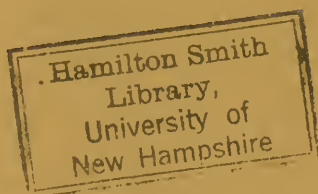
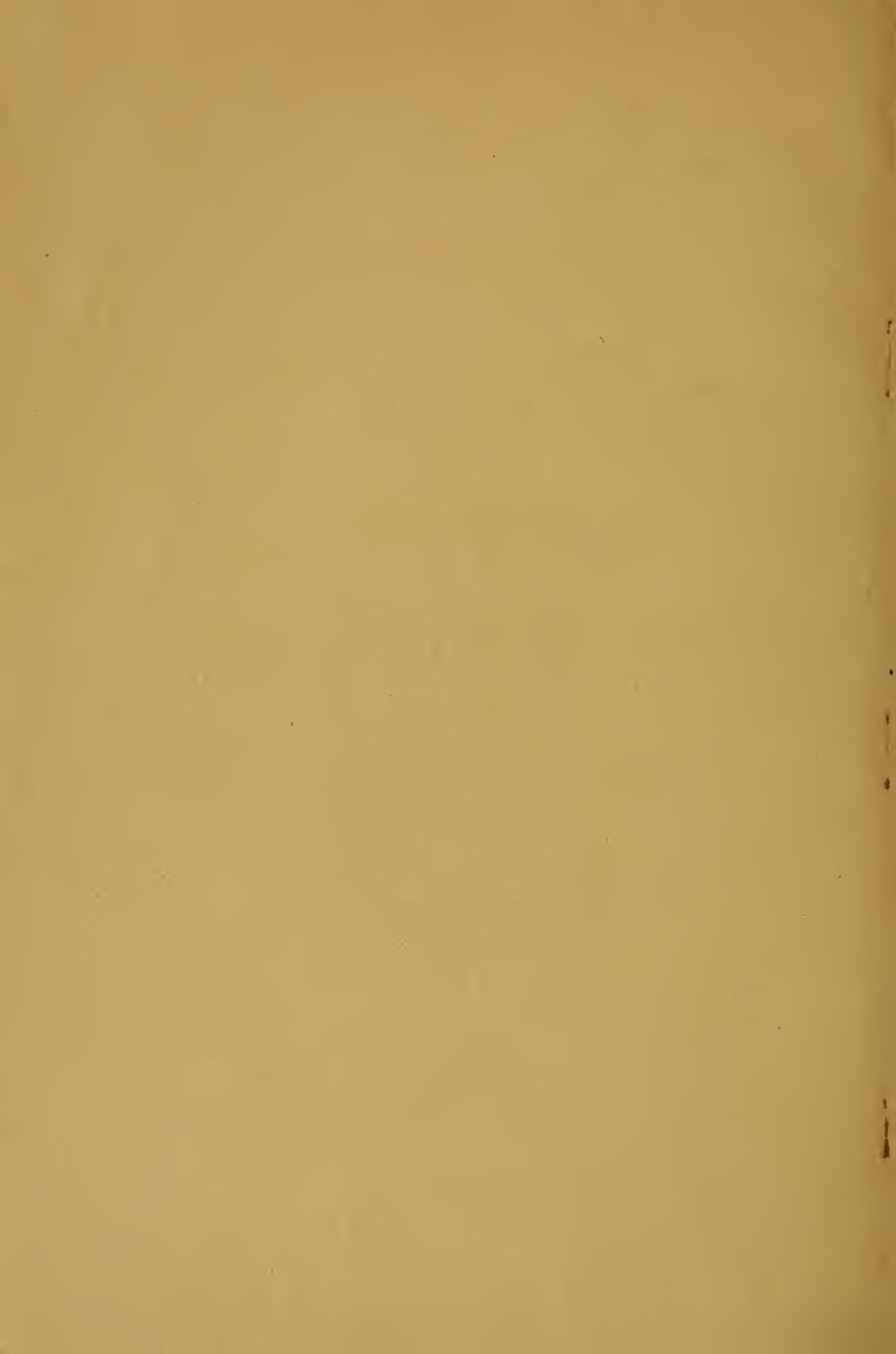


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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
TOWN OF MADBURY
NEW HAMPSHIRE

1921





ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
Selectmen, Treasurer
AND
School Board
OF THE
TOWN OF MADBURY
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING
January 31, 1922

DOVER, N. H. :
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In Memoriam.

Another year in the history of our little town has rolled by and coming to its close, it is but natural that we indulge somewhat in reminiscence.

And so, we recount the events of the past year—just those every day experiences which have entered into the lives of our town's people and it leaves us with a firm conviction that in many ways ours is an especially favored community; and that one of our greatest benefits comes from the fact that although our area is small, and our homes comparatively few in number, we are all the more closely united by kindred ties of common interests into one happy community family.

With the true fraternal spirit thus fostered in our small community, we share one with another in the satisfaction of prosperous days or each assumes his part of the burden of united effort for the needs of the town.

It follows that in such a community the loss of members is most keenly felt.

Four times during the past year, we have been saddened by the coming of Death into our midst removing from us the following town's people:—

Elizabeth Locke, wife of Harry Locke.

Charles J. Norman, husband and father.

Georgia E. Proctor, wife of Ammer H. Proctor.

Phillip B. Baxter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nahum Baxter.

It is indeed a heavy loss to our little town, and once again we express to the families bereft our deepest sympathy, assuring them, that we, their neighbors and friends share in one common grief; and with the memory of those gone on still before us we say with the poet:

There shall be peace for all of us to share,
Long days of rest and nights that bring no woe,
Laughter and love and friendship wait us there
In that far world to which we all must go.
There, when our souls break from their walls of clay,
That which is best in us shall find full sway.

Town Officers for 1921.

Moderator

Frank E. Tibbetts

Town Clerk

John Demeritt

Selectmen

Ellery M. Felker Harold H. Hayes
Eloi A. Adams

Treasurer

William H. Knox

Collector of Taxes

Albert D. Emerson

Auditors

Henry L. Felker Frank E. Tibbetts

School Board

Clarence G. Felker	Jennie M. Demeritt
John H. Rowe	John Demeritt, <i>Treas.</i>

Inventory of the Town of Madbury.

Real Estate:

No. of acres	7714	\$236,295.41
Horses		13,205
Oxen		500
Cows		10,600
Other neat stock		3,206
Sheep		462.00
Fowls		1,920.00
Portable Mills		1,500.00
Wood and Lumber		4,394.00
Stock in national banks in this state . . .		1,400.00
Money on hand or on deposit		1,455.00
Other taxable property including stock in trade		500.00

Soldiers' exemptions		\$21.50
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Total valuation for taxation	\$273,287.41
School tax exemption	115.22
Amount of taxes committed to the tax col- lector for collection, including poll taxes	7,087.63
Rate of taxation for all purposes \$2.28 per \$100.00 valuation.	
No. of taxable polls	173

Treasurer's Account, 1921.

Current Operation and Maintenance Expenses.

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries.....	\$202.25
2. Town officer's expenses. . .	84.64
4. Election Expenses.....	13.00
5. Forest Fires.....	4.00

Health and Sanitation:

6. Vital Statistics.....	1.00
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Highways and bridges:

7. State aid maintenance....	\$276.65
8. Trunk line maintenance....	130.58
9. Trunkline Construction....	1,000.00
10. Town maintenance (Sum.)	671.35
Town maintenace (winter)	211.68
11. State Aid Construction....	638.70

Unclassified:

12. Printing Town Reports....	102.50
13. Association of N. H. Assessors.....	2.00
14. Damage by Dogs.....	40.00
15. Merchant Nat. Bank.....	369.90

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

16. To state.....	\$1,684.50
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17. To county	676.73
18. To school district	2,940.00

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

DETAIL 1. *Town Officers' Salaries:*

Ellery M. Felker, selectman (chairman)	\$45.00	
Harold H. Hayes, selectman . . .	25.00	
Eloi A. Adams, selectman . . .	25.00	
John Demeritt, town clerk . . .	16.00	
Wm. H. Knox, town treasurer .	15.00	
Albert D. Emerson, dog con- stable	8.00	
Albert D. Emerson, collector of taxes	40.00	
Frank E. Tibbetts, auditor . . .	2.00	
Henry L. Felker, auditor	2.00	
Harold H. Hayes, Peramb'ting	3.00	
Frank E. Tibbetts, Moderator	3.00	
Frank E. Tibbetts, Janitor . . .	5.00	
John Demeritt, Auto Permits .	13.25	
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		\$202.25

DETAIL 2. *Town Officer's Expenses:*

Edson C. Eastman, collector's book	\$5.95
Edson C. Eastman, order blank	5.57
A. D. Emerson, postage	7.00
Ellery M. Felker, postage	1.00
Ellery M. Felker, telephone50
F. W. Neal, iron for plainer . . .	2.76

C. J. Sullivan, labor and stock, for plainer.	10.50	
J. H. Seavey, iron for plainer.	5.28	
J. H. Seavey, shovels.	11.00	
Beyer Mfg. Co., culverts.	35.08	
	<hr/>	\$84.64

DETAIL 4. *Election Expenses:*

Geo. W. Hodgdon, elec. officer.	3.00	
George MacGunnigle, Supervi- sor.	3.00	
Frank J. Bemis, Supervisor.	3.00	
John H. Rowe, Supervisor.	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$13.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

DETAIL 5. *Forest Fires:*

May 31. Jackson Farm:		
Henry Knox, man.50	
Charles Norman, man.50	
Charles Badger, man.50	
James Dailey, man.50	
Henry Knox, auto.	1.00	
Buick Garage, auto.	1.00	
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT

DETAIL 6. *Vital Statistics:*

A. E. Grant, M. D., reporting births, and deaths.	1.00
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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

DETAIL 7. *State Aid Maintenance:*

Depot Road

March 18.		
James H. Dailey, D. T.....	\$4.20	
March 19.		
James H. Dailey, man.....	1.50	
April 29.		
James H. Dailey, D. T.....	3.50	
May 2.		
James A. Dailey, D. T.....	3.50	
May 17.		
James H. Dailey, D. T.....	4.90	
		\$17.60
July 12.		
James H. Dailey, D. T.....	6.30	
George Dailey, man.....	.90	
July 13.		
James H. Dailey, D. T.....	5.60	
George Dailey, man.....	1.50	
		\$14.30
August 8.		
James H. Dailey, D. T.....	3.15	
August 9 and 10.		
James H. Dailey, man.....	5.55	
August 10.		
George Dailey, man.....	1.35	
August 8 and 10.		
Charles Kingman, D. T.....	16.10	
William H. Knox, gravel.....	.90	
		\$27.05

October 26.		
James H. Dailey, D. T.	\$5.60	
October 27.		
James H. Dailey, man.	1.20	
October 26.		
Charles S. Kingman, man.	2.70	
October 27.		
Charles S. Kingman, D. T.	6.30	
October 28.		
Charles S. Kingman, man.	2.70	
October 29.		
Charles S. Kingman, man.	2.70	
William H. Knox, gravel.	2.00	
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		\$23.20
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		\$82.15

Mill Hills

September 3-8.		
Frank W. Sanders, D. T.	\$27.00	
Charles G. Sanders, D. T.	27.00	
Clarence Felker, D. T.	24.00	
Waldo Sanders, man.	14.70	
Herbert Drew, man.	10.80	
John Norman, man.	13.50	
Charles Norman, man.	8.10	
Charles Badger, man.	2.70	
Ellery M. Felker, man.	16.20	
Ellery M. Felker, gravel.	15.00	
E. J. York, lumber.	10.30	
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		\$169.30
October.		
Frank W. Sanders, D. T.	\$16.80	

Frank W. Sanders, man.....	8.40	
		\$25.20
		\$194.50
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		\$276.65

DETAIL 8. *Trunk Line Maintenance:*

Durham Road

March 13.		
Earle S. Jones, man.....	\$6.00	
March 14.		
Earle S. Jones, D. T.....	6.30	
March 15.		
Earle S. Jones, D. T.....	6.30	
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		\$18.60
April 8.		
Earle S. Jones, D. T.....	7.00	
April 9.		
Earle S. Jones, D. T.....	7.00	
April 11.		
Earle S. Jones, D. T.....	7.00	
April 16.		
Earle S. Jones, D. T.....	7.00	
April 18.		
Earle S. Jones, man.....	1.50	
E. S. Colprit, gravel.....	2.55	
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		\$32.05
June 9.		
E. A. Adams, D. T.....	4.20	
E. S. Colprit, gravel.....	.60	
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		\$4.80
July 11.		
E. A. Adam, D. T.....	6.00	\$6.00

October 1.

James H. Dailey, D. T..... 2.80

October 4.

James H. Dailey, D. T..... 6.30

Charles Kingman..... 6.30

October 6.

Charles Kingman, man..... 2.70

James Dailey, man..... 2.70

William H. Knox, gravel..... .30 \$21.10

October 21.

James H. Dailey, D. T..... 2.80

October 22.

James H. Dailey, D. T..... 2.80

Henry B. Knox, man..... 2.40

Jasper Cole, man..... .90

Eugene Laviseur, D. T..... 1.63
\$10.53

November.

Eugene Laviseur, D. T..... 4.05
\$4.05

\$97.13

Barrington Road

September 7.

Clarence Felker, D. T..... \$5.40

September 8.

Clarence Felker, D. T..... 5.40

John Hanscom, D. T..... 5.40

John Norman, man..... 1.20

Ellery M. Felker, man..... 2.70

John Hanscom, gravel..... .30

Mary Norman, gravel..... .90
\$21.30

October 26.

John Norman, man..... \$1.65

Arthur Brown, man.....	1.65	
John H. Hanscom, D. T.....	8.85	
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		\$12.15
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		\$33.45
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		\$130.58

DETAIL 9. *Trunk Line Construction:*

Paid State for construction.....	\$1,000.00
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DETAIL 10. *Town Highway Maintenance:*

District No. 1.		
	Summer	Winter
A. W. Simpson.....	\$16.20	\$.90
District No. 2.		
Herbert L. Drew.....	\$4.50	
Horace W. Jenkins, 1920.....	50.30	
Fred W. Jenkins, gravel, 1920.....	6.00	
District No. 3.		
Eloi A. Adams.....		\$18.00
District No. 4.		
Herbert Millbury.....	\$3.90	
J. H. Dailey.....	20.00	15.00
Harry Freeman.....		3.30
Joseph Boyd.....		2.10
W. G. Hamilton.....		4.20
Charles Kingman.....	2.70	
District No. 5		
Elmer Canney.....	\$16.50	\$30.30
John J. Crowley.....	6.75	
J. H. Dailey.....	10.00	
Charles Kingman.....	5.70	

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District No. 6.

J. H. Dailey.....	\$19.50	\$18.80
Charles Kingman.....	5.40	9.00
A. H. Proctor.....	7.22	
Herbert Millbury.....		11.70
Ellery M. Felker.....	38.60	

District No. 7.

Harry A. Locke.....		\$3.60
Charles S. Kingman.....	\$10.80	\$18.60
E. T. Murray.....		12.30
L. F. Bickers.....		2.70
W. L. Clark.....		4.20
G. W. Hodgdon.....		90

District No. 8.

Samuel C. Rowe.....	\$13.50	
John A. Randall.....	48.60	

District No. 9.

Fred L. Richardson.....	3.60	
A. D. Emerson.....	7.58	

District No. 10.

Joseph Cole.....	\$1.20	
Frank H. Drew.....	12.00	
Herbert L. Drew.....	10.50	
Lawrence Baxter.....	4.50	
Nahum Baxter.....	38.10	
George D. Nute, 1920.....	29.25	\$9.88
Frank L. Drew.....	3.75	
William T. Fernald.....	45.00	6.00
Henry L. Felker.....	16.20	

District No. 11.

Arthur Brown.....	\$1.05	
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Ellery M. Felker.....		3.00
Henry L. Felker.....	34.80	
John H. Hanscom.....	4.80	
Charles Woodus.....	35.55	
Frank W. Sanders.....	11.70	
Charles G. Sanders.....	7.50	
Charles G. Sanders.....	7.80	
Ellery M. Felker.....	52.50	
Henry L. Felker.....	5.40	
Ellery M. Felker, 1920.....		26.05
Charles G. Sanders.....		1.20

District No. 12.

John H. Hanscom.....	18.00	
E. H. Leighton.....		.75
Joseph Cole.....		4.20
John H. Hanscom.....	14.40	
John H. Hanscom, gravel.....	4.10	
Henry L. Felker.....	10.80	

District No. 13.

Harrington Bros.....		\$3.20
Fred W. Ross.....	.75	.60
Harold H. Hayes.....	4.35	1.20
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	\$671.35	\$211.68

NEW CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT

DETAIL 11—*State Aid Construction:*

Lee Road

Week ending Nov. 5—worked 4 days, 4 hours:

James Dailey, D. T.....	\$21.60
John Hanscom, D. T.....	21.60
John Hanscom, man.....	10.80

Arthur Brown, man.....	12.00	
John Norman, man.....	12.00	
Ellery M. Felker, man.....	16.20	
George Hamilton, man.....	3.90	
Paul M. White, man.....	13.50	
Fred Ross, man.....	8.10	
Benton Layne, Foreman.....	30.00	
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		\$149.70

Week ending Nov. 12—worked 2½ days:

James Dailey, D. T.....	\$13.80	
John Hanscom, D. T.....	13.80	
Frank Morrison, 2, D. T.....	16.80	
William Fernald, D. T.....	5.40	
Charles S. Kingman, D. T.....	3.00	
Frank Caldwell, D. T.....	5.40	
Arthur Brown, man.....	6.90	
Paul M. White, man.....	6.60	
Henry Knox, man.....	6.90	
Ellery M. Felker, man.....	7.50	
Clarence Felker, D. T.....	3.00	
James Armstrong, man.....	2.70	
Archie McCormick, man.....	2.70	
John Hanscom, man.....	6.90	
William S. Caldwell, gravel.....	3.80	
Benton Layne, Foreman.....	30.00	
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		\$135.20

Week ending Nov. 19—worked 3 days:

James Dailey, D. T.....	16.20
John Hanscom, D. T.....	16.20
Frank Caldwell, D. T.....	16.20
Dana C. Crockett, D. T.....	5.40
John Fernald, D. T.....	5.40
Arthur Brown, man.....	8.10

John Norman, man.....	8.10	.
Henry Knox, man.....	8.10	
Ellery M. Felker, man.....	6.00	
Archie McCormick, man.....	8.10	
John Hanscom, man.....	8.10	
James Armstrong, man.....	8.10	
Fred York, man.....	8.10	
Benton Layne, Foreman.....	30.00	
Loren Fernald, gravel.....	1.70	
William S. Caldwell, gravel.....	3.60	
Frank Morrison, 2 D. T.....	16.20	
	<hr/>	\$173.60

Week ending Nov. 26—worked 4 days:

John Hanscom, D. T.....	\$5.40	
Frank Morrison, 2, D. T.....	27.00	
James Dailey, D. T.....	5.40	
John Fernald, D. T.....	21.60	
William T. Fernald, D. T.....	10.80	
Dana C. Crockett, D. T.....	5.40	
Ellsworth Garrity, D. T.....	8.10	
Loren Fernald, man.....	9.30	
Loren Fernald, gravel.....	8.60	
Henry Knox, man.....	8.10	
Arthur Brown, man.....	8.10	
John Norman, man.....	5.40	
Archie McCormick, man.....	10.80	
Fred York, man.....	8.10	
James Armstrong, man.....	8.10	
Benton Layne, Foreman.....	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$180.20
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		\$638.70

DETAIL 12. *Unclassified:*

Printing Town Reports, 1921 . . .	\$102 .50
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DETAIL 13.

Association of N. H. Assessors . .	2 .00
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DETAIL 14. *Damage by Dogs:*

A. H. Proctor, Cow	30 .00	
C. S. Kingman, pigs	10 .00	
	<hr/>	\$40 .00

DETAIL 15.

Pd. Merchant's National Bank		
Note	\$300 .00	
Interest	69 .90	
	<hr/>	\$369 .90

DETAIL 16. *Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:*

Paid State tax	\$1,354 .50	
Paid Special Tax Soldiers' Bonus.	330 .00	
	<hr/>	\$1,684 .50

DETAIL 17.

Paid County tax	\$676 .73
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DETAIL 18.

Paid School District	2,940 .00
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STATEMENT OF JOINT FUNDS

State Aid Road

State contributed, 1920	\$241 .20	
State contributed, 1921	243 .60	
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Town contributed, 1920	\$402 .00	

Town contributed, 1921.....	406.50	
	<hr/>	\$808.50
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		\$1,293.30
State expended, 1921.....	\$36.10	
Town expended, 1921.....	638.70	
	<hr/>	\$674.80
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Balance.....		\$618.50
State treasury.....	\$231.94	
Town treasury.....	386.56	
	<hr/>	\$618.50

State Aid Maintenance

State contributed.....	\$285.87	
Town contributed.....	285.87	
	<hr/>	\$571.74
Town disbursement.....	\$253.45	
State distributed.....	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$257.45
Balance.....		\$314.29
Town Treasury.....	\$106.87	
State Treasury.....	207.42	
	<hr/>	\$314.29

Trunk Line Construction.

Balance due State,.....	\$500.00	\$500.00
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Trunk Line Maintenance.

State Contribution.....	\$1,735.61	
Town Contributed.....	868.46	
	<hr/>	\$2604.07

State Expended	\$534.67	
Town Expended	113.63	
	<hr/>	\$648.30
Balance		<hr/> \$1,955.77
State Treasury	\$1,200.94	
Town Treasury	754.83	
	<hr/>	\$1,955.77

Abatements, 1921, Albert W. Emerson List

A. W. Simpson School	\$75.66	
George O. Hayes School	52.50	
Martin T. H. Hayes School	5.15	
John Demeritt, poll	5.00	
O. P. Young, wood	14.05	
Andrew Thompson, poll	5.00	
Mrs. Andrew Thompson, poll	5.00	
Benjamin Drew, poll	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$167.36

Due the Town

A. D. Emerson list, 1920	\$30.03	
A. D. Emerson list, 1921	787.35	
State Highway Dept., S. A. M.	75.00	
N. H. College, use of roller	22.00	
Dailey and Demeritt, rent of hall	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$922.38

Due from the Town

State Aid Maintenance	\$106.87
Trunk Line Maintenance	754.83
Federal Aid Construction	500.00

State Aid Construction.....	386.56	
Merchant's National Bank Loan..	1,000.00	
Outstanding orders.....	112.05	
Schools.....	1,421.21	
	<hr/>	\$4,281.52
Indebtedness.....		<hr/> \$3,359.14

WILLIAM H. KNOX,

Treasurer.

Treasurer's Report.

Receipts

Cash on hand.....	\$708.79	
State, County, Town and School taxes, 1920.....	458.04	
State County, Town and School taxes, 1921.....	6,132.92	
From State Treasurer:		
State Aid Maintenance.....	\$100.00	
State Aid Construction.....	216.76	
Savings Bank Tax.....	702.91	
Railroad Tax.....		687.97
Forest Fires.....	1.80	
From Town Clerk:		
Dog Licenses.....	\$85.80	
Automobile Permits.....	321.50	
Town of Lee, use of roller..	1.00	
Strafford Sav. Bank, Int. on Literary Fund.....	10.62	
Merchant's National Bank Loan.....	300.00	
Rent of Hall.....	54.00	
Error order John Demeritt, 1920.....	1.12	
	<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: bottom;"/>	\$9,783.23

Expenditures

Detail 1.	Town Officers' Salaries.	\$202.25
Detail 2.	Town Officers' expenses	84.64
Detail 4.	Election expenses.	13.00
Detail 6.	Vital Statistics.	1.00
Detail 7.	State Aid Road Main- tenance.	276.65
Detail 8.	Trunk Line road main- tenance.	130.58
Detail 9.	Trunk Line road con- struction.	1,000.00
Detail 10.	Town Road maintenance:	
	Summer.	671.35
	Winter.	211.68
Detail 11.	State Aid Road Con- struction.	638.70
Detail 12.	Printing Town Reports, 1920.	102.50
Detail 13.	Association of N. H. Assessors.	2.00
Detail 14.	Damage by Dogs.	40.00
Detail 15.	Merchant's Nat. Bank.	369.90
Detail 16.	State tax.	1,684.50
Detail 17.	County Tax.	676.73
Detail 18.	Schools.	2,940.00
School Treasurer:		
	Interest on Literary Fund.	\$10.62
	Dog Licenses.	83.80
	Cash on hand.	637.33
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		\$9,783.23

WILLIAM H. KNOX,

Treasurer.

ELLERY M. FELKER,
HAROLD H. HAYES,
ELOI A. ADAMS,

Selectmen of Madbury.

We, the undersigned, certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the treasurer and found them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRANK E. TIBBETTS,
HENRY L. FELKER,

Auditors.

**Statement of Financial Condition of the Town
January 31, 1922.**

State, county, town, school and road taxes assessed for the year 1921.....		\$7,087.63
State, county, town, school and taxes, collected for 1921.....	6,132.92	
State, county, town, school and road taxes abated for 1921....	167.36	
State, county, town, school, and road taxes outstanding for 1921	787.35	
		\$7,087.63

Dog Licenses

From Town Clerk, 1921.....	\$85.80
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School Money, 1921

Raised by vote.....	\$4,269.21	
Dog licenses.....	85.80	
Balance, 1920.....	140.00	
Interest on Literary Fund.....	10.62	
		\$4,505.63

Less

Dog licenses.....	\$85.80
Paid John Demeritt, school treasurer.....	2,940.00

Damage by Dogs.....	40.00	
Dog Officer.....	8.00	
Interest on Literary Fund.....	10.62	
	<hr/>	\$3,084.42
Due.....		<hr/> \$1,421.21

WILLIAM H. KNOX,

Treasurer.

Town Budget for the Year 1922.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Railroad Tax.....	\$700.00
Savings Bank Tax.....	685.00
State Aid Maintenance.....	75.00
Automobile permits.....	75.00
Cash on hand January 31, 1922...	637.33
Outstanding taxes, January 31, 1922	817.38
Amount to be raised by taxation...	9,194.22
	\$12,178.93

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

Town Officer's Salaries.....	\$225.00
Town Officer's Expenses.....	40.00
Election and Registration.....	25.00
Town Hall Expenses.....	10.00
Forest Fires.....	25.00
Health Department.....	20.00
Vital Statistics.....	5.00
	\$350.00

State Aid Maintenance

Amount due from town.....	\$106.87
Amount called for 1922.....	100.00
	\$206.87

Trunk Line Maintenance

Amount due from town.....	\$754.83	
Amount called for 1922.....	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,154.83
State Aid Construction.....		\$800.00

Trunk Line Construction

Amount due from town 1922.....	\$500.00	\$500.00
Town highways, 1-4 of 1 percent of Inventory.....		\$683.97
Extra for breaking roads.....		300.00
Road bills outstanding.....		112.05
Note, Merchant's Bank.....		1,000.00
Interest.....		100.00
State Tax.....		1,300.00
County Tax.....		750.00
Schools, due from the town, 1921		1,421.21
Schools, 1922.....	3,000.00	3,500.00
	<hr/>	\$12,178.93

Estimated assessed valuation for en- suing year.....	\$260,000.00
Tax rate per \$100.00 valuation....	3.53

To the Citizens of Madbury—

Great care must be taken in voting to raise money for Town Expenditures. Our little town is in debt and our bills must be cut to meet our income, taxes are going higher each year and unless we call a halt we shall have to sell our farms to pay our taxes.

Live stock and personal property to be taxed are growing less and the land is called upon to pay more and more.

Few people realize that our town is but a number of small farms, no village settlement, no sidewalks, sewers, electric lights, police or fire protection and only about 60 families; 330 people altogether.

There are but 7 people assessed for \$5,000.00 or over on real estate:—

John Demeritt.....	\$8,100.00
Charles S. Kingman.....	6,000.00
William H. Knox.....	5,000.00
Heirs of Charles W. Hayes...	5,000.00
Heirs of Chas. E. Perkins....	5,000.00
Boston & Maine R. R.....	5,000.00
Eloi A. Adams.....	5,000.00

There are but 15 residents who pay a tax of \$100.00 or over as follows:

William H. Elliott & Son Co.....	752.40
Major John Demeritt.....	195.49
Charles S. Kingman.....	152.74
Eloi A. Adams.....	133.34

James H. Dailey	132.75
Ammer H. Proctor	127.55
Heirs of Thomas H. Fernald	127.29
Heirs of Charles E. Perkins	118.56
William H. Knox	116.72
Horace W. Jenkins	115.58
Heirs of Charles W. Hayes	114.00
Greenlief S. Drew	111.02
Lewis H. Young	109.88
Dana E. Crockett	107.60
William S. Hayes	105.66
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	\$2,520.58

And this total of \$2 520.58 from all of our largest tax payers did not pay but a little over 1-2 of the costs of running our two little schools, 50 odd pupils.

There was raised last year \$7.081.55 which after taking out the \$2,520.58 above left \$4,560.97 that the small farmer and the non-resident tax payers had to make up.

It costs us too much to run our town and we must appropriate money carefully remembering that every \$1,000.00 raised means about \$3.85 rate of taxation for all of us—if we raise:—

\$5,000.00 it means a rate of about—	\$19.25
6,000.00 it means a rate of about—	23.10
7,000.00 it means a rate of about—	26.95
8,000.00 it means a rate of about—	30.80
9,000.00 it means a rate of about—	34.65
10,000.00 it means a rate of about—	38.50

WILLIAM H. KNOX,

Treasurer.

**Financial Report of the School Board and Treasurer
for the Year Ending February 10, 1922.**

Receipts

		Cash in Treasury, Feb. 10, 1921.....	\$15.37
Mar.	4	Dog Licenses for the year, 1920.....	66.40
	4	Received from Town of Barrington, School Tuition, due in 1920.....	9.10
Mar.	15	Received from Town Treasurer.....	50.00
	19	Acct. of State Board of Equalization	456.80
Apr.	6	Received from Town Treasurer.....	139.35
May		Acct. of State Board of Equalization.	435.70
June	11	Tuition from Town of Barrington...	67.50
	22	Received from Town Treasurer.....	150.65
	28	Received from Town Treasurer.....	200.00
Sept.	10	From School Board:	
		By Clarence G. Felker.....	5.00
		Second hand lumber District, No. 4..	
Oct.	13	Received from Town Treasurer.....	200.00
	20	Received from Town Treasurer.....	300.00
Nov.	14	Received from Town Treasurer.....	300.00
Dec.	9	Received from Town Treasurer.....	135.00
	13	Received from Town Treasurer.....	365.00
Jan.	7	1922. Received from Town Treasurer	300.00
	20	Received from Town Treasurer.....	800.00
Feb.	13	Interest on Literary Fund.....	10.62

13	Balance dog licenses for the year 1921	37.80
13	Received from John H. Rowe for old Stove, District No. 2.....	5.00
		<hr/> \$4,049.29

Expenditures

No. 1.

Paid Samuel Hanscom, Building Fires, 1919-20.....	\$10.00	
Building Fires, 1920, to Feb. 1, 1921.....	11.00	
<hr/>		\$21.00
Paid P. H. Burrowes, Union Dis- trict Assessment for Supt. Sal- ary.....	50.00	
Paid John Demeritt, telephone and tel. 1920, work on School House yard, amount paid out.....	21.41	41
Paid George A. Tibbetts, building fires, District No. 2.....	1.00	
Paid Frances D. Cogswell, salary 6 weeks to March 1st.....	75.00	
<hr/>		\$168.
Paid J. E. Wignot, tuition George B. Clark Grammar School, Do- ver.....	10.00	
Paid J. E. Wignot, High School Tu- ition, to April 1st, 1921.....	74.00	
Paid John Rossin, Janitor work at \$1.00 per week to March 18..	9.00	
Paid C. G. Felker, glass and putty	.78	

Paid P. H. Burrowes, substitute teacher.....	38.89	
Paid Ethel M. Hurd, teaching to March 1st, District No. 2....	80.00	
	<hr/>	381.08
Paid George W. Pinkham, transportation of pupils, 3 weeks to Mar. 1st.....	60.00	
Paid Tom E. Smith, labor 6 hours, Material and installing heater, District No. 2.....	12.68	
Paid Ethel M. Hurd, teaching to April 1st, District No. 2.....	80.00	
Paid Frances D. Cogswell, teaching to April 1st, District No. 4. . .	75.00	
Paid Atkson Metzger Co., teacher Palm Street.....	1.05	
	<hr/>	\$609.81
Paid George W. Pinkham, transportation for March.....	80.00	
Paid George W. Pinkham, transportation for April.....	80.00	
Paid Frances D. Cogswell, teaching District, No. 4, month of April	75.00	
Paid Ethel M. Hurd, teaching District No. 2, month of April....	80.00	
Paid Edwin J. York, lumber and supplies.....	23.20	
Paid Lewis H. Young, telephone and keys.....	1.00	
Paid Edward H. Quimby, 1 dozen lead pencils.....	.60	
	<hr/>	\$949.61

Paid Edward E. Babb & Co., 1 basket reading test.	3.88	
Paid J. L. Hammet Co., 1 gross pencils.	2.87	
Paid Benj. H. Sanborn Co., test books.	3.36	
Paid George W. Pinkham, transportation of school children, term ending May 10.	120.00	
Paid J. E. Wignot, Dover school tuition.	66.00	
Paid Ethel M. Hurd, teaching to May 10, District No. 2.	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,245.72
Paid Frances D. Cogswell, teaching to May 10, District No. 4. . . .	150.00	
Paid Edward H. Quimby, 3 dozen lead pencils.65	
Paid Shaw Walker Co., chemical supplies.78	
Paid Edward E. Babb & Co., textbooks, \$7.25.		
Court papers, 9.20.	16.45	
Paid Benj. H. Sanborn Co., text books.	2.94	
Paid Frank P. Morrison, team hire for Nurse.	1.00	
Paid J. L. Hammet Co., Freight. \$.30 1 case dustless crayon. . 11.75 Pens and pencils. 4.37		
	<hr/>	16.42
	<hr/>	\$1,433.96

Paid Ginn & Co., readers	4.93	
Paid J. O. Wellman		
Per Bill April 27	\$4.99	
Alterations	3.23	
	<hr/>	8.22
Paid Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, 1 No.		
24 A Hart Heater with 1 set		
Firepost lining with work grate	125.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,572.11
Paid American Railway Express Co.	8.05	
Paid Melvin Tyler,		
Cleaning out vault	\$3.30	
5 hrs. labor fixing drain	1.50	
	<hr/>	4.80
Paid Stella P. Wentworth, teaching		
District No. 2	72.50	
Paid Mary Carroll, teaching Dis-		
trict No. 4	79.70	
Paid Geo. W. Pinkham, transpor-		
tation of children	68.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,805.16
Paid Mary Carroll, teaching school		
District No. 4	79.70	
Paid Stella P. Wentworth, teaching		
School District, No. 2	72.50	
Paid George W. Pinkham, transpor-		
tation of children	68.00	
Paid the C. L. Jenness Hardware		
Co., School supplies	5.77	
Paid R. A. Stimpson, labor on		
Center School House	62.06	
Paid F. J. Bemis, auditing ac-		
counts, 1920 and 1921	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,095.19

Paid J. E. Wignot, tuition Dover Schools.....	198.00	
Paid Thomas Brown, for labor on North School House, installing equipments.....	28.00	
Paid R. A. Stimpson, Janitor ser- vice to date.....	26.40	
Paid John W. Plummer, State Capi- ta tax.....	132.00	
Paid Anna H. Proctor, enumeration of children.....	10.00	
Paid Elmer L. Felker, labor on North School House.....	134.87	
	<hr/>	\$2,624.46
Paid Stella P. Wentworth, teaching District No. 2.....	72.50	
Paid Mary E. Carroll, teaching Dis- trict No. 4.....	79.70	
Paid George W. Pinkham, trans- portation of School Children..	68.00	
Paid Elsie Stimpson, for sweeping, dusting and washing floors at \$1.25 per week.....	15.00	
Paid Samuel Hanscom, Janitor work, District No. 4.....	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,869.66
Paid R. A. Stimpson, Janitor work to Dec. 30.....	10.80	
Paid George W. Pinkham, for trans- portation of school children to North School.....	68.00	
Paid Mary E. Carroll, teaching school, North District.....	79.70	

Paid Stella P. Wentworth, teaching school, District No. 2.....	72.50	
	<hr/>	\$3,100.66
Paid Henry L. Felker, labor on North School House.....	135.85	
Paid John H. Rowe, salary as mem- ber of School Board.....	15.00	
Paid American Express Co., express on Floor Oil.....	.69	
Paid Littlefield Frame Co.....	1.40	
Paid Edward H. Quimby, pencils..	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$3,255.10
Paid P. H. Burrowes, Union Assess- ment.....	59.51	
Paid Edwin J. York, lumber and stock for North School House.	323.15	
Paid F. W. Hatch, water pail for District No. 2.....	.69	
Paid Charles Freeman, 2 cords wood, fitted District No. 2...	24.00	
Paid Nahum Baxter, pine tops North District.....	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,670.45
Paid J. Herbert Seavey, hardware	33.75	
Paid C. E. Brewster Co., 1 gross 140 pencils, North District.....	2.00	
Paid Harry Houston, manuals....	4.89	
Paid R. E. Lane, 100 enumeration cards.....	.92	
Paid D. Foss and Son, stock for shed North District.....	20.17	
	<hr/>	\$3,732.18

Paid A. E. Grant, M. D., vaccinating School children	16 .00	
Paid George I. Pratt, labor on Center School House	12 .50	
Paid salary as Clerk and Treasurer and Telephone Bill	33 .70	
Paid Tom E. Smith, for fixing stove at Center School	4 .24	
Paid Justin O. Wellman, telephone bill	3 .05	
	<hr/>	\$3,801 .67
Paid R. A. Stimpson, Janitor service	15 .80	
Paid Jennie M. Demeritt, salary as member of School Board	15 .00	
Paid Clarence G. Felker, salary as member of School Board	15 .00	
Paid Ginn & Co., book supplies	21 .63	
Paid Houghton Mifflin Co., books, readers	2 .66	
Paid Stella P. Wentworth, teaching District No. 2	72 .50	
Paid Jennie M. Demeritt, To amount paid Mrs. Curkshaw for cleaning School house, Dist. No. 2	3 .15	
	<hr/>	\$3,947 .41

**Financial Statement of School Board and Treasurer
for the Year Ending February 10, 1922.**

Receipts

Cash in treasury, Feb. 10, 1921	\$15.37
Received from Town Treasurer	3,054.82
Received from Town of Barrington	76.60
Received from State Treasurer	892.50
Received from Clarence G. Felker	5.00
Received from John H. Rowe	5.00
Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1922	

Expenditures

Salary of School Board	\$45.00
Salary of School Treasurer	10.00
Salary of District Clerk	5.00
Salary of School Teachers	1,396.30
Transportation	612.00
Tuition to Dover Schools	348.00
Repairs to North School House	655.62
School Books	55.85
Fuel	32.00
Miscellaneous	787.64
Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1922	101.88

\$4,049.29	\$4,049.29
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JOHN DEMERITT,

Treasurer School Board.

Madbury, N. H., Feb., 1922.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HENRY L. FELKER,
FRANK E. TIBBETTS,

Auditors.

Budget for the Schools for the Year 1922.

1.	One half of one per cent of the equalized valuation, 385,442.00.....	\$1,947.21
2.	Union district assessment.....	65.00
3.	State per capita tax, \$2.00 per pupil.....	130.00
4.	Salary of district officers.....	70.00
5.	Administration expenses.....	25.00
6.	High School tuition.....	600.00
7.	New equipment.....	300.00
8.	Repairs at West School.....	50.00
9.	Minor repairs at North and Center Schools	100.00
10.	Transportation of pupils.....	500.00
Total amount of money to be raised by taxation.....		\$3,787.21
11.	Dog License Estimated.....	54.79
12.	Elementary school tuition. Estimated...	55.00
13.	State Aid allotment.—Any money that the State gives may be used in reducing the amount to be raised next year.....	
Total.....		\$3,897.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. ROWE,
JENNIE M. DEMERITT,
CLARENCE G. FELKER,

School Board.

Proposed Expenditures for Schools in 1922.

1. Salary of district officers.....	\$70.00
2. Superintendents' excess salary.....	65.00
3. Truant officer and school census.....	15.00
4. Expense of administration.....	25.00
5. Teachers' salaries.....	1,522.00
6. Text books.....	130.00
7. Scholars' supplies.....	100.00
8. Flags and appurtenances.....	10.00
9. Other expenses of instruction.....	15.00
10. Janitor service.....	100.00
11. Fuel.....	75.00
12. Water, light and Janitor supplies.....	10.00
13. Minor repairs and expenses.....	100.00
Repairs at West school.....	50.00
14. Medical inspection, health supervision....	25.00
15. Transportation of pupils.....	500.00
16. High school tuition.....	600.00
17. Elementary school tuition.....	55.00
18. New equipment.....	300.00
19. State per capita tax \$2.00 per pupil.....	130.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$3,897.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. ROWE,
JENNIE M. DEMERITT,
CLARENCE G. FELKER,

School Board.

**Births and Deaths for the Year Ending
February 15, 1922.**

Births.

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| May | 13. | Arleen E. Baxter, daughter of Nahum Baxter of Wolfobro, N. H., and Alta Mattox of Lee, N. H. |
| June | 29. | Willard C. Rowe, son of John H. Rowe, of Dover, N. H., and Florence G. Pratt of Malden, Mass. |
| July | 3. | Clara M. Bastianelli, daughter of Sabasto Bastianelli, and Eleanora Soave of Italy. |
| Nov. | 15. | Rosa Shaheen, daughter of Thomas Shaheen and Alice Jaber of Syria. |

Deaths.

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| April | 18 | Elizabeth Locke, aged 58 years, 8 months and 13 days, wife of Harry A. Locke, and daughter of Andrew Ante and Elizabeth McKone of Dover, N. H. |
| 1922 | | |
| Feb. | 2. | Charles J. Norman, aged 65 years, 8 months and 15 days, son of Simon Norman and Ada Lewis, of York, Maine. |
| Feb. | 2. | Georgia E. Proctor, aged 69 years, 7 months and 8 days; wife of Ammer H. Proctor and daughter of James H. Bradish and Harriet E. Terrill Bradish of Grafton, Mass. |







