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RUMNEY

New Hampshire



1925-26

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
OFFICERS
OF THE
Town of Rumney, N. H.

YEAR ENDING
January 31, 1926

The Record Print, Plymouth, N. H.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Treasurers—E. A. Elliott, Mrs. Jennie M. Stevens.

Clerk—L. L. Bunker.

Selectmen—F. S. Farnsworth, J. B. Foster, E. I. Moses.

Road Agents—H. H. Hatch, B. J. Reed.

Overseers of Poor—T. J. Stewart, G. E. Kelly.

Moderator—J. B. Foster.

Auditors—Mrs. G. C. Craig, Mrs. Lois M. Kenneson.

Supervisors—A. M. Spaulding, A. P. Boswell, L. H. Loveland.

Library Trustees—J. B. Foster, C. H. Greeley, G. D. Kidder.

Trustees of Trust Funds—G. D. Kidder, E. A. Ray, J. L. Shaw.

Tax Collector—V. E. Atwood.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the town of Rumney in the county of Grafton in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Rumney on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
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 how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for highways in addition to the amount required by law.
4. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for care of library.
5. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day and choose a committee to expend the same.
6. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights.
7. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for care of Common.
8. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries.
9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,500 to secure \$4,500 from the state for trunk line construction.
10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$817.75 to secure \$1,635.51 from the state for state aid maintenance.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$2,291.33 to secure \$4,582.67 from the state for trunk line maintenance.

12. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 87, section 1, of the Revised Statutes on a section of the Moosilauke Road so called and appropriate or set aside from the amount raised for highway work the sum of \$100 for this purpose.

13. To see if the town will raise and appropriate a certain amount of money to be expended on a permanent piece-of road to Stinson Lake and how much.

14. To see what action the town will take in regard to the White Pine Blister Rust and raise and appropriate money for the same.

15. To see if the town will vote to allow a 2% discount on all taxes paid before July first.

16. To see if the town will vote to have the inventory blanks distributed at the time of taking appraisal of property.

17. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire money in anticipation of uncollected taxes.

18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for paint on outside of and other repairs on Town Hall, and if so how much.

19. 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 twenty-six.

F. S. FARNSWORTH,

J. B. FOSTER,

E. I. MOSES,

Selectmen of Rumney.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

F. S. FARNSWORTH,

J. B. FOSTER,

E. I. MOSES,

Selectmen of Rumney.

BUDGET

Budget of the Town of Rumney, New Hampshire

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the
Ensuing Year January 31, 1926, to January 31, 1927,
Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of
the Previous Year January 31, 1925, to January 31,
1926.

Sources of Revenue	Actual 1925	Estimated 1926
From State		
Insurance tax	\$15.00	\$15.00
Railroad tax	556.13	556.13
Savings bank tax	1,286.56	1,286.56
For fighting forest fires	9.10	9.10
For highways unimproved trunk line	191.12	150.00
(a) For state aid maintenance	287.82	287.82
(b) For trunk line maintenance	115.03	115.03
Interest and dividend tax	67.66	67.66
Bounties	53.00	125.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes		
Fines and forfeits	45.00	45.00
Rent of town hall	144.00	144.00
Mrs. Walter Chase, water rent	3.00	3.00
From Poll Taxes	1,302.00	868.00
From Other Taxes Except Property Taxes	21.36	21.36
Revenue Applicable Only to New Construction and Improvements		
From State		
For trunk line highway construction	6,994.86	4,000.00

**Revenue Which Must be Paid to
Other Governmental Divisions**

Dog licenses	206.67	206.67
County poor	473.50	325.00
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Total revenues from all sources except property taxes	\$11,771.81	\$8,225.33
Amount raised by property taxes	20,727.11	20,727.11
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Total revenues	\$32,498.92	\$28,952.44

	Actual 1925	Estimated 1926
Purposes of Expenditures		
Current Maintenance Expenses		
General Government		
Town officers' salaries	\$1,269.91	\$1,269.91
Town officers' expenses	326.91	250.00
Election and registration expenses	69.00	125.00
Municipal court expenses	125.00	125.00
Care and supplies for town hall	572.21	150.00
Protection of Persons and Property		
Police department	2.65	2.65
Fire department	133.63	100.00
Bounties	99.20	99.20
Health		
Vital statistics	16.20	16.20
Highway and Bridges		
Unimproved trunk line		
State and town	396.15	300.00
State aid maintenance	578.30	800.00
Trunk line maintenance	2,408.98	2,500.00
Town maintenance	6,436.13	6,200.00
Street lighting	202.60	202.60
General expense of highway department	140.30	175.00

Education		
Libraries	868.88	650.00
Charities		
Town poor	392.09	700.00
Patriotic Purposes		
Memorial Day	31.79	31.79
Recreation		
Parks and playgrounds	253.60	100.00
Public Service Enterprises		
Cemeteries and hearse hire	363.93	363.93
Interest		
On temporary loans	68.00	68.00
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements		
Highways and Bridges		
Trunk line construction	10,041.77	6,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		
State Taxes		
	1,845.00	1,845.00
County Taxes		
	1,602.85	1,602.85
Payments to School Districts		
	8,593.92	8,593.92
Total expenditures	<u>\$36,839.00</u>	<u>\$32,271.05</u>

INVENTORY

498 polls @ \$3.00	\$1,494.00
Real estate, resident	409,845.00
Real estate, non-resident	174,460.00
226 horses	18,280.00
4 asses	300.00
9 oxen	735.00
301 cows	13,590.00
53 neat stock	1,455.00
13 sheep	105.00
2,249 fowls	2,474.00
112 fur bearing animals	11,200.00
4 portable mills	3,400.00
Mica	1,000.00
Wood and lumber	39,550.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,650.00
Stock in trade	44,210.00
Mills and machinery	18,000.00
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	\$741,748.00

Tax rate \$2.80 on \$100.00.

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

Town

State tax	\$1,845.00
County tax	1,602.85
Highways, $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1% required by law	1,850.51
Highways, in addition to amount required by law	2,700.00
Public Library, 1925 and 1924 deficit	775.00
Memorial Day	30.00
Street lights	150.00
Care of Common	100.00
Care of cemeteries	300.00
Trunk line construction	2,500.00
State aid maintenance	400.53
Trunk line maintenance	2,038.67

Rumney band	200.00
Repairs of Town Hall	500.00
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	\$14,992.56

Schools

Necessary to secure state aid	\$4,307.06
High school tuition	1,500.00
Salaries of district officers	200.00
\$2 per capita tax for supervision	326.00
Administration	200.00
Repairs	200.00
Insurance	110.00
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	\$6,843.06

FINANCIAL REPORT

Assets

Cash

In hands of treasurer	\$1,902.24
In hands of A. S. Holt, road agent, 1923	10.09
(a) H. H. Hatch, road agent, 1924	2.00
(b) B. J. Reed, road agent, 1925	190.70

Sinking Funds

Liberty bonds	300.00
Interest on Liberty bonds	12.75

Accounts Due to the Town

For forest fires	8.15
Due from state, maintenance unimproved trunk line	120.99
(a) Joint highway accounts, unexpended balances in state treasury, trunk line	202.76
(b) State aid maintenance	473.03
(c) Bounties	78.80
Due from County	
(a) County poor account	33.14

Other bills due Town	
(a) H. H. Hatch, plank sold	31.00
Taxes not collected	
(a) Levy of 1925	2,258.71
(b) Levy of 1924	72.34
(c) Levy of 1922	186.42
Gravel bank bought of Jacob Avery	75.00
Gravel bank bought of W. W. Downing	50.00
Bridge plank on hand	100.00
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Total assets	\$6,108.12

Liabilities

Accounts Owned by the Town

Due to library to cover deficit	\$45.48
Due to School Districts	
(a) Dog licenses	203.67
(b) To balance appropriation	1,243.06

Joint Highway Accounts, unexpended Balance in State and Town Treasury

Maintenance unimproved Trunk line	241.99
Maintenance Trunk line	304.14
Maintenance state aid	709.54
Due common account	49.54
Due cemetery account	14.07
Due electric light appropriation	10.25
Due Memorial Day	8.87
Due appropriation, repairs to Town Hall	83.67
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Total liabilities	\$2,914.28
Excess of assets over liabilities	3,183.84
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Grand total	\$6,108.12

Surplus, January 31, 1925	\$3,192.18
Surplus, January 31, 1926	3,183.84
Increase of surplus	8.34

Receipts

Current Revenue

From Local Taxes

Property taxes committed to collector, 1925	\$20,727.11
Less discount and abatement, 1925	150.27
Less uncollected, 1925	2,258.71
1. Property taxes, current year, actually collected	18,560.00
2. Poll taxes, current year, actually col- lected 434 @ \$3	1,302.00
3. Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected	2,375.65
4. National Bank Stock taxes	21.36
Total of above collections	<u>\$22,259.61</u>

From State

5. For highways, unimproved trunk line maintenance	\$191.12
(a) For state aid maintenance	287.82
(b) For state aid construction of bridge	140.28
(c) For trunk line maintenance	115.03
(d) For trunk line construction	6,994.86
6. Interest and dividend tax	67.66
7. Insurance tax	15.00
8. Railroad tax	556.13
9. Savings bank tax	1,286.56
12. Fighting forest fires	9.10
13. Bounties	53.00

From County

14. For support of poor	473.50
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From Local Sources Except Taxes

16. Dog Licenses	206.67
18. Fines and forfeits, municipal court	45.00
19. Rent of Town Hall	144.00
23. Fred Lougee, for support of wife	124.00
24. N. G. Coffin, to correct error	.99
26. Permits for auto registrations	1,978.10

27. T. J. Stewart, to balance overseer's account, 1924	16.01
J. L. Shaw, to balance 1924 Common account	3.14
Mrs. Walter Chase, water rent	3.00
B. J. Reed, road money	500.00
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue	
28. Temporary loans in anticipation to taxes during year	3,000.00
Total receipts from all sources	<u>\$38,470.58</u>
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1925	4,164.69
Grand total	<u>\$42,635.27</u>

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government

1. Town officers' salaries	\$1,269.91
2. Town officers' expenses	326.91
3. Election and registration expenses	69.00
4. Municipal court expenses	125.00
5. Expenses town hall	572.21

Protection of Persons and Property

6. Police department	2.65
7. Fire department, including forest fires	133.63
9. Bounties	99.20

Health

12. Vital statistics	16.20
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Highways and Bridges

Maintenance unimproved trunk line	396.15
14. State aid maintenance	578.30
15. Trunk line maintenance	2,408.98
16. Town maintenance	6,436.13
17. Street lighting	202.60
18. General expenses of highway depart- ment, including watering troughs	140.30

Libraries	
19. Libraries	868.88
Charities	
20. Town poor and	
21. County poor	793.47
Patriotic Purposes	
22. Memorial Day exercises	31.79
Recreation	
24. Park and playgrounds, including band concerts	253.60
Public Service Enterprises	
27. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	363.93
Unclassified	
30. Paid back to collectors, to balance account	460.65
31 Rebates	3.00
Abatements refunded	29.00
Interest	
32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	68.00
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements	
37. Highways and bridges—Trunk line construction	10,041.77
Indebtedness	
44. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$3,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	
50. Taxes paid to state	\$1,845.00
51. Taxes paid to county	1,602.85
53. Payments of school districts	8,593.92
Total payments for all purposes	<u>\$40,733.03</u>
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1926	1,902.24
Grand total	<u>\$42,635.27</u>

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

The following is the amount of receipts of this office for the year ending December 31, 1925.

Tax Permits, Automobile

Receipts

Jan.	\$281.50
Feb.	89.22
Mar.	324.61
Apr.	546.34
May	272.66
June	215.48
July	103.21
Aug.	103.78
Sept.	34.84
Oct.	6.46
Nov.	No cash
Total amount tax	\$1,978.10
Dog licenses	206.67

LESLIE L. BUNKER, Town Clerk.

JENNIE M. STEVENS, TREASURER

In Account With Town of Rumney, N. H.

Receipts

1925

Feb. 1 Balance in treasury	\$4,164.69
Feb. 18 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	127.97
Feb. 14 T. J. Stewart, tax of 1921 and 1922	221.07
Mar. 5 State treasurer, bounties	32.60
Mar. 14 Selectmen, rent of town hall	15.00
Mar. 14 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	327.50
Apr. 11 Roland Jaquith, rent of hall	15.00
Apr. 20 Selectmen, rent of hall	12.00
Apr. 20 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	391.06

May 2 Selectmen, rent of hall	9.00
May 9 Selectmen, balance 1924 Common account	3.14
May 12 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	564.16
May 12 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	33.40
May 25 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	121.08
May 25 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	661.97
June 1 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	39.00
June 1 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	886.06
June 9 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	304.43
June 11 Selectmen, town note	1,000.00
June 13 L. L. Bunker, auto permits	800.00
June 13 County, support of paupers	196.12
June 13 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	311.07
June 16 L. L. Bunker, auto permits	250.00
July 6 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	658.86
July 6 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	344.37
July 11 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	156.67
July 11 Selectmen, rent of hall	30.00
July 18 Forestry Dept., fire protection	7.70
July 18 Forestry Dept., fire protection	1.40
July 25 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	1,122.77
July 29 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	2,444.28
July 30 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	1,465.96
Aug. 15 Selectmen, rent of hall	15.00
Aug. 24 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	748.24
Aug. 29 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	287.82
Sept. 2 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	187.26
Sept. 8 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	320.73
Sept 12 Selectmen, rent of hall	12.00
Sept. 12 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	550.39
Sept. 21 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	432.77
Sept 25 State Highway Dept.	2,000.00
Oct. 2 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	91.41
Oct. 11 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	226.00
Oct. 15 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	470.30
Oct. 21 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	483.85
Oct. 21 State, trunk line construction	1,000.00
Oct. 21 State, state aid maintenance	250.00
Oct. 23 Selectmen, town note	2,000.00
Oct. 24 Selectmen, rent of hall	12.00
Oct. 24 Selectmen, bounties	20.40
Oct. 28 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	361.90
Nov. 2 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	364.29

Nov. 7 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	132.00
Nov. 7 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	60.32
Nov. 13 Selectmen, rent of hall	9.00
Nov. 13 L. L. Bunker, auto permits	800.00
Nov. 13 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	332.71
Nov. 21 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	590.52
Nov. 24 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	928.24
Nov. 28 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	1,469.26
Dec. 2 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	706.24
Dec. 3 Selectmen, state tax, balance	12.69
Dec. 4 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	533.78
Dec 11 Selectmen, rent of hall	6.00
Dec. 12 V. E. Atwood, Tax of 1925	546.00
Dec. 19 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	416.22
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Jan. 9 Selectmen, income tax	67.66
Jan 9 Selectmen, rent of hall	3.00
Jan. 16 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	777.75
Jan 20 State treasurer, highways	4,479.11
Jan. 29 Mrs. Walter Chase, water rent	3.00
Jan 30 L. H. Loveland, tax of 1923	10.28
Jan. 30 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	34.00
Jan. 30 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1924	10.03
Jan. 30 L. L. Bunker, auto tax to Jan. 1926	128.10
Jan. 30 L. L. Bunker, dog licenses	206.67
Jan. 30 Selectmen, rent of hall	6.00
Jan. 30 V. E. Atwood, tax of 1925	1,035.62
Jan. 30 B. J. Reed, road money	500.00
Jan. 30 T. J. Stewart, overseer of poor, 1924	16.01
Jan. 30 N. G. Coffin, error patrolman't acct. 1924	.99
Jan. 30 E. A. Elliott, municipal court fees	45.00
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	\$40,388.89

Summary

Whole amount of receipts	\$40,388.89
Paid 203 orders of selectmen	33,486.65
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	\$1,902.24
3 Liberty bonds	300.00

JENNIE M. STEVENS, Treasurer.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The selectmen have given orders as follows:

Town Officers Salaries and Expenses

T. J. Stewart, collecting tax of 1923	46.26
The Record Print, town reports	138.00
F. S. Farnsworth, services as selectman from Feb. 1, 1925, to Mar. 14, 1925	90.00
F. S. Farnsworth, expenses	3.50
E. C. Eastman Co., supplies	11.46
J. B. Foster, services as selectman from Feb. 1, 1925, to Mar. 14, 1925	32.00
W. J. Randolph, transfers	6.80
Automotive Service Bureau, supplies	3.95
A. P. Colby, tax bills	3.50
Jewett & Jewett, Batchelder case	76.50
W. J. Randolph, records	5.00
L. L. Bunker, dog license book	3.00
G. E. Kelly, auditor	28.00
Association of N. H. Assessors, fees	2.00
L. L. Bunker, town clerk's supplies	7.47
A. M. Spaulding, auditor and supervisor	24.00
A. F. Wentworth, Trow case	25.00
L. L. Bunker, issuing auto permits	62.00
L. H. Loveland, expenses as supervisor	4.18
G. E. Kelly, overseer of poor	20.00
F. S. Farnsworth, selectman to Feb. 1, 1926	195.00
J. B. Foster, selectman to Feb. 1, 1926	137.00
J. B. Foster, expenses	6.77
E. I. Moses, selectman to Feb. 1, 1926	167.00
E. I. Moses, expenses	10.00
Jennie M. Stevens, treasurer	50.00
Jennie M. Stevens, expenses	3.50
A. P. Boswell, assisting selectmen	3.00
L. L. Bunker, town clerk	50.00
L. L. Bunker, expenses	8.28
V. E. Atwood, collecting \$22,028.36 tax of 1924 and 1925	330.42
V. E. Atwood, extra expenses	5.00
L. H. Loveland, collecting 1923 tax	38.23

\$1,596.82

Election and Registration

E. B. Wallace Est., supervisor	\$33.00
A. M. Spaulding, supervisor	12.00
L. H. Loveland, supervisor	12.00
A. P. Boswell, supervisor	12.00
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	\$69.00

Town Hall Expenses

G. C. Craig, stove pipe	\$10.33
Charles R. Pease, tuning piano	3.50
F. S. Farnsworth, wood	37.50
Ada K. Blanchard, stove for lobby	5.00
C. H. Greeley, hauling away rubbish	1.50
J. B. Foster, supplies	.90
G. H. Keniston, lighting hall and extra lights	32.80
L. L. Bunker, janitor	2.00
J. H. Gordon, janitor	2.00
Roland Jaquith, janitor	60.35
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	\$155.88

Repairs to Town Hall

H. L. Fletcher, shingles	\$87.96
L. L. Bunker, shingling	33.25
Chas. H. Cram, shingling	31.50
Charles Lawson, painting hall	250.00
W. D. Veazey & Co., lumber	13.62
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	\$416.33

Protection of Persons and Property

F. N. Chase, Plymouth Fire Department	\$87.25
Forestry Department, fire tools	11.38
H. C. Lufkin, dog constable	2.65
Lloyd E. French, fire warden and expenses	35.00
Bounties	99.20
E. A. Elliott, municipal justice	125.00
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	\$360.48

Health and Vital Statistics

Dr. E. E. Ladd, reporting births and deaths 1924	\$2.50
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Dr. E. E. Ladd, reporting births and deaths 1925	3.00
L. L. Bunker, recording births, deaths and marriages	10.70
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	\$16.20

Highways and Bridges

State aid maintenance	
State and town joint account	
N. G. Coffin, patrolman	\$578.30
Trunk line maintenance	
State and town joint account	
W. J. Chivell, patrolman, J. H. Morrison, oiling	\$2,408.98
Maintenance unimproved part of trunk line	
State and town joint account	
W. J. Chivell, patrolman	\$396.15

Highways, Town Account

H. H. Hatch, road agent, Feb. 1, to Mar. 14	\$443.02
Paid by selectmen, order of H. H. Hatch	78.00
B. J. Reed, road agent, Mar. 14, to Feb. 1, 1926	4,778.52
Paid by selectmen, order of B. J. Reed	482.96
B. J. Reed, rubble job	653.63
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	\$6,436.13

General Expense of Highway Department

C. W. Valley, order of selectmen	\$7.50
Ralph Sanborn, cutting drifts	10.67
W. W. Downing, gravel bank	50.00
N. D. Johnson, signs	20.00
Record Print, road signs	2.13
Daniel Kidder Est., water trough	1.00
Henry Mehren, storage	8.00
D. C. Kenneson, water trough	3.00
Charles A. Avery, land damage	25.00
C. S. Keniston, crossing land	10.00
C. C. Reed, water trough	3.00
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	\$140.30

Street Lights

G. H. Keniston	\$202.60
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Library

Jennie M. Stevens, insurance	46.88
G. C. Craig, insurance	47.00
C. H. Greeley, trustee	775.00

\$868.88

Town and County Poor

G. E. Kelly, overseer of poor to Mar. 14	\$389.09
G. D. Keniston, wood for lobby	3.00

\$392.09

Memorial Day

A. P. Boswell, Memorial Day committee	\$31.79
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Care of Common and Cemeteries and Band

J. L. Shaw, Common 1924	\$14.58
C. E. Keniston, Rumney band	200.00
S. E. Cummings, Common and cemeteries	324.95

\$539.53

Public Service

Jennie M. Stevens, care and driving hearse	\$66.00
T. H. Wilfore, driving hearse	12.00

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Turned Back to Tax Collectors, Overpaid Treasurer

L. H. Loveland	\$304.08
V. E. Atwood	156.57

\$460.65

New Construction and Improvements

Trunk line construction, J. H. Morrison	\$10,041.77
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Interest

Bertha W. Keniston, interest on note	\$38.00
Pemigewasset National Bank, interest on note	30.00

\$68.00

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes

Pemigewasset National Bank	\$2,000.00
Bertha W. Keniston	1,000.00

\$3,000.00

Taxes Paid

F. H. Foster, county tax	\$1,602.85
Henry Chamberlin, state tax	1,845.00

\$3,447.85

Schools

Mrs. Jennie M. Stevens	\$8,593.92
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Rebates

Charles Glover, dog died	\$1.20
Angus McDonald, dog died	1.80

\$3.00

Abatements Refunded

W. J. Simpson	\$29.00
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Abatements, 1924 Tax

Avery, Fred W., soldier	\$16.60
Bressin, Pat, residence unknown	5.00
Bressin, John, residence unknown	5.00
Chase Herbert, residence unknown	5.00
Chase, Mildred, residence unknown	6.02
Noyes, John, poor	5.73
Noyes, Mrs. John, poor	5.00
Tewksbury, Gladys, residence unknown	5.00
Wheet, W. F. heirs of, keeping own road	23.20
Wheet, Emily, keeping own road	5.80
Wilkins, Frank W., residence unknown	6.45
J. S. Kelly, over 70	5.00

\$93.80

F. S. FARNSWORTH,
J. B. FOSTER,
E. I. MOSES,

Selectmen of Ruaney.

ROAD AGENTS' REPORT

H. H. Hatch in Account with the Town of Rumney

Cash balance	\$4.39
By orders from selectmen	443.02
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	\$447.41
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Howard Hatch	\$88.00
C. W. Smith	7.00
Ralph Chase	7.50
H. L. Avery	11.50
Murray Thompson	18.00
Ivan Bixby	4.70
Ralph Kenneson	4.70
D. C. Kenneson	4.70
Jacob Avery	3.00
Fred Ford	1.00
A. E. Jaquith	1.75
Leon Collins	6.00
Earle Kenneson	1.00
Charles Keniston	1.50
Henry Bickford	29.00
W. J. Hall	1.00
Harry Downing	41.00
A. C. Vinton	1.33
Fred S. Farnsworth	17.00
Thad Elliott	6.00
Frank Fegan	30.50
C. G. Avery	14.50
J. A. Bastraw	12.00
Charles Spaulding	4.00
Nathan Coffin, paid bills	19.66
Nathan Coffin	20.21
E. E. Coffin	8.70
S. J. Bartlett	3.50
Earle Barney	4.57
Burr Monroe	2.50
C. C. Reed	7.61
Fred Goss	2.35
W. A. Colburn	2.69
Edward C. Tozier	3.50
E. I. Moses	4.00

William Ray	7.78
E. E. Ray	13.75
George Kelly	9.41
George Blake	6.20
W. W. Downing	2.80
Charles Valley	4.50
Karl F. Bunker	3.00
Henry Mehren	2.00
Balance in bank when Reed was put in	2.00
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	\$447.41

B. J. Reed in Account with the Town of Rumney

By orders from the selectmen \$4,778.52

B. J. Reed, self, teams and truck	\$1,365.50
C. F. Barry	54.00
Ernest Yates	165.50
Albert Barrett	9.00
Elvin Manion	9.00
S. E. Cummings	62.75
Will Page	126.75
C. G. Avery	270.70
Joe Poitras	21.00
T. L. Hooper	24.00
Henry Lee	183.00
Ray Craig	42.50
M. L. Dunklee	190.50
W. A. Chabot	161.50
Preston Stewart	33.00
D. F. Jaquith	10.00
H. A. Holt	14.00
J. R. Henderson	27.00
A. Tomlinson	72.00
Preston Bickford	37.50
J. H. Thompson	16.25
Frank McLeod	5.25
John Noyes	141.50
Albert Vinton	10.00
C. Parris	16.50
Max Parris	10.50
John Thompson	43.50

F. H. Fegan	152.23
L. C. Keyes	18.75
John Willey	32.25
Fred Keyes	5.20
Austin Aldrich	4.50
W. Thompson	19.25
Albert Allard	12.00
C. D. Spalding	52.00
V. J. Weeks	73.00
H. L. Adams	59.08
Arthur Willey	11.25
C. L. Hinkson	69.76
C. W. Valley	57.75
M. M. Draper	1.65
A. E. Jaquith	11.45
Charles Avery, gravel and labor	55.00
R. W. Manney	4.20
L. N. Bryar, self and men	49.00
J. Markee	6.00
J. H. Gordon	3.00
George Blake	35.00
J. A. Bastraw	100.00
U. Elliott	1.50
Arch Ray	10.50
George Pillsbury	1.50
Ed Ray	13.75
Loren Waldron	13.50
Rupert Ray	13.50
F. S. Farnsworth	6.00
C. A. Spaulding	6.00
C. E. Bunker	28.50
Pat Mulaney	6.00
John Patterson	6.00
Charles Young	4.50
Paul Gagnon	20.00
Wallace Thompson	1.50
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	\$4,087.82
Returned to town treasurer	500.00
Amount on hand to balance account	190.70
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	\$4,778.52

Rubbling Job on River, B. J. Reed, Agent

Received orders from selectmen for	\$653.63
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B. J. Reed, self, team and truck	\$160.00
Frank Fegan	3.50
John Noyes	3.50
A. Willey	3.00
A. Aldrich	24.50
C. Avery	15.00
E. Bunker	28.00
Ernest Yates	47.50
Ivan Bixby	69.25
Ralph Kenneson	103.50
Maurice Bixby	18.25
D. C. Kenneson	140.00
A. E. Jaquith	37.63
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	\$653.63

**Bills Approved by B. J. Reed, Paid by Orders of
Selectmen**

W. D. Veazey & Co., plank	\$192.91
Geo. F. Blake	21.00
L. N. Bryar	16.00
Wilbur Hall	3.33
E. I. Moses	18.90
H. L. Fletcher	37.69
Roy Valliere	1.33
Charles H. Avery	40.00
Henry Mehren	12.50
N. G. Coffin	3.60
E. E. Coffin	1.20
C. L. Hinkson	38.50
W. L. Wilson	8.00
A. C. Vinton	1.00
G. C. Craig	87.00
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	\$482.96

Paid by Order of H. H. Hatch

Paul White	\$78.00
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TRUNK LINE CONSTRUCTION

J. H. Morrison in Account with Town and State

Expenditures

J. H. Morrison	\$630.00
J. H. Morrison, auto mileage	183.80
B. Jordan	324.88
A. Florence	289.99
H. Evans	196.66
L. Levoy	280.00
F. Fenton	455.00
F. Dewey	283.32
A. Maynard	170.41
R. Evans	20.83
A. Tomlinson	290.83
A. Barrett	227.07
L. Reed	58.33
R. Reed	91.24
C. C. Reed, team	468.22
C. C. Reed, labor	213.83
C. C. Reed, gravel	100.00
Bill Bishop	176.03
H. Ramey	157.50
Joe Poitras, team	547.55
J. Hill	224.99
E. I. Moses, team	325.89
Terry Ward	127.50
Roy Vallier	219.58
C. Parris	52.50
W. Pillsbury	245.41
B. J. Reed, two teams	914.66
W. Magoon	63.75
C. D. Avery	66.67
W. D. Witten	242.08
W. Lougee	119.00
E. Lupin	224.00
O. W. Fletcher	207.50
R. Sanborn	218.75
Wm. Sanborn	218.75
N. Burroughs	142.92
J. E. Mackey	150.83

Z. Howard	155.41
Perley Cummings	151.66
C. D. Spalding, team	199.11
Lewis Poitras	106.67
Jack Kilton	2.08
Ernest Poitras	10.50
W. J. Chivell	14.00
Gordon Hanks	42.92
Miscellaneous bills	375.39
Gasoline	143.23

	<u>\$10,041.24</u>
Error overpaid	.53
	<u>\$10,041.77</u>

Receipts

Orders of selectmen	\$10,041.77
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UNIMPROVED PART OF MOOSILAUKE ROAD

W. J. Chivell, Patrolman

Balance of 1924 appropriation in hands of state	\$112.11
Balance of 1924 appropriation in hands of town	112.13
Appropriation of 1925, state	200.00
Appropriation of 1925, town	200.00
	<u>\$624.24</u>

Expenditures

Paid patrolman	\$382.25
Balance in hands of state	120.99
Balance in hands of town	121.00
	<u>\$624.24</u>

Expended since state accounts were settled	\$13.90
Balance in hand of town	107.10
	<u>\$121.00</u>

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

N. G. Coffin, Patrolman

Balance of 1924 appropriations in hands of state	\$250.94
Balance of 1924 appropriations in hands of town	125.47
Appropriation of 1925, state	801.06
Appropriation of 1925, town	400.53
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	\$1,578.00

Expenditures

Paid patrolman	577.31
Paid by state, tarvia	271.00
Paid by state, engineering	20.15
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	\$868.46

Balance in hands of state	\$473.03
Balance in hands of town	236.51
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	\$1,578.00

TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

W. J. Chivell, Patrolman

Balance of 1924 appropriations in hands of state	70.02
Balance of 1924 appropriations in hands of town	356.66
Appropriation of 1925, state	4,077.33
Appropriation of 1925, town	2,038.67
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	\$6,542.68

Expenditures

Paid patrolman and Morrison for oiling	\$2,408.98
Bills paid by state, tarvia, etc.	3,829.56
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	\$6,238.54

Balance in hands of state	202.76
Balance in hands of town	101.38
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	\$6,542.68

LIBRARY REPORT

C. H. Greeley, Treasurer, Dr.

1925	
Received from town to bal. 1924 account	\$174.55
Received interest on bonds	114.72
Received from town	600.45
Cash due treasurer to balance account	45.48
	\$935.20

C. H. Greeley, Treasurer, Cr.

1925	
Deficit for 1924	\$174.55
March 6, S. C. Frye, coal and freight	50.23
March 9, S. C. Frye, coal	35.28
March 9, C. H. Greeley, 2 cords wood and sawing	18.00
April 8, G. D. Keniston, cord wood	6.00
April 30, Fred Brown, coal	149.50
May 18, Alice French, librarian	62.50
July 27, C. H. Greeley, glass	2.00
August 1, Alice French, librarian	62.50
August 1, C. H. Cram, janitor June 1 to Aug. 1 (5 gal. oil)	20.90
August 19, Fred Brown, coal	35.42
September 1, C. H. Cram, janitor Aug. 1 to Sept. 1	10.00
September 25, Pem. Nat. Bank, box rent	3.00
September 26, Mrs. W. Chase, work	3.50
October 1, C. H. Greeley, wood and work	11.50
October 5, F. M. Bunker, janitor Feb. 1 to June 1	50.00
October 12, G. D. Keniston Co., 1 cord mill wood	6.00
October 25, Geo. Kelly, supplies	3.32
November 2, Alice French, librarian	62.50
November 27, G. D. Keniston Co., 1½ cord wood	15.00
December 24, L. L. Bunker, janitor Oct. 1 to Jan. 1	40.00

1926	
January 1, G. H. Keniston, electric lights	36.00
February 1, L. L. Bunker, janitor Jan. 1 to Feb. 1	15.00
Feb. 1, Alice French, librarian	62.50
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	\$935.20

Book Account

C. H. Greeley, Treasurer, Dr.

1925	
February 1, Cash on hand	\$8.27
February 1, Received of N. H. Savings Bank	29.52
February 20, Received Loan & Trust Bank	30.70
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	\$68.49

Book Account

C. H. Greeley, Treasurer, Cr.

1925	
June 1, Paid H. R. Hunting Co., for books	\$24.61
November 2, Paid H. R. Hunting Co., for books	15.37
Cash to balance	28.51
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	\$68.49

Library Assets

William G. Doe, endowment for books	
In Loan & Trust Bank	\$785.12
In N. H. Savings Bank	738.97
With 1 year's interest not added	
Adelaide Bond, trust fund and bonds	2,700.00

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Number of volumes in library Feb. 1, 1925	4,858
Number of volumes purchased	29
Number of volumes given	46
Number of volumes lost or discarded	2
Total number of volumes Feb. 1, 1926	4,933
Federal state or town documents	25
Magazines and newspapers	35
Circulation of fiction	4,677
Circulation of non-fiction	294
Circulation of magazines	1,573
Total for the year	6,544
New borrowers	50
Number of borrowers during year	241
Average daily patronage	52
Amount of fines and fees	\$10.85
Paid out for repairs on books and chairs	\$10.00
Balance	\$.85

Donors of books and magazines—Miss Adelaide Merrill, Rev. C. B. Danse, Mrs. Ada Blanchard, Miss Alice French, Miss Marion Davis, a set of Ruth Fielding series, Mr. Fred D. Cole, Mr. Charles Cram, Miss Ida Walker, Mr. Arthur Tomlinson, Ralph Monroe, Prof. G. E. Speare, Mr. Samuel A. Florence. Children sold candy to buy a few children's books. The library was closed for a time for extensive repairs so report shows a falling off from last year in patronage. We were grateful to Miss Adelaide Merrill for library renovation.

Books Added During the Year

Adams—Indian Legend in Verse
Aldrich—Rim of the Pairie
Alger—Joe's Luck
Andress—A Journey to Healthland
Appleton—Tom Swift Among Diamond Makers
Appleton—Tom Swift and His Aerial Warship
Appleton—Tom Swift and His Big Tunnel
Bailey—Gay Cockade

Barclay—Upas Tree
 Barrows—Parker Geog. Journey in Distant Lands.
 Bindloss—Young Traders
 Beck—Constitution of U. S.
 Biggers—House Without a Key
 Brooks—Boy Emigrant
 Brown—Mysteries of Ann
 Burgess—Little Joe Otter
 Connor—Patrol of the Sun Dance
 Curwood—Ancient Highway
 Curwood—Gentlemen of Courage
 Davis—Boy's Life of Grover Cleveland
 Emerson—Ruth Fielding Series, 19 vols.
 Finley—Christmas With Grandma Elsie
 Finley—Elsie and the Raymonds
 Fisher—Resources and Industries of U. S.
 Gibbs—Soundings
 Grey—Thundering Herd
 Grey—Vanishing American
 Hankins—Cole of Spyglass Mountain
 Holmes—Miss McDonald
 Hope—Bunny Brown and His Sister Sue on Auto Tour
 Hough—North of 36
 Hughes—Tom Brown's School Days
 International Text Book Co., Reading Course, 5 vols.
 Judson—Mary Jane Down South
 Judson—Mary Jane's Kindergarten
 Kyne—Enchanted Hill
 McCarter—Widening Waters
 McClure—High Fires
 Marchmont—In the Name of Woman
 Merrill—Campaign of 1st Maine and D. C. Cavalry
 Montgomery—Emily Climbs
 Packard—Adventures of Jimmy Dale
 Parry—Don Quixote of the Mancha
 Perkins—American Twins of 1812
 Porter—Keeper of the Bees
 Raine—Troubled Waters
 Roberts—Natural Wonders of White Mts.
 Rolt-Wheeler—Colonial Ways and Wars
 Sedgwick—A Fountain Sealed
 Sedgwick—Little French Girl
 Tarkington—Seventeen

Various Writers—Everyday Manners
Waller—Deep in Hearts of Men
Wright—A Son of His Father

ALICE E. FRENCH, Librarian.

TOWN POOR

T. J. Stewart in Account with the Town from
Jan. 31, 1925, to March 14, 1925

Receipts

Balance on hand from 1924 account \$103.97

Payments

County Account

Horace Willoughby
Paid C. C. Reed for milk \$6.80
Paid E. S. Pease for groceries 16.00
Mrs. Luro Morse, care of abandoned baby 27.86

Due from county, according to last year's report 145.46

Town Account

H. U. Colburn, ticket to Meredith for sick man \$.77
T. H. Wilfore, feeding tramps .53
Services as overseer to march 14 10.00
Services and money paid out in looking up abandoned baby case 26.00

\$37.30

Turned back into town treasury to balance account 16.01

\$103.97
June 13, 1925, received from county and paid treasurer \$196.12

G. E. Kelly in Account with the Town of Rumney
From Apr. 14, 1925, to Jan. 31, 1926

Receipts

By orders of selectmen	\$389.09
By Fred Lougee	124.00
	\$513.09

Expenditures

Town Account

Dianah Lougee	
Grafton county, board	\$462.00
Transportation by G. E. Kelly to county farm	10.00

Care of Tramps

G. E. Kelly, groceries	6.95
Haven Pilisbury, putting wood in lobby	1.00
	\$479.95

County Account

Abandoned baby	
Lura Morse, board	\$167.43
Horace Willoughby	
E. S. Pease, groceries	100.31
G. E. Kelly, two trips to county farm	20.00
C. C. Reed, milk	16.64
William Manion	
Carefare to county farm	1.14
Fred Farnsworth, board	5.00
	\$310.52

Received from county	\$277.38
Due from county	33.14
	\$310.52

G. E. KELLY, Overseer of Poor.

MUNICIPAL COURT

Receipts

1925	
March 27, Frederick J. Presley	\$8.00
April 27, Fred S. Farnsworth	3.00
June 15, Mace Heath	126.50
June 19, H. A. Whitcher	33.10
September 17, Grover Maynard	17.90
September 23, E. N. Wilmont	56.10
September 29, Wm. DeChine	53.00
November 3, Pete Gibson	29.10
November 15, James B. Hooper	64.08
November 18, John B. Simpson	26.40
November 18, Fillion	3.00
Mrs. B. Hall	3.00
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	\$423.18

Expenditures

Fish and Game Com.	\$146.58
Motor Vehicle Dept.	231.60
Town	45.00
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	\$423.18

EDWARD A. ELLIOTT, Justice.

S. E. Cummings in Account with the Town of Rumney

Receipts

Order of selectmen for Common and cemetery	\$324.95
Donation for cemetery	5.00
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	\$329.95

Common Expenditures

John F. Patterson	\$6.00
H. L. Fletcher	4.75
G. H. Keniston	7.80

Fred Ford	1.50
Mrs. Chase	.30
N. Cone	.15
Arthur Jaquith	.10
S. E. Cummings	31.50
Three hundred Salt	1.50
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	\$53.60

Cemeteries, Expenditures

John Patterson	\$36.75
Lyman Patterson	3.75
G. A. Morse	6.00
V. E. Atwood	9.35
John Collins	14.00
Charles Avery	42.00
H. L. Fletcher	2.50
Ernest E. Sawyer	1.00
S. E. Cummings	161.00
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	\$276.35

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of Tax Collector for 1924 and 1925, Library Trustees, Trunk Line Construction, Trunk Line Maintenance, State Aid Maintenance, Unimproved Trunk Line Maintenance, Town Maintenance, B. J. Reed, Agent, Town Treasurer's account for the year ending Jan. 31, 1926, accounts of Overseer of Poor for 1924 and 1925, Cemetery and Common accounts, Town Clerk's, Municipal Court and Selectmen and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CARRIE A. CRAIG,
LOIS M. KENNESON,

Auditors,

Report of the Trust Funds January 1, 1926.

Date of Creation	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
Oct. 14, 1919	Care cemetery lots	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	\$100.00	4½%	\$112.73	\$5.13	\$5.00	\$112.86
Oct. 17, 1915	A. R. Bond	" "	100.00	"	104.95	4.79	5.00	104.74
Dec. 2, 1921	Henry Ramsey	" "	150.00	"	158.03	7.20	5.00	160.23
Dec. 30, 1921	Caroline V. Howe & Geo. Burns	" "	100.00	"	100.58	4.57	4.50	100.65
Dec. 30, 1921	Daniel Page	" "	100.00	"	106.60	4.86	4.50	106.90
Apr. 1, 1921	Charles G. Kidder	" "	200.00	"	119.43	5.45	5.00	119.88
Sept. 15, 1916	W. S. Emerson	" "	104.13	"	103.11	4.73	5.00	102.84
July 17, 1919	Abby D. Merrill	" "	100.00	"	103.20	4.73	5.00	102.93
July 17, 1919	Emma C. Watts	" "	150.00	"	157.58	7.16	5.00	159.71
Aug. 27, 1920	Mrs. Francis H. Foss	" "	75.00	"	80.22	3.76	4.50	79.48
Feb. 23, 1916	Darling and Webster	" "	75.00	"	75.25	3.40	2.50	76.15
Mar. 16, 1922	Dr. I. N. Fox	" "	100.00	"	106.86	4.86	5.00	106.72
Dec. 17, 1915	H. B. Stevens	" "	125.00	"	125.00	5.71	4.00	126.93
Oct. 8, 1923	Jeremiah Cotton	The Amoskeag Savings Bank	125.00	"	128.28	5.76	0.00	134.04
Nov. 30, 1923	William L. French	" "	125.00	"	128.28	5.76	0.00	134.04
Nov. 30, 1923	Samuel French	" "	125.00	"	128.28	5.76	0.00	134.04
Nov. 30, 1923	Josiah Quincy	" "	125.00	"	128.28	5.76	0.00	134.04
May 28, 1924	Oliver D. Doe	" "	100.00	"	100.37	4.50	4.50	100.37
June 18, 1924	H. W. Herbert	" "	100.00	"	100.00	4.50	4.00	100.50
Nov. 14, 1924	G. C. Jones	" "	100.00	"	100.00	4.50	4.00	100.50
Nov. 14, 1924	John L. Emerton	" "	200.00	"	200.00	5.25	8.00	197.25
Jan. 3, 1923	Cone, Mason and Moulton	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200.00	"	201.54	4.54	4.00	197.25
Feb. 29, 1916	George W. Fletcher	" "	100.00	"	101.54	4.54	4.00	102.08
Nov. 27, 1923	George P. French	" "	125.00	"	127.38	5.71	7.50	128.09
Mar. 27, 1923	George P. French	" "	125.00	"	127.38	5.71	5.00	128.09
Mar. 25, 1896	Greenleaf Fund	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	"	159.18	8.04	10.00	129.22

Births Registered in the Town of Rumney, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1925

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex, Cond		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male	Female							
Jan 3	Dorothy May	F	L	W 3	Chester I. Hinkson	Dorcas Gay	W Rumney	Photographer	Hanover	Whitefield
Jan 4	Wayne Everett	M	L	W 3	Guy A. Kenneson	Lois Mary Foster	W Rumney	Postal clerk	Rumney	Wentworth
Jan 19	Joseph Ernest	M	L	W 4	Erwin St. John	Arlene Poitras	W Barre Vt	Laborer	Barre Vt	Rumney
Jan 31	Ida May	F	L	W 3	Asa P. Colby	Velma Hanks	W Rumney	Electrician	Franconia	Piermont
Feb 2	Ralph Elias	M	L	W 3	Joseph L. McGinnis	Ella Barnard	W Wentworth	Farmer	Wentworth	Rumney
Feb 4	Rasper Roland	M	L	W 2	Leonard A. Winsor	Emma A. Vinton	W Rumney	Farmer	Providence R. I	Oxford Mass
Feb 5	Leo Eugene	M	L	W 2	Telesphore Lezotte	Jennie Parris	W Rumney	Lumberman	Green River N B	Hoosic Falls N Y
Feb 5	Marjorie Violet	F	L	W 1	Lucien M. Parris	Violet P. Rogers	W Rumney	Lumberman	France	Groton
Feb 9	Fred Matava Rogers	M	L	W 1	Fred Matava	Violet P. Rogers	W Rumney	Laborer & teamster	Wentworth	Loudon
Feb 11	Elva Ellen	F	L	W 1	Maurice A. Carpenter	Zelma B. Fandall	W Warren	Com laborer	Warren	Wentworth
Feb 16	Lewis Charles	M	L	W 1	Frank R. Hall	Frieda E. Greeley	W Rumney	Farmer	Rumney	Rumney
Feb 24	Barbara Dale	F	L	W 4	Hollis E. Schaffner	Arlet Bunker	W Rumney	Lineman	Ludlow Vt	Rumney
Mar 15	John H. Jr	M	L	W 1	John H. MacDonald	Eva Lovett	W Rumney	Laborer	Bath	Rumney
Mar 28	Not named	F	S	W 6	Victor Duranleau	Louina Silvester	W Lawrence Mass	Laborer	Canada	Plymouth
Apr 8	Alfred Dale	M	L	W 1	J. Walter Danse	Louise Morse	W Rumney	Farmer	Woodsville Conn	Rumney
Apr 15	Robert Oliver	M	L	W 4	Irving E. Bickford	Winnie C. Sanborn	W Rumney	Work in creamery	Albany Vt	Rumney
Apr 22	Bernard Ellingwood	M	L	W 3	John H. Ray	Libby Russell	W W Rumney	R R Fireman	Rumney	Orford
May 6	Carol Speare	F	L	W 4	George S. Ashley	Glia Wheat	W W Rumney	Laborer	Lowell Mass	Woodsville
May 9	Harry Robert	M	L	W 8	Angus MacDonald	Roodie Chase	W Rumney	Laborer	Spring Hill P Q	Bath
June 2	Leland Caddie, Jr	M	L	W 2	Leland C. Reed	Blanche Tilton	W Rumney	Teamster	Dorchester	Bennington
June 10	Jeremiah William	M	L	W 4	Albert Leroy Parris	Arlene Noyes	W No Dorchester	Laborer	New Castle N B	Warren
June 17	Max Edwin	M	L	W 2	Jeremiah O'Shea	Ethelyn Mae Parris	W Rumney	Mail carrier	Rumney	New York City
July 15	Gregory Thomas Jr	M	L	W 1	Preston T. Stewart	Lucie Gordon	W W Rumney	Deceased	Ellsworth	Plymouth
Aug 7	Georgie Anna	F	L	W 5	George L. Elliott	Glady's Vinton	W Rumney	Laborer	Richmond Va	Blackfield Mo
Aug 20	Not named	M	S	W 4	Burr Monroe	Maud M. Richardson	W Rumney	Painter	Springfield	Piermont
Aug 30	Grace Elizabeth	F	L	W 2	Ralph E. Bailey	Elizabeth B. Kent	W Rumney	Clerk in store	Rumney	Springfield
Aug 31	David D	M	L	W 3	Charles E. Keniston	Genevra E. Bailey	W W Rumney	Laborer	Warren	Rumney
Oct 8	Rose Alma	F	L	W 2	Leon C. Simpson	Rose M. Poitras	W W Rumney	Clerk	Warren	Rumney
Oct 12	Not named	F	S	W 7	Alphonse Fillian	Jessie Wood	W Rumney	Contractor	Manchester	Piermont
Oct 12	Heleen Alene	F	L	W 2	Harry A. Downing	Ida M. Lavelly	W Rumney	Farmer	Rumney	East Burke Vt

Marriages Registered in the Town of Rumney, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1925

Date 1925	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	Times married	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married
Apr 6	Plymouth	Austin H Farnsworth Doris E LaMott	Rumney Rumney	25 W 21 W	W At home	Laborer At home	Rumney Hanover	Clar'ce Farnsworth Winnie Farnsworth	Wentworth Claremont	Farmer Housewife	1 1	1 Rev J R Copples- stone Plymouth
June 22	Rumney	Gordon W Hanks Mildred N Barney	Rumney Rumney	32 W 32 W	Farmer Housekeeper	Farmer Housekeeper	Newport Center Grafton	Georgia Russell John M Hanks Lillian A Huntley Geo S Barney	Wilton Me Dunbar Can Jay Vt Grafton	Housewife Carpenter Housewife Farmer	1 1	1 Rev J A Wright Rumney
Aug 8	Rumney	Percy H Plume Grace M Cross	Rumney Grafton	46 W 40 W	Mine supt Housekeeper	Mine supt Housekeeper	Fort Kent Me Laconia	James Plume Jemima Berry Chas Pickering	Bangor Me Halloway Me New Hampton	Farmer Housewife Farmer	2 2	2 Leslie L Bunker J P Rumney
Sept 12	Rumney	Melvin H Allard Bernice Hall	Rumney Rumney	39 W 31 W	Laborer Housework	Laborer Housework	Whitefield Alexandria	Jennie Chase Stephen Allard Mary Blake	Whitefield Whitefield Whitefield	Housewife Laborer Housewife	2 2	2 Leslie L Bunker J P Rumney
Oct 31	Rumney	Floyd A Sweetnam Janet H Marshall	Rumney Bedford Mass	22 W 23 W	Clerk At home	Clerk At home	Bedford Mass Woburn Mass	Eneline Twombly Geo H Sweetnam Lucella Floyd	Rochester Bristol Ireland	Laborer Housewife Paper bus	1	1 Rev F W Thomp- son Bedford Mass
Dec 24	W Rumney	Alexander G Stewart Martha A Cham-berlain	Rumney Rumney	61 W 64 W	Farmer Housework	Farmer Housework	Prov Quebec Hemmingford P Q	Nettie Howe Joseph Stewart Rebecca Gill John O Connell Mary La Voire	St Paul Minn Ireland Burlington Vt St Edwards P Q	Farmer Housewife Engineer School teacher	W W	W Rev Chas B Danse Rumney

Deaths Registered in the Town of Rumney, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1925

Date—1925	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age		Place of Birth		Sex and Cond'n	Occupation	Father	Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days	Male						
Jan 2	Lyndon Vt	Edna Atwood Vinton	53	5	14	Manchester	F	Housewife	Manchester	Manchester	Hazen Fuller	Caroline Atwood
Jan 5	Rumney	Albert W McGuire	67	5	11	Manchester	M	Laborer	Manchester	Manchester	Seth McGuire	Susan Grant
Jan 24	No Bend Ore	Gertrude Burgess	45	9	5	Rumney	F	Housewife	Wentworth	Loudon	Hoyt Eastman	Carolyn Preston
Feb 9	Rumney	Fred Matava Rogers	69	5	8	St Johnsbury	M	None	Barre Vt	Ashland	Violet P Rogers	Marion Smythe
Feb 11	St Johnsbury Vt	Nelson H Wilfore	69	5	8	Warren Vt	M	Farmer	Gilmanton	Warren	Titus H Wilfore	Susan B Whitecher
Feb 14	Rumney	Warren A Smith	69	5	8	Warren Vt	M	Farmer	Gilmanton	Warren	Sullivan B Smith	Susan B Whitecher
Mar 2	Rumney	Howard Smith	45			Weymouth N S	M	None	Canada	Canada	Henry Smith	Loudina Sibestre
Mar 29	W Rumney	Not named	29	10	19	W Rumney	M	None	Canada	Canada	Victor Duranleau	Lillian Barrett
Apr 20	Rumney	Fred W Avery	38			Ellsworth	M	Laborer	Ellsworth	Ellsworth	John Avery	Flora A Powers
Apr 26	Plymouth	Maudie Shackway	31	7	8	Littleton	F	Housewife	Canada	Vermont	John O Thompson	Jennie M Dow
Apr 26	Laconia	Helen C Chambers	31	7	8	East Tilton	F	Housewife	Dorchester	Wentworth	Lucius D Estes	Helen C Estes
May 1	Rumney	Chambers	46	9	8	Laconia	F	None	Dorchester	East Tilton	Norman H Chambers	
May 2	Rumney	Dora M Flanders	78	11	13	Grafton	F	Housewife	Manchester	Manchester	Alonzo Keniston	Lois Durgin
May 20	Dorchester	Agnes Quimby	59	4	10	Campton	M	Retired	Campton	Bennington Vt	Leland C Reed	Blanche Tilton
May 20	W Rumney	Henry B Keniston	65	5	3	W Rumney	M	None	Dorchester	Dorchester	Hiram Farnsworth	Myra J Phelps
June 6	W Rumney	Leland Cadie Reed	63	4	3	Wentworth	M	Carpenter	Dorchester	Dorchester	Hiram Farnsworth	Myra J Phelps
June 16	Rumney	Willie L Farnsworth	63	4	3	Wentworth	M	Farmer	Indianapolis Ind	Plymouth	Clyde B Wilson	Hattie Philbrick
June 23	Rumney	Clarence Farnsworth	75	2	17	Plymouth	M	Farmer	London	London	Stephen Wells	Abigail Dimond
July 2	Plymouth	Not named	65			Canaan	F	None	Vermont	Vermont	Clyde H Colburn	Florence White
July 2	Derry	Dimond G Wells	65			Vermont	M	None	Dorchester	Lancaster	Burr Monroe	Maud Richardson
July 4	Concord	Sarah J Palmer	87	2	24	Lowell Mass	F	Mech eng	Richmond Va	Blackfield Mo	John Kidder	Betsy Metcalf
July 5	Orford	Not named	87	2	24	Lowell Mass	M	None	Richmond Va	Blackfield Mo	John Kidder	Betsy Metcalf
Aug 29	Rumney	Daniel Kidder	64	6	10	Rumney	M	Foreman	Rumney	Rumney	Will Fales	Theodora Stickney
Sept 9	Rumney	Chas A Fales	82	2	10	Mansouville	F	Foreman	Rumney	Orford	Manley Mansou	Deborah Pope
Sept 14	Laconia	Elizabeth M Emerton	72	11	17	Groton P Q	F	Farmer	Scotland Vermont	Orford	Lewis Chapman	Jessie Wood
Oct 3	Laconia	Chas Craig Chapman	72	11	17	Groton P Q	M	Farmer	Manchester	Piermont	Alphonse Fillian	Jessie Wood
Oct 10	Quincy	Not named	26	7	20	Rumney	F	None	Ellsworth	Ellsworth	John Avery	Lillie Barrett
Oct 12	Rumney	Sidney D Avery	69	7	21	Ellsworth	M	Laborer	Ellsworth	Ellsworth	Newton Hickok	Proro Seaples
Oct 18	Rumney	Wilson S Hickok	74	8	16	St-nstead P Q	M	Mill oper	Gloucester Mass	Rumney	John C Kenneson	Mary Payne
Nov 17	Rumney	Albert C Kenneson	58	19	27	Plymouth	M	Retired	Gloucester Mass	Rumney	John C Kenneson	Mary Payne
Nov 18	Rumney	Maynard E Sanborn	58	19	27	Plymouth	M	Farmer	Gloucester Mass	Rumney	Joseph Sanborn	
Dec 8	Rumney											

LESLIE L. BUNKER, Town Clerk.

School Report

RUMNEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Report of the Treasurer for the year ending
June 30, 1925

Receipts

State Aid

Equalization fund	\$3,090.33
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Income From Local Taxation

For elementary schools	\$4,286.62
For secondary school tuition	1,700.00
For salaries of district officers	200.00
For the payment of per capita tax	332.00
For repairs and improvements	125.00
For administration	125.00
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	\$6,768.62

From Sources Other than Taxation

Dog licenses	\$225.30
Elementary school tuitions	256.00
Adjustment of state aid	239.34
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	\$770.64

Cash on hand at the beginning of the year	643.57
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Total	\$11,273.22
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Payments

Administration

Salaries of district officers	\$101.50
Superintendent's excess salary	300.00
Hruant officer and school census	2.00
Expenses of administration	46.05
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	\$449.55

Instruction

Teachers' salaries	\$6,005.00
Text books	213.85
School supplies	131.30
Flags and appurtenances	37.78
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	\$6,387.93

Operation and Maintenance of the School Plants

Janitors' service	\$165.90
Fuel	377.15
Water, lights and janitors' supplies	40.91
Minor repairs and expenses	209.64
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	\$793.60

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities

Medical inspection and health supervision	\$70.00
Transportation of pupils	1,305.50
Secondary school tuition	1,120.00
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	\$2,495.50

Fixed Charges

Insurance	\$50.00
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Outlay for Construction and Equipment

Alteration of old buildings	\$10.35
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Other Charges

Per capita tax	\$332.00
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Total	<hr/>
	\$10,518.93

Cash on hand June 30, 1925	754.29
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\$11,273.22

Respectfully submitted,
JENNIE M. STEVENS, Treasurer.

General Distribution of Expenditures for the Year

1924-1925

Instruction

Edna Holbrook	\$480.00
Etta C. Pero	900.00
Emily C. Cook	900.00
Lena French	900.00
Ruth E. Russell	900.00
Mary R. Russell	900.00
Hattie M. Boswell	800.00
Ethel Cloues	180.00
Hazel Carey	45.00

\$6,005.00

Rand, McNally Co., text books	\$45.30
Ed. E. Babb & Co., text books	13.82
American Book Co., text books	20.74
Macmillan Co., text books	9.87
World Book Co., text books	32.57
John C. Winston & Co., text books	18.50
Ryan & Baker, text books	18.15
Houghton Mifflin & Co., text books	13.61
Ginn & Co., text books	21.01
D. C. Heath & Co., text books	7.92
Lyons and Carnahan	11.22
Benjamin H. Sanborn	1.14

\$213.85

Scholars' Supplies

Milton Bradley Co.	\$129.90
F. A. Owen Publishing Co.	.60
Emilie B. Barney	.80

\$131.30

Expenses of Instruction

R. E. Lane	\$3.67
World Book Co.	26.05
Asa Colby	3.25
J. L. Hammett Co.	3.56
Record Print	1.25

\$37.78

Administration

Susie I. Chase	\$1.50
Lois Kenneson	27.50
V. E. Atwood	10.00
Mrs. Frances Eastman	18.50
Mrs. Emilie B. Barney	20.00
Elmer B. Wallace	11.00
Jennie M. Stevens	15.00

\$103.50

Superintendent's Salary

Geo. Farrand, State Treas.	\$300.00
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Expenses of Administration

Lois Kenneson	\$1.40
Leon Collins	13.50
Emilie B. Barney	6.83
Hazel Carey	5.00
C. M. Harris	14.40
Elmer B. Wallace	.42
Jennie M. Stevens	4.00
Mrs. Frances Eastman	.50

\$46.05

Janitor Service

Raymond Patterson	\$36.05
Frances Graves	7.50
Cecil Jaquith	4.00
Chas Spaulding	44.00
Geo. McDonald	19.95
Marjorie Burt	25.20
Lawrence Smith	29.20

\$165.90

Fuel

V. E. Atwood	\$6.00
Horace Patterson	7.20
Chas. Bacon	36.00
W. D. Veazey Co.	96.00
Lloyd French	96.00
B. M. Youngman	32.00

Chas. Spaulding	8.20
Nathan Coffin	52.00
Scott Page	26.25
Leon Collins	17.50

\$377.15

Janitor Supplies

H. L. Fletcher	\$16.99
Masury Young Co.	11.70
O. A. Brown	11.37
Emilie B. Barney	.85

\$40.91

Minor Repairs and Expenses

J. M. Gordon	\$7.00
K. E. Kelly	5.42
Fred R. Ford	10.00
Eula Amadon	4.63
Mrs. Walter Chase	16.68
Lois Kenneson	11.17
Geo. Hussey	12.00
Geo. Kidder	23.80
A. F. Burt	3.20
Elmer Boynton	22.75
Emily W. Wheet	4.00
Mrs. Ransom Smith	4.00
Grace Ray	1.00
Chas. A. Spaulding	17.55
Carey Furniture Co.	11.75
A. M. Rand	36.62
V. E. Atwood	10.50
Elmer B. Wallace	3.57
T. O. McGill	2.50
J. R. Henderson	1.50

\$209.64

Medical Inspection

Dr. L. M. Orton	\$70.00
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Transportation

Ralph Bailey	\$350.00
Iris McLeod	414.00

Lloyd French	359.50
Karl Bunker	9.00
Grace Ray, board of Vonnie Clifford	173.00
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	\$1,305.50
High School Tuition	
Plymouth school district	\$1,050.00
Woodsville school district	70.00
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	\$1,120.00
Insurance	
Jennie M. Stevens	\$50.00
New Equipment	
A. F. Burt Co.	\$3.60
Lougee & Robinson	4.00
A. M. Rand	.95
Emilie B. Barney	.80
E. S. Pease	1.00
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	\$10.35
Per Capita Tax	
Geo. Farrand, state treasurer	\$332.00
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	\$10,518.93

This is to certify that we have examined the fore-going accounts of the treasurer and the school committee of the Rumney School District and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MISS JULIA ABBOTT,
MRS: ZENA JAQUITH,
Auditors.

**ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR 1925-1926,
RECOMMENDED BUDGET FOR 1926-1927**

	Estimated 1925-1926	Recommended 1926-1927
From Local Taxation		
Elementary schools		\$4,307.06
Secondary school tuition		2,000.00
Salaries of district officers		500.00
Per capita tax		378.00
Repairs		800.00
Insurance		50.00
From Sources Other Than Taxation		
Dog licenses		200.00
Administration		
Salaries of district officers	\$200.00	\$150.00
Superintendent's excess salary	200.00	300.00
Truant officer and school census	10.00	50.00
Expenses of administration	75.00	50.00
Instruction		
Teachers' salaries	6,270.00	6,500.00
Text books	300.00	200.00
School supplies	200.00	250.00
Flags and appurtenances	10.00	10.00
Other expenses of instruction	100.00	100.00
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant		
Janitors' service	189.00	190.00
Fuel	400.00	400.00
Water, light and janitor supplies	50.00	50.00
Minor repairs and expenses	200.00	800.00
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities		
Medical inspection and health supervision	100.00	70.00
Transportation of pupils	1,294.50	1,300.00
Secondary tuition	1,500.00	2,000.00
Other special activities	25.00	25.00

Fixed Charges		
Insurance	50.00	50.00
Outlay of Construction and Equipment		
New equipment	200.00	
Other Charges		
Per capita tax	326.00	332.00
	\$11,699.50	\$12,877.00

OFFICERS AND STAFF, CURRENT YEAR

School Board—Mrs. Emilie B. Barney, Mrs. Frances Eastman, V. E. Atwood (resigned)
 Superintendent—Guy F. Williams
 Treasurer—Mrs. Jennie Stevens
 Clerk—Geo. E. Kelly
 Teachers—Rumney Village, Grammar, Emily Cook; Primary, Ruth E. Russell; Depot, Grammar, Lena French; Primary, Mary R. Russell; Quincy, Thelma Moses; Stinson Lake, James Armstrong; Montview, Etta C. Pero.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1924-1925

Total registration in the district for the year	154
Number in the district for the entire year	149
Average number of half days schools were actually in session	350.55
Number of pupils promoted at the end of the year	155
Number who left school to end their school life	3
Per cent. of attendance	90.95
Number of pupils in the district in other elementary schools	0.
Number in secondary schools	14
Average salaries of teachers	\$884.28
Number of teachers holding certificates 5, licenses 2; total 7	
Number of visits made by the school board members 46; by the superintendent	120
By citizens	261

GRADUATES FORM THE EIGHTH GRADE IN JUNE 1925

Effie Chivell, Elva Avery, Corinne Cummings, Mildred Harvey, Bertha Monroe, Raymond Reed, Janette Vinton, William Randall.

We believe that we are conducting efficient schools during the current year. We appreciate the spirit of co-operation manifested by all and we solicit questions about the school work and suggestions for its improvement from the town's people.

The Superintendent wishes to express an appreciation for the cordial manner he has met from all during the current year.

We have installed a jacketed heater in the Montview building, which makes the room more comfortable and more healthful by creating a better ventilation. We have had the underpinning repaired at the Depot school building so that it has been much more comfortable during the winter.

The front part of the Depot building is sinking and needs attention, also the roof needs shingling during the coming year. We have suggested the amount needed for that and other repairs under the head of **MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES** in the financial table above. The chimney at Montview school is unsafe at the present time and should be built over another summer. The Montview and the Quincy buildings need to be re-shingled and covered with metallic roofing.

Schools Opened August 31—As Follows:

Montview enrollment, 26; Etta C. Pero, teacher
Quincy enrollment, 27; Thelma Moses, teacher
Stinson Lake enrollment, 18; James Armstrong,
teacher

Rumney Village Grammar enrollment, 17; Emily Cook,
 teacher
 Rumney Village Primary enrollment 18, Ruth Russell,
 teacher
 Rumney Depot Grammar enrollment, 17; Lena French,
 teacher
 Rumney Depot Primary enrollment, 31; Mary Russell,
 teacher

Roll of Honor—Perfect Attendance 1924-1925

Effie Chivell, Richard Cummings; Arline Burt, Mar-
 jorie Burt, Donald Kenneson.

Number of pupils registered in the 8th grade in current year	19
Census of school children Sept. 1925	191

We recommend the following amounts be appro-
 priated at the annual meeting of the school district in
 1926. We have tried to make clear these amounts and
 the estimated distributions for the year 1926-1927 in
 last column of the financial table above.

For elementary schools \$5.00 on \$1,000.00 of the valuation	\$4,307.06
For secondary school tuition	2,000.00
For salaries of district officers	500.00
Per capita tax	382.00
For repairs and improvements	800.00

Respectfully submitted,

EMILIE B. BARNEY,
 FRANCES EASTMAN,

School Committee.

