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ANNUAL REPORT

of the Town of

Pittsfield

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31

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Hamilton Smith
Library
University of
New Hampshire

In Memoriam

HENRY E. DRAKE

Tax Collector of Pittsfield

Twenty-four Years

EDDIE C. SANBORN

Health Officer of Pittsfield

Fifteen Years

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF
PITTSFIELD

*For the Fiscal Year Ending
January 31, 1937*

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TOWN OFFICERS

1936

Moderator

HARLAN W. JACOBS

Town Clerk

RUSSELL F. WELDON

Town Treasurer

GEORGE H. COLBATH

Selectmen

FRANK S. HILLSGROVE, RICHARD B. BARTLETT
GEORGE E. MERRILL

Tax Collector

H. THURLOW AMES*

Overseer of Poor

RICHARD H. JOY

Health Officer

EDDIE C. SANBORN**

Trustees of Trust Funds

GEORGE H. COLBATH FRANK P. GREEN
HERBERT W. DUSTIN

* Appointed March 25th; Henry E. Drake resigned, March 23rd.

** Deceased December 26th; Richard H. Joy appointed.

Trustees of Carpenter Library

WILLIAM H. SHEDD IRA H. WHITE
BERTHA B. NILES

Board of Firewards

HARRY E. MONTGOMERY PHILIP B. ADAMS
PHILIP W. SHERBURNE

Superintendent of Sewer Department

BURLEY B. BROCK

Superintendent of Sidewalks

JOHN A. MAXFIELD

Supervisors of Check List

CHARLES H. GILMAN LOUIS A. FRENCH
VIRGINIA M. BARTON

Justice of Municipal Court

IDELLA B. JENNESS

Police Officers

BURT AVERY LEROY C. COOK

Auditors

ROBERT H. SANDERSON JOHN H. PERKINS
PHILIP W. SHERBURNE

Town Forestry Committee

FRANK T. GARLAND IRA H. WHITE
HERBERT B. FISCHER

Forest Fire Warden

JAMES C. McQUESTEN

Tree Warden

FRANK T. GARLAND

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Pittsfield in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

[L. S.]

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Pittsfield on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing, and to vote on the following question, to wit: Is it expedient to revise the constitution?
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for the care of the Town Hall and tower clock.
4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 for the repair of the leased factory on Joy street.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for special police at the Pittsfield Fair.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for the care of shade trees.
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for blister rust control.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250 for the District Nursing Association.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for Memorial Day observance.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 for band concerts.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50 for winter sports.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for reforesting town lands.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,601.00 for State Aid Construction on the South Pittsfield road, or the sum of \$563.77 for State Aid Assistance on Class V roads.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 to improve and tar the Upper City road, beginning at the westerly end of the Bridge Street bridge. (Petition)

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used for the reconstruction and hard-surfacing of the Tilton Hill road, extending from Berry Avenue to the Cram Brook, so-called. (Petition)

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to rebuild with hard surface the portion of Clark Street, extending from South Main Street to the bridge at Clark's Pond. (Petition)

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the improvement of Fairview road, so-called, beginning at the intersection of said road with South Main Street, and continuing toward the Winsunvale Orchards, so-called, as far as said money will

build a twenty-one foot wide tarred road with gravel base. (Petition)

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the construction of sidewalks, and to instruct the Selectmen as to the location of said construction.

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250 for sewer construction, extending the Warren Avenue sewer to the river.

20. To see if the Town will authorize its Selectmen to incur debts in anticipation of taxes.

21. To see if the Town will authorize the Tax Collector (under Sec. 44, Chapter 66, P. L. of N. H.) to add to, and collect, the sum of twenty cents upon all poll and property tax bills remaining unpaid on September first following the date of assessment of said taxes.

22. To see if the Town will vote to close—subject to gates and bars—a part of the highway which now leads to Northwood Narrows by the old Jerry Berry place, so-called, beginning at a point on said highway twenty feet southerly from the northeasterly line of the McIntire Lot, so-called, and extending to the Epsom line; said closing to be effective if and when the Towns of Epsom and Northwood vote to close the remainder of the said highway in said Towns.

23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Selectmen to appoint one or more regular police officers of said Town, contract for, and pay them a reasonable compensation, instead of electing two regular police officers at the 1937 annual meeting. (Petition)

24. To see if the Town will vote to place a street light on the Island Block and to raise and appropriate the money for the same. (Petition)

25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Trust Funds for perpetual care of lots in Floral Park Cemetery:

Blaisdell, Cinda E.	\$50.00
Domingue, Lettie J.	150.00
Maxfield, Truman J.	200.00
Hatch, Chester D.	300.00
Merrill, Mrs. Elijah O.	100.00
Ring, Edgar F.	200.00

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

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-seven.

FRANK S. HILLSGROVE,
RICHARD B. BARTLETT,
GEORGE E. MERRILL,
Selectmen of Pittsfield.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANK S. HILLSGROVE,
RICHARD B. BARTLETT,
GEORGE E. MERRILL,
Selectmen of Pittsfield.

MUNICIPAL BUDGET

The Budget Committee respectfully submits the following estimates of the needs of the various departments for the fiscal year 1937, with the recommendation that appropriations be made as follows:

1.	Salaries of Town Officers	\$2,000.00
2.	Expenses of Town Officers	500.00
3.	Election and Registration	150.00
4.	Expenses of Town Hall	75.00
	Leased Factory	500.00
	Tower Clock	25.00
5.	Police Department	350.00
6.	Fire Department	2,750.00
7.	Shade Trees	100.00
	Blister Rust control	100.00
8.	Health Department	400.00
	District Nurse	250.00
9.	Vital Statistics	50.00
10.	Sewer Maintenance	600.00
11.	Town Highway Maintenance—summer...	4,500.00
	Sidewalk Maintenance	500.00
12.	Town Highway Maintenance—winter ...	1,500.00
13.	Street Lighting	2,500.00
14.	General Highway expenses	2,000.00
15.	Library	1,600.00
16.	Old Age Assistance	2,500.00
17.	Town poor	1,500.00
18.	Memorial Day observance	100.00
19.	Parks	75.00
	Band concerts	200.00
	Winter sports	50.00
20.	Water for town	1,500.00
21.	Reforestation	100.00

22.	Interest	952.50
23.	State Aid Construction or T. R. A.....	*
24.	Town Construction—	
	Upper City road	3,000.00
	Tilton Hill road	1,000.00
	Clark road	1,000.00
	Sidewalk construction	1,000.00
25.	Sewer construction	250.00
26.	Payment on term notes	2,000.00
27.	Payment on bonded debt	3,000.00
28.	State tax	*
29.	County tax	*
30.	School District tax	26,319.00

(Signed)

GEORGE H. COLBATH,
 HERBERT W. DUSTIN,
 JOHN H. PERKINS,
 HERBERT B. FISCHER,
 FRANK H. SARGENT,
 DAVID F. JACKSON,
 IRA H. WHITE,
 LOUIS A. FRENCH,
 GEORGE D. EMERSON,
 H. THURLOW AMES,
 RICHARD B. BARTLETT,
Members of the Budget Committee.

February 6, 1937.

* Figures not available.

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD

April 1, 1936

Land and buildings	\$1,269,855.00
Electric plants	44,900.00 ✓
Horses, 129	10,335.00
Oxen, 4	360.00
Cows, 399	16,975.00
Other neat stock, 71	2,205.00
Sheep, 29	145.00
Hogs, 2	20.00
Fowl, 9225	7,130.00
Portable mill	800.00 ✓
Wood, lumber	8,950.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks, 36	3,665.00 ✓
Stock in trade	186,450.00 ✓
Aqueducts	50,000.00 ✓
Mills and machinery	156,600.00
Polls, 925 at \$2.00	\$1,850.00
National bank stock taxes	244.25
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Total valuation	\$1,758,390.00
Total, exclusive of soldiers' exemptions and exemptions to blind	\$1,734,995.00
Amount of taxes committed to Collector:	
Poll taxes	\$1,850.00
National bank stock taxes	244.25
Property taxes	69,399.80
Add. property taxes	133.80
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Total	\$71,627.85
Average rate per cent of taxation for all pur- poses	\$4.00
Amount exempted to soldiers	\$21,345.00
Amount exempted to blind	\$2,050.00

APPROPRIATIONS—1936

1.	Town Officers' salaries	\$2,000.00
2.	Town Officers' expenses	500.00
3.	Election and registration expenses	400.00
4.	Municipal court expenses	100.00
5.	Town Hall, tower clock	325.00
6.	Police Department	400.00
7.	Fire Department	2,750.00
8.	Health Department	650.00
9.	Vital Statistics	50.00
10.	Sewer Maintenance	600.00
11.	Town Highway Maintenance—summer...	4,500.00
12.	Town Highway Maintenance—winter ...	2,000.00
13.	Street lighting	2,600.00
14.	General expenses of highway department	2,500.00
15.	Library	1,600.00
16.	Old age assistance	2,220.00
17.	Town poor	1,280.00
18.	Memorial Day	100.00
19.	Parks, band concerts, winter sports.....	300.00
20.	Water for all departments	1,500.00
21.	Interest on term notes	900.00
22.	Interest on bonded debt	100.00
23.	State Aid construction	2,641.50
24.	River and Crescent street construction...	1,000.00
25.	Sidewalk reconstruction	500.00
26.	Leavitt Hill sewer construction	350.00
27.	V-Type truck plow	700.00
28.	Payment on term notes	2,000.00
29.	Payment on bonds	3,000.00
30.	State tax	6,192.00
31.	County tax	8,178.91
32.	School tax	26,765.50
Total		\$78,702.91

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
 Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1937

	Appropriation	Expenditures	Applicable Credits	Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' salaries	\$2,000.00	\$2,143.00	\$100.00	.....	\$43.00
Town Officers expenses	500.00	588.85	21.19	.....	67.66
Election and registration	400.00	412.10	16.00	\$3.90	.....
Municipal Court	100.00	100.00	130.05	130.05	.....
Town Hall, tower clock	325.00	676.17	.....	.....	351.17
Leased factory	.....	928.37	.....	.....	928.37
Police Department	400.00	356.21	.....	43.79	.....
Fire Department	2,750.00	2,915.70	120.60	.....	45.10
Shade trees	.....	59.90	.....	.....	59.90
Health Department	650.00	383.61	.....	266.39	.....
Vital Statistics	50.00	52.75	.....	.....	2.75
Sewer Maintenance	600.00	597.56	.....	2.44	.....
Town Highways—summer	5,000.00	6,492.32	139.04	.....	1,353.28
Town Highways—winter	2,000.00	1,932.30	.....	67.70	.....
Street lights	2,600.00	2,569.88	.....	30.12	.....
General Highway expense	2,500.00	1,760.47	183.47	923.00	.....
Library	1,600.00	1,600.00	.....	.....	.....
Old age assistance	2,220.00	1,388.00	.....	.....	.....
Town poor	1,280.00	2,533.71	.....	604.04	.....
Memorial Day	100.00	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Parks, band concerts, winter sports	300.00	321.05	3.50	.....	17.55
Water for town	1,500.00	1,500.00	.....	.....	.....

Interest	1,000.00	957.50	.....	42.50	.....
State Aid construction	2,641.50	2,141.53	.....	499.97	.....
Town construction	1,000.00	1,340.64	.....	.....	340.64
Sewer construction	350.00	254.49	.....	95.51	.....
New equipment	700.00	616.24	.....	83.76	.....
Payment on debt	5,000.00	5,000.00	.....	.....	.....
State tax	6,192.00	6,192.00	.....	.....	.....
County tax	8,178.91	8,178.91	.....	.....	.....
Totals	<u>\$51,937.41</u>	<u>\$54,093.26</u>	<u>\$1,739.60</u>	<u>\$2,793.17</u>	<u>\$3,209.42</u>
				416.25	.....
Net overdraft				<u>\$3,209.42</u>	<u>\$3,209.42</u>

BALANCE SHEET

January 31, 1937

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$3,520.71
Accounts due town:	
Taxes uncollected, levy 1936	10,082.37
Taxes bought by town	750.84
Unexpended S. A. C. in hands of State Treasurer	514.47
Sewer tax uncollected	15.00
	\$14,883.39
Total Assets	\$14,883.39
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (net debt)...	4,228.16
	\$19,111.55

LIABILITIES

Bonds outstanding	\$3,000.00
Accrued interest on bonds	40.61
Notes outstanding	15,000.00
S. A. C. in hands of State Treasurer	514.47
S. A. C. in hands of Town Treasurer	514.47
Town order outstanding	42.00
	\$19,111.55
Net debt January 31, 1936	\$9,358.33
Net debt January 31, 1937	4,228.16
	\$5,130.17
Decrease for the year	\$5,130.17

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and building	\$2,500.00
Furniture and equipment	200.00
Carpenter Library, land and building	10,000.00
Furniture and equipment	3,000.00
Police Department, land and building	200.00
Equipment	220.00
Fire Department, land and building	2,000.00
Equipment	6,500.00
Highway Department, land and building	500.00
Equipment	2,500.00
Academy Park, including Green bandstand...	2,000.00
Old South common	400.00
Schools, land and buildings	28,150.00
Equipment	2,750.00
Drake Athletic field	15,000.00
Town Factory, land, building and equipment ..	9,000.00
Land, Barnstead road	200.00
Town dump, Pittsfield-Laconia road	115.00
Land, Tan road	250.00
Sargent town forest, Berry road	50.00
Dustin and Barker town forest, Loudon road..	250.00
Frank P. Green land, Goose pond	*50.00
Tax Deeded Properties:	
Langevin place, River road	\$1,000.00
Kent field, River road	200.00
Lane and Hartwell lot, Tucker hill	300.00
Suncook Valley Railroad stock (310 shares)..	1,000.00
Town history manuscript	2,500.00
Total	
	\$90,835.00

*\$500.00 in 1936 Report—Printer's error.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1937

Receipts

1935 automobile registration permits	\$1.87
1936 automobile registration permits	1,989.93
1937 automobile registration permits	300.21
1936 dog licenses	593.55
1936 pool and bowling permits	70.00
1936 filing fees	16.00
Total receipts	
	\$2,971.56

Number of dogs licensed, 221.

Paid George H. Colbath, Treasurer, as follows:

1936.

Mar.	7.	Auto permits, 1935	\$1.87
	7.	Auto permits, 1936	154.13
	17.	Auto permits, 1936	140.01
	25.	Auto permits, 1936	261.31
	31.	Auto permits, 1936	283.23
April	18.	Auto permits, 1936	224.36
	25.	Dog taxes, 1936	89.00
	25.	Auto permits, 1936	132.86
May	9.	Pool and bowling licenses, 1936...	70.00
	9.	Auto permits, 1936	160.44
June	2.	Dog taxes, 1936	352.80
	23.	Auto permits, 1936	350.41
	23.	Dog taxes, 1936	116.00
July	31.	Auto permits, 1936	76.97
	31.	Dog taxes, 1936	30.95
	31.	Filing fees, 1936	7.00

Aug. 31.	Filing fees, 1936	9.00
	31. Auto permits, 1936	58.11
Oct. 20.	Auto permits, 1936	100.70
Dec. 5.	Auto permits, 1936	33.68
	5. Dog taxes, 1936	4.80
Jan. 16.	Auto permits, 1936	13.72
	1937.	
Jan. 16.	Auto permits, 1937	245.51
	31. Auto permits, 1937	54.70
	Total payments	<u>\$2,971.56</u>

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL FREEMAN WELDON,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTION STATEMENT

From February 1 to April 2, 1936

Balance 1934 taxes, due town, January 31, 1936	\$113.71
Adjustment, 1934 taxes	1.13
	\$114.84
Total	\$114.84
Cash paid town Treasurer by Henry E. Drake..	9.80
	\$105.04
Committed to H. Thurlow Ames, collector	\$105.04
Balance 1935 taxes, due town, January 31, 1936	\$12,401.14
Adjustment, 1935 taxes	75.80
Escape list, 1935	8.00
	\$12,484.94
Total	\$12,484.94
Cash paid town Treasurer by Henry E. Drake..	1,493.65
	\$10,991.29
Committed to H. Thurlow Ames, Collector	\$10,991.29
Tax sales redeemed	\$35.00
Interest on taxes	45.89
	\$80.89
Total	\$80.89
Cash to Treasurer by Henry E. Drake	\$80.89

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1934

Dr.

Taxes committed to Collector (Warrant)	\$105.04	
Interest collected	10.21	
Escape tax collected	3.00	
		\$118.25

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer	\$71.32	
Abatements allowed	46.93	
		\$118.25

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1935

Dr.

Taxes committed to Collector (Warrant)	\$10,991.29	
Interest collected	645.55	
Escape tax collected	8.00	
		\$11,644.84

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer	\$11,483.78	
Abatements allowed	161.06	
		\$11,644.84

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1936

Dr.

Taxes committed to Collector (Warrent)	\$71,627.85	
Interest collected	11.68	
Escape tax collected	312.00	
		————— \$71,951.53

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer	\$61,484.26	
Abatements allowed	384.90	
Uncollected taxes as per list	10,082.37	
		————— \$71,951.53

SEWER TAX, 1936

Dr.

Sewer tax committed to Collector	\$136.25
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Remittances to Treasurer	\$121.25	
Uncollected sewer tax	15.00	
		————— \$136.25

TAX SALES REDEEMED

Remittance to Treasurer	\$311.34
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Respectfully submitted,

H. THURLOW AMES,
Tax Collector.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand February 1, 1936	\$889.28
From—	
Trustees of Trust Funds, note	8,000.00
Richard Joy, wood	21.00
Town of Chichester, land, Murphy and Sanborn, fires	118.00
Frank P. Green, tarvia	7.00
Pittsfield Mills, tarvia	19.00
Thomas Prouty, tarvia	25.50
Agnes Ring, tarvia	3.60
Mrs. R. G. Hartwell, tarvia	4.80
Alex McIntosh, tarvia	5.64
John H. Perkins, tarvia	7.00
Mrs. W. A. Sanborn, tarvia	13.00
Walter Young, theatre license	25.00
Idella B. Jenness, Justice, account Municipal Court	130.05
Frank Hillsgrove, account of telephone ....	.19
Kenneth Burbank, repairs on bandstand	3.50
Robert Sanderson, supplies	49.47
State of New Hampshire, forest fires	1.60
State of New Hampshire, insurance tax ...	56.40
State of New Hampshire, railroad tax	115.12
State of New Hampshire, savings bank tax	3,260.18
State of New Hampshire, interest and dividends	1,876.94
State of New Hampshire, relief	440.13
State of New Hampshire, tractor	134.00
State of New Hampshire, bounty on hedges	2.20
Henry E. Drake, Tax Collector, tax sales..	35.00
Henry E. Drake, Tax Collector, 1934 tax..	9.80

Henry E. Drake, Tax Collector, 1935 tax..	1,485.65
Henry E. Drake, Tax Collector, escaped list	8.00
Henry E. Drake, Tax Collector, interest ..	45.89
County of Merrimack, aid to poor off farm..	1,285.60
Russell F. Weldon, Town Clerk, filing fees.	16.00
Russell F. Weldon, Town Clerk, 1935 auto permits	1.87
Russell F. Weldon, Town Clerk, 1936 auto permits	1,989.93
Russell F. Weldon, Town Clerk, 1937 auto permits	300.21
Russell F. Weldon, Town Clerk, pool and bowling	70.00
Russell F. Weldon, Town Clerk, dog license	593.55
Frank Cameron, tractor	7.50
Charles Buzzell, tractor	9.00
Fred Frenette, tractor	19.50
L. French, tractor	4.50
Harry Kimball, tractor	5.50
John Maxwell, tractor	7.50
R. B. Bartlett, Shanyo tax, re-sale	14.00
Frank Hillsgrove, Shanyo tax, re-sale	41.67
Town of Pembroke, aid	585.62
William Trayers, theatre license	37.50
C. & C. Theatre Company, theatre license ..	12.50
Gladys Sanborn, Ex., refund on Henry E. Drake, salary	100.00
William Hamilton, refund	1.00
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, National Bank stock	244.25
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, sewer tax	121.25
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, 1934 tax	59.11
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, 1934 poll tax	2.00
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, 1935 tax	10,509.92

H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, 1935 poll tax	152.00
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, 1936 tax.	59,194.33
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, 1936 poll tax	1,726.00
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, delinquent taxes	178.87
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, redeemed taxes	311.34
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, escaped list	308.00
H. Thurlow Ames, Tax Collector, interest .	664.88
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	\$95,367.84
Paid orders of Selectmen	91,847.13
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Cash on hand	\$3,520.71

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. COLBATH
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

1.	Property taxes, current year	\$59,190.33
	Property taxes, escape	4.00
2.	Poll taxes, current year	1,726.00
	Poll taxes, escape	308.00
3.	National Bank Stock taxes	244.25
4.	Property and poll taxes, previous years	12,405.35
5.	Taxes sales redeemed	346.34

From State:

6.	Rental equipment	134.00
7.	Reimbursement for relief	440.13
8.	Interest and dividend tax	1,876.94
9.	Insurance tax	56.40
10.	Railroad tax	115.12
11.	Savings Bank tax	3,260.18
12.	Fighting forest fires	1.60
13.	Bounties	2.20

From County:

14.	For support of poor	1,285.60
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From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

15.	Dog licenses	593.55
16.	Business licenses and permits	145.00
17.	Fines, Municipal Court	130.05
18.	Interest on taxes	710.77
19.	Sewer entrance taxes	121.25
20.	Income from Departments:	
	Town Officers' expenses	21.19
	Election and registration	16.00
	Fire	119.00

Highway	188.51
Relief	585.62
Parks	3.50
21. Registration motor vehicles—1935	1.87
Registration motor vehicles—1936	1,989.93
Registration motor vehicles—1937	300.21
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:	
22. Temporary loans	8,000.00
23. Refund	100.00
24. Sale of property acquired by tax deed..	55.67
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Total Receipts	\$94,478.56
Cash on hand February 1, 1936.....	889.28
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Grand Total	\$95,367.84

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

1. Town Officers' salaries	\$2,143.00
2. Town Officers' expenses	588.85
3. Election and registration expenses.....	412.10
4. Municipal Court expenses	100.00
5. Town Hall, leased factory, tower clock expenses	1,604.54

Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police Department	356.21
7. Fire Department	2,915.70
8. Shade trees	59.90
9. Bounties	2.00
10. Damage by dogs	60.10

Health:

11. Health Department	383.61
12. Vital Statistics	52.75
13. Sewer Maintenance	597.56

Highways and Bridges :

14. Town Maintenance—summer	6,492.32
15. Town Maintenance—winter	1,932.30
16. Street lighting	2,569.88
17. General expenses of Highway Dept.....	1,760.47

Library :

18. Library	1,600.00
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Charities :

19. Old age assistance	1,388.00
20. Town poor	2,533.71
21. County poor	1,485.60

Patriotic Purposes :

22. Memorial Day observance	100.00
23. Aid to soldiers' families	157.69

Recreation :

24. Parks, band concerts, winter sports	321.05
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Public Service Enterprises :

25. Water for town	1,500.00
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Unclassified :

26. Legal expenses	25.00
27. Taxes bought by town	724.53

Interest :

28. On temporary loans	240.00
29. On term notes	560.00
30. On bonds	157.50

Outlay for New Construction and New

Equipment :

31. State Aid construction	2,141.53
32. Town construction	1,340.64
33. Sewer construction	254.49
34. New equipment	616.24

Indebtedness Payments:

35. Temporary loans	8,000.00
36. Term notes	2,000.00
37. Bonded debt	3,000.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

38. State tax	6,192.00
39. County tax	8,178.91
40. School district	27,298.95

Total payments for all purposes	\$91,847.13
Cash on hand January 31, 1937	3,520.71

Grand total \$95,367.84

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

DETAIL 1. SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

Selectman, Frank S. Hillsgrove	\$300.00
Selectmen, Richard B. Bartlett	400.00
Selectman, George E. Merrill	300.00
Treasurer, George H. Colbath	200.00
Tax Collector, H. Thurlow Ames, 1934-1935 balances	100.00
Tax Collector, H. Thurlow Ames, 1936	400.00
Town Clerk, Russell F. Weldon	100.00
Overseer of Poor, Richard H. Joy . .	150.00
Auditor, Robert H. Sanderson	6.00
Auditor, John H. Perkins	6.00
Auditor, Philip W. Sherburne	6.00
Town Clerk, auto permit fees	175.00
	\$2,143.00

DETAIL 2. EXPENSES OF TOWN OFFICERS

Granite State Press, reports	\$171.50
Wheeler & Clark, supplies	52.39
Valley Times, printing	16.45
Kenneth J. Robinson, printing	27.00
Harriman & Paige, bonding	146.00
Harriman & Paige, deed	1.00
Katherine A. Crowley, transfer lists etc.	24.39
I. Eugene Keeler, transfer lists	2.00
N. H. Assessors, dues	2.00
E. C. Eastman Co., supplies	30.14
F. W. Benson, blanks . . . . .	.35
Public Service Co., bulb . . . . .	.20

Robert A. Smith, binder	3.50	
Tax Collector, expenses	16.25	
Selectmen, expenses	72.03	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., tolls	8.85	
Town Clerk, expenses	12.80	
M. P. Foss, repair clock	2.00	
		\$588.85

DETAIL 3. ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Moderator, Harlan W. Jacobs	\$15.00	
Supervisor, Charles H. Gilman	81.00	
Supervisor, Louis A. French	81.00	
Supervisor, Virginia M. Barton....	81.00	
Ballot Clerk, Eddie C. Sanborn	6.00	
Ballot Clerk, Gordon P. Eager	3.00	
Ballot Clerk, Bernard A. Lougee ...	3.00	
Ballot Clerk, Fred Avery	6.00	
Ballot Clerk, Adelard R. Pelissier...	9.00	
Ballot Clerk, Philip W. Sherburne..	9.00	
Gate Tender, Leroy C. Cook	3.00	
Gate Tender, Burt Avery	6.00	
Valley Times, printing ballots	30.00	
Valley Times, printing checklists...	45.00	
Washington House, dinners	31.60	
Robinson Seal Co., ballot seals	2.50	
		\$412.10

DETAIL 4. MUNICIPAL COURT

Idella B. Jenness, Justice	\$100.00
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DETAIL 5. TOWN HALL—LEASED FACTORY—TOWER CLOCK

(a) B. A. Lougee Co., labor and supplies	\$5.75 ⁴
Harry E. Leavitt, labor	49.25 ³
Clifton Barton, labor	1.00 ³
Burley Brock, labor and supplies	32.25 ³
Joseph Auger, labor	1.50 ³

M. P. Foss, insurance	30.00	
Griffin & Dustin, supplies	3.45	
George Philbrick, labor . . . . .	.50	
Hector Drolet, painting	273.27	
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	241.20	
Adolph Legendre, lettering signs	13.00	
(b) Harry Ordway, labor, repairing	19.25	
Harry Ordway, payrolls, painting	509.31	
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	149.61	
V. E. Trace, supplies	230.20	
Harriman & Paige, insurance . .	20.00	
(c) Philip W. Sherburne, care of clock	25.00	
		\$1,604.54 —

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

DETAIL 6. POLICE DEPARTMENT

Policeman, Burt Avery	\$100.00	
Policeman, Leroy C. Cook	100.00	
Pittsfield Fair Ass'n., specials	100.00	
Leroy C. Cook, payrolls, specials . . .	36.00	
Leroy C. Cook, flood duty	7.50	
Burt Avery, flood duty	7.26	
Philip W. Sherburne, flood duty	3.20	
Valley Times, police notices	2.25	
		\$356.21 —

DETAIL 7. FIRE DEPARTMENT

Philip W. Sherburne, salaries fire-wards	\$225.00
Kenneth J. Robinson, payroll, Combination 2	624.00
Clyde S. Boyd, payroll, Combination 1	526.00
H. Thurlow Ames, orders on payroll	200.00

H. P. Maxfield, orders on payroll..	100.00
Standard Oil Co., supplies	224.72
Philip B. Adams, labor and supplies	56.25
Philip B. Adams, care fire alarm....	75.00
Chauncey Emery, labor	8.50
Ernest Dion, truck	2.00
B. A. Lougee Co.; supplies	35.15
Harry E. Montgomery, supplies ...	16.50
Fabric Fire Hose Co., hose and pump account	275.00
Eureka Hose Co., hose	220.50
P. B. Adams, cashier, out-of-town fires	58.00
Lester S. Emerson, supplies	16.45
Huckins Garage, labor and supplies	18.20
Riverside Garage, labor and supplies	5.50
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, supplies	38.37
New Hampshire Power Co., light..	27.17
Public Service Co., light	29.84
New England Tel. & Tel., telephone	33.00
Harriman & Paige, insurance	32.00
Forest Fire Account:	
State of N. H., 6 Indian pumps....	22.50
J. C. McQuesten, payroll, forest fire	3.20
Edward Moulton, labor	3.35
Burley Brock, payroll, dump fire...	39.50
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	\$2,915.70

DETAIL 8. SHADE TREES

Frank T. Garland, payrolls	\$59.90
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DETAIL 9. BOUNTIES

Selectmen, hedgehogs	\$2.00
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DETAIL 10. DAMAGE BY DOGS

Herbert A. Coleman, enforcing warrant	\$50.00 ⁵	
Valley Times, notices	4.60 ⁴	
Bessie M. Adams, loss of hens	3.00 ¹	
David Genest, killing dog	1.00	
I. C. Brock, killing and burying dog	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$60.10

HEALTH

DETAIL 11. HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Eddie C. Sanborn, time and expense	\$13.00	
Harry W. Lawton, clean-up day....	14.00	
Valley Times, notice .....	.70	
Harry W. Lawton, care dump	50.00	
Etta Bishop, Elkins case	32.50	
First National Stores, Drew case....	15.96	
District Nursing Association	250.00	
Richard H. Joy, time and expense..	7.45	
	<hr/>	\$383.61

DETAIL 12. VITAL STATISTICS

F. B. Argue, M. D., recording	\$15.25	
Rev. George L. Fish, recording	1.50	
Russell F. Weldon, recording.....	36.00	
	<hr/>	\$52.75

DETAIL 13. SEWER MAINTENANCE

Burley Brock, Supt., payrolls	\$581.59	
B. T. Blaisdell, labor	7.45	
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	8.52	
	<hr/>	\$597.56

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

DETAIL 14. TOWN MAINTENANCE

(Summer)

(a) Streets:

State of N. H., tarvia and cold patch	\$563.64
Fred Foss, payrolls, tarring	340.56
Adolph Legendre, traffic lines	6.50
Hollis G. Daniels, traffic lines	3.34
State Garage, traffic paint	6.20
State Garage, traffic sign	2.12

(b) Joy Street Grading:

Guy C. Nichols, labor	45.60
Clifton Barton, labor	1.35

(c) Water Street Cement Walk:

Guy C. Nichols, labor	77.95
Harry E. Leavitt, labor	13.25
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	89.17

(d) Barnstead Road Fence:

Frank T. Tilton, labor and supplies	30.65
Harry E. Leavitt, labor	16.00
Burley Brock, pipe	2.50
Adolph Legendre, painting	3.00

(e) River Street Wall and Fence:

Frank S. Tilton, labor and supplies	292.86
John Maxfield, payrolls	114.40
John Osborne, labor	1.50
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	49.04
Osborne Express, express	4.32
H. E. Peabody, cartage	2.50
B. T. Blaisdell, labor	2.50
George Knowles, painting	9.00

(f) Bridge Street Bridge:

Roy D. Thompson, payrolls, painting	306.10
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State of N. H., rental equipment	131.20	10
John Osborne, labor	11.40	3
John Maxfield, payrolls	43.42	3
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	92.61	4
Burley Brock, payroll, flood time . .	26.52	3
Highway District No. 1:		
John A. Maxfield, agent, payrolls..	623.84	3
Highway District No. 2:		
Charles E. Buzzell, agent, payrolls..	745.98	3
Alfred Bartlett, labor	1.25	3
Highway District No. 3:		
Francis M. Morrill, agent, payrolls.	557.36	3
Highway District No. 4:		
Frank F. Cameron, agent, payrolls..	517.50	3
Richard Elwell, labor	2.00	3
Highway District No. 5:		
William B. Clark, agent, payrolls...	358.76	3
Herbert A. Coleman, payrolls	103.67	3
Highway District No. 6:		
Harry F. Kimball, agent, payrolls..	277.08	3
Harry E. Leavitt, labor	5.50	3
John Maxfield, payrolls	35.43	3
Highway District No. 7:		
Louis A. French, agent, payrolls...	384.05	3
Highway District No. 8:		
Fred Frenette, agent, payrolls.....	392.38	3
Highway District No. 9:		
George M. Ashley, Jr., agent, pay- rolls	179.40	3
C. J. Hillsgrove, payroll	18.92	3
	<hr/>	\$6,492.32* ✓

* March flood damage, \$2,071.02, included.

DETAIL 15. TOWN MAINTENANCE

(Winter)

Streets:

Samuel Riel, snow removal	\$219.21 ³
Highway District No. 1:	
John A. Maxfield, agent, payrolls..	317.28 ³
Highway District No. 2:	
Charles E. Buzzell, agent, payrolls ..	82.58 ³
Highway District No. 3:	
Francis M. Morrill, agent, payrolls..	106.30 ³
Highway District No. 4:	
Frank C. Cameron, agent, payrolls..	31.12 ³
Richard Elwell, labor	7.67
Highway District No. 5:	
William B. Clark, agent, payrolls..	109.62 ³
Highway District No. 6:	
Harry F. Kimball, agent, payrolls..	21.33 ³
Highway District No. 7:	
Louis A. French, agent, payrolls ...	58.63 ³
Highway District No. 8:	
Fred Frenette, agent, payrolls	58.49 ³
Highway District No. 9:	
George M. Ashley, Jr., agent, pay- rolls	19.66 ³
Highway Districts—General:	
Clifton Barton, payrolls, tractor plowing	429.26 ³
Fred Foss, snow removal	57.50 ³
Standard Oil Co., gas, oil, grease ...	291.36 ⁴
Francis Peaslee, gas	3.80 ⁴
John Maxfield, payrolls, sanding....	118.49 ³
	<hr/> \$1,932.30 - ✓

DETAIL 16. STREET LIGHTING

New Hampshire Power Co.	\$1,499.05 ¹⁰
Public Service Co. of N. H.	1,070.83 ¹⁰
	<hr/> \$2,569.88 - 10

DETAIL 17. GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY
DEPARTMENT

Harriman & Paige, liability insurance	\$466.07
M. P. Foss, insurance storehouse . . .	7.50
Prison Industries, cement pipe	76.68
C. J. Hillsgrove, cartage	12.00
Berger Culvert Co., corrugated pipe	110.47
N. E. Metal Pipe Co., corrugated pipe	12.36
Dow, Barton & Pettengill, plank. . . .	100.14
A. F. Yeaton, thawing culverts	6.90
J. B. Ingham, highway signs	52.50
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	117.07
Equipment Maintenance :	
P. I. Perkins Co., tractor parts.	288.79
Pelissier's Garage, labor and supplies	144.32
John Y. Osborne, labor tractor plow	125.25
Good Roads Mchy. Co., parts	4.81
Railway Express, express on parts.	3.84
Clifton Barton, labor	108.67
Standard Oil Co., gas, oil, grease . .	120.55
Burley Brock, labor	2.55
	\$1,760.47

LIBRARIES

DETAIL 18. CARPENTER LIBRARY

Trustees Carpenter Library	\$1,600.00
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CHARITIES

DETAIL 19. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Richard H. Joy, overseer	\$1,388.00
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DETAIL 20. TOWN POOR

Richard H. Joy, overseer	\$2,533.71
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DETAIL 21. COUNTY POOR

Richard H. Joy, overseer	\$1,485.60
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PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

DETAIL 22. MEMORIAL DAY

Alonzo K. Jones, Commander G. A. R.....	\$100.00
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DETAIL 23. AID TO SOLDIERS' FAMILIES

Richard H. Joy, overseer	\$157.69
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RECREATION

DETAIL 24. PARKS, BAND CONCERTS, WINTER SPORTS

A. C. Pickering, labor on parks.....	\$52.80	
Harry M. Lawton, cartage	12.00	
Clifton Richardson, repairs on band- stand	1.00	
H. P. Maxfield, column for band- stand	5.25	
Pittsfield American Band, band con- certs	200.00	
Pittsfield Winter Sports Ass'n.....	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$321.05

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

DETAIL 25. WATER FOR TOWN

Pittsfield Aqueduct Co., water	\$1,500.00
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UNCLASSIFIED

DETAIL 26. LEGAL EXPENSES

Robert W. Upton, services	\$25.00
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DETAIL 27. TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Henry E. Drake, collector	\$59.25	
H. Thurlow Ames, collector	665.28	
	<hr/>	\$724.53

INTEREST

DETAIL 28. ON TEMPORARY LOANS

Trustees of Trust Funds		\$240.00
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DETAIL 29. ON TERM NOTES

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$510.00	
Frank E. Sargent	50.00	
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DETAIL 30. ON BONDED DEBT

First National Bank, Boston		\$157.50
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OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND
EQUIPMENT

DETAIL 31. STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

(South Pittsfield Road)

State of N. H.	\$2,126.53	
Norman K. Wood, land damage ...	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,141.53

DETAIL 32. TOWN CONSTRUCTION

(a) Berry Ave. and Maple Street:

State of N. H., tarvia	\$347.20	
State of N. H., rental equipment...	30.00	
Fred Foss, payrolls	138.60	
	<hr/>	\$515.80

(b) River Street and Crescent:

State of N. H., cement pipe	\$135.00	
State of N. H., tarvia	246.40	

State of N. H., equipment rental...	13.00	
Fred Foss, payrolls	118.40	
C. J. Hillsgrove, payroll, culvert...	105.32	
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	24.89	
Clarence Nelson, labor	8.15	
Burley Brock, labor	22.85	
		\$674.01

(c) Warren Ave.:

State of N. H., tarvia	\$44.80	
Fred Foss, payrolls	106.03	
		\$150.83

DETAIL 33. SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Leavitt Hill

Burley Brock, payrolls	\$177.64	
B. T. Blaisdell, labor	3.50	
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	73.35	
		\$254.49

DETAIL 34. NEW EQUIPMENT

Clark-Wilcox Co., Ross plow	\$465.04	
Riverside Garage, adjusting frame..	9.80	
C. J. Hillsgrove, delivery	14.00	
Casellini-Venable Co., snow fence..	127.40	
		\$616.24

INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS

DETAIL 35. TEMPORARY LOANS

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$8,000.00
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DETAIL 36. TERM NOTES

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$2,000.00
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DETAIL 37. BONDED DEBT

First National Bank, Boston	\$3,000.00
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PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL
DIVISIONS

DETAIL 38. STATE TAX

State Treasurer	\$6,192.00
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DETAIL 39. COUNTY TAX

County Treasurer	\$8,178.91
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DETAIL 40. SCHOOL DISTRICT

District Treasurer, appropriation	\$26,765.50
District Treasurer, dog taxes	\$533.45

TRUST FUNDS

Pittsfield

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD, N. H.
ON JANUARY 31, 1937

Date of creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of creation	How invested	Amount of principal.	Rate of interest.	Balance of Income on hand at beginning of year.	Income during year.	Expended during year.	Balance of income on hand at end of year.
1913	Adams, Hannah, care of lot,	Savings Bank	\$100.00	2 1/2	.....	\$2.50	\$2.50	.....
1928	Avery, Julia, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	\$3.00	2.57	.....	\$5.57
1931	Adams, Dudley, care of lot,	"	75.00	2 1/2	.14	1.87	2.01	.....
1934	Aikens, E. J., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1914	Berry, Abbie A., care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	78.59	6.95	5.00	80.54
1918	Blanchard, Stephen, care of lot,	"	50.00	2 1/2	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1922	Batchelder, Belle H., care of lot,	"	125.00	2 1/2	1.20	3.15	4.25	.10
1931	Batchelder, Belle H., flower fund,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1936	Blaisdell, Cinda E., care of lot	"	50.00	2 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....
1934	Butler, Mary J., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	2.11	2.55	3.00	1.66
1928	Buffum, Clara, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.06	2.50	2.50	.06
1928	Brown, Lowell, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	2.12	2.56	2.50	2.18
1929	Berry, Grace, care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	4.92	5.12	6.00	4.04
1930	Batchelder lot, George R. Drake, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1931	Brown, Eunice, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	2.76	2.57	2.50	2.83
1934	Brown, Ruth, care of lot	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1933	Butler, Charles and Mary, Carpenter library	"	1,000.00	2 1/2	.....	25.00	25.00	.....
1934	Brown, Ella J., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1921	Berry, Ann F., care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	28.37	5.70	7.00	27.07
1936	Berry, Edson, care of Berry lot,	"	300.00	2 1/2	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1913	Cashman, Alvira H., care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	25.78	5.56	4.50	26.84
1925	Cram, Melvin D., care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	1.68	3.15	4.50	.33
1925	Cole, Frank S., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1930	Carr, B. W., care of lot	"	500.00	2 1/2	38.49	13.45	12.00	39.94
1931	Cummings, Moses, Sproul, and Morrison, care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	1.92	3.77	5.00	.69
1934	Carpenter, Georgia, Carpenter library,	Town note	20,000.00	2 1/2	.....	600.00	600.00	.....
1934	Carr, I. N., care of lot,	Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	.....	3.75	3.00	.75
1935	Carr, Malvenah, care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	.....	3.75	3.00	.75
1922	Durgin, Helen, care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	2.27	3.80	4.50	1.57

1924	Durgin, Susan O., care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	13.18	5.33	5.00	13.51
1927	Drake, T. Thayer, care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	1.25	3.77	4.50	.52
1929	Dow, E. P., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1930	Drake, George R., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1931	Davis, Julia, care of lot,	"	50.00	2 1/2	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1931	Davis, Wilhelmina A., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	1.08	2.52	3.00	.60
1927	Drake, Henry E., care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	10.02	5.25	6.00	9.27
1933	Dolloff, Louis B. C., care of lot	"	200.00	2 1/2	2.00	5.05	5.00	2.05
1934	Doe, Charles A., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1936	Domingue, Lettie J., care of lot	"	150.00	2 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....
1934	Drake, James and Frank, care of lot,	"	300.00	2 1/2	12.93	7.82	7.00	13.75
1917	Emerson, Laura A., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.05	2.50	2.50	.05
1921	Eaton, John M., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.31	2.50	2.50	.31
1927	Elliott, Lucinda J., care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	4.00	5.10	6.00	3.10
1931	Eaton Lot, Old Cemetery, care of lot,	"	25.00	2 1/2	.....	.62	.62	.....
1913	French, Mary J., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1915	French, Abraham, care of lot,	"	25.00	2 1/2	.....	.62	.62	.....
1905	French and Green, care of old cemetery,	"	500.00	2 1/2	136.75	15.90	15.00	137.65
1922	French, William G., care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	22.76	5.55	5.00	23.31
1925	Foss, J. C., care of lot,	"	75.00	2 1/2	1.37	1.90	1.25	2.02
1929	Ferrin, Clarence, care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	3.66	5.07	5.00	3.73
1934	Freese, C. F. H., care of lots,	"	500.00	2 1/2	3.00	12.12	12.00	3.12
1934	French, Charles, care of lot.,	"	100.00	2 1/2	4.93	2.60	2.50	5.03
1936	Foss, Florence J., care of lot	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....
1918	Green, G. Frank, care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	11.52	5.28	5.00	11.80
1920	Gould, William W., care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	5.01	3.87	.....	8.88
1925	Green, Lizzie, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	7.78	2.67	2.50	7.95
1926	Green, Myra S., care of lot	"	200.00	2 1/2	4.26	5.10	5.00	4.36
1930	Greeley, Frank N., care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	6.65	5.15	5.00	6.80
1931	Green, Lizzie M., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	7.54	5.18	3.00	9.72
1931	Green, Sadie F., care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	1.35	3.77	5.00	.12
1932	Green, Nellie M., care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	2.65	4.80	4.50	2.95
1933	Green, A. T., care of lot	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1933	Greenleaf, Serena, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1934	Green, Clinton M., care of lot,	"	200.00	2 1/2	6.00	5.15	.....	11.15
1933	Giles, Herbert, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1912	Hildreth, Lavonia E., care of lot,	"	800.00	2 1/2	221.81	25.52	15.00	232.33
1927	Hill, Enoch W., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1929	Hobbs and Durrell, care of lot,	"	150.00	2 1/2	4.80	3.85	4.50	3.43
1932	History Fund, E. P. Sanderson, town history,	"	3,981.86	2 1/2	119.43	102.52	.....	221.95
1934	Hill, Nellie, care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	.....	.....
1935	Hartwell, Roland G., care of lot,	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1936	Hatch, Chester D., care of lot	"	300.00	2 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD, N. H.
ON JANUARY 31, 1937—Continued

Date of creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of creation	How invested	Amount of principal.	Rate of interest.	Balance of Income on hand at beginning of year.	Income during year.	Expended during year.	Balance of income on hand at end of year.
1928	Joy, Henry P., care of lot,	Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.51	2.50	2.50	51.00
1929	Joy, Calvin, care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1932	Jenkins, M. A., care of lot,	"	200.00	2½	12.03	5.30	5.00	12.33
1931	Joy, Edwin C., care of lot,	"	50.00	2½	1.29	1.27	1.50	1.06
1928	Jenkins, Carrie S., care of lot,	"	75.00	2½	.....	1.87	1.50	.37
1935	Johnson, Michiel, care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	.....	.....	.....
1931	Knowlton, Lucy A., care of lot,	"	150.00	2½	4.08	3.85	3.00	4.93
1931	Knowles and Furber, care of lot,	"	50.00	2½	.25	1.25	1.25	.25
1929	Lane, R. C., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1920	Lane, John Y., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	2.31	2.55	2.50	2.36
1921	Leavitt, Willis E., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1929	Leavitt, Reuben I., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1929	Lane, A. K. and F. T., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.52	2.50	2.50	.52
1929	Ladd, John and William, care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1931	Lane, Charles A., care of lot	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1934	Lane, J. and J., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1935	Lund, Adelaide, care of lot	"	200.00	2½	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1918	Morrill, J. Colby, care of lot,	"	50.00	2½	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1922	Mack, William A., care of lot,	"	200.00	2½	20.73	5.50	5.00	21.23
1925	May, Mariah H., care of lot,	"	240.00	2½	.....	6.00	3.00	3.00
1927	Maxfield, Harrie P., care of lot,	"	200.00	2½	9.68	5.22	5.00	9.90
1927	Morse, Hannah J., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	3.62	2.57	2.50	3.69
1928	Morrill, Josephine, care of lot,	"	150.00	2½	11.02	5.27	4.00	12.29
1928	Mack, Rosa, care of lot,	"	150.00	2½	4.88	3.85	2.50	6.23
1936	Merrill, Mrs. Elijah, care of lot	"	100.00	2½	.....	.....	.....	.....
1931	Murphy, Ida W., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	2.37	2.55	2.50	2.42
1924	McCrillis, J., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1934	McIntosh, Alex, care of lot,	"	200.00	2½	6.00	5.15	5.00	6.15
1936	Maxwell, Trueman J., care of lot	"	200.00	2½	.....	.....	.....	.....
1922	Niles, Addie M., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	2.38	2.55	2.50	2.43
1928	Noyes, Flora M. T., care of lot,	"	200.00	2½	11.02	5.27	5.00	11.29
1930	Newell, Mrs. Fred, care of lot,	"	150.00	2½	.....	3.75	3.00	.75

1933	Osborne, John R., care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1914	Parks, Joseph S., care of lot,	"	"	500.00	2 1/2	197.01	17.42	5.00	209.43
1929	Perkins, Stephen, care of lot,	"	"	150.00	2 1/2	4.48	3.85	4.00	4.33
1923	Pearce, Hannah J., care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1924	Peaslee, Francis, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	3.59	2.57	5.00	1.16
1929	Page, Flora M., care of lot,	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	5.56	5.12	5.00	5.68
1929	Prescott, E. D. C., care of lot,	"	"	80.00	2 1/2	6.71	2.00	1.50	7.21
1930	Paige, Sarah A., care of lot,	"	"	250.00	2 1/2	13.01	6.57	3.00	16.58
1934	Parker, Ellen J., care of lot,	"	"	71.41	2 1/2	.13	1.77	1.50	.40
1934	Perham, Clara, care of lot,	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	1.06	5.02	5.00	1.08
1934	Perkins, Lucy J., care of lot,	"	"	150.00	2 1/2	.....	3.75	3.00	.75
1931	Quimby, Moses, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	1.81	2.52	2.50	1.83
1931	Quimby, Alida, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	3.66	2.57	2.50	3.73
1914	Richardson, Mary F., care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	5.93	2.63	2.50	6.06
1922	Rand, Georganna, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	1.14	2.52	2.50	1.16
1929	Rand, John S., care of lot,	"	"	300.00	2 1/2	8.06	7.70	8.00	7.76
1934	Rogers, Charles, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1934	Rollins, Sophia, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.45	2.50	2.50	.45
1934	Randall, Frank E., care of lot,	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1936	Ring, Edgar F., care of lot	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....
1903	Sanborn, John, care of lot,	"	"	250.00	2 1/2	156.91	10.15	5.00	162.06
1915	Sanborn, Mary E., care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	4.15	2.60	2.50	4.25
1920	Sanborn, Olive S., care of lot,	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	24.86	5.60	5.00	25.46
1925	Sargent, Benjamin, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.64	2.50	2.50	.64
1926	Sackett, Carrie J., care of lot,	"	"	150.00	2 1/2	.27	3.75	3.50	.52
1928	Smith, Adelaide, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.36	2.50	2.50	.36
1930	Sanderson, E. P., care of lot,	"	"	500.00	2 1/2	13.79	12.87	12.00	14.66
1934	Sanborn, Clarissa, care of lot,	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	2.00	5.05	5.00	2.05
1935	Sargeant and French, care of lot,	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1935	Sanders, Augusta, care of lot,	"	"	250.00	2 1/2	.....	5.72	5.00	.72
1914	Tuttle, Hiram A., care of lot,	"	"	500.00	2 1/2	109.53	15.92	12.00	113.45
1900	Tebbetts, Abbie A., care of lot,	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	16.47	5.40	6.00	15.87
	Town lot,	"	"	.....	.....	.....	5.00	5.00	.....
1923	True, Hannah, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.64	2.50	2.50	.64
1923	Tuck, Mary, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.45	2.50	2.50	.45
1927	Tilton, B. M., care of lot	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	3.52	2.57	2.50	3.59
1931	Tuttle, John W., care of lot	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	6.34	5.15	5.00	6.49
1934	Tilton, Mary E., care of N. C. Tilton lot,	"	"	200.00	2 1/2	.50	5.00	5.00	.50
1934	Towle, Lewis L., care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1934	Tilton, N. C., care of lot	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	1.00	2.55	2.50	1.05
1906	Waldo, Sarah, care of lot,	"	"	100.00	2 1/2	49.74	3.73	4.00	49.47
1918	White and Merrill, care of lot,	"	"	1,000.00	2 1/2	357.93	33.38	27.00	364.31

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD, N. H.
ON JANUARY 31, 1937—Concluded

Date of creation	Trust Funds—purpose of creation	How invested	Amount of principal.	Rate of interest.	Balance of income on hand at beginning of year.	Income during year.	Expended during year.	Balance of income on hand at end of year.
1921	Whitcomb, Abbie I., care of lot,	Savings Bank	100.00	2½	1.37	2.52	2.50	1.39
1922	Wadleigh, Caroline E., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1926	Watson, Emma, care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1928	Willey, Mary, care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	5.11	2.62	2.50	5.23
1928	Wyman, William, care of lot,	"	500.00	2½	44.35	13.60	10.00	47.95
1929	Warren, Winifred, care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.69	2.50	2.50	.69
1928	Walker, Orrissa, care of lot,	"	50.00	2½	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
1930	Waitt, Laura W., care of lot,	"	150.00	2½	.25	3.75	3.50	.50
1930	Watson, Mary Jane, care of lot,	"	53.15	2½	.....	1.33	1.33	.....
1931	Watson, Freeman, care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1934	Willey John F., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1934	Williard, Ezra, care of lot,	"	68.88	2½	.64	1.74	1.50	.88
1927	Young, A. H., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
1926	Yeaton, William, care of lot,	"	200.00	2½	3.03	5.07	5.00	3.10
1933	Young, Frank W., care of lot,	"	200.00	2½	2.00	5.05	5.00	2.05
1934	Young, Ellen G., care of lot,	"	100.00	2½	.....	2.50	2.50	.....
			\$50,096.30		\$1,960.61	\$1377.25	\$1,205.83	\$2,135.05

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.
January 31, 1937.

FRANK P. GREEN,
HERBERT W. DUSTIN,
GEORGE H. COLBATH,
Trustees.

TRUST FUND ACCOUNT**Carpenter Fund***Receipts*

Cash on hand February 1, 1935	\$420.71
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Expenditures

Books	309.96
Furnishings	23.00
Repairs	50.82

\$383.78

Cash on hand January 31, 1936	36.93
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\$420.71

Butler Fund*Receipts*

Cash on hand February 1, 1935	\$22.50
Income	30.00

Cash on hand January 31, 1936	\$52.50
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IRA H. WHITE,
Treasurer of Carpenter Library Trustees.

TREASURER'S REPORT

1936-1937

Receipts

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Cash on hand February 1, 1936	\$1.22
Received from fines, 1935-36	30.49
Town appropriation	1,600.00
	\$1,631.71

Expenditures

Librarian's salary	\$780.00
Assistant librarian	114.25
Janitor's salary	208.00
Fuel	150.00
Lights	33.98
Magazines	39.40
Rebinds	137.30
Supplies	58.69
Postage and incidentals	41.66
	\$1,563.28
Cash on hand January 31, 1937.....	\$68.43

TRUST FUND ACCOUNT

Carpenter Fund

Receipts

Cash on hand February 1, 1936	\$36.93
Income from \$20,000 fund, 1935-1936	700.00
Income from \$20,000 fund, 1936-1937.....	600.00
	\$1,336.93

Expenditures

Books	\$224.60
Furnishings and fixtures	454.10
Repairs	45.36
	\$724.06
Cash on hand January 31, 1937	\$612.87

TRUST FUND ACCOUNT

Butler Fund

Cash on hand February 1, 1936	\$52.50
Interest on above .....	.43
Income from \$1,000.00 fund	25.00
	\$77.93

IRA H. WHITE,
Treasurer of Carpenter Library Trustees.

REPORT OF CARPENTER LIBRARY TRUSTEES

The Carpenter Library reports progress—perhaps the most remarked in a single year since its dedication.

The adoption of the open-stack system, by which the resources of the library are thrown open to the public for inspection and selection, has proved very welcome. It is the modern library method and already is adopted by eighty per cent of New Hampshire libraries. The new indirect lighting of the stack is especially commended and has been praised by authorities as one of the best in the state.

If any library users desire assistance or suggestion the officials are always glad to aid.

Because of questions and apparent misunderstanding still in the minds of some persons we repeat what we have said before—that the library cannot use any part of the principal of the Carpenter Trust Fund. Only the *income* is available and that for the purposes specified in Mrs. Carpenter's will—"for the purchase of books, for furnishings or for repairs upon the building." The bequest was not intended as a substitute for town support, but as a supplement to it—for advancement that otherwise might be difficult of attainment. The decrease in dividend rates since the bequest was left necessarily curtails some desired projects.

It is with deep regret that we record the loss during the year of two of the library's warmest friends in the passing of Hon. Nathaniel S. Drake and Mrs. Dora M. Freese.

WM. H. SHEDD,
BERTHA B. NILES,
IRA H. WHITE,
Carpenter Library Trustees.

TREASURER'S REPORT

1935-1936

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Receipts

General Account:

Cash on hand February 1, 1936	\$2.88
Town appropriation	1,500.00
	\$1,502.88

Expenditures

Librarian's salary	\$780.00
Assistant Librarian	17.87
Janitor's salary	208.00
Fuel	162.21
Lights	20.27
Magazines	47.35
Rebinds	176.60
Supplies	50.43
Postage and incidentals	34.99
Repairs	3.94
	\$1,501.66
Cash on hand January 31, 1936	1.22
	\$1,502.88

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

The report of the Overseer of the Poor for the year ending January 31, 1937, is herewith respectfully submitted:

Paid—

For county poor	\$1,491.69
For old age assistance	1,388.63
Town of Pembroke	623.75
Town poor	1,915.84
Aid to soldiers' families	157.69
Total amount paid out	\$5,577.60
Amount of cash on hand February 1, 1936..	\$28.08
Amount of cash received from town ..	5,565.00
Balance in hands of Overseer	\$15.48

RICHARD H. JOY,
Overseer of the Poor.

MUNICIPAL COURT

For the Year Ending January 31, 1937

Total receipts	\$638.80
Paid—	
N. H. Fish and Game Dept.	\$29.00
N. H. Motor Vehicle Dept.	447.10
Chichester Officers	6.60
Pittsfield Officers	22.30
Supplies	3.75
Town of Pittsfield	130.05
	\$638.80

IDELLA B. JENNESS,
Justice.

DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION REPORT

From January, 1936 to January, 1937

Number prenatal and maternity visits during year	483
Number delivery case during year	35
Number baby visits during year	311
Number adults visit during year	1,049
Number school children visits during year.....	204
Number preschool visits during year	414
Number infant welfare visits during year.....	207
Number relief and social service visits during year	3
Number of clinics during year	6
Number attending infant and preschool clinic..	32
Total visits during year	2,706
Fees collected by nurse during year	\$633.50
Fees collected by M. L. Insurance Co.	504.50
Fees collected by J. H. Insurance Co.	182.00
Office supplies, telephone, etc.	32.00
Auto expenses	85.28
Fees collected	\$633.50
Metropolitan	504.50
John Hancock	182.00
Total	\$1,320.00

The school work will be found in the superintendent's report.

IDELLA B. JENNESS,
 DORIS S. HOYT, R. N.,
Vice Chairman.

**TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE
DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION**

Receipts

Cash on hand February 1, 1936	\$187.51
From Pittsfield School District	416.83
Doris Hoyt, R. N., fees	1,202.72
Dora Freese, membership fees	227.25
Town of Pittsfield, appropriation	250.00
	\$2,284.31

Expenditures

Paid Harriman & Paige	\$29.83
Globe Mfg. Co.	5.75
Doris Hoyt, R. N., salary	1,800.00
Mrs. Giesel, R. N.	62.50
	1,898.08
Cash on hand February 1, 1937	\$386.23

GEORGE H. COLBATH,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Town Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen, Tax Collectors, Overseer of the Poor, Trustees of Trust Funds, Library Trustees, Municipal Court and Treasurer of the District Nursing Association of the town of Pittsfield for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1937, and find them correctly kept and properly vouched. Cash in the hands of the town Treasurer, \$3,520.71.

(Signed)

JOHN H. PERKINS,
PHILIP W. SHERBURNE,
ROBERT H. SANDERSON,

February 11, 1937.

Auditors.

ROSTER OF PITTSFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT

Harry E. Montgomery, *Chief*
Philip B. Adams, *Assistant Chief*
Philip W. Sherburne, *Assistant Chief and Clerk*

COMBINATION NO. 1

George Brousseau, *Captain*
Richard Herrick, *First Lieutenant*
J. Harry Adams, *Second Lieutenant*
Clyde S. Boyd, *Clerk*

COMBINATION NO. 2

Curtis Perry, *Captain*
Fred Reed, *First Lieutenant*
Warren Howe, *Second Lieutenant*
Kenneth Robinson, *Clerk*

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF PITTSFIELD, N. H.**

For the School Year Ending June 30, 1936

**OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
(February 1, 1937)**

Moderator
(Vacancy)

District Clerk
PHILIP W. SHERBURNE

School Board
RALPH M. McLAUGHLIN, *Chairman*

	Term expires 1937
H. THURLOW AMES	Term expires 1938
VICTOR E. TRACE	Term expires 1939

Treasurer
GEORGE H. COLBATH

Auditors
ROBERT H. SANDERSON JOHN H. PERKINS
PHILIP W. SHERBURNE

Superintendent of Schools
LESTER B. BADGER

Truant Officer
HERBERT A. COLEMAN

Census Taker
MAY B. EMERSON

PITTSFIELD SCHOOL CALENDER

1937-38

 1937

September 6—Labor Day.

September 7—Schools open.

October 21-22—N. H. State Teachers' Convention at Nashua.

October 12—Columbus Day—All schools closed.

November 8-14—Education Week.

November 11—Armistice Day—Schools closed.

November 25-28—Thanksgiving Recess—Schools closed.

December 17—Schools close for Christmas recess.

1938

January 3—Schools open.

February 18—Schools close

February 28—Schools open.

April 22—Schools close.

May 2—Schools open.

May 6—Merrimack Valley Teachers' Meeting and Institute at Manchester.

(Teachers may attend)

May 30—Memorial Day—Schools closed.

June 17—Elementary schools close.

June 24—High School closes.

Elementary schools—179 days.

High school—184 days.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1935

Cash on hand June 30, 1935 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$28.25
Received from Selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year..	\$25,415.50
Dog tax	535.55
Received from all other sources	4,872.68
	30,823.73
Total amount available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)	
	\$30,851.98
Less School Board orders paid	30,647.31
	\$204.67

July 1, 1936

GEORGE H. COLBATH,
District Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the School District of Pittsfield, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and find them correct in all respects.

July 13, 1936.

JOHN H. PERKINS,
PHILIP W. SHERBURNE,
ROBERT H. SANDERSON,
Auditors.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1936

Receipts

Income from local taxation	\$25,415.50
From Sources Other Than Taxation:	
Dog licenses	535.55
Elementary school tuitions	270.00
High school tuitions	3,432.98
Income from local trust funds	1,087.14
Sale of property	1.36
Other receipts, refund	1.36
	\$30,823.73
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1935	28.25
	\$30,851.98

Payments

Administration:

	Total	High Elementary School Schools	
Salaries of District Officers	\$25.00	.....	.....
Superintendent's excess salary ...	475.00	.....	.....
Truant Officers and school census.	25.00	.....	.....
Expenses of administration	307.20	.....	.....

Instruction:

Principals' and teachers' salaries..	17,825.36	\$7,584.50	\$10,240.86
Text books	798.22	378.43	419.79
Scholars' supplies	1,106.72	544.65	562.07
Flags and appurtenances	14.53	4.25	10.28
Other expenses of instruction	143.84	113.37	30.47

Operation and Maintenance of School
Plant:

Janitor service	1,125.00	485.00	640.00
Fuel	1,123.18	377.61	745.57
Water, light, janitor's supplies....	443.62	131.73	311.89
Minor repairs and expenses	1,031.50	203.08	828.42

Auxiliary Agencies and Special
Activities:

Medical inspection (27) Health supervision	420.53	121.33	299.20
Transportation of pupils	2,411.50	.....	2,411.50
Elementary school tuition	270.00	.....	270.00
Other special activities	1,033.14	.....	1,033.14

Fixed Charges:

Tax for state-wide supervision ...	766.00	.....	.....
Insurance and other fixed charges	34.90

Outlay for Construction and
Equipment:

New equipment	66.24
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Debt, Interest and Other Charges:

Payments of principal of debt ...	1,000.00
Payments of interest on debt	125.00
Payments of notes or bills from previous year	75.83	.....	.....

Total Payments for all purposes	\$30,647.31	\$9,943.95	\$17,803.19
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1936)	204.67		
Grand Total	\$30,851.98		

BALANCE SHEET

As of June 30, 1936

Assets

Cash on hand:		
Balance of June 30, 1936		\$204.67
Accounts due to District:		
High School Tuition—		
Ruth Montgomery		37.50
Chichester School District		75.00
Elementary Tuition:		
Epsom School District		3.75
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Total Assets		\$320.92
Excess of Liabilities over Assets		1,933.08
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Grand Total		\$2,254.00

Liabilities

Amounts reserved for Special Purposes:		
Balance trust funds		\$254.00
Notes Outstanding:		
Pittsfield savings bank		2,000.00
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Total Liabilities		\$2,254.00
Excess of Assets over Liabilities
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Grand total		\$2,254.00

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Pittsfield, N. H., of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. PERKINS,
PHILIP W. SHERBURNE,
ROBERT H. SANDERSON,

July 13, 1936.

Auditors.

DRAKE FIELD ACCOUNT—1935-1936

Receipts

Cash on hand July 1, 1935 .....	.....
Georgia B. Carpenter Trust Fund	\$1,087.14
	\$1,087.14

Payments

1935

July	16. George Buffum, salary to July 16....	\$34.50
	22. George Buffum, salary to July 23	17.25
	24. Bill Dunn's Sport Shop, 24 keys at 20c each	4.80
	24. The Draper-Maynard Co., playground equipment	32.87
	24. The Draper-Maynard Co., volley ball net	2.90
	24. The Paddle Tennis Co., Inc., paddle tennis set	13.53
	24. E. G. Ostrander, repairing lawn mowers	13.00
	24. V. E. Trace, lawn mower, etc.	17.39
	30. George Buffum, salary to July 30	17.25
	30. Pittsfield Athletic Asso., baseball equipment, etc.	9.90
	30. Walter Hillsgrove, inserting post....	2.63
	30. George Buffum, salary to August 6..	17.25
	30. George Buffum, salary to August 13..	17.25
Aug.	19. George Buffum, salary to August 20..	17.25
	23. George Buffum, salary to August 27..	17.25
	23. Valley Times, printing signs	2.25
	23. B. T. Blaisdell, iron work .....	.50
	31. George Buffum, salary to Sept. 3....	17.25

Sept.	9.	George Buffum, salary to Sept. 10...	17.25
	13.	E. G. Ostrander, machine work and re- pairing	12.50
	16.	George Buffum, salary to Sept. 17 ..	17.25
	23.	George Buffum, salary to Sept. 23...	17.25
	24.	N. G. Woods & Sons, Inc., engraving cups	15.83
	24.	Pelissier's Garge, gas, etc.	3.08
	24.	A. & P. Co., cleaner .....	.34
	24.	H. P. Maxfield, padlocks, screws, etc.	8.48
	24.	General Tennis String Mfg. Co., tennis string	1.17
	24.	Pelissier's Garage, gas oil and labor..	10.58
	24.	H. F. Goodale, frankforts and rolls..	1.06
	24.	Hemeon's, ice cream	8.16
	24.	C. B. Dodge Co., weed killer.....	8.00
	30.	George Buffum, salary to Oct. 1	17.25
Oct.	8.	George Buffum, salary to Oct. 8	17.25
	14.	George Buffum, salary to Oct. 14	17.25
	21.	George Buffum, salary to Oct. 21.....	17.25
	22.	N. G. Wood & Sons, Inc., ribbon badges	17.00
	23.	V. E. Trace, prizes, etc.	7.05
	28.	George Buffum, salary to Oct. 28....	17.25
Nov.	4.	George Buffum, balance due to Oct. 31	5.75
Dec.	18.	Green's Drug Store, medical supplies.	1.45
	18.	H. P. Maxfield, rakes, etc.	18.36
	18.	James C. McQuesten, cleaners, etc...	2.92
1936.			
Jan.	22.	Geo. D. Emerson, dressing	2.00
Feb.	19.	Burley B. Brock, labor	5.25
Apr.	25.	Erville Smith, salary for one week..	15.00
May	1.	Erville Smith, salary to May 2	15.00
	9.	Erville Smith, salary to May 9.....	15.00
	11.	Frank S. Tilton, labor on water supply	4.20

	11. E. G. Ostrander, labor on power mower	18.00
	14. Erville Smith, salary to May 16	15.00
	22. Erville Smith, salary to May 23	15.00
	25. Sam Pratt, adjusting lock .....	.60
	29. Erville Smith, salary to May 30.....	15.00
June	1. Lester B. Badger, alemite gun and tube	3.38
	6. Frank S. Tilton, labor .....	.75
	6. Erville Smith, salary to June 6.....	15.00
	13. Erville Smith, salary 1 week.....	15.00
	19. The Sherwin-Williams Co., paint for fence	46.91
	19. Erville Smith, salary to June 20	15.00
	24. Walter A. Woodbury, wages to June 24	12.00
	24. Sam Pratt, wages to June 24	16.00
	24. Alvah Emery, wages to June 24....	12.00
	24. Sherburne H. Randlett, wages to June 24	14.40
	26. Erville Smith, salary to June 27.....	15.00
	30. Walter Woodbury, wages to June 30..	7.05
	30. Alvah Emery, wages to June 30	7.05
	30. S. H. Randlett, wages to June 30....	9.40
	30. Sam Pratt, wages to June 30.....	9.40
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		\$833.14
	Cash on hand June 30, 1936	254.00
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		\$1,087.14

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1937-38

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1937.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	H. S.	Elem.
Support of Schools:		
Teachers' salaries	\$7,565.00	\$10,110.00
Textbooks	300.00	350.00
Scholars' supplies	550.00	575.00
Flags and appurtenances	5.00	10.00
Other expenses of instruction....	200.00	100.00
Janitor service	450.00	913.00
Fuel	340.00	580.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies....	145.00	285.00
Minor repairs and expenses.....	400.00	600.00
Health supervision	230.00	295.00
Transportation of pupils .....	.....	2,650.00
Payment of elementary tuitions..	.....	45.00
Other special activities .....	.....	1,325.00
	\$10,085.00	\$17,838.00
		\$27,923.00
Other Statutory Requirements:		
Salaries of District Officers.....	\$200.00	
Truant Officer and school census	35.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	475.00	
Per capita tax (state-wide supervision)	782.00	
Payment of district debt	1,000.00	
Interest on district debt	25.00	
Other obligations	654.00	
		3,171.00
Total amount required to meet School Board's budget...		\$31,094.00

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1937 (estimated) .....	.....
High school tuition	\$3,300.00
State aid, dog tax	400.00
Income from trust funds	1,000.00
Elementary tuition receipts	225.00
Other estimated income, sale of supplies.....	50.00
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Total estimated income (not raised by taxation)...	\$4,975.00
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Assessment required to balance School Board's budget	\$26,119.00
Special appropriations proposed (articles in warrant)	
New equipment	200.00
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Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriations	\$26,319.00

RALPH M. McLAUGHLIN,
H. THURLOW AMES,
VICTOR E. TRACE,

January 29, 1937.

School Board.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Pittsfield School Board and Citizens:

Herewith is respectfully submitted for your consideration my fourteenth annual report as superintendent of the Pittsfield schools. Its objects will be as in the past to put into easily understood form the most vital of the statistics for the school year July 1, 1935 to June 30, 1936, and to bring to your attention some of the needs of the future and some constructive suggestions as to how those needs may be met.

TEACHERS

No vacancies in the teaching force occurred during the school year, but three teachers did not return in September, 1936; (1) Mr. Watson, who after years of faithful and competent service both as teacher and headmaster at the high school, has retired from active teaching; (2) Miss Jonah, who resigned to accept a more attractive position in Concord, and (3) Mrs. Bouchard, who resigned because of poor health. The following is a list of the teachers for the present school year:

Teacher	Position	Salary	Enrollment
Harold T. Rand	Headmaster, H. S.	\$2,050.00	127
Richard S. Ricciardi	Submaster and Science	1,500.00	
Edith M. Marshall	English	1,450.00	
Ruth C. Wattie	French, History, Latin	1,300.00	
Frances Demers	Commerce and History	900.00	
Wayne S. Gray	Principal, Gram., Gr. 8	1,500.00	36
Iona M. Sheehe	Asst. Prin., Gram., Gr. 7	850.00	42
Helen Evangeline	Grammar, Gr. 6	850.00	30
Rachel A. Sherburne	Grammar, Gr. 5	1,025.00	34
Grace E. Marden	Grammar, Gr. 4	1,025.00	31
Ida M. Fowler	Grammar, G. 3	1,025.00	35
Una G. Dearborn	Grammar, Gr. 1	775.00	15
Dora E. Page	Prin., Memorial, Gr. 1	1,100.00	32
Mildred H. Batley	Memorial, Gr. 2	1,025.00	39
Myra E. Sprague	Music	950.00	

Total present enrollment

421

INSTRUCTION

(a) Textbooks

Last year in my report I spoke of the plan which had been initiated "to provide, in the primary grades, reading practice with the vocabulary so chosen that children will be led gradually into an understanding of the words and terms necessary for satisfactory progress in the various subjects." Definite progress has been made in carrying forward this plan. Extension readers in health have been adopted for use in the third grade, in art in the second grade, and in science for grades one to six. Two sets of social science readers—one a primer and the other a first reader—have been adopted also for the use of the first grade in order to extend their vocabulary into the field of social relations and to give them an understanding of the simple social concepts. Through instruction tying up with these books these little folks are learning a better appreciation of the family relationship, the responsibilities of parents and children in the home, and the duties of the home circle as well as the service rendered to the individuals in the community by such people as the mailman, grocery man, farmer, iceman, garage man, and many others.

(b) Eighth Grade Tests

The standardized general achievement tests given to the eighth grade pupils last June gave some interesting results. Although the class the year before as it finished the seventh grade was six months behind the normal class in reading, the tests showed the class was up to standard in this respect as it finished the eighth grade. The tests showed also that the pupils were well above standard in geography, about standard in spelling, history, and arithmetic computation, slightly below standard in language and physiology, and considerably below standard in arithmetic reasoning and literature. Their median score in all subjects taken to-

gether showed they were in general about five months behind the normal class. A comparison of these figures, with the pupils actual ages and with the results of an intelligence test, which was given to the class in March, 1936, reveal the following conditions: although their median age was 14 years and 1 month their median intelligence or mental age was 13 years and 6 months, and their educational or school achievement age was 14 years and 4 months. In other words, they did better in school subjects than could normally be expected of them from either their actual ages or their intellectual capacities. This in turn shows that their school instruction had been well above the average in efficiency.

(c) Student Councils

Another phase of the activities of the schools deserves special mention. I refer to the experiment in co-operative citizenship in connection with the safety patrol and other activities of the student council. All pupils are taking a keen interest in trying to solve their common social problems, one of which is the prevention of any accidents to pupils at street crossings. Through their discussions, study, and work together they are learning effectively to live together as good co-operative citizens—one of the greatest objectives of the public school.

(d) General Assemblies at Grammar School

In several significant minor ways progress has been made in the improvement of the school plant, both from an educational point of view and from the point of view of safety. In recent years there has been a gradual acceptance by laymen as well as educators of that philosophy of education that says that pupils learn best when actually engaged in doing those desirable things they are most interested in doing. Perhaps the most important change made at the Grammar school to adapt the school plant to the educational

policy developing from this philosophy of education has been the equipping of the large room on the second floor with movable furniture so that it can be used as an assembly room for several grades at once. This plan affords an opportunity for the pupils to become better acquainted with each other and to get experience in larger group activities comparable with the social and civic activities they will engage in as they get older.

(e) Commerce Course

For several years many have believed, as Headmaster Rand recommended in his last report, that Pittsfield should offer in the high school an opportunity for training in the commercial field. The values of such a course lie in developing in the pupils (1) skills, information, attitudes and ideals that will function later in actual positions in the world of business, and (2) familiarity with accounts and accounting principles that will enable the individual (a) as a citizen to analyze intelligently government and other reports, and (b) as a member of a home to prepare domestic budgets. With the beginning of the present school year a plan has been initiated to provide such training, and according to the present plan the course will be fully installed in two more years. In that case the present sophomore class will have the benefit of the full course. This installation has been accomplished without any increased appropriation, the necessary equipment being purchased entirely from funds saved in other ways. In order to keep within the budget, which had no provision in it for the introduction of a commercial course, only such equipment was purchased as was absolutely necessary to meet the minimum requirements of the course. As this department proves its value, as is confidently hoped it will, more and better equipment should be obtained and must be if reasonable standards are to be met.

(f) Fundamental Needs

The introduction of a commercial course into the high school has been a step towards the adaptation of the school to the needs of the pupils, but it has not done much towards meeting the educational needs of those boys who profit little from an academic or college preparatory course. Commercial training on the high school level is of chief value to girls. Some type of shop work or the training offered by a course in diversified agriculture would be so valuable to a sufficiently large number of boys as to justify the introduction of some such practical course. America has unquestionably accepted the philosophy that *all* the people are responsible for the education of *all* the children. The fathers of the republic and the statesmen of succeeding years have been in substantial agreement that tax supported schools are for the creation of an intelligent, liberty loving, self-directive people. On the other hand, there has persisted in the public schools a surprising amount of Old World assumption that the lower schools ought chiefly to concentrate their attention upon grammar and classic arithmetic, leading to upper public schools where Latin, ancient mythology and history, rhetoric and polite scholarship are the staples of instruction. Our forefathers conceived a school system to generate political virtue for the future, thus our theory of schools proposes the cultivation of manhood. It was the hope and belief of the founders of our country that the free public schools would preserve liberty, prevent tyranny, decrease vice and crime and increase human happiness. The better we support our schools the fewer jails we will need. The better job we do in training our boys and girls to go right, the fewer we will have to lock up for going wrong. Those who tax themselves for the support of the public schools have a right to demand that those schools produce intelligence as well as scholarship. Intelligence as distinct from scholarship as morality is from theology. Intelligence is common sense. It is "know how" penetration, rightness,

understanding. Scholarship is the sum of the conventional attainments which custom and fashion have imposed upon schools. Intelligence is mind power for use in any circumstance old or new. Scholarship is an accumulation which requires a special situation for its enjoyment, either the leisure of the study or the company of especially trained persons. Our schools must not only graduate scholars, but they must turn out human creatures who think, reason, judge and decide about the large concerns of personal and national life. Our schools have grown up to train people to think about nouns and pronouns, x and y, but our nation is a nation of workers and they must be trained in activities. Justice requires that the schools of Pittsfield meet these demands and actually accomplish the suitable training of *all* the boys and girls in Pittsfield, not just those few who have high scholastic ability. At the age of twenty-one *all* will be voting. It is vital that *all* be trained to be intelligent, self-supporting, self-governing, co-operating citizens.

ROLL OF HONOR FOR ATTENDANCE

The following nineteen pupils, as compared with thirty for the previous year, were neither absent nor tardy during the school year ending June 30, 1936: (2) Olive Bouchard, (3) Richard Brown, Theresa Chagnon, (2) Dolor Drolet, Lewis Dumont, Norman Foss, (2) George Freese, (3) Robert French, (2) Orisse Grenier, (5) Lewis Houle, (2) Myrtle Leavitt, (3) Harrison Leduc, Lewis Leduc, (5) John Maxfield, (4) June Maxfield, Alice Nichols, (4) Barton Richardson, Linden Sheehan, and Shirley Small.

A figure before a pupil's name denotes the number of consecutive years he has had perfect attendance.

STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1936

	High	Elem.	Total
Number of pupils registered	131	310	441
Average number of half-days schools were in session *(352.38)	366	346	356
Average membership	121.33	295.44	416.77
Average attendance	116.08	275.11	391.19
Aggregate number half-days all pupils were in school	42,486	95,207	137,693
Per cent of attendance (94.75)	95.67	93.29	94.1
Average number of half-days each pupil pupil was in school (334.82)	350.17	322.25	330.38
Pupils not absent nor tardy	8	11	19
Cases of tardiness	367	356	723
Average number of tardinesses per pupil (.91)	3.03	1.2	1.76
Non-resident pupils	46	7	53
Pupils transported at district expense..		42	42
Visits by superintendent	25	73	98
Average number of visits by superin- tendent per teacher	5	8.11	7
Visits by citizens	115	474	589
Visits by school board members.....		1	1
Meetings of school board			15
Number of pupils promoted	103	282	385
Number not promoted	10	13	23
Per cent not promoted (6.4)	8.85	4.41	5.64

* Figures in parentheses are state averages.

CENSUS, SEPTEMBER 30, 1936

Enumeration of Resident Children

Number of resident children 5 to 16 in local schools..	343
Number 5 to 16 in high schools outside the district	0
Number 5 to 16 in elementary schools outside the district	10
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Total number 5 to 16 in some school	353
Number 5 to 8 not in school	26
Number 8 to 14 not in school	0
Number 14 to 16 not in school	4
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Total number of children 5 to 16 not in some school....	30
Total number of resident children 5 to 16	383

Respectfully submitted,

LESTER B. BADGER,
Superintendent of Schools,
Supervisory Union No. 49.

Pittsfield, N. H., February 13, 1937.

REPORT OF HEADMASTER

Mr. L. B. Badger,
Superintendent of Schools
Pittsfield, N. H.

DEAR SIR:

The most outstanding problem which confronts us at Pittsfield High School today is the lack of a building giving adequate facilities for the carrying out of a program of instruction suitable to the needs of the community. Under the present conditions it is impossible for us to provide for our young people an educational opportunity on a par with that of other similar New Hampshire towns. An understanding of the seriousness of our situation may easily be acquired by a visit to nearby communities in the state and an inspection of the facilities which they offer. As a further indication of the significance of this problem consider the fact that an entering class of over forty pupils has been reduced to sixteen in four years. Although there are many reasons why members of this class have left school, I doubt that there is any one which carries more weight than that mentioned above.

In my last annual report I presented a detailed account of some of the inadequacies and even dangers of our present building. I refer specifically to pages 72 and 73 of the "Annual Report for the Town of Pittsfield" for the year ending January 31, 1936, from which I quote as follows:

"... The laboratory, which is used practically every period of the week end by a large majority of the students, is inadequate in almost every respect. The seating capacity is not sufficient for the number of pupils which must be accommodated; the lighting is poor; the space available for experiments in physics, chemistry, and biology is about half

what it should be for effective work ; its location in the basement is dangerous. . . . The lack of a suitable hall for social activities, . . . and for boys' and girls' basketball, is a shortage which warrants active consideration. . . . Under the present conditions there can be no provision at all for physical education during the winter months."

These shortages are still with us,—many more might reasonably be added,—and will continue to be until such a time as we are able to have a new high school building. I feel that you and I, together with the many others who are interested, must work with the one purpose in view of remedying the present condition. It is our solemn duty to our young people and to Pittsfield to do so.

The second semester of the 1935-1936 school year was marked by some notable achievements on the part of our pupils. On one afternoon a team of three pupils selected from the Senior class,—Kathleen Chandler, Ruth Yeaton, and Frank Ziebarth,—placed fourth in scholastic competition at Plymouth; Barton Richardson was among the leaders at the interscholastic prize speaking contest at Durham; and Charles Zanes placed third in the shot put at the interscholastic track meet, also held at Durham.

Other outstanding events of the semester were: The Senior play, the annual trip to Washington, which, by the way, was one of the happiest and best yet, the Junior-Senior Reception, and Commencement activities.

Nineteen pupils received diplomas at the graduating exercises held at the Strand Theatre on June 19, 1936. They were as follows: Kathleen Chandler, Valedictorian; Ruth Yeaton, Salutatorian; Frank Ziebarth, third ranking student and class president, and Frank Brewster, Reta Canfield, Emma Carson, Ruth Dennett, Samuel Feuerstein, Robert Foss, Richard Garland, Ruth Hanson, Altha Kenison, Maurice Merrill, Dale Nichols, Evelyn Nutter, Donald Romkey, Vernol Thompson, Richard Tilton, and Charles Zanes.

The Daughters of the American Revolution prize to the boy receiving highest honors in United States History went to Paul Badger; the Moody-Kent prizes annually awarded to the girl and boy highest in scholarship, and attainment in the Junior class, to Glendel Nichols and Barton Richardson.

Kathleen Chandler is continuing her studies at the University of New Hampshire, Ruth Yeaton at Plymouth Normal School, and Ruth Dennett and Richard Garland at Concord Business College.

The 1936-1937 school year began Tuesday, September 7, with 130 pupils enrolled. Of this number forty-five were tuition pupils,—twenty-seven from Barnstead, eleven from Gilmanton, and seven from Loudon. Since that time five pupils have entered school and eight have left.

As a result of a plan, most of the credit for which belongs to yourself, we have been able to present a much broader curriculum this year than heretofore. Sociology and Economics are now being offered in alternate years as full year courses rather than as half year courses as they were formerly. This change should do much toward increasing the economic and social literacy so necessary in the solution of the increasingly complex problems of our modern society. A Commercial course is being introduced under a four year plan beginning with last year's entering class. We are now offering junior business training to members of the ninth grade and bookkeeping, typewriting and stenography to members of the tenth grade, with Miss Frances Demers, a graduate of Plymouth Normal School, as teacher. Year after next a course in office practice will be added, giving us a commercial curriculum covering four years of work; i. e., junior business training in the ninth grade, bookkeeping in the tenth grade, shorthand and typewriting in the eleventh grade, and office practice in the twelfth grade. It will be possible, under the plan, to make the changes necessary without detracting from our college preparatory work.

The retirement of Mr. Edward S. Watson is to be sincerely regretted. Seldom is a community blessed with so fine a teacher and gentleman. His place cannot be filled.

Extra-curricula activities are organized on the same basis as previously reported. The Student Council is functioning efficiently under the leadership of Barton Richardson. Our Sphinx and Watson literary societies are carrying on in the presentation of effective assembly programs. As was the case last year, the sound moving picture machine makes possible a series of assemblies built around educational moving pictures. Assembly programs are also offered by the school orchestra and choruses under the direction of the supervisor of music. The Athletic Association, with Oliver Dennett as president, is again financing student athletics.

It is our plan in physical education this year to spend considerable time with calisthenics pointing toward the correction of postural defects. This work was continued as long as the weather permitted in the fall and will be taken up again in the spring. To satisfy the need for group games as a supplement to the calisthenics, intramural tag football was offered for the boys and speed ball for the girls, during the fall. Class teams were organized and members of the teams have been authorized by the Athletic Council to wear class numerals. Almost every boy and a large percentage of the girls participated in the games.

The winner in the annual Carpenter Prize Speaking contest were: Elaine Hall, first prize, and Frances Forbes, second prize, among the girls, and Robert Kelley, first prize, and Charles Edgerly, second prize, among the boys. The prize speaking fund is almost exhausted and if this contest is to be continued it will be necessary to, in some way, supplement the fund.

In the field of Guidance we are now following the recent "Program for Guidance" of the state department of education. One period every two weeks is devoted specifically to this work, which we feel is a most important part of our

work. With improvement in business conditions it will be more possible to make a reasonably accurate check of the results of the Guidance program among our graduates.

In concluding this report I wish again to emphasize our need for a new school building and to suggest that those who have worked upon the problem in the past again take an active interest in promoting the project.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD T. RAND,
Headmaster.

Pittsfield, N. H., January 31, 1937.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PITTSFIELD, N. H.

Mr. Lester B. Badger,
Superintendent of Schools,
Pittsfield, N. H.

DEAR SIR:

I herewith submit my third report as teacher of music in the Pittsfield schools:

The work is being carried on with the same ideals in mind as in the past two years.

The first essential is learning to listen. For this reason rote-songs are the basis of teaching in the first grades. Simple songs, with words within the child's own experience being a natural desire for and a simple means of self expression through music.

Individual singing is a very necessary and important factor in the work. It has two values: the pupil gains in confidence and ability, the teacher is able to watch each voice, and to judge more accurately than would be otherwise possible, each pupil's growth musically. Little children love this type of work particularly, and having gained this early training, the older boys and girls find real pleasure in small group singing: quartets, trios, and duets.

Another essential is music reading and all that it entails: Knowledge of theory, a knowledge of rhythms, and accurate pitch perception. The time to acquire these skills is in the early grades.

Reading from notation begins in the second grade and continues, each year adding the knowledge and skills peculiar to each grade.

Part-singing has its beginning in the fifth grade.

Voices are tested in grades seven and eight, and in high school.

Appreciation work has its beginning in learning to listen, in the use of pure tone quality, and in the interpretation of simple songs. This leads to discriminating listening to records or to the radio.

A real source of pleasure and an opportunity for musical growth are given the pupils in the Damrosch broadcast. These concerts are arranged progressively. In the first series pupils learn by sight and sound the various instruments in each choir of a symphony orchestra. This gives a foundation for real and profitable enjoyment of the other three series.

The grammar school orchestra and glee club are continuing their weekly rehearsals and keeping to a good quality of work.

Last spring these two organizations gave a concert at the High School hall. It was a success from a musical and a financial point of view. We hope to have a bit more elaborate concert this spring, featuring, as well as these organizations, some of the grade work, the high school chorus and orchestra.

In the high school our choruses meet as usual and the quality of their work shows improvement.

The orchestra continues to be a vital part of the high school music. We have five new members. We furnished music on the night of the senior play and for graduation.

Our orchestra has been represented each spring in the All-State Symphony Orchestra. This year the director is limiting the number of players so as to have a well-balanced orchestra. Therefore, it is gratifying that we are to be represented again this year, although we are not permitted to send several pupils who could qualify.

There is to be, as well, an All-State Chorus. One of our pupils has been chosen from the list of names submitted.

The History of Music and Appreciation class is continuing the study of the lives of the composers and of music's

development from the early centuries to modern days. Additional opportunity for hearing master compositions is given the class in the Damrosch broadcast.

The co-operation of teachers and the support of the superintendent are much appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

MYRA E. SPRAGUE,
Supervisor of Music.

Pittsfield, N. H., January 31, 1937.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

From July 1, 1935 to June 30, 1936

Number of visits to school	863
Number of visits to homes	163
Number of children examined by nurse	1624
Number of children given class room inspection..	865
Number of treatments in school	100
Number of children excluded from school on account of contagion	42
Number of children treated at dental clinic	110
Number of children treated at tonsil clinic	12
Number of children accompanied to oculist	23
Number of children treated at toxoid clinic.....	81
Number of children examined at T. B. clinic	37
Time given school work (half days)	144

Defects	Number of cases	Number of cases treated since last examination
Defective vision	24	56
Defective hearing	2	1
Skin diseases	2	2
Pediculosis	23	23
Orthopedic defects	2	2
Defective teeth:		
Temporary	63	..
Permanent	124	186
Hypertrophied tonsils and adenoids	22	10
Excused from vaccination	3	10

DORIS S. HOYT, R. N.,
School Nurse.

REPORT OF DIRECTOR OF PLAYGROUND

Mr. L. B. Badger,
Superintendent of School,
Pittsfield, N. H.

DEAR SIR:

Following is my first report as Director of Drake Athletic Field:

There are many desirable objectives to be obtained in a program of health and physical education such as is carried on in play-ground work.

A few of the results hoped for are: participation of all boys and girls, regardless of size and age, in some form of game or sport best suited to them, better sportsmanship on the part of competitors and spectators, more interest in hygienic surroundings, better posture and greater physical efficiency.

With these objectives in mind a daily program was arranged. Organized games were introduced and were received with much enthusiasm by the one hundred or more boys and girls who gathered daily.

During the first few weeks of the season all were busy learning the various games in preparation for the tournaments held during the last three weeks. Each of these tournaments was so divided that plenty of competition was afforded boys and girls of all ages.

An account of the annual tennis tournament is as follows: Barbara Robinson became the girls' champion by defeating Lorna Wakefield, 6-3, 6-1.

After a thrilling and hard fought match Paul Badger became the boys' 1936 champion by defeating Donald Charpentier, 6-1, 5-7, 6-4. The women's final match was between Phyllis and Arline Boyd with Phyllis retaining the

championship, 8-6, 4-6, 6-4. The best match of the tournament was between Frank Brewster and "Toot" Plante. It was a hard fought match with Brewster winning the championship, 7-5, 6-3, 3-6, 8-10, 8-6.

A very successful field day was held on August 20. Several records were broken by both boys and girls, especially senior boys who established new records in all playground events except cross country.

Athletic Badge Tests which are given to test the physical efficiency of boys and girls were given during the season. Eleven boys and two girls were successful in passing the first test, three boys and one girl succeeded in passing the second and only one girl passed the third.

During the season baseball teams were organized and games scheduled with Camp Kooauke. Teams representing the playground were successful in winning two of the three games. A girls' team also was organized under the leadership of Miss Reynolds, Playground Assistant. In the two games played with Idle Pines the playground lassies were undefeated.

The benefits obtained from such a splendid playground as Pittsfield has were again demonstrated as our boys won nine of the ten tennis matches played with Camp Kooauke.

Several improvements were made on the grounds during the past season. The Tether Ball post which was dangerously near the baby swings was moved to a much safer place. The cement foundations for the posts which support the slide were replaced. New posts for the cross bar of the Teeter Boards were also installed and three new tennis score boards were constructed. All of these improvements and projects were accomplished by the boys under supervision.

The playground activities were brought to a close with a masquerade. There were about 115 children in costume and approximately 300 parents and friends in attendance. The afternoon was spent in making awards of cups, ribbons

and badges to those who had succeeded in winning them.

Swimming which is a sport greatly enjoyed by most boys and girls, is a serious problem to be solved. As there is as yet no suitable place for swimming nothing was done in this sport as a part of the playground activities. Good use was made of the showers, however, as many boys and girls took advantage of the daily time scheduled for this purpose.

All outside apparatus has begun to show the results of weathering and unless immediate steps are taken toward renovation it soon will be unfit for further use. A resurfacing of the tennis courts is also recommended if the citizens of Pittsfield are to continue to enjoy them.

In closing this report, we, the instructors, wish to express our appreciation for the co-operation and assistance that has made this season a happy and enjoyable one for children and instructors.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD S. RICCIARDI,
Director of Playground.

Births Registered in the Town of Pittsfield for the Year Ending December 31, 1936

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or stillborn	No. of child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1936.									
Jan. 2	Lorraine Gloria Vien	F.	L.	6	Raymond H. Vien	Aurore J. Roberts	Shoe worker	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
8	Elva Louise Barton	F.	L.	1	Nelson B. Eastman	Bertha A. Edmunds	Laborer	Bradford, Vt.	Pittsfield
21	Clayton Nelson Eastman	M.	L.	1	Nelson W. Osborne	Natalie E. Pickard	Farmer	Canada	Pittsfield
Feb. 7	Patricia Osborne	F.	L.	1	Harold H. Whitcomb	Mamie A. Mettevia	Laborer	Waterford, Me.	Cambridge, Mass.
20	Ennice Isabel Whitcomb	F.	L.	3	Robert H. Cass	Myrtle L. Bartlett	Farmer	Waterford, Me.	Pittsfield
22	David Anson Cass	M.	L.	2	Robert H. Cass	Bernice R. Fredette	Farmer	Somerville, Mass.	Epsom
23	Jacqueline Anne Fredette	F.	L.	1	Exavier F. Vezina	Mariana Destrosier	Farmer	Canada	Concord
26	Joseph Ed. Donald Vezina	M.	L.	5	Joseph A. Reardon	Koscalina G. Shonyo	Laborer	Canada	Canada
Mar. 7	Shirley Reta Reardon	F.	L.	1	Eugene J. Jacques	Helen J. Mack	Painter	Concord	Pittsfield
8	Eugene J. Jacques, Jr.	M.	L.	1	Ernest Boisvert	Beulah Chagnon	Laborer	Laconia	Deerfield
8	Theresa Adeline Boisvert	F.	L.	5	Fred S. Dow	Marion A. Clark	Fireman	Boscawen	Pittsfield
9	Marion Joyce Dow	F.	L.	1	Louis P. Girouard	Sydna R. Smith	Grocer	Loudon	Pittsfield
16	Louis Paul Girouard	M.	L.	3	Lewis A. Forbes	Elizabeth E. Fletcher	Waiter	Chichester	Dayton, Me.
18	Douglas Llewellyn Forbes	M.	L.	2	Warren H. Howe	Doris L. Reed	Waiter	Brookline, Mass.	Concord
18	Robert Edward Raymond	M.	L.	1	John L. Cotton	Dorothy E. Buckle	Salesman	Gilmanton	Pittsfield
19	Nancy Louise Howe	F.	L.	2	Lloyd W. Mack	Emma A. Reynolds	Clerk	Boston, Mass.	Far Hills, N. J.
23	Dorothy Ann Cotton	F.	L.	2	Cecil E. Baum	Alice A. Berry	Laborer	Deerfield	Reading, Mass.
24	Edward Lloyd Mack	M.	L.	5	John R. Brown	Celia C. Mason	Engineer	England	Epsom
26	Alice Orcece Baum	F.	L.	1	George F. Howe	Maude Alice Locke	Truck driver	Epsom	Pittsfield
Apr. 13	John Robert Brown, Jr.	M.	L.	1	George F. Howe	Kathleen M. Huntoon	Poultry man	Epsom	Strafford
19	Donald Alan Locke	M.	L.	1	Maurice L. Chagnon	Doris Alice Keniston	Mill worker	Waterford, Vt.	Waterford, Vt.
24	Nancy Jean Howe	F.	L.	1	John W. Small	Florence Arlin	Shoe worker	Pittsfield	Barnstead
May 2	Ronald Edward Chagnon	M.	L.	13	Calvin C. Joy	Glady's E. Fifield	Laborer	Northwood	Barrington
2	Eliot J. Small	M.	L.	3	Harry Taylor	Cinita Numan	Clergyman	Pittsfield	Laconia
10	Walter Henry Joy	M.	L.	1	Myron W. Kimball	Glady's R. Welch	Teamster	Oldham, Eng.	Chichest
29	Frank Harrison Taylor	M.	L.	1	Forest Birkley Argue	Mary E. Sullivan	Physician	Epsom	Grants Pass, Ore.
June 3	Maxine Elaine Kimball	F.	L.	1	Ralph W. Bartlett	Mary S. Stevens	Store keeper	Sawville, Que.	New York City
3	James Birkley Argue	M.	L.	3	Edward Langevin	Mildred A. Foss	Laborer	Berlin	Tilton
8	Edward Clarence Bartlett	M.	L.	1	John S. Dow	Erma M. MacBurnie	Farmer	Pittsfield	Barnstead
6	James Edward Langevin	M.	L.	1	J. Arthur St. George	Lucienne R. Genest	Cotton mill	Cambridge, Mass.	Presque Isle, Me.
16	Jacqueline Dow	F.	L.	1				Lowell, Mass.	Pittsfield
18	Dorothy Leona St. George	F.	L.	1					

Aug.	2	Ruth Evelyn Smith	F.	L.	6	Robert M. Smith	Hazel E. Googins	Carpenter	Dayton, Me.	W. Scarborough, Me.
	7	Wm. George Hogenkamp	M.	L.	2	Harry Hogencomb, Jr.	Catherine A. Wilson	Laborer	So. Hampton, Pa.	Manchester
	8	Ruby Velma Young	F.	L.	6	William H. Young	Irene E. Davis	Laborer	Strafford	Bedford
	15	David Holmes Yeaton	M.	L.	3	Maurice A. Yeaton	Nettie P. Holmes	Farmer	Epsom	Milton
Sept.	13	Patricia Evelyn Kennelly	F.	L.	5	Thomas J. Kennelly	Edith F. Medeiros	Garage mechanic	Ireland	Cambridge, Mass.
	16	Robert Edward Legendre	M.	L.	2	Ernest J. Legendre	Jeanette D. Fannie	Mill worker	Merrimack	Suncook
	26	Georgianna Eliz. Merrill	F.	L.	1	Orrin J. Merrill	Elizabeth M. Morse	Meat cutter	Lisbon	New York City
	27	Joan Sylvia Danis	F.	L.	1	Henry J. Danis	Hattie J. Curtis	Clerk in store	Pittsfield	Barnstead
	29	Jacqueline C. Come	F.	L.	1	Alim E. Come	Sylvia Fanny	Mill employer	Pittsfield	Suncook
Oct.	1	Robert Carl Ordway	M.	L.	5	LeRoy Ordway	Nellie Merrill	Shoe cutter	Chichester	Barnstead
	6	Doris Helen Brousseau	F.	L.	3	Euclide J. Brousseau	Rose A. Genest	Mill worker	Canada	Pittsfield
	22	Carolyn Mae Clark	F.	L.	3	S. Everette Clark	Dorothy R. Cook	Farmer	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
	23	Constance Sylvia Labontie	F.	L.	1	Albert L. Labontie	Evilda L. Fanny	Mill worker	Suncook	Suncook
Nov.	8	David St. George	M.	L.	5	Albern St. George	Antoinette Ouelette	Shoe worker	Canada	Canada
	16	Kendall Lee Perkins	M.	L.	3	Ralph Perkins	Olive Barry	Fish dealer	Farmington	Franklin
	24	Daniel Edville Emerson	M.	L.	2	Fred E. Emerson	Lora D. Berry	Laborer	Northwood	Strafford
	28	Carol Evelyn Smith	F.	L.	1	Benjamin E. Smith	Mildred W. Westgate	Farmer	Hill	W. Wareham, Mass.
Dec.	4	John Edward Fothergill	M.	L.	2	Wm. M. Fothergill	Dorothy R. McLane	Overseer in mill	Massachusetts	Pittsfield
	10	Mathilde Brown	F.	L.	1	Ralph A. Emerson	Marjorie R. Brown	Laborer	Chicago, Ill.	Chicago, Ill.
	14	Loretta Ellen Emerson	F.	L.	2	Herbert O. Emerson	Ruth E. Emerson	Laborer	Barnstead	Barnstead
	14	Orshon Herbert Emerson	M.	L.	2	Jason A. Moody	Mabel F. Hoyt	Shoe shop	Pittsfield	So. Hanson, Mass.
	20	Alexander Moody	M.	L.	12	Laurence E. Hill	Luella Ethel Powell	Roller in mill	Loudon	East Concord
	23	Elizabeth Mae Hill	F.	L.	1	Victor J. Reil	Irene R. Genest	Laborer	Strafford	Lewiston, Me.
	31	James Frederic Riel	M.	L.	6	Thomas B. Dustin	Thelma M. Knudson	Cotton mill	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
	31	Robert Elmer Dustin	M.	L.	2			Clerk	Rochester	Chicago, Ill.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
RUSSELL F. WELDON, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Pittsfield for the Year Ending December 31, 1936.

Date of marriage	Place of marriage	Name and surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each	Age	Occupation of groom and bride	Place of Birth	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Marriage	Persons by whom married
1936 Jan. 18	Pittsfield	Eric Anderson Ruth Johnson	Manchester Manchester	26 27	Painter Stenographer	Sweden Manchester	John Anderson Augusta Johnson	Sweden	Retired Housewife	1 1	Rev. Geo. L. Fish Clergyman Pittsfield
21	Pittsfield	Eddie Murphy Julia Matson	Pittsfield Troy	21 19	Shoeshop Waitress	Canada Troy	Frank Johnson Elin L. Gungstowen	Sweden	Housewife	1	Carroll M. Paige Justice of Peace Pittsfield
Feb. 15	Epsom	Myron W. Kimball Gladys R. Welch	Epsom Pittsfield	27 33	Teamster Domestic	Epsom Clchester	Joseph Murphy Amelia Prevauchie	Canada	Farmer Housewife	1 1	Joseph P. C. Johnson Clergyman Pittsfield
Mar. 8	Concord	Edward Langevin Mildred Foss	Pittsfield Barnstead	24 21	Laborer Quiller	Pittsfield Barnstead	Lizzie E. Clark Cyrus G. Weleh Addie B. Loekc Peter Langevin	Boston, Mass. Orange Canada	Retired Domestic Laborer Housewife	2 2 2	Frank J. Kelley Justice of Peace Concord
8	Chichester	Marshall Randolph Irene Bartlett	Rumney Pittsfield	42 34	Salesman Shoe worker	Fitchburg, Mass. Quebec	Alphonsine Frenette William Foss Grace Drake Nicholas Henry Lottie A. Milligan	Canada Strafford Barnstead New York Plymouth	Contractor Housewife Engineer Housewife	2 2	H. Franklin Parker Clergyman Chichester
12	Concord	Edwin L. Waters Ann Edith Tilton	Pittsfield Pittsfield	26 19	State officer At home	Yonkers, N. Y. Pittsfield	Clementine Bouchard William Waters Lorette Dobbins Frank Tilton	Montreal New York Brooklyn Pittsfield	Mason Housewife Plumber	1 1	Guy E. Mark Clergyman Concord
22	Concord	Clifton S. Cram Ruth May Staniels	Pittsfield Concord	30 20	Post office Secretary	Pittsfield Hopkinton	Nettie Reynolds Nat A. Cram Elifabethi Swett	Boston, Mass. Pittsfield Pittsfield	Shoemaker Postmaster Sales lady Gas office	1 1	Richard Kellogg Clergyman Concord
Apr. 11	Pittsfield	Walter J. Hillsgrove Ene Davis	Pittsfield Pittsfield	22 23	Shipping clerk Weaving Fet'y	Pittsfield Manchester	Arthur H. Staniels Belle Healey Moses Hillsgrove Elizabeth McCarthy	Croydon Fargo, N. D. Lowell, Mass. Lowell, Mass.	Housewife Shoemaker Housewife Housewife	1 1	Rev. Geo. Lee Fish Clergyman Pittsfield
May 9	Farmington	Theodore E. Leduc Anna L. Kelley	Pittsfield Manchester	24 25	Laborer Nurse	Pittsfield Northwood	Clarence Davis Mary Manson John Leduc Sophonic Langlois	Pittsfield Portsmouth Canada Rhode Island	Shoemaker Farmer Housewife	1 1	Ned L. Parker Justice of Peace Farmington
May 9	Pittsfield	Henry J. Danis Hattie J. Curtis	Pittsfield Pittsfield	20 20	School Tel. Exchange	Pittsfield Barnstead	Mary H. Lang Joseph Danis Arlinc Constant Asa Curtis Jane Foss	Northwood Canada Canada	Merchant Housewife Shoeshop Shoeshop	1 1	Rev. D. J. Caron Catholic Priest Pittsfield

May 27	Ashland	Ralph W. Cass	Pittsfield	51	Plumber	Allenstown	William W. Cass	Short Falls	Stone cutter	John A. Chapin
		Hazel E. Welch	Plymouth	32	At home	Chichester	Kathleen Brown	Manchester, Eng.	At home	Clergyman
June 9	*Manchester	Moise Murphy	Pittsfield	17	Farmer	Canada	Cyrus G. Welch	Boston, Mass.	Box shop	Ashland
		Myra Osborne	Epsom	20	Housework	England	Addie B. Locke	Alexandria	At home	T. J. A. Olong
20	Manchester	David A. Murphy	Pittsfield	23	Shoe worker	Canada	Joseph Murphy	Canada	Housewife	Catholic Clergyman
		Violet Clement	Manchester	21	Shoe worker	Lynn, Mass.	Amelia Prevanchis	England	Farmer	Manchester
28	*Barnstead	Henry Knirsch	Barnstead	18	Weaver	Barnstead	Aaron Osborne	Canada	Housewife	Paul Dsaulnie
		Velna Keniston	Pittsfield	19	Clerk	Exeter	Mabel Mogg	Canada	Farmer	Catholic Priest
Aug. 10	*Concord	Ernest L. Chagnon	Pittsfield	22	Mechanic	Pittsfield	Joseph F. Murphy	Canada	Housewife	Manchester
		Pauline Audette	Concord	16	At home	Concord	Amelia Provencher	Lowell, Mass.	Shoemaker	
22	Chichester	Fred Reil	Pittsfield	66	Retired	Vermont	Henry Clement	Canada	Housewife	Harry E. Little
		Eva Genest	Concord	39	Cotton mill	Pittsfield	Ally Melanson	Austria	Weaver	Clergyman
26	Hooksett	Delphis C. Chagnon	Pittsfield	28	Restaurant	Barnstead	Conrad Knirsch	Austria	Housewife	Barnstead
		Caroline G. Purtell	Pittsfield	23	At home	Canada	Charles Keniston	Canada	Painter	A. A. Sylvester
Sept. 27	Freedom	George M. Ashley	Pittsfield	72	Farmer	P. E. I.	Grace E. Watson	Canada	Housewife	Priest
		Fannie E. MacRae	Effingham	49	Housework	P. E. I.	Adelphis Chagnon	Canada	Housewife	Concord
5	*Loudon	Charles L. Kenney	Loudon	20	Farmer	Loudon	Emma Levie	Canada	Truck driver	
		Viola R. Bailey	Pittsfield	16	At home	Pittsfield	Napoleon Audette	Canada	Mill worker	Harry L. Kelley
Oct. 10	Rochester	Robert H. Fischer	Pittsfield	31	Bank clerk	Pittsfield	Amanda Nolin	Canada	Wood chopper	Justice of Peace
		Diana M. Magoon	Rochester	34	Nurse	Berlin	Newell Reil	Canada	Housewife	Chichester
Nov. 15	Pittsfield	Austin C. Maxfield	Pittsfield	72	Farmer	Pittsfield	Sophie Reil	Canada	Housewife	
		Annie G. Hanson	Penacook	53	Housekeeper	Penacook	Oscar Genest	Canada	Cotton mill	
Dec. 25.	Barnstead	John H. Stimmell	Pittsfield	32	Salesman	Boston, Mass	Claraina Bussiere	Denison, Conn.	Housewife	Napoleon J. Gilbert
		Elizabeth I. Leighton	Strafford	22	Teacher	Strafford	Mark Chagnon	Canada	Retired	Clergyman
							Flora Raymond	Manchester	At home	Pittsfield
							Martin Purtell	Canada	Laborer	
							Katherine O'Grady	Canada	At home	
							Alfred B. Ashley	P. E. I.	Farmer	Rev. Chas. L. Durgin
							Mary Jane	P. E. I.	Housewife	Clergyman
							George D. Beairsto	P. E. I.	Hotel keeper	Freedom
							Agnes MacRae	P. E. I.	Housewife	
							Forest B. Kenney	Loudon	Farmer	Benj. D. Tibbetts
							Emma Towle	Chichester	Housewife	Clergyman
							Bertha Watson	Goffstown	Mill worker	Loudon
							Herbert B. Fischer	Pittsfield	Bank cashier	LeRoy Stringfellow
							Clara H. M. Goss	Charlestown, Ms.	Housewife	Clergyman
							Felix Herbert	Gossville	Lumberman	Rochester
							Mary Canpagna	Canada	Housewife	
							John H. Maxfield	Vermont	Farmer	J. S. Buffum
							Julia A. Greene	Loudon	Housewife	Clergyman
							Henry Leslie	Henniker	Engineer	Pittsfield
							Myra Leslie	Contoocook	Housewife	
							Jean G. Stimmell	Davenport, Iowa	Publisher	Harry E. Little
							Louise Houghton	Buffalo	Housewife	Clergyman
							Albert M. Leighton	Strafford	Farmer	Barnstead
							Helen Waldron	Strafford	Housewife	

*Permission granted by Judge of Probate.

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

RUSSELL F. WELDON, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Pittsfield for the Year Ending December 31, 1936.

Date of death	Name and surname	Yrs.	Age Mos.	Dys. of birth	Place of birth	Sex	Condition single mar. widow	Occupation	Birth place of father	Birth place of mother	Name of father	Maiden name of mother
1936												
Jan. 1	Wm. E. Bishop	62	5	20	Vermont	M.	W.	Mill worker	Canada	Unknown	William Bishop	
6	*Sophia Bishop	79	1	13	Monson, Me.	F.	M.	Field man factory	Sweden	Sweden	Emil Erickson	
8	James E. Erickson	51	10	18	Pittsfield	M.	W.	Retired carpenter	Gilmanton	Gilmanton	Charles Bunker Lowell Eastman	Mary Lydia Newhall
9	*Sidney P. Eastman	90	2	2	Deerfield	M.	M.	Cattle dealer	Deerfield	Deerfield	Lowell Eastman	Henriette Drulb
11	James E. Eastman	72	4	6	Canada	F.	W.	At home	Canada	Canada	Antonie De Mers	Luthera Yorcross
17	Rose Del. Grenier	72	5	10	Deerfield	F.	W.	At home	Deerfield	Deerfield	Stephen Merrill	
26	Minerva J. Nutter	73	5	2	Deerfield	F.	W.	At home	Deerfield	Deerfield	Stephen Merrill	
Feb. 2	*Flora M. T. Noyes	84	..	23	Barnstead	F.	W.	Guard, state prison		Jefferson	Safford Tuttle	Abigail Wentworth
7	John W. Tuttle	64	4	6	Canada	M.	W.	Laborer		Pittsfield	Elmore Bussiere	Emily Proux
12	Louis Bussiere	76	4	4	Canada	M.	W.	Laborer	Pittsfield	Pittsfield	Albert Barton	Fanny Brown
20	Annie P. Cheney	59	..	16	Pittsfield	F.	M.	Housewife	Rome, Me.	Rome, Me.	Asa E. Estes	Xurice B. Tracey
25	*Laura F. Heald	77	8	1	Pittsfield	F.	W.	At home	Northwood	New Hampshire	Ezra L. Greenleaf	Mary Ann Elliott
27	*Sarah C. Gram	86	1	29	Pittsfield	F.	W.	Retired	Strafford	Barnstead	Moses V. Otis	Sarah Snell
27	*Warren P. Otis	80	4	18	Strafford	M.	W.	Housewife	Gilmanton	Gilmanton	Stephen G. Lougee	
28	*Flora J. Foss	67	5	12	Gilmanton	F.	W.	Housewife	Ireland	U. S. A.	Michael Foley	Bridget Cooley
Mar. 13	*Thomas J. Foley	75	10	9	Manchester	M.	M.	Hotel keeper	Strafford, Vt.	Strafford, Vt.	David O. Preston	Sila Brown
30	Serena Greenleaf	85	9	8	Strafford, Vt.	F.	W.	Retired	Strafford, Vt.	Lee	Joseph Jenkins	Olive Langley
Apr. 1	*Laura B. Merrill	69	8	1	Pittsfield	F.	W.	At home,	Barnstead	Portsmouth	Stephen Ayers	Ellen Seaver
18	*Victor McKay	63	1	24	Clyde River	M.	M.	Lumber surveyor	Portsmouth	Canada	Benjamin Dearborn	Elizabeth Witherspoon
21	Fred H. Ayers	75	..	5	Portsmouth	M.	S.	Retired	Canada	Claremont	Merrill Cummings	Eliza Gilmore
23	Anna F. Dearborn	85	5	11	Auburn	F.	M.	At home	Vermont	Loudon	Frank E. Ross	Mary A. Green
25	Mary H. Forsythe	54	6	8	Newport, Vt.	F.	M.	At home	Gilmanton	Portsmouth	Lowell Mills	Dora Lougee
5	Georgianna Ross	68	2	15	Boston, Mass.	F.	M.	At home	Henniker	Gilmanton	Sewell N. Lougee	Sarah A. Smith
May 7	George R. Mills	3	3	8	Pittsfield	M.	S.		Gilmanton	Francestown	Levi Parsley	Frances Adams
9	*Clinton R. Lougee	58	..	..		M.	..	Telephone oper.	Pittsfield	Pittsfield	Samuel Drake	Abigail Jenness
10	*Cora M. Parshley	30	3	26	Barnstead	F.	S.	Tax collector	Canada	Canada	Noel Riel	Sophia Cameheues
13	Henry E. Drake	81	4	24	Pittsfield	M.	M.	Farmer	Canada	Canada	Joseph Paquette	Eurline Tasker
14	Victor Riel	73	9	9	Canada	M.	M.	At home	Canada	Canada	Joseph Harvey	Margaret Purtell
18	*Selina Lemaire	68	..	..	Canada	F.	..	At home	Canada	Canada	Joseph Harvey	Sophia Cameheues
24	*Mary J. Clough	82	..	..	Pittsfield	F.	..	At home	Canada	Canada	Joseph Harvey	Eurline Tasker
June 3	*Argue	45	2 hrs.	..	Manchester	M.	..	At home	Canada	New York	Forest B. Argue, M.D.	Evelyn M. Sullivan
3	*Lillian M. Johnson	45	..	..	Canada	F.	..	At home	So. Boston, Mass.	Canada	Michael Johnson	Margaret Purtell
4	*Lester C. Broek	43	..	..	Pittsfield	M.	..	Tel. repairman	Pittsfield	Pittsfield	Walter Broek	Ida Snell

Month	No.	Name	Age	Residence	Profession	U. S. A.	U. S. A.	Clarence Jenkins	Ella Perkins
July	3	* Rodney S. Jenkins	48	Barnstead	M. S.	Canada	Canada	Edward Laro	Julia Minard
	13	* Gerald Twombly	63	Northwood	M. M.	Canada	Canada	John P. Webber	Julia Pierce
	14	Frank D. Laro	6	Canada	F. F.			Joseph Brown	Georgianna Rollins
	19	* Martha L. Foss	66	Stafford	F. F.			Sewell N. Lougee	Sarah A. Smith
Aug.	31	Flora E. Hill	56	Stafford	F. F.	Gilmanston	Gilmanston	Eugene A. Davis	Laura Clark
	13	Bernard A. Longee	49	Pittsfield	F. F.	Pittsfield	Barnstead	Elisha Piper	Georgiana Nutter
Sept.	13	Edgar F. Davis	57	Pittsfield	M. M.			James Bourdon	Flora
	9	Georgiana Durell	76	Loudon	F. F.	Canada	Canada	Benjamin T. Foss	Sophia Jones
	20	* Rose A. Clark	51	Newport	F. F.	Stafford	Stafford		Nellie Merrill
	25	Clarendon S. Foss	88	Stafford	M. M.	Barnstead	Barnstead	William Yeaton	Josephine C. Drake
Oct.	2	* Baby Boy Ordway	..	Concord	M. M.			Thomas Berry	Olive Gove
	11	* Rose Marston	93	Pittsfield	F. F.	Pittsfield	Chichester	James B. Goodwin	Betsey Stevens
	18	* Lillian Yeaton	62	Pittsfield	F. F.	Chichester	Chichester	Ezra Crediford	Sarah Perkins
	18	* Edson C. Berry	83	Pittsfield	M. M.			L. Smith	Rose Ray
	18	Lydia A. Snow	88	Chichester	F. F.	Maine	Maine	Samuel Clark	Susan Alden
Nov.	10	* Roscoe Crediford	65	Rochester	M. M.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Richard Watson	Caroline Canfield
	26	Chas. M. Smith	62	Maine	F. F.			Wm. E. Jenkins	Ruth A. Ricker
	28	* Malvina S. Viens	86	Brooklyn, N. Y.	F. F.			Peleg Perkins	Emma Moore
Dec.	3	Samuel E. Clark	74	Brooklyn, N. Y.	M. M.	Loudon	Canada	Joseph Dupuis	Sarah Dow
	6	Forrest H. Hill	89	Epsom	M. M.	Loudon	Canada	Albert Sanborn	Dora Laplante
	14	Lucy M. Payne	75	Northwood	F. F.	Charlestown	Stanstead Plains, J. E.	Thomas Caouette	Sarah Towle
	16	* Leta J. Lemire	54	Greenland	F. F.	Barnstead	Rollinsford	James Drake	Betsey Seavey
	18	* Clara E. Jenkins	72	Barnstead	F. F.	Chichester	Barnstead	Edward Brown	Abigail Bickford
	24	* Ernest Dupuis	25	Barnstead	F. F.	Canada	Unknown	Andrew Draper	Statirah Door
	26	* Eddie C. Sanborn	70	Gilmanston	M. M.	Canada	Canada		
	28	* Jules Caouette	74	Pittsfield	M. M.	Chichester	Chichester		
	28	* Nathaniel S. Drake	85	Canada	M. M.	Pittsfield	Chichester		
	29	Charles E. Brown	77	Pittsfield	M. M.	Northwood	Barnstead		
	31	Almond M. Draper	78	Northwood	M. M.	Quebec	Quebec		

* Brought here for interment.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
RUSSELL F. WELDON, Town Clerk.

