last spring, and his report on the qualifications of our teachers and the excellence of their work was most gratifying.

ATTENDANCE

A glance at our Age and Grade Table, which was printed in last year's report, and will, hereafter, be given once in three years, shows that we had, in the grades, 103 children of normal age, only 13 over-age, and 112 under-age. This marked under-age condition has caused the Board to rule that no child will be admitted to our school, unless he or she has passed the fifth birthday, except where this fifth birthday comes within a month after the day of entrance.

Any pupil desiring to enter a grade in advance of the first must either furnish evidence of promotion from the lower grade or must pass an examination satisfactory to teachers and superintendent.

Our percent of attendance and our tardiness record, for the entire year, did not quite hold up to the fine beginning which we made in the first half of 1916-'17; but we raised our percent two points and almost cut our number of tardinesses in halves. Attendance contests, in both grades and High School ought to give us an even better record for this present year.

ACTIVITIES OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

The entrance of the United States into the world war had an immediate and far-reaching effect upon every citizen; even the youngest child in school has been asked to do "his Following instructions from Washington and the State capital, the superintendent has labored earnestly to assist in impressing upon all the pupils in our schools the invaluable lessons of this great period in the nation's history. The literature issued by the various government agencies has been distributed and the superintendent has spoken in all grades on the following topics: Food Production and Conservation, Fuel Conservation, The Red Cross, War Savings. In this last campaign for the purchase of Thrift Stamps so much interest has been aroused by the combined efforts of superintendent and teachers that 55% of the pupils in the grades are Thrift Stamp owners and 87% of the High School pupils, making 66 2-3% of all the pupils of our schools, a splendid record.

The time and strength of all of us are so taxed by duties resulting from the war that it has seemed best to discontinue, for a time, the meeting of our Parent-Teacher Association:

Pupils, teachers, superintendents, all who are engaged in school work, have been repeatedly urged to keep the schools up to the highest standard of efficiency. We are reminded that the civilization of the world must look to America for help and leadership. The boys and girls now in school must be held there; they must go on to college and to technical and professional schools in the largest possible numbers; for the educated men and women of America are the hope of the whole world. As Commissioner Finley says of the schools of France, "The army of the present is in the trenches; the army of the future is in the schools." Service in the latter army is as necessary as service in the former. If we have done well in the past, we must do much better in the future; for, while these children for whom we now sacrifice and toil will reap rich benefits of this terrible struggle, they must also bear the heavy burdens of the reconstruction period. To this end they must be educated. They must have stronger bodies than our young men of this generation have had; they must have trained minds; above all, they must have learned the great lessons which God is teaching to His suffering world—lessons of brotherhood, the interdependence of nations and individuals; homely lessons of thrift and industry, of the dignity of labor; the great, uplifting lesson of faith, faith in their comrades, faith in their country, and faith in their God. In the teachers whom you select for your schools, at this time, you repose a trust as solemn as that assumed by the officers in whose care is the welfare of the boys at the front. Your superintendent thanks you for the opportunity you have given her to share in this work, and she earnestly bespeaks your continued support for all those who have any part in the guidance of your children during the coming years.

Respectfully submitted,

CATHERINE A. DOLE, Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL

Superintendent C. A. Dole:

It gives me pleasure to present a report of the Hanover High School for the school year 1916-17.

Instruction

The main features outlined in last year's report have been followed in the different subjects with these additional activities.

In English, all of the departments have co-operated and have agreed not to accept any written work that does not scale 60 on the Ayers Handwriting Scale or that has more than two misspelled words on the page. Once during each half term, specimens of written work of each pupil in other subjects are collected and graded for English. This grade is included in determining the English mark.

A course of study was prepared by Miss Hall previous to her departure that embodies the excellent suggestions that are found in the U. S. Education Bulletin in "The Reorganization of English," and the syllabi of New York and New Jersey and the New Hampshire English circulars.

To insure an interest in current events and to improve oral English two pupils report daily in each class on domestic and foreign news.

Miss Hastings has prepared a course in Latin that stresses derivatives in the first year and incorporates valuable supplementary material found in the New York Syllabus and the files of the "Classical Journal."

In the first-year French the Gottin series have been used to teach vocabulary of French daily life.

The advanced students in stenography and typewriting have been given office practice in the school office and are being sent out to local offices for additional training. In chemistry, several practical projects similar to those found in industrial life have been carried out.

It is regretted that there are not more objective tests of instruction in the different high school subjects such as those in arithmetic, spelling and reading for the grades. At present we have only the Rugg Algebra tests and the more recent Latin tests of Henmon. In both of these, norms of achievement have been set up and it is possible to know how the work of our school in these subjects compares with that of hundreds of other institutions. These tests will be given during the year and the results tabulated.

Principal H. A. Brown, now of the State Normal School of Oshkosh, formerly director of the N. H. Bureau of Research, is soon to publish the results of his tests in Latin given in the high schools of the State in two successive years. The results of his French tests, given at the same time, will be published later. The results of this work will furnish an interesting basis for studying instruction in these subjects in the different schools of the State.

The following statistical tables are given to reveal the relative standing of our school with the eight other public high schools of the State having an enrollment between 100 and 200 pupils.

In recent surveys that have been published, including that of Brookline, three objective points have been regarded as criteria of efficiency of a school:

Promotion
Retardation
Loss
Per cent of pupils given to higher institutions
Number of pupils per teacher
Length of service of teachers and rating of teachers

			Per cent left		Per cent Failed		Per cent 1916 P Graduates	\circ	:		No.
Schools	Total Enrollment		Per cent School in Boys Year	Failed I Course	More than I Course	Per cent attendance	to advanced schools	to class at entrance	No. of Pupils Tardinesses per teacher per pupil	.	Graduates 1917
1. Colebrook	113	39	6	12	25	66	52	42	14	1-	14
2. Hanover	139	43	17	6	15	96	55	61	23	۲.	19
3. Lancaster	138	48	~	+	15	- 24	76	78	70	۲۰.	31
4. Lebanon	157	45	16	14	ഹ	95	46	39	17	1.4	18
5. Littleton	191	50	∞	7	11	24	40	74	27	9:	32
6. Milford	166	4	14	13	∞	86	31	54	21	1.	29
7. Plymouth	155	47	22	12	6	95	65	54	19	6.	25
8. Wilton	130	42	6	14	10	87	27	39	16	5.7	12
9. Woodsville	109	41	11	70	∞	97	43	9	22	۲.	.19
Ave, of 92 Secondary Schools in the State	lary State	45	16	111	6	95	39	55	19	4.1	

TEACHING

During the year 1916-17 State Deputy E. W. Butter-field inspected and reported on the work of 515 teachers in our secondary schools. In many cases the inspector saw the teacher but in a single class, which might be her best or worst, but the attempt was to judge fairly of work seen. The same scale is used as above with limits +200 and -200. The norm is 0 and A, B, C, D, E, are given the arbitrary values of +2, +1, 0, -1, and -2, respectively.

(Figures denote per cent of teachers in each class)

TEACHERS

School	Seen	A B C D E GRADING
Colebrook	8	12 13 59 25 13
Hanover	7	14 29 29 28 — 29
Lancaster	7	14 29 14 29 14 0
Lebanon	8	12 13 38 37 — 0
Littleton	8	12 50 13 25 13
Milford	8	12 13 25 38 12
Plymouth	8	25 12 26 37 25
Wilton	7	14 57 29 0
Woodsville	5	20 20 40 20 20

HANOVER HIGH SCHOOL

Number of Pupils Enrolled During Year in Each Class

School Year	1st Yr. Class	2nd Yr Class	3rd Yr. Class		SPECIAL
1913-14	31	21	19	28	
1914-15 1915-16	36 45	30 28	13 28	10	
1916-17	45	37	17	21	19

RETARDATION OF PUPILS BY CLASSES

Number of pupils failing 1 or more units of work

School Year	1st Yr. Class	2nd Yr. Class	3rd Yr. Class	4TH YR. CLASS	TOTAL
1913-14	6	8	3	2	19
1914-15	11	10	4	1	26
1915-16	8	5	2	1	16
1916-17	8	16	2	1	27

Loss of Pupils by Classes During School Year

1913-14	1	1	6	2	10
1914-15	3	5	1	3	12
1915-16	11	5	5	1	22
1916-17	8	^ 2	1	1	12

Loss of Pupils

	June-Sept., 1916	June-Sept., 1917
	1916	1917
Cause: Removed from town	5	7
Indifference	4	1
Transferred to	/	
another school		3

Loss

	18 weeks 916-17	First 18 weeks 1917-18
Cause: Changed to gr. 8	2	0,
Removed from town	2	2
Indifference	6	4
Change in economic cond	. 3	0
Sickness	1 °	3
Inaccessibility to school		
in winter	0	2
Transfer to other schools	0	4
	14	15

ATTENDANCE AND TARDINESS

Record of Hanover High School for five years 1912-17 with State average for these five years

Year	% Daily Atte	end. A	v. N. Tardines	sses per Pupil
	Hanover	State	Hanover	State
1912–13	95.4	95.5	[7.]	2.7
1913-14	93.3	95.7	4.6 One	2.5
1914-15	93.8	.95.7	4.3 Session	2.4
1915–16	93.2	95.8	[3.5]	2.1
1916–17	95.85	95	Two	1.4
			.7 Sessions	

Prior to 1916-17, Hanover High School record in attendance was below that of the State and its tardiness record was larger than that of the State.

ENROLLMENT BY COURSES, AT END OF 18 WEEKS

Languages		
	1916-17	1917-18
Latin I	29	22
Latin II	1 9	23
Latin III	12	8
Latin IV	8	11
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Total	68	64
	1916-17	1917-18
French I (Those who had French		
in Grade VIII last year)	0	12
French I (Those having French in		
high school)	37	44
French II	12	23
French III	12	3
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Science and Mathematics

	1916-17	1917-18
Geometry	19	22
Algebra I	42	32
Review Mathematics	0	13
Chemistry	26	19
Physics	10	0
Ad. Algebra and Trigonometry	10	0
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Total	107	86
History		
	1916-17	1917-18
Ancient History	43	14
English History	17	0
United States and Civics	22	15
Med. and Mod. History	0	22
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Total	82	51
Commercial Subj	ECTS	
	1916-17	1917-18
Stenography and Typewriting I and		16
Bookkeeping I	13	18
Bookkeeping II	11	0
Commercial Geography	0	18
Current Economic Problems	7	0
Penmanship	0	6
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Total	39	58
English		
	1916-17	1917-18
English I	38	38
English II	28	28
English III	26	22
English IV	20	14
	112	102

TERM OF SERVICE OF TEACHERS

	1916-17	1917-18
Number teaching 1 year or less	3	0
Number teaching between 1 and 2 years	s 1	2
Number teaching between 5 and 7 year	s 1	1
Number teaching over 10 years	2	3

ALUMNI

Graduates, 1917

- 1. Jennie Armstrong, teaching in Plainfield Town school.
- 2. Florence Berry, at Montpelier, Vt., studying music.
- 3. Florence Bianchi, assistant at Western Union office in town.
- 4. Laverne Bushnell, at New Hampshire State College.
- 5. John P. Carleton, at Andover Academy.
- 6. Carita L. Clark, post graduate at Hanover High School.
- 7. Alice P. Cobb, at Butler College, Indianapolis, Ind.
- 8. Mary E. Edson, teacher at Hanover Town School.
- 9. Nettie E. Cooper, assistant in Dartmouth College Library.
- 10. Minnie H. Crosby, stenographer at Ford's Store.
- 11. Seth A. Densmore, at Dartmouth College.
- 12. Marjorie Foster, teacher in Lyme Town School.
- 13. Madeline Gile, at Smith College.
- 14. Catherine Laycock, at Smith College.
- 15. Leona Rainey, in training at hospital in Concord.
- 16. Dorothy Stewart, Mt. Holyoke College.
- 17. Olivia Stuart, in training at Bangor Hospital.
- 18. James Wicker, at Dartmouth College.

Administration

To make it possible for these pupils who are failing any portion of their work to have additional chance to study under supervision and make improvement, an opportunity class was formed at the beginning of the year. This class meets at 12.35-1.30 for those who live outside of the village, and from 3.35-4.30 for those whose homes are nearer the school building. Mr. Hall daily and the rest of the teachers in turn take charge of this class at noon and the later session has been under the volunteer direction of Misses Fuller and Hastings and the principal.

At the beginning of the year a careful consideration of a scientific marking system was made and all teachers are making graphs of their marks for each half term. The five point scale of marking with A, 94-100; B, 85-93; C, 77-84; D, 70-76; and E, below 70, is in use.

Plan books recording the work of each week are made out by the teachers every Saturday and returned on Monday morning to the office.

APPRENTICE TEACHING

Under the coöperative arrangement with Dartmouth College, students in the advanced courses in Education taught classes last spring and are now engaged in supervised teaching in the High School. These men are under the direction of the teacher of the special subject and the principal. Each lesson is taught only after conference and the careful preparation of a lesson plan. Constructive criticism of each lesson is made. This work has received the hearty coöperation of all the teachers and has been beneficial to all.

SCHOOL CUP

Through the generosity of the individual members of the Board of Education a school cup was recently presented by the chairman, Mr. Perley R. Bugbee.

This cup is to be awarded each year in June to the class attaining the best record in scholarship, athletics and attendance. A committee from the school acting with Miss Hastings, superintendent, and principal has decided to rate these three competitive elements in the ratio of 5:3:2. In

determining the winner, in athletics, inter-class competition in basketball, winter sports, tennis, and the Russell Sage Foundation badge contests are to be held. The aim is to have all members of the school participate in some form of athletic activity.

In conclusion, I wish to express my thanks for the hearty cooperation of school board, superintendent, and teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER M. MAY

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER OF THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

The following report of the Hanover Junior High School describes three phases of our work: first, general school activities of educational value; second, new subjects which enrich the school curriculum; and third, the teaching of subjects generally considered fundamental as part of an elementary or common school education.

About the beginning of the school year, the seventh and eighth grades were organized into a society, voting to call themselves "The Hanover Junior High School Association." This organization adopted a written constitution, elected officers, and throughout the year has had semimonthly meetings. Practically all of the other activities of the school, outside of the required class work, are conducted under the auspices of the Association. For instance, the Association appoints, directly, or indirectly through its officers, editors for the school paper; committees to arrange programs for social events; a committee to arrange in advance programs for morning exercises; and other officials.

The method of electing officers each term is typical of the activities of the Association. A few days before the close of the fall term, the members of the school met in two separate conventions, the Democratic and Republican. Each nominated candidates for office for the ensuing term. Then followed a spirited campaign for votes, each party making out a platform and following up doubtful voters with posters and campaign speeches. The balloting took place the day before the close of the term, and was con-

ducted in a formal way, using a printed ballot modeled after the ones used in the 1916 election of State officers. The present officers are performing their duties loyally and diligently, lest at the next election the Democratic Party suffer defeat.

Perhaps the most successful and valuable general activity is the daily morning exercise or assembly period. seventh and eighth grades meet together at nine o'clock for brief devotional exercises and a song or two led by the orchestra. The program which follows varies much from day to day. Frequently men from the college or other citizens of Hanover talk to the school on various topics. Professor Foster told us one day why the United States is at war with Germany; Rev. W. W. Ranney described some customs of the Hindus that he had observed in his travels: and several talks on "Choosing a Vocation" have been generously promised us by business and professional men and women. Each week the school paper, The Hustler, is read to the school before being placed in the Howe Library to be read by the public. Many of the programs are presented by the pupils themselves, and include music, short plays, recitations, and debates. Sometimes the whole eight grades gather in the assembly room to listen to a play or musical entertainment given by one grade.

In considering a brief description of new courses, it is well to bear in mind the statement that the Junior High School is part of a country-wide movement to reorganize our school system on the basis of needs rather than tradition. A study of the history of our schools reveals an eight-year graded system imported from Germany, a four-year college course modeled after that of England, with a four-year high school course, made in America, to bridge the gap between the two. Recent studies in the mental development of children, and measurements of the work of the public schools, have proved that more time than was necessary has been given to traditional common school subjects, and that the customary review of elementary work

in the seventh and eighth grades was neither necessary nor well fitted to pupils of that age. The two principal aims of the junior high school then, are: first, to adapt subject matter and methods to the age of the pupils; and second, to effect a gradual transition from elementary to secondary subjects and ways of teaching. With these purposes in view, several new subjects have been introduced into the curriculum.

All of these new subjects as taught in the seventh and eighth grades are introduced, not merely as a preparation for high school, but because of their intrinsic value. The teaching of a foreign language has usually been postponed beyond the most favorable time for presentation; because it is much easier to master the pronunciation and idiom of a foreign tongue at twelve years than at sixteen or later, French is taught in the Junior High School. The method used is the conversational one, almost no English being spoken in the classroom. The purpose of teaching elementary science is to broaden the pupils' knowledge of their environment. The various branches of modern science physics, chemistry, astronomy, biology, are covered in a general way that explains to the pupils the principles on which are based everyday things like the electric light and the telephone. Such a course in science not only forms a good basis for more detailed study in high school and college, but is highly valuable to the pupil who may never go beyond the eighth grade. The work in manual training and sewing has been begun not with the idea of turning out expert carpenters or professional needleworkers, but because one of the most potent means of training the mind is by teaching control of the muscles. We are especially fortunate in having Mr. Hall, an expert carpenter as well as a professional high school teacher, to begin the course in woodworking. These new courses are, in effect, only the means by which the educators of today are attempting to keep up with the enormous strides of modern invention and social development.

A very natural question may be asked right here, "Are not all these new courses crowding out others more essential? What is to become of arithmetic, grammar, and reading, for instance?" Traditional grammar and arithmetic have contained much unnecessary material. In St. Louis, recently, a study of the common errors in writing and speaking of school children was made to determine how much grammar is needed to enable pupils to speak and write correctly. The pupils in the Junior High School have already mastered this necessary portion of English grammar, and this knowledge is kept alive and made useful to them by requiring correct usage in their classroom writing and speaking. As for arithmetic, how many grocers or salesmen or bank clerks ever have to extract square root or reduce American dollars to English shillings? the Junior High School, the fundamental processes of arithmetic are constantly brought into play by being applied in a new and interesting subject, elementary geometry or algebra. Fractions, proportion, reasoning power, are all exercised in measuring, for instance, the height of a building by the method of similar triangles, and at the same time the pupils are gaining new conceptions of the proportions of objects and new habits of visualizing problems. Ability to read is cultivated by much silent reading and some reading aloud in connection with other subjects. The careful enunciation and expression that is characteristic of good reading aloud is sought through selections committed to memory, and through dramatization. In short, knowledge of the fundamental subjects is retained, not by tiresome duplication and repetition, but by the only method known outside the schoolroom—by use.

This report would be incomplete without some words of gratitude to the School Board, whose very generous support has made the work of reorganization possible. Thanks are also due to the Librarian of the Howe Library, who has always been ready with assistance and suggestions helpful to all the teachers in working out their plans. The

tireless efforts of our Superintendent merit the fullest appreciation of all, for without her kind coöperation and counsel our most difficult problems would never have been solved.

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. BUSHNELL

REPORT OF MEDICAL INSPECTOR

TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

The reports of the medical inspector is herewith submitted.

The determination of the defects of school children is comparatively easy in most cases, but difficulties sometimes arise when we attempt to remedy these defects. Fortunately for the Precinct of Hanover, these difficulties are small when compared with some other communities.

At the date of writing the schools have been particularly free from the more serious infectious diseases. Influenza has appeared in a mild form, but unless great care is taken is likely to increase in the next few weeks.

During the past year special attention has been directed to defective teeth. It is only in recent years that we are beginning to realize that many of the preventable defects of children can be definitely traced to septic teeth. Many diseased tonsils, enlarged adenoids, affections of the nose and ears and a host of digestive and systemic disturbances find their origin in a foul condition of the mouth due to sepsis. In the High School 95 per cent of the pupils have had more or less dental work done. This high percentage is to a great extent due to neglect in the earlier years of life. Eye, ear, and throat defects show the next highest percentages.

The summary of the more numerous defects follow:

	Total	Treated	Untreated
Defective vision	42	36	6
Defective hearing	21	14	7
Defective teeth	180	135	45

	Total	Treated	Untreated
Hypertrophied tonsils	32	12	28
Adenoids	44	20	24
Nasal obstruction	4		
Unvaccinated	2		
Laryngitis	6		
Tonsilitis	3		
Measles	7		
Pupils examined	306		

The classification of some of these defects may vary considerably with the individual examiner. For example, many large tonsils in young children do not need removal. Many small tonsils do need removal. Small eye defects of a certain type in the lower grades may not need correction. Thus it is seen that an increase or decrease in defects and their treatment may result, depending on the method of classification.

School inspection and school nurses, where it is possible to have them, can accomplish much, but the education, interest, and coöperation of the parents will do far more toward making our children physically what they should be.

E. H. CARLETON, M.D.

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

Since the report of last March, the Course in Music has been carried on along the same general lines as before, special attention being given to good tone production, music reading and writing and song interpretation.

New books containing more simple exercises than the old ones have been placed in the lower grades and the work by the pupils has been very satisfactory.

Music writing books have been given to the sixth grade for continuing more efficiently the splendid work done by these pupils last year.

Through the kindness of Mr. E. M. Allen, the pupils of both High School and Grades were given a valuable lesson in the appreciation of music by means of the best Victrola records. The lesson was keenly enjoyed by all.

The work with the boys of seventh and eighth grades having changed voices has been continued and we now have the best three- and four-part work we have ever had by boys.

The work in part songs by the girls of the seventh and eighth grades is also very gratifying.

One noticeable and satisfying result of the music lessons throughout the schools is the willingness of a great number of the pupils to sing alone, either exercises or songs.

At the graduation exercises of the High School, Class of 1917, and at the Junior Prize Speaking, a chorus of High School pupils furnished part songs and received much merited praise.

One of the chief aims of a school Music Course is, perhaps, the betterment of community music, and that this has been attained to a considerable degree in Hanover was distinctly noticeable at the churches during the Christmas festivities when the Christmas hymns and carols were sung so enthusiastically by old and young. There was by far the best community singing ever heard by the writer.

Respectfully,

CARRIE M. LITTLE

HONOR SCHOOLS

1916-1917

Honor Schools for Regularity of Attendance

Teacher	Grade	Percent
Almon W. Bushnell	VIII	96
Walter M. May	High School	95.8
Emily J. Dodge	· V	95
Percent of attendance for all	schools	94.08
Percent of attendance for the	State (1916)	93

Honor Schools for Punctuality

		No. Tardinesses
Teacher .	Grade	per Pupil
Walter M. May	High School	.79
Edith H. Hanould	II	2.6
Alice R. Woodward	IV	2.7
Average number tardiness	ses per pupil for	all
schools		2.8
Average number tardine	sses per pupil	for
secondary schools of	State	2.1

ROLL OF HONOR

The names of pupils not absent, or tardy for the year ending June 17:

HIGH SCHOOL

Three Terms

George Aulis, Seth Densmore, Colin Stewart, Jennie Armstrong, Charlotte Spaulding.

Two Terms

Joseph Brown, George Cooper, Haslett Fullington, Richard Husband, Andrew Marshall, Maude Austin, Mildred Bean, Alfa Brackett, Mary Brown, Charlotte Brown, Elizabeth Bugbee, Carita Clark, Mary Louise Edson, Freda Gould, Bessie Hawes, Ethel DuBerger.

One Term

Le Roy Aldrich, Dean Avery, Scott Brown, Stanley Conner, William Dixon, Edward Gould, John Goold, Harry LaPorte, James Martin, Edward O'Gara, Arthur Stewart, Leon Tanzi, Dolloff Whittemore, Rupert Willey, Winthrop Ranney, Dorothy Ballam, Rena Ballam, Florence Berry, Ellen Carter, Margaret Coleman, Nettie Cooper, Marjorie Foster, Eleanor Frost, Mary Gerould, Dorothy Gile, Madelaine Gile, Ruth Gilman, Hazel Goodrich, Mary Messenger, Edith Milner, Lois Nelson, Jessie Phillips, Katherine Patterson, Leona Rainey, Mattie Richardson, Ruby Rogers, Margaret Skinner, Avalyn Spaulding, Elizabeth Wicker.

EIGHTH GRADE

Two Terms

Clinton Aulis, Ellen Hurlbutt.

One Term

Henry Adams, Eaton Bean, Lorita Kew, Verna Record, Emma Rittner, Priscilla Wicker, Stewart Weston.

SEVENTH GRADE

Three Terms

Madeline Benton, Margaret Cooper.

One Term

Richard Hawes, Hazel Ledder, John Tanzi, Hazel Trachier, Doris Wilson.

SIXTH GRADE

Three Terms

Florence Carter.

Two Terms

Valentina Serafini.

One Term

Iris Allen, Elizabeth Bartlett, Muriel Brown, Verna Rich, Glenn Sargent.

FIFTH GRADE

Two Terms

Vida Brown, Ralph Duclos.

One Term

Milton Bean, Margaret Day, Ceil Dike, Ellen Hawes.

FOURTH GRADE

Three Terms

Archer Brown, Ronald Patterson.

Three Terms

Evelyn Berwick, Carlton Bond, Elizabeth Carter, Walter Croall.

One Term

Arleen Brownlee, Robert Clapp, Melvin Cooley, Robert Hawes, Nina Kinney, Louise Musgrove, Joseph Riley, Laura Riley, Everett Trucott, Elsie Ward, Lynda Welch.

THIRD GRADE

Two Terms

Hilda Trachier.

One Term

Gordon Clifford, Amber Hawes.

SECOND GRADE

Two Terms

Dorothy Allen, Ceylon Hadlock, Leslie Hawes.

One Term

Reginald Badger, Tomasino Bianchi, Barbara Beetle, Marion Croall, Allene Gove, Benjamin Marshall, Harold Sanborn, Olinto Serafini.

FIRST GRADE

Two Terms

Donald Hawes.

One Term

Frederick Burgess, Eustace Douglas, Eileen Kew, Isabel Martin.

GENERAL STATISTICS OF INDIVIDUAL SCHOOLS

1915-1916

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Grade	Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per cent Attendance	Perf. Attend.	No. Tardy	No. Visits	Tuitions	Not Promoted
I II III IV V VI VIII VIII	31 31 38 37 30 33 29	26.3 21.3 29.8 32 33.5 26.6 28.9 21.4	23.6 19.1 26.9 29.3 31.7 24.5 26.7 19.7	90.4 89.9 90 91.9 92.7 92.6 92	0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 2	92 235 140 142 191 57 284 123	67 41 25 52 46 73 24 23	2 4 3 6 0 4 5 1	3 2 2 5 0 3 3 0
High School	130	117	109.1	93.2	2	489	133	60	
Total	382	336	310.6	92.2	5	1751	484	85	18

1916-1917

I	25	21.3	19.8	92.7	0	68	49	0	4
II	28	26.7	23.7	88.8	0	71	89	0	2
III	24	21	19.3	91.9	0	70	45	5	0
IV	33	26	24.4	90	2	71	60	2	0
V	28	26.9	25.5	95	1	81	66	4	1
VI	36	32.4	30.2	93	1	162	28	7	1
VII	34	29	27	93	2	135	48	7	4
VIII	29	26	25	96	0	174	27	7	10
High School	139	120.8	115.9	95.9	4	96	117	61	
Total	376	330.3	310.8	94	10	928	529	93	22

TREASURER'S REPORT

School District No. 1, from February 15, 1917, to February 15, 1918

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand from last year		\$168	34
From State	\$1,543 00		
Library fund	289 89		
Dog money	259,92		
Town and District	16,496 <i>7</i> 5		
Borrowed from Bank	5,700 00		
Tuitions, High School	1,663 20		
Tuitions, Grades	483 75		
Rent of tenement	108 43		
Miscellaneous	18 21		
		26,563	15
		\$26,731	49
Disbursemen	NTS		
Orders drawn by School Board as	s per their		
report		\$25,181	07
Balance on hand		1,550	42
		\$26,731	49

ALFRED W. GUYER, Treasurer, School District No. 1

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Hanover, N. H., February 27, 1918

I have examined the accounts and vouchers of Alfred W. Guyer, Treasurer, and find them correct, with a balance on hand, February 16, 1918, of \$1,550.42.

HENRY W. SHELTON, Auditor









