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ANNUAL REPORTS  
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**TOWN of HILLSBOROUGH**  
New Hampshire

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For the Year Ending  
January 31, 1927



# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# Town of Hillsborough

COMPRISING THE REPORTS OF

Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Road Agent, Health  
Officer, Board of Education, Town School Board,  
Auditors and Precinct Officers

FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
JANUARY 31, 1927.

AND THE

Vital Statistics for the Year Ending December 31, 1926

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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Moderator

STILLMAN H. BAKER

Selectmen and Assessors

FRED B. MONROE

EUGENE C. RUMRILL

HAROLD E. HARVEY

Town Clerk

CHARLES F. BUTLER

Town Treasurer

LESLIE F. CARTER

Collector of Taxes

CARL H. JOHNSON

Highway Agent

RAYMOND O. HARRINGTON

Health Officer

DR. WARREN P. GRIMES

Overseer of the Poor

STILLMAN H. BAKER

Supervisors

DANIEL W. COLE

GEORGE S. HALL

HOWARD B. STEVENS

Trustees of Fuller Public Library

GEORGE W. HASLET

LEON S. HILL

FRED B. MONROE

EUGENE C. RUMRILL

HAROLD E. HARVEY

Auditors

RALPH G. SMITH

DANIEL W. COLE

Trustees of Trust Funds

GEORGE W. HASLET

W. H. MANAHAN, Jr.

STILLMAN H. BAKER

Chief of Police

FRANK D. PAIGE

# TOWN WARRANT

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## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hillsborough, County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at Childs' Opera House in said town on Tuesday, the Eighth Day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects.

ARTICLE I. To choose one Selectman for three years, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Highway Agent, Town Clerk and Chief of Police for one year, Trustee of the Fuller Public Library for two years, Trustee of Trust Funds for three years and all other necessary town officers or agents for the ensuing year.

ART. 2. To hear the reports of the town officers to the auditors, the reports of the auditors, agents, committees or other town officers heretofore chosen or appointed and to pass any vote relating thereto.

ART. 3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the current expenses of the town and apply upon the principal and interest of the town debt.

ART. 4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the building and repairing of highways, bridges and culverts.

ART. 5. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$100.00 for Senator Grimes Post, G. A. R., to be used Memorial Day,

ART. 6. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid for the permanent improvement of highways.

ART. 7. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$700.00 for the support of the Fuller Public Library.

ART. 8. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$300.00 to be applied on the salary of the District Nurse.

ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to construct a sidewalk on Holman St. from Henniker St. to a point opposite the residence of George Barrett, raise money for the same or pass any vote relating thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to construct a sidewalk on Jackson St. from the end of walk at point opposite the residence of W. C. Dennison to Cross St. and a sidewalk on Cross St. from Depot St. to Henniker St., raise money for same or pass any vote relating thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to accept from Mrs. Hattie E. Gilcrest the sum of \$100.00, the income to be used for the care and maintenance of the William Merrill lot in Maple Avenue Cemetery.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to accept from Mrs. Josephine McNeil the sum of \$200.00, the income to be used for the care and maintenance of her lot in Pine Hill Cemetery.

ART. 13 To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to contract with the New Hampshire Power Co. to light the streets for a period of three years or pass any vote relating thereto.

ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$500 00 for the support of band concerts the coming season.

ART. 15. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$400 for the purpose of cooperating with the

state and federal government in the control of the White Pine Blister Rust or act in relation thereto.

ART. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money necessary to buy a tractor snow plow, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the salary of a Day Police Officer for traffic and regular police duties during the months of June, July, August and September.

ART. 18. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$300.00 or any part of it to be expended under the direction of the Publicity Committee of the Hillsboro Business Association during the season of 1927 toward advertising the natural advantages and resources of the town

ART. 19. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$200.00 from the Estate of the late Emma E. Smith, the income to be expended in the care and maintenance of the Ammi Smith burial lot in the Deering Cemetery, so called, and of the stones, monuments and markers therein.

ART. 20. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

ART. 21. To see if the town will vote to increase the salary of the judge of the municipal court or take any action relating thereto.

Given under our hands this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

FRED B. MONROE,  
EUGENE C. RUMRILL,  
HAROLD E. HARVEY,  
Selectmen of Hillsborough

# INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH

April 1, 1926

Real Estate	\$1,333,462 00
Horses, 178	17,700 00
Oxen, 4	300 00
Cows, 311	15,990 00
Neat Stock, 135	4,010 00
Sheep, 42	294 00
Hogs, 5	135 00
Fowls	2,250 00
Portable Mills	1,950 00
Wood and lumber	19,575 00
Gasoline pumps, etc.	3,350 00
Vehicles	100 00
Stock in trade	372,316 00
Mills and Machinery	278,000 00
Total Valuation of the town	
	\$2,049,432 00
Valuation of Village Precinct	1,501,448 00
Valuation outside of Precinct	547,984 00

## Rate of Taxation on each \$100.00 of Valuation

	Precinct	Town
State, County and Town	\$1 58	\$1 58
Highways by law	25	25
Precinct	37	
Special School District	1 26	
Town School District		1 13
	\$3 46	\$2 96



## Taxes Assessed April 1st, 1926

State Tax	\$5,850 00
County tax	4,396 83
Street lights	2,700 00
Police Dept.	2,600 00
Health Dept.	200 00
Town fire protection	200 00
Miscellaneous	1,000 00
Permanent highways	2,900 00
Maintenance	6,345 69
Winter work	2,000 00
Sidewalks	400 00
Memorial Day	100 00
Fuller Public Library	700 00
District Nurse	300 00
Band concerts	500 00
Moth work	100 00
Highways by law	5,123 58
Town poor	600 00
Dump road	200 00
Publicity	300 00
Village Fire Precinct.	5,500 00
Town School District	6,200 00
Special School District	19,000 00
Overlay	498 60
Total	<hr/> \$68,714 70

**TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH RECEIPTS AND  
CURRENT REVENUE**

**Receipts**

From local taxes:

Amount committed to collector		
1926	\$70,687	26
Less abatements 1926	114	76
Less uncollected 1926	610	32
1. Property and poll taxes collected 1926	\$69,267	01
2. Property and poll taxes previous years actually collected	3,745	50
3. National Bank Stock taxes	514	00
Total of above collections	\$73,526	51
Tax sales redeemed		17 84

From State:

(a) For State Aid Maintenance	\$ 158	72
(b) For Trunk Line Maintenance	3,295	54
(c) For State Aid Construction	1,815	10
Interest and dividend tax	1,751	12
Insurance tax		28 50
Railroad tax		297 11
Savings bank tax	5,959	42
Fighting forest fires		83 80

From local sources except taxes:

Dog licenses	346	87
Business licenses and permits	133	07
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	437	25
Interest received on taxes		49 17
Income from trust funds	106	19
Income from departments	392	00
Permits for registration of motor vehicles	3,541	92
Cemetery fund		200 00
Total current receipts carried forward		
to page 10	\$92,140	13

# PAYMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1927

## Payments

### Current Maintenance Expenses

#### General Government:

1. Town Officers salaries	\$1,845 89
2. Town Officers expenses	630 90
3. Election and registration expenses	364 50
4. Municipal Court expense	100 00

#### Protection of Persons and Property

5. Police Department	2,836 36
6. Town fire protection	400 36
7. Moth extermination	12 50
8. Bounties	62 60

#### Health:

9. Health department	390 40
10. Vital statistics	35 50

#### Highways and Bridges:

11. State Aid Maintenance	2,618 63
12. Trunk Line maintenance	9,594 75
13. Town maintenance	9,511 08
14. Street Lighting	2,597 29

#### Libraries:

15. Fuller Public Library	700 00
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#### Charities:

16. Town Poor	850 00
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#### Patriotic Purposes:

17. Memorial Day	100 00
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#### Recreation:

18. Band concerts	529 90
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#### Public Service Enterprises:

19. Cemeteries	27 00
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#### Unclassified:

20. Damages and legal expenses	153 35
21. Taxes bought by town	72 17
22. Miscellaneous	883 61

#### Total current maintenance expenses

(carried forward to page 11) \$34,316 79

## RECEIPTS AND

Total receipts brought forward from Page 8		\$92,140 13
Receipts other than current revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$5,000 00	
Trust Funds	300 00	
Total receipts other than current revenue		5,300 00
Total receipts from all sources		<hr/> \$97,440 13
Cash on hand February 1, 1926		6,670 89

Grand total

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\$104,111 02

**PAYMENTS (Continued)**

Total payments brought forward from page 9		\$34,316 79
Interest:		
23. Paid on temporary loans	\$ 150 69	
24. Paid on long term notes	2,194 92	
25. Paid on trust funds	361 44	
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Total interest payments		\$2,707 05
Outlay for New Construction:		
26. State Aid Construction	\$5,582 61	
27. Sidewalks	542 75	
28. Land and buildings	200 00	
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Total outlay payments		\$6,325 36
Indebtedness:		
29. Paid on temporary loans	\$5,000 00	
30. Paid on long term notes	900 00	
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Total indebtedness payments		\$5,900 00
Payments to other Governmental divisions:		
31. Taxes paid to State	\$5,852 00	
32. Taxes paid to County	4,396 83	
33. Taxes paid to Precinct	5,500 00	
34. Payments to School Districts	25,549 00	
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Total payments to other Governmental divisions		\$41,297 83
Total payments for all purposes		\$90,547 03
Cash on hand February 1, 1927		13,563 99
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		\$104,111 02

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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### Detail 1

#### Town Officers Salaries

Fred B. Monroe, selectman	\$325 00
Eugene C. Rumrill, selectman	300 00
Harold E. Harvey, selectman	300 00
Leslie F. Carter, town treasurer	100 00
Charles F. Butler, town clerk	68 68
S. H. Baker, moderator 1925-6	75 00
S. H. Baker, commissioner of charities	25 00
Carl H. Johnson, collector of taxes	652 21
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	\$1,845 89

### Detail 2

#### Town Officers' Expenses

Messenger Pub. Co., town reports	\$273 05
Messenger Pub. Co., printing and supplies	46 00
E. C. Eastman Co., tax books and supplies	23 68
J. C. Parker, stamps	8 40
L. A. McCormack, distributing inventory blanks	15 00
C. H. Johnson, distributing inventory blanks	7 00
John S. Childs, bonds for treasurer and trustees	30 00
L. O. Travis, repairing chair	3 25
S. H. Baker, rent to Jan. 1, 1927	175 00
H. E. Harvey, team and auto hire	35 00
C. F. Butler, supplies	12 52
Hillsboro Sav. Bank, safe deposit box for trustees	2 00
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	\$630 90

### Detail 3

#### Election and Registration Expenses

Geo. S. Hall, rent of Opera House	\$140 00
W. R. C., meals at elections	34 50
D. W. Cole, for supervisors	142 00
D. R. Bruce, ballot clerk	7 00
Arthur McNally, ballot clerk	7 00
F. C. Brockway, ballot clerk	12 00
J. S. Craine, ballot clerk	5 00
W. S. Marcy, ballot clerk	12 00
J. Harvey Grimes, ballot clerk	5 00
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	\$364 50

### Detail 4

#### Municipal Court Expense

Charles S. Perry, salary as Justice	\$100 00
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### Detail 5

#### Police Department

Frank D. Paige, services as chief and extra labor	\$1,598 50
Food for tramps	53 13
Police supplies	41 28
Wood	38 50
Special police	477 55
Painting street lines, etc.	65 02
Telephone	126 40
Auto hire and carfare	183 27
Repairs on station	80 51
Warrants, arrests and keeping	172 20
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	\$2,836 36

Detail 6

**Town Fire Protection**

Hillboro Fire Department	\$249 96
Harry R. Cross, Warden, services and expenses	150 40
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	\$400 36

Detail 7

**Moth Extermination**

Labor and Creosote	\$12 50
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Detail 8

**Bounties**

1 bobcat	\$20 00
213 hedgehogs	42 60
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	\$62 60

Detail 9

**Health Department**

John T. Connor Co., supplies, Thompson case	\$ 9 06
Hillsboro Dairy Co., supplies, Thompson case	2 68
Hillsboro Fruit Co., supplies, Thompson case	4 01
Victor Mosley, supplies, Thompson case	20 75
W. H. King, supplies, Thompson case	3 90
Harriet M. Grimes, app. for District Nurse	300 00
W. P. Grimes, services as Health Officer	50 00
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	\$390 40



Detail 10

**Vital Statistics**

Charles F. Butler, recording	\$15 00
C. B. Abbott, reporting	3 50
G. S. Bailey, reporting	6 50
W. P. Grimes, reporting	10 50
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	\$35 50

Detail 11

**State Aid Maintenance**

Oiling and resurfacing	1,220 18
Morris G. White, patrolman	1,398 45
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	\$2,618 63

Detail 12

**Trunk Line Maintenance**

Oiling and resurfacing, labor and material	\$8,575 83
Joseph N. Cross, patrolman	1,018 92
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	\$9,594 75

Detail 13

**Town Maintenance**

R. O. Harrington, agent	\$9,511 08
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Detail 14

**Street Lighting**

New Hampshire Power Co.	\$2,597 29
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Detail 15

**Library**

George W. Haslet	\$700 00
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Detail 16

**Charities**

S. H. Baker, commissioner \$850 00

Detail 17

**Memorial Day**

W. H. Story \$100 00

Detail 18

**Recreation**

R. J. Sleeper, band concerts	500 00
Hillsboro Battery & Service Co., labor and materials repairing band stand	18 65
D. M. Johnson, care of Butler lot	11 25
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	\$529 90

Detail 19

**Cemeteries**

C. B. Gammell, labor in Center cemetery	\$12 00
J. L. Ellsworth, labor in Village cemetery	5 00
A. J. Craige, care of Fuller and Jones lots	10 00
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	\$27 00

Detail 20

**Damages and Legal Expenses**

R. G. Smith, services and expenses before P. S. Com. in B. & M. cases	\$125 00
R. G. Smith, legal advice	28 35
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	\$153 35

Detail 21

**Taxes Bought by Town**

C. H. Johnson, Col., J. Gardner farm	\$54 30
C. H. Johnson, Col., C. O Murdo farm	17 87
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	\$72 17

## Detail 22

### Miscellaneous

R. G. Smith, insurance on steam roller	\$23 75
W. H. Manahan, Jr., Danforth cemetery fund	100 00
Niles Machine Co., guideboard	40 00
S. D. Monahan, taxes in Watertown, S. D.	27 16
Chas. P. Coady, taxes in Baltimore, Md.	3 00
H. G. Yeaton, treas. H. B. Assn. appropriation for publicity	300 00
R. G. Smith, insurance in town office	3 80
J. L. Ellsworth, overtax in 1925	6 40
R. G. Smith, insurance on town histories	171 00
J. N. Cross, dog constable	30 00
Chas. F. Butler, 714 auto permits	178 50
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	\$883 61

## Details 23-25

### Interest Payments

23. Paid on temporary loans	\$150 69
24. Paid on long term notes	2,194 92
25. Paid on trust funds	361 44
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	\$2,707 05

## Detail 26

### State Aid Construction

Labor and material	\$5,582 61
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## Detail 27

### Sidewalks

E. C. Rumrill, repairing railing	\$ 84 60
E. V. Kemp, labor and truck hire	109 00
A. A. Gee, labor	40 25
C. W. Gee, labor	36 75
J. H. Mossia, labor	35 00

E. C. Rumrill, lumber	31 44
P. E. Belisle, nails and spikes	13 40
B. M. Tapply, 6,025 ft. plank	180 84
W. E. Newman, labor and material	11 47
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	\$542 75

Detail 28

**Land and Buildings**

R. Childs, land for dump road	\$200 00
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**Details 29-30**

Payments on temporary loans	\$5,000 00
Payments on long term notes	900 00
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	\$5,900 00

Detail 31

**Taxes Paid to State**

Henry E. Chamberlain, state treasurer	\$5,850 00
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Detail 32

**Taxes Paid to County**

James H. Shenton, county treasurer	\$4,396 83
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Detail 33

**Payments to Precinct**

Fred W. Carter, treasurer	\$5,500 00
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Detail 34

**Payments to School Districts**

Lena M. Brockway, town district	\$6,279 97
Anne G. Janowsky, special district	19,269 03
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	\$25,549 00

## FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN

January 31, 1927

### Liabilities

Outstanding town notes	\$39,001 00
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### Assets

Cash in treasury	\$13,563 99	
Cash in hands of C. H. Johnson, Col.	695 17	
Cash in hands of S. H. Baker, Com.	50 74	
Taxes due C. H. Johnson, Col.	632 34	
Three lots in Watertown, S. D.	1,000 00	
One lot in Baltimore, Md.	100 00	
Dump land	250 00	
Roller	1,400 00	
Road material on hand	1,130 00	
		\$18,822 24
Town debt January 31, 1927		\$20,178 76
Town debt January 31, 1926	\$23,914 29	
Town debt January 31, 1927	\$20,178 76	
Reduction of debt for the year	\$ 3,735 53	
History loan	\$13,500 00	
Trust funds	10,383 98	

FRED B. MONROE  
EUGENE C. RUMRILL  
HAROLD E. HARVEY

Selectmen of Hillsborough, N. H.

Hillsboro, N. H., Feb. 8, 1927

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen for the town of Hillsborough, N. H., for the year ending January 31, 1927, and find them to be correct and all payments properly vouched for.

DANIEL W. COLE  
RALPH G. SMITH

Auditors for the town of Hillsborough,  
New Hampshire.

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

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For year beginning Feb. 1, 1926 to Feb. 1, 1927

Balance in 1st National Bank, Feb. 1, 1926      \$6,670 89

Received:

From C. H. Johnson, Tax Collector                      \$73,575 68

C. F. Butler, Town Clerk

Auto Permits	3,541 92
Dog Licenses	346 87
Pool Room and Bowling Licenses	53 07
Theatre License	74 00
Primary filing fee	8 00

Raymond O. Harrington, Agt., Town teams 370 75

Judge C. S. Perry, Court fines                      437 25

State Treasurer:

Insurance tax	28 50
Railroad Tax	297 11
Savings Bank Tax	5,959 42
Interest and Dividend Tax	1,751 12
State Highways	5,269 36

Selectmen:

Borrowed Money	5,000 00
Trustee of Trust Funds	300 00
Show License	6 00
Forest Fires	83 80
Redeemed from Tax Sale	17 84
Sale 5 gals. Creosote	3 25
Trustee of Trust Fund Interest	106 19
Sale of Town History	10 00

Estate of Emma E. Smith

By terms of Will	200 00
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\$104,111 02

Expended:

Town Orders	\$80,358 20
State of New Hampshire County Tax	4,396 83
State of New Hampshire State Tax	5,850 00
Asso. New. Hamp. Assessors 1926 dues	2 00
Deposit Guar. Savings Bank	
Balance Town History Account	174 00
February 1, 1927, Balance 1st National Bank	13,329 99
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	\$104,111 02

February 1, 1927, Balance in Hillsboro

Guaranty Savings Bank Town History Acct. \$254.00

LESLIE F. CARTER

Town Treasurer.

We have examined the account of Leslie F. Carter, Town Treasurer, for the year 1926 and find the same to be correct.

RALPH G. SMITH

DANIEL W. COLE

Auditors of the town of Hillsborough, N. H.



# REPORT OF COMMISSIONER OF CHARITIES

## Hillsboro County

Year Ending Dec. 31, 1926

Dr.

County Aid furnished		\$588 06
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Cash County Treasurer	\$578 06	
Cash due from County	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$588 06

## Town of Hillsborough

Year Ending Jan. 31, 1926

Dr.

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1926	\$11 50	
Cash received from County Treas.	38 75	
Cash received from Town Treas.	850 00	
	<hr/>	\$900 25

Cr.

Aid furnished	\$839 51	
Due from County Treasurer	10 00	
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1927	50 74	
	<hr/>	\$900 25

Respectfully submitted,

STILLMAN H. BAKER  
Commissioner of Charities.

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

### Dog Licenses

Whole number of licenses issued	154	
Whole amount of cash received		\$375 87
Less clerk's fees		31 00
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		\$344 87
Paid Town Treasurer		\$346 87
Overpaid Town Treasurer		2 00

### Pool Room and Bowling Alleys

Whole amount received from licenses		\$55 07
Less clerk's fees		2 00
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		\$53 07
Paid Town Treasurer		\$53 07

### Theatre Licenses

Whole amount received		\$75 00
Less clerk's fees		1 00
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		\$74 00
Paid Town Treasurer		\$74 00

### Filing Fees

Whole amount received		\$8 00
Paid Town Treasurer		\$8 00

### Automobile Permits

Whole number of permits issued from Feb. 1, 1926 to Feb. 1, 1927,	714.	
Whole amount of cash received		\$3,541 92
Paid Town Treasurer		\$3,541 92

CHARLES F. BUTLER  
Town Clerk.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above account of Charles F. Butler, Town Clerk, and find the same to be correct.

DANIEL W. COLE  
RALPH G. SMITH  
Auditors.

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

For the year ending Jan. 31, 1927

Uncollected taxes Jan. 31, 1926,		
less abatements		\$2,419 49
Interest accrued and collected on same		26 39
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1926		1,369 33
Collected and paid to		
Town Treasurer	\$3,771 89	
Amount of taxes uncollected	22 02	
Amount of taxes abated	21 30	
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	\$3,815 21	\$3,815 21

### 1926 Taxes

Total amount of taxes assessed for 1926		\$71,201 26
Interest accrued and collected on same		22 78
Amount of abatements	\$ 114 76	
Amount of taxes and accrued interest collected and paid		
Town Treasurer	69,803 79	
Amount of taxes remaining uncol- lected on Jan. 31, 1927	610 32	
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1927	695 17	
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	\$71,224 04	\$71,224 04

CARL H. JOHNSON  
Tax Collector.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Carl H. Johnson, tax collector, of the town of Hillsborough, N. H., up to and including January 31, 1927, and find the same correct.

DANIEL W. COLE  
RALPH G. SMITH

Auditors.

## REPORT OF FULLER PUBLIC LIBRARY

For the fiscal year ending January 31, 1927

At a special Town Meeting held July 30th, 1926, it was voted to accept the gift of the John B. Smith house and barn, the house to contain the Fuller Public Library and certain organizations. As soon as possible, work was begun to prepare the house for the above purposes and it is now expected that the library rooms will be ready for occupancy early in March.

We greatly appreciate the generous gift of books by George W. Lincoln, Mrs. Sarah A. White, Prof. Petrun-kavitch, Clarence H. Wilkins, and others.

We are especially grateful for the bequest of the late Mrs. Sarah A. White, who in addition to the books mentioned above, bequeathed the sum of \$12,000 to be held by the Trustees and kept intact; the net income, or as much as the Trustees may deem advisable, to be used for the purchase of books and periodicals.

Volumes in library Jan. 31, 1926		7,034
Worn out and destroyed		52
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		6,982
New books purchased	120	
Gifts	237	
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		357
Volumes in library Jan. 31, 1927		7,339
Circulation for year		9,165

### Financial Report

#### Receipts

Town appropriation		\$ 700 00
Income on Fuller Funds		105 00
Gift from George W. Haslet		2,000 00
Fines		50 13
Sale of old paper		30
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Total Receipts		\$2,855 43
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1926		55 22
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		\$2,910 65

## Payments

Rent	\$216 00	
Books	209 54	
Supplies	16 33	
Librarian	200 00	
Insurance	63 00	
Fuel	19 00	
Lighting	19 86	
Printing	11 90	
Cleaning rooms	7 30	
Express	3 20	
Sundries	1 75	
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Total payments		\$ 767 88
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1927		2,142 77
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		\$2,910 65

LEON S. HILL  
FRED B. MONROE  
EUGENE C. RUMRILL  
HAROLD E. HARVEY  
GEORGE W. HASLET

Trustees

We hereby certify that we have examined the account of the Treasurer of the Fuller Public Library Trustees and find same to be correct and all payments properly vouched for.

RALPH G. SMITH  
DANIEL W. COLE

Auditors of the Town of Hillsborough, N. H.

## REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Town of Hillsborough, N. H. Year ending Feb. 1, 1927

Received of the Selectmen of Hillsborough, Charles H. Danforth Fund	\$100 00
Received of C. A. Flint Trust Fund	\$100 00
Received of Mrs. Almira M. Sargent Trust Fund	100 00
Received of Selectmen of Hillsborough, Interest on town notes	361 44
Received of Hillsboro Savings Bank Interest on The George Fund	20 47
Received of U. S. Govt. interest on Bonds	53 13
	\$735 04
Paid Selectmen of Hillsborough	
1 Town Note Chas. H. Danforth Fund	\$100 00
1 Town Note C. A. Flint Fund	100 00
1 Town Note Mrs. Almira M. Sargent Fund	100 00
Interest of Abney Simonds Fund	92 19
Interest of Sarah A. Grimes Fund	14 00
Paid George W. Haslet, Treasurer, Interest on Mark W. Fuller Fund	70 00
Interest on Sarah C. Fuller Fund	35 00
Paid Mabel S. Cobb, Treas. M. E. Church at Center, Interest on Abby C. Murdough Fund	3 50
Paid Cemetery Committee, Interest on Cemetery Trust Funds	220 35
	\$735 04

W. H. MANAHAN, JR.  
Treasurer.

Trustees of Trust Funds  
Town of Hillsborough, N. H.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of William H. Manahan, Jr., treasurer of Trust Funds and found the same to be correct.

RALPH G. SMITH  
DANIEL W. COLE

Auditors.

## TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH,

February 1st, 1927

1877	Mark W. Fuller	2,000 00
1884	Sarah C. Fuller	1,000 00
1899	Abney Simonds	2,633 98
1907	Sarah A. Grimes	400 00
1883	Abby C. Murdough	100 00
1893	Maria B. Travis	100 00
1897	Sarah M. Taggart	100 00
1898	Caroline M. Burnham	200 00
1899	Catherine W. Bascomb	100 00
1901	Mary E. M. Smith	50 00
1903	Geo. C. Richardson	100 00
1904	Mrs. W. H. Gray	100 00
1907	James A. Tuttle	200 00
1908	Charlotte Towne	100 00
1910	Daniel B. Smith	500 00
1911	Lucy A. Colby	200 00
1912	Atwood & Harvey	100 00
1912	Maria B. Hazen	100 00
1915	Henry C. Morrill	100 00
1915	Mary A. Danforth	100 00
1916	Rodney Smith	100 00
1918	Annie R. Gillis	100 00
1918	Mary E. Lovering	100 00
1919	Fannie E. Straw	200 00
1920	Sarah M. Dodge	200 00
1920	John M. Curtis	100 00
1920	Thomas Wilson	100 00
1921	Lorinda O. Smith	100 00
1922	Emma A. Locke	100 00
1922	Samuel W. Holman	250 00
1922	The George Fund	500 00
1922	Fred W. Flint	100 00
1923	Henry N. Clapp	200 00
1923	Ephraim Dutton	200 00
1923	Brown & Steward	100 00
1923	McColly & Griffin	200 00
1924	Isaac & John Hall	100 00

1924	Wood & Gilchrist	100 00
1925	Garett T. Townsend	200 00
1925	Sylvester Atwood	500 00
1926	Chas. A. Danforth	100 00
1926	C. A. Flint	100 00
1926	Almira M. Sargent	100 00
		\$12,133 98

GEORGE W. HASLET  
 STILLMAN H. BAKER  
 W. H. MANAHAN, Jr.

Trustees of Trust Funds.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of William H. Manahan, Jr., Treas. of Trust funds and found the same to be correct.

RALPH G. SMITH  
 DANIEL W. COLE

Auditors.



## CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Year Ending Feb. 1, 1927

	On hand Feb. 1, 1926	Income Received	Paid Care and Expense	On hand Feb. 1, 1927
Charlotte Town lot	\$11 50	\$3 50	\$3 75	\$11 25
Daniel Smith lot	81 25	17 50	12 50	86 25
Baldwin lot	13 65	3 50	3 75	13 40
Sarah M. Taggart lot	19 90	3 50	3 75	19 65
Catherine W. Bascomb lot	15 40	3 50	3 75	15 15
Geo. C. Richardson lot	10 40	3 50	3 75	10 15
A. C. Burnham lot	42 35	7 00	5 00	44 35
Mary E. M. Smith lot	4 95	1 75	1 00	5 70
William H. Gray lot	9 65	3 50	3 25	9 90
Lucy A. Colby lot	29 70	7 00	6 50	30 20
James S. Allen lot	8 00	3 50	3 25	8 25
Edgar Hazen lot	7 80	3 50	3 75	7 55
James A. Tuttle lot	37 20	7 00	5 50	38 70
Henry C. Morrill lot	10 30	3 50	3 75	10 05
Mary A. Danforth lot	16 25	3 50	3 75	16 00
Rodney Smith lot	8 92	3 50	4 25	8 17
Annie R. Gillis lot	11 24	4 25	3 75	11 74
Mary E. Lovering lot	3 14	4 25	5 25	2 14
Fannie E. Straw lot	40 84	8 50	4 50	44 84
Sarah M. Dodge lot	28 30	8 50	6 50	30 30
John M. Curtis lot	19 54	4 25	3 75	20 04
Thomas Wilson lot	18 77	4 25	3 75	19 27
Lorinda O. Smith lot	21 44	4 25	3 25	22 44
Emma A. Locke lot	4 52	4 25	2 50	6 27
Samuel W. Holman lot	16 03	10 63	6 50	20 16
Mary A. George lot	36 83	20 47	27 50	29 80
Fred W. Flint lot	6 00	4 00	2 00	8 00
Henry W. Clapp lot	4 00	8 00	5 50	6 50
Ephraim Dutton lot	4 00	8 00	5 50	6 50
Brown & Steward lot	2 00	4 00	3 25	2 75
Clarke McColley lot	1 50	4 00	3 25	2 25
Henry Griffin lot	1 50	4 00	3 25	2 25

Isaac & John Hall lot	2 00	4 00	3 75	2 25
Wood & Gilchrist lot	2 00	4 00	3 25	2 75
Charles Emerson lot		8 00	3 25	4 75
Sylvester Atwood lot and E. Sawyer lot		20 00	11 00	9 00
Totals	<hr/>			
	\$550 87	220 35	182 50	588 72

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1926	\$550 87
Income 1926	220 35
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	\$771 22
Paid as per schedule	182 50
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Balance Feb. 1, 1927	\$588 72
Cash in First National Bank.	

W. H. MANAHAN, JR.  
Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of William H. Manahan, Jr., treasurer, and found the same to be correct.

DANIEL W. COLE  
RALPH G. SMITH  
Auditors of the Town of Hillsborough

## HIGHWAY ACCOUNT FROM JAN. 31, 1926 TO

JAN. 31, 1927

February

New Hampshire Pr. Co.	\$ 1 00
C. V. Telephone Co.	2 80
W. C. Dennison, grain	30 90
F. J. Gibson, supplies	2 70
James Oski, smith bill	7 00
C. M. Worthley, hay	29 00
E. B. Severance, breaking roads	133 50
Geo. Morgan, breaking roads	78 00
Soloman White, breaking roads	3 50
William Cate, breaking roads	24 00
Leon Cutter, breaking roads	24 00
Elmer Stowell, breaking roads	36 00
James Ellsworth, breaking roads	25 00
Harold J. Cross, breaking roads	5 00
Frank Cate, shoveling snow	6 00
Harry Stowell, shoveling snow	13 00
Geo. Bumford, shoveling snow	9 80
Fred Matthews, shoveling snow	10 50
Merton Matthews, shoveling snow	10 50
Chas. Smith, shoveling snow	9 00
F. J. Temple, shoveling snow	5 00
N. E. Farrar, shoveling snow	13 00
R. O. Harrington	125 00
Harold Foote	96 00
Selwin Davis	96 00
W. E. McWilliams	5 25
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	\$801 45

March

New Hampshire Pr. Co.	\$ 2 05
C. V. Tel. Co.	1 90
B. H. Smith, gas	5 14
J. G. Veino, gas	4 14

W. C. Dennison, grain	29 05
C. N. Murdough, smith bill	8 10
Bella K. Bennett, storing wagons	25 00
Elberton Farrar, breaking roads	14 80
W. E. Gay, breaking roads	17 50
S. G. Brown, breaking roads	19 80
John M. Davis, breaking roads	22 25
C. N. Murdough, breaking roads	1 00
Paul J. Ray, breaking roads	14 50
Ralph W. Farrar, breaking roads	4 30
E. J. Trow, breaking roads	1 80
S. G. Bedell, breaking roads	28 00
Joe Gardner, breaking roads	5 20
Ruffie Sweeney, breaking roads	5 20
W. H. Murdo, breaking roads	56 00
C. W. French, cutting bushes in 1925	5 25
E. B. Severance, team hire	4 00
John McWilliams, shoveling snow	8 00
Mr. Hannah, shoveling snow	1 40
W. K. Devoy, breaking roads	60 50
Sidney Powers, shoveling snow	5 25
W. E. McWilliams, shoveling snow	5 25
R. O. Harrington	125 00
Harold Foote	108 00
Selwin Davis	108 00
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	\$696 38

#### April

C. V. Telephone Co.	\$ 2 10
American Express Co.	2 31
Good Road Machinery Co.	43 50
W. E. Newman, supplies	4 12
C. F. Butler, wagon paint	7 00
P. E. Belisle, supplies	20 78
W. C. Patenaude, lumber	24 40
C. P. Colby, labor	1 00
Wm. Roach, battery service	17 05
W. C. Dennison, grain	35 15
Standard Oil Co.	8 25
J. G. Veino, gas and oil	20 16
Chas. Tapley, bridge stringers	95 00
Thomas Devoy, bridge planks	156 96
Mansfield Ins. Agency, liability insurance	59 90

H. A. Pillsbury, truck repairs	29 00
G. W. Hubbard, harness repairs	2 75
John H. Sleeper, breaking roads	3 50
Wm. Mumford, breaking roads	8 05
James T. Devoy, breaking roads	18 60
W. H. Murdo, breaking roads	10 00
Mark W. Russell, breaking roads	4 80
W. K. Devoy, breaking roads	15 00
R. O. Harrington	125 00
Selwin Davis	104 00
Harold Foote	60 00
Sidney Powers	38 50
James Demick	36 00
W. E. McWilliams	17 50
James Oski, smith bill	11 85
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	\$982 23

May

B. H. Smith, gas	\$24 50
New Hampshire Pr. Co.	1 00
C. V. Tel. Co.	1 90
W. C. Dennison, grain	21 35
Russell Grader Mfg. Co.	26 35
F. J. Gibson, supplies	8 00
Geo. M. Russell, hay	26 40
F. J. Bickford, labor on road	22 60
E. B. Severance, team labor	80 00
James Oski, smith bill	8 30
R. O. Harrington	125 00
Selwin Davis	104 00
Sidney Powers	91 00
James Demick	104 00
W. E. McWilliams	87 50
Chas. Smith	59 50
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	\$791 40

## June

New Hampshire Pr. Co.	\$ 1 05
C. V. Tel. Co.	1 90
W. C. Dennison, grain	42 00
Standard Oil Co	8 25
Mansfield Ins. Agency, fire insurance	18 80
H. A. Pillsbury, truck repairs	46 80
James Oski, smith bill	5 65
E. C. Rumrill, snow roller	181 44
N. F. Murdo, labor on roads	51 25
Andrew Gee, harness repairs	4 10
Fred L. Hearty, cutting bushes	8 25
N. E. Farrar, labor on road	6 50
E. B. Severance, team hire	148 00
James G. Veino, gas and oil	19 85
R. O. Harrington	125 00
Selwin Davis	104 00
James Demick	104 00
Sidney Powers	91 00
W. E. McWilliams	85 75
Perley Dodge	87 50
Charles Smith	73 50
	\$1,214 59

## July

New Hampshire Pr. Co.	\$ 1 05
C. V. Tel. Co.	1 90
P. E. Belisle, supplies	22 06
W. C. Dennison, grain	23 90
B H. Smith, gasoline	21 12
F. J. Gibson, supplies	5 49
Berger Culvert Co.	72 60
James Oski, smith bill	6 00
W. E. Gay, hay	77 25
N. F. Murdough	44 40
Chas. Murdough, bedding	10 50
Call's mill, bridge stringers	6 00
W. E. Proctor, bridge stringers	10 00
Chas. Smith, bridge stringers	35 00
E. E. Farrar, labor	5 60

R. O. Harrington	125 00
Selwin Davis	108 00
James Demick	108 00
Sidney Powers	94 50
W. E. McWilliams	73 50
Perley Dodge	91 00
Chas. Smith	21 00
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	\$963 87

### August

New Hampshire Pr. Co.	\$ 1 00
C. V. Tel. Co.	2 00
W. C. Dennison, grain	25 20
Messenger Pub. Co., printing signs	2 50
Standard Oil Co.	8 25
J. G. Veino, gas and oil	20 32
Perley Dodge, supplies	4 00
W. B. Yeaton, filing saws	1 00
James Oski, smith bill	44 45
Everett Howard, bridge stringers	24 00
Wm. Mumford, labor on road	23 80
Ralph W. Farrar, labor on road	1 75
R. O. Harrington	125 00
Selwin Davis	104 00
James Demick	104 00
Sidney Powers	91 00
W. E. McWilliams	91 00
Perley Dodge	91 00
Chas. Smith	3 50
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	\$767 77

### September

New Hampshire Pr. Co.	\$ 1 00
C. V. Tel. Co.	3 80
W. C. Dennison, grain	25 20
No. East Metal Culvert Co.	72 00
B. H. Smith, gas	24 89
Standard Oil Co.	9 35

F. J. Gibson, supplies	4 35
H. A. Pillsbury repairs to truck	5 00
James Oski, smith bill	7 00
F. L. Hearty, cutting bushes	22 25
Wm. Mumford, cutting bushes	20 30
R. O. Harrington	125 00
Selwin Davis	104 00
James Demick	104 00
Sidney Powers	91 00
W. E. McWilliams	91 00
Perley Dodge	85 75
Charles Smith	31 50
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	\$827 39

### October

New Hampshire Power Co.	\$ 1 00
R. G. Smith, insurance	23 75
W. C. Dennison, grain	26 60
J. H. White, smith bill	22 25
James Oski, smith bill	7 30
J. G. Veino, gas	23 56
J. G. Veino, lumber	6 18
H. P. Murdough, repairs to barn	13 00
J. E. Leazotte, supplies and repairs	18 45
W. E. Newman, cement	38 50
E. B. Severance, team labor	10 00
Philip Jordan, curbstone	5 00
Clifford Murdough, labor	11 00
R. O. Harrington	125 00
Selwin Davis	104 00
James Demick	104 00
Sidney Powers	91 00
W. E. McWilliams	87 50
Perley Dodge	59 50
Chas. Smith	8 75
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	\$786 34



## November

C. V. Tel. Co.	\$ 3 80
New Hampshire Pr. Co.	1 65
E. C. Rumrill, lumber	5 83
Standard Oil Co.	8 25
Messenger Pub. Co., printing	2 50
B. H. Smith, gas	18 00
W. C. Dennison, grain	25 20
Bella K. Bennett, storing rolls	25 00
H. P. Murdough, lumber	18 90
Austin Gee, repairs	2 10
J. M. Davis, hay	100 50
N. E. Farrar, labor	6 00
P. E. Belisle, supplies	24 26
R. O. Harrington	125 00
James Demick	104 00
Selwin Davis	48 00
Sidney Powers	84 00
W. E. McWilliams	64 75
Perley Dodge	3 50
Grade used in 1926	82 20
Watering tubs	16 00
Harry Pillsbury, repairs	6 10
	\$775 54

## December

New Hampshire Pr. Co.	\$ 1 95
W. C. Dennison, grain	25 95
J. G. Veino, gas	7 95
James Oski, smith bill	39 55
J. M. Davis, labor on road	7 50
Walter Murdo, labor on road	10 00
James Wylt, labor on road	1 20
R. O. Harrington	125 00
James Demick	108 00
Sidney Powers	22 75
W. E. McWilliams	35 00
Selwin Davis	2 00
	\$386 85

## January 1927

C. V. Tej Co.	\$ 2 70
New Hampshire Power Co.	2 25
W. C. Dennison, grain	36 80
P. E. Belisle, supplies	15 47
H. C. Werden, supplies	3 95
H. A. Pillsbury	9 00
James Ellsworth, supplies	3 25
Goodnow & Derby, supplies	10 50
James Oski, smith bill	9 50
Geo. Travis, filing saws	1 00
E. B. Severance, breaking roads	119 00
Leon Cutter, breaking roads	24 00
Elmer Stowell, breaking roads	16 00
Frank Brockway, breaking roads	1 00
Harry Stowell, breaking roads	3 80
George Morgan, breaking roads	54 00
E. J. Trow, breaking roads	1 80
R. O. Harrington	125 00
James Demick	104 00
W. E. McWilliams	32 50
Perley Dodge	1 75
	\$577 27

## Grade for 1926

H. E. Harvey	\$12 20
I. C. Roach	12 90
Clifford Murdo	4 50
R. Childs	5 00
Henry Gould	5 25
A. J. Crooker	1 20
John Grimes	9 50
John Herrick	6 80
Geo. Russell	12 15
Chas. Smith	11 95
H. G. Brown	75
	\$82 20

## Watering Tubs

Mark Buttrick	\$4 00
C. N. Murdo	4 00
M. W. Tryon	4 00
John Grinell	4 00
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	\$16 00

## Money Earned

C. F. McNally	\$1 00
H. P. Murdo	4 50
Sidney Powers	5 00
E. B. Severance	33 00
Paul Willgeroth	11 00
Chas. Jones	12 00
Frank Colby	28 00
Chas. Nelson	3 00
C. P. Favor	50
Geo. Barrett	24 00
John Mossia	7 00
Steve Holley	5 00
Roy Gordon	1 50
John Kemp	3 50
Maurice Parker	1 00
L. H. Shattuck	62 00
Joel Perham	50
Sam Lynch	1 50
Peter Bosse	1 00
L. Capp	1 50
C. C. Eaton	47 50
Ed. Dutton	5 00
State Highway Dept.	20 00
Ed. Barnes	1 50
John S. Childs	10 00
Percy Merrill	8 00
John Johnson	75
Chas. H. Ballard	2 50
John Lambert	10 00
Geo. Ashby	16 50

Boynton & Allen	12 00
Joseph Soucy	10 00
H. E. Harvey	15 00
Louis Daniels	4 50
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	\$370 75

### Summary

#### RECEIPTS:

Received from Selectmen	\$9,571 08
Money earned	370 75
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Total	\$9,941 83

#### DISBURSEMENTS:

Paid for winter work	\$3,444 18
Paid for summer work	6,126 90
Paid Treasurer (money earned)	370 75
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	\$9,941 83

RAYMOND O. HARRINGTON, Agent.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above account of Raymond O. Harrington, Highway Agent, and find the same to be correct.

RALPH G. SMITH  
DANIEL W. COLE

Auditors

# HILLSBOROUGH BRIDGE VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT

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## Precinct Officers

Moderator

STILLMAN H. BAKER

Commissioners

JOHN H. GRIMES

GEORGE S. HALL

DANIEL W. COLE

Clerk

GEORGE E. VAN DOMMELEE

Treasurer

FRED W. CARTER

Chief Engineer

WILLIAM E. NEWMAN

Assistant Engineers

EUGENE C. RUMRILL

CARLTON C. EATON

Water Commissioners

GEORGE W. BOYNTON

FRANK L. GLADING

AMMI O. GOULD

FRANK D. GAY

JOSEPH F. NICHOLS

Auditors

JAMES S. CRAINE

EUGENE C. RUMRILL

PERLEY A. SPALDING

## PRECINCT WARRANT

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### State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Hillsborough Bridge Village Fire Precinct of the Town of Hillsborough, qualified to vote in Precinct Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Precinct Hall in said Precinct on Monday, the fourteenth day of March, 1927, at seven of the clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose one or more water commissioners to serve five years, and one or more fire commissioners to serve three years.
3. To choose a clerk, treasurer, auditors, and other necessary precinct officers for the ensuing year.
4. To hear the reports of the fire commissioners, water commissioners, clerk, treasurer, auditors, and other officers and committees heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.
5. To see if the Precinct will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) necessary to run the sprinkling cart for a period of sixteen weeks, more or less.
6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for paying the current expenses of the Precinct, the debt of the Precinct, and any other charges arising within said Precinct.

7. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

JOHN H. GRIMES  
GEORGE S. HALL  
DANIEL W. COLE  
Board of Fire Commissioners.

## REPORT OF THE FIRE COMMISSIONERS

### General Account

#### Receipts

Debit balance January 31, 1926	\$ 761 51
Received from Selectmen:	
Sprinkler appropriation	600 00
Account Hook and Ladder Truck— first payment	1,875 00
Current expenses	2,025 00
Town fires	249 96
Received Town of Weare—account fires	39 15
Received Town of Washington—account fires	73 70
Received Town of Windsor—account fires	46 50
Received Mrs. C. S. McAlister—account fire	21 45
Received Charles Ballard—account fires	22 25
Received A. D. Bridges & Son—use of cart	15 00
Received Vogal & Hadley—use of cart	16 00
Received E. B. Severance—use of cart	2 00
Received A. J. Mosley—sale of old hose rig	20 00
Received from water account, hydrant rental	1,000 00
Total excluding debit balance	\$6,006 01

#### Expenditures

B. E. Newman, account sewers	\$ 340 42
Gamewell Co., batteries, boxes, etc,	284 43
Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank, partial payment of note and interest	2,065 00
Mansfield Ins. Agency, liability insurance	291 50
D. Whiting & Sons, coal	215 05
Globe Mfg. Co., firemen's coats and hats	260 25
Fabric Fire Hose Co., hose	525 00
Merrimac Chemical, oil of vitriol	8 99
F. J. Gibson, soda	14 28
E. C. Rumrill, four bbls. lime, sewer account	24 00
E. B. Severance, sprinkling contract	648 00



J. B. Vaillancourt, load wood	10 50
H. E. Harvey, five cords wood	56 25
C. F. Butler, one case napkins	8 00
Jennie McWilliams, 1 year's storage apparatus	36 00
Belle K. Bennett, storage of cart	8 00
Concord Foundry & Mch. Co., manhole cover	6 50
Hillsboro Battery & Service Co., repairs	1 30
F. W. Hill, labor and supplies	41 34
M. H. Barnes, pole extensions	7 50
New Hampshire Power Co., labor and supplies	35 19
New Hampshire Power Co., lights and power	67 79
Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., telephone	39 00
W. E. Newman, labor and supplies	39 14
R. G. Smith, insurance	47 50
J. S. Craine, auditors	6 00
C. A. Nelson, janitor and care of alarm	124 00
B. H. Smith, care of trucks 17 months and supplies	213 46
W. E. Newman, services as chief	50 00
E. C. Rumrill, first assistant engineer	25 00
C. C. Eaton, second assistant engineer	25 00
G. E. Van Dommelee, clerk of Precinct	10 00
G. E. Van Dommelee, clerk, pay roll Hook & Ladder Co.	585 00
B. E. Newman, clerk, pay roll Eagle Hose Co.	864 00
F. W. Carter, treasurer of Precinct and expense	50 90
D. W. Cole, clerk, commissioners and expense	102 91
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Total orders paid	\$7,137 20
Include debit balance	761 51
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Total amount	\$7,898 71
Debit Balance January 31, 1927	\$1,892 70

### Water Account

#### Receipts

Balance on hand January 31, 1926	\$1,449 70
Received for damage to hydrants	138 60
Received from sale of supplies	12 42
Received from commissioners, water rates	5,897 06
Received from selectmen, hydrant rental	1,000 00
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Total receipts, including balance	\$8,497 78

## Expenditures

F. L. Glading, clerk, salary and expense	\$227 72
F. L. Glading, clerk, pay roll on water works	80 56
Chas. Brockway, collector	180 00
O. D. Daniels, labor and cash paid on water works	262 03
G. W. Grinnell, care of hydrants	30 60
E. C. Rumrill, lime	6 00
E. B. Severance, trucking	17 75
J. L. Ellsworth, trucking and freight	15 30
Messenger Pub. Co., printing and supplies	29 00
H. E. Harvey, reservoir reports	12 00
P. E. Belisle, supplies	3 70
R. Feldblum, rubber boots	5 50
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co., supplies	16 90
Manchester Supply Co., supplies	9 60
Mueller Co., Inc., supplies	79 80
Edson Mfg. Corp., supplies	41 94
Central Supply Co., supplies	12 00
Builders Iron Foundry, supplies	5 23
Thompson & Hoague Co., picks	10 50
Chadwick-Boston Lead Co., pig lead	35 90
Walworth Co., supplies	1 33
W. S. Darley & Co., supplies	17 50
W. O. Story, Administrator, Ac. Sarah M. Story Payment of note No. 57 Depot St. relay, not to be re-issued	1,000 00
Interest on outstanding notes	1,301 52
	\$3,402 38
Total orders paid	\$3,402 38
Transferred to general account, hydrant rental	1,000 00
	4,402 38
Total amount paid	4,402 38
Balance on hand January 31, 1927	\$4,095 40

## Recapitulation

(For the year ending January 31, 1927)

### Receipts

General account	\$6,006 01
Water account	8,497 78
	\$14,503 79
Total receipts	\$14,503 79

## Expenditures

General account	\$7,898 71	
Water account	4,402 38	
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Total expenditures		\$12,301 09
Total balance, or cash on hand		2,202 70

## Financial Standing of Precinct

### Liabilities

Water notes, serial, due 1927-29	\$ 6,750 00	
Water notes, demand, serial in form	23,500 00	
General Account note, Hook and Ladder Truck, balance	5,250 00	
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		\$35,500 00

### Assets

Balance in treasury Jan. 31, 1927	\$2,202 70	
In Savings Bank	1,006 67	
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		3,209 37
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Net debt January 31, 1927		\$32,290 63

### Unavailable Assets

Water system	\$92,534 25	
Precinct building and lot	5,000 00	
Fire apparatus	17,000 00	
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		\$114,534 25

GEORGE S. HALL  
DANIEL W. COLE

Board of Fire Commissioners.

## CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

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Hillsboro, N. H., Jan. 4, 1926

To the Commissioners of Hillsboro Bridge  
Village Fire Precinct:

I submit the following report of fires occurring in the Town of Hillsborough for the year ending Dec. 31, 1926.

Total Calls	69
Bell alarms in Precinct	10
Still alarms in Precinct	46
Calls in Hillsboro out of Precinct	9
Calls out of Town	4
No. Ft. Hose Wet at Fires	5,850
No. Ft. Ladders used at Fires	1,281
No. Gals. Chemical Used	821
No. Miles traveled with Combination Pump	144
No. Miles traveled with Ladder	10.1
Loss in Precinct	\$4,988 25
Insurance Paid in Precinct	\$2,913 25
Net Loss in Precinct	\$1,075 00
Loss out of Precinct	\$2,340 00
Insurance Paid out of Precinct	\$1,040 00
Net Loss out of Precinct	\$1,300 00
Number of Box Tests	48
Out of order on tests	4

The Department and Apparatus are in good condition to the best of my knowledge.

W. E. NEWMAN,  
Chief Hillsboro Fire Department.

## PRECINCT TREASURER'S REPORT

For the year ending January 31st, 1927

### General Account

#### Debit

Received from	
Selectmen Appropriation	\$4,500 00
Loan of Water Cart	33 00
Chas. H. Ballard	22 25
Services of Fire Dept.	430 76
Arthur Mosley	20 00
Water Dept. Hydrant Rental	1,000 00
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	\$6,006 01

#### Credit

Debit balance from year 1925	\$ 761 51
Expenditures, Paid orders	7,137 20
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	\$7,898 71
January 31, 1927 Debit Balance	\$1,892 70

FRED W. CARTER, Treasurer.

### Water Account

#### Debt

Balance January 31, 1926	\$1,449 70
Received from	
Water rates	5,897 06
Contoocook Mills Corpn.	9 97
Antrim Village Fire Precinct	2 45
Hydrant Damages	138 60
Town Hydrant Rental	1,000 00
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	\$8,497 78

Credit

Expenditures	
Paid Orders	\$3,402 38
Transferred to General Account	
Hydrant rental	1,000 00
	\$4,402 38
Balance January 31, 1927	4,095 40
	\$8,497 78
Balance January 31, 1927	\$4,095 40
Deduct debit balance	
General account	1,892 70
	\$2,202 70
Total Cash Balance	\$2,202 70
Savings Bank Balance	\$1,006 67
Hillsborough, N. H., January 31, 1927	

FRED W. CARTER, Treasurer.

Hillsboro, N. H., Feb. 14, 1927

We the Auditors of Water Commissioners, Fire Commissioners and Precinct Treasurer, have examined the accounts and find them correct.

JAMES S. CRAINE  
EUGENE C. RUMRILL  
PERLEY A. SPALDING

## WATER DEPARTMENT

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### Board of Water Commissioners

J. Frank Nichols	Term expires 1931
George W. Boynton	Term expires 1930
Ammy O. Gould	Term expires 1929
Frank L. Glading	Term expires 1928
Frank D. Gay	Term expires 1927

### Chairman of Board

George W. Boynton

### Clerk of Board

Frank L. Glading

### Superintendent of Water Works

Frank L. Glading

The Water Commissioners respectfully submit their thirtieth annual report which follows:

### Maintenance

Expense	\$ 426 74
Care and repair	641 60
Interest on notes	1,301 52
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	\$2,369 86

### Income Account

Received from Water Rates	\$5,897 06
*Water Rates Precinct Use	1,000 00
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	\$6,897 06
Deduct Maintenance	2,369 86
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Net income from all sources	\$4,527 20

\*Amount of hydrant rental raised by taxation turned into the Water Department and transferred by this department to the General Account of the precinct.

### Disposition of Net Profits

For the Year ending Jan. 31, 1927

Increase in Assets:	
Service connections	\$ 30 00
Precinct Special	1,000 00
Cash in treasury	2,645 70
Notes paid	1,000 00
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Net increase in assets	\$4,675 70
Deduct, Merchandise (material on hand at storehouse) Decrease	148 50
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Balance equal to net income for year	\$4,527 20

### Balance Sheet

Resources:	
Original purchase	\$45,000 00
Excess Renewal	38,811 30
Extensions	6,788 29
Services	769 69
Merchandise	1,208 69
Precinct Special	27,943 00
Building Account	598 45
Meter Account	566 52
Cash in treasury	5,095 40
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	\$126,781 34



Liabilities:

Water loan (time notes)	\$ 6,750 00
*Precinct tax levy	11,103 32
Bills payable (floating notes)	23,500 00
Profit and Loss (earnings from Feb. 15, 1897 to Jan. 31, 1927)	85,428 02
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	\$126,781 34

\*Amount raised by taxation for use of Water Works including "Sinking fund," tax levy transferred.

Cost of Water Works

Original purchase	\$45,000 00
Excess renewal	38,811 30
Extensions	6,788 29
Services	769 69
Building account	598 45
Meter account	566 52
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Total cost of Water Works to Jan. 31, 1927	\$92,534 25
Number of hydrants	49
Number of service connections	447

Signed,

J. FRANK NICHOLS  
AMMY O. GOULD  
GEORGE W. BOYNTON  
FRANK L. GLADING  
FRANK D. GAY

Approved:

FRANK L. GLADING  
J. FRANK NICHOLS  
FRANK D. GAY  
GEO. W. BOYNTON  
AMMY O. GOULD

Hillsboro Water Commissioners.

## TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT

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### State of New Hampshire

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Lower Village School House in said district on the Tenth day of March 1927, at Two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to finish the playground at the Upper Village School, raise money for the same, or pass any vote relating thereto.

10. To see if the district will vote to provide a playground at the Lower Village School, raise money for the same ,or pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands at said Hillsborough this twenty-first day of February, 1927.

LENA M. BROCKWAY  
HENRY W. ADAMS  
FRANK J. BICKFORD

School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

LENA M. BROCKWAY  
HENRY W. ADAMS  
FRANK J. BICKFORD

School Board

## REPORT OF THE TOWN DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

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For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1925, ending  
June 30, 1926

To the Inhabitants of Hillsborough:

The School Board of the Town District respectfully submits its annual report with that of its Treasurer, Superintendent, and Auditors.

The District maintained the customary seven schools which have been doing excellent work, showing much credit both to our faithful teachers and conscientious scholars.

The inside cleaning of school houses was done as usual and some necessary repairs were made.

The School Exhibition and Graduation exercises were held in the Lower Village chapel at the close of the school year.

We are most grateful to the citizens of the district for their co-operation in all our efforts pertaining to the schools, and with your continued assistance, we will be successful in making our schools what we would like to have them, standard schools.

We will be pleased at the annual meeting to advise in regard to the work that has been done thus far in 1926-7 and to recommend the appropriations necessary for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1927, ending June 30, 1928.

LENA M. BROCKWAY  
HENRY W. ADAMS  
FRANK J. BICKFORD

School Board

## REPORT OF TREASURER

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Town School District

From July 1st, 1925 to June 30th, 1926

### Receipts

Cash on hand	\$ 208 56
Town Treasurer	6,300 97
Dog Tax	68 34
State Treasurer	2,909 80
Henry Adams (Farrar School)	20 00
Town of Windsor	72 00
Town of Antrim	36 00
Total	<hr/> \$9,615 67

### Expenditures

Officers salaries	\$ 190 00
Superintendent's salary	262 50
Truant Officer and Census	25 00
Expenses of administration	36 93
Teachers' salaries	5,192 80
Janitor services	248 00
Fuel	363 50
Janitor supplies	14 40
Repairs	538 16
Transportation	227 00
Medical inspection	138 74
High school tuition	960 00
Elementary school tuition	48 00
Special activities	6 00

Alterations and new work	352 03
State Tax supervision	302 00
Payment of bills of previous year	329 02
Supplies	381 49
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	\$9,615 57
Cash on hand	10
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	\$9,615 67

Submitted

SAMUEL DOWNING,  
Treasurer.

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 Hillsboro Town, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and find them correct in all respects.

J. M. COBB

F. C. BROCKWAY

Auditors.

July 14, 1926

## TOWN SCHOOL REPORT

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To the School Board of the Hillsboro Town School District:

Hereby is respectfully submitted the seventh annual report of the Superintendent of Schools.

Mrs. Paul Evans, a New Hampshire University graduate, came to the Bear Hill School. At the Upper Village School, where we had two teachers last year, Mrs. Belle C. Ball, a teacher of considerable experience, was selected. Mrs. C. E. Barker at the Center, Mrs. Georgianna Gile at the Merrill, Mrs. Gladys Murdo at the Flat, Mrs. Nellie Mellen at the Goodell School all returned to their former positions, and Miss Elmar Shedd took the Lower Village School.

All our teachers have had some previous experience, averaging  $9\frac{1}{2}$  years instead of 8 years as was the case last year. Three of our teachers have the highest form of State Certification, in place of two as last year. Mrs. Barker, our teacher with the least amount of experience, was increased from \$600 per year to \$648, other teachers, except the Lower Village teacher, received \$720 each; and the Lower Village teacher received \$900.

Enrollment for the past three years shows a slight increase for this year.

School	1923-4	1924-5	1925-6
Upper Village	26	32	37
Lower Village	35	31	31
Merrill	24	23	26
Center	11	15	10
Flat	14	10	9
Goodell	12	10	13
Bear Hill	9	10	9
Total	131	131	135

Of the 135, six were counted twice, having changed from one school to another and three were tuition pupils, leaving an enrollment of 126 different resident pupils in our schools.

The enrollment by grades follows:—

1st	14	4th	22	7th	15
2nd	15	5th	14	8th	13
3rd	19	6th	14		

The tardiness record this year was 197, which was a great improvement over 295 for the previous year. But when we learn that 144 out of the 197 cases were in the Upper Village School we see that a much better could and should have been made. Last year 233 of the 295 cases of tardiness were in the Lower Village School. This was brought forcibly to their attention, and this year they stood second with only 27 cases, a vast improvement, for which they are congratulated, and we believe a like improvement will be seen in the Upper Village School in the coming year.

The attendance this year has improved and each school had more than 90% attendance, with the Flat School leading as it did last year.

School	1924-5	1925-6
Flat	97.9	98.3
Merrill	92.7	95.0
Center	89.9	93.8
Bear Hill	97.1	92.2
Lower Village	92.6	91.9
Upper Village	89.2	91.7
Goodell	94.0	90.4

Every school is represented on the Honor Roll this year, thirteen names in all, compared with only three last year, or another improvement for which we wish to thank the children, the parents and the teachers.



## Honor Roll of Perfect Attendance for the Year

Abner Barker	Warren Richardson
Alice Barker	Beatrice Rowe
Dorothy Bossie	Alice Ryley
Norman Card	Fletcher Ryley
Helen Oski	Leonard Ryley
Earl Gould	Elizabeth Sargent
Elmer Smith	

Dr. Kelso again acted as Medical Examiner. Whereas a decided improvement was noted in the condition of the pupils last year over that of the previous year, we do not now have as favorable a report. There were the same number of cases of defective vision, three more cases of hypertrophied tonsils, and seven more cases of defective teeth, 34 in all. More children now have defective teeth than at any time for the past three years, and as this has been brought to the attention of the parents we trust they may take prompt steps to remedy this condition.

The teachers' reports credit the school board members with six visits, and the Superintendent with 149 visits. The number of visits by parents and friends for the past three years has been respectively 260, 210 and 340. The 340 for this year ranging from 32 at the Center School to 77 at the Merrill School. Each school had more visitors than during the previous year, and the Merrill School has been the banner school in this respect for the past three years.

The Maine Club of Hillsboro offered their annual prize to the eighth grade pupils in both Hillsboro districts for proficiency in Arithmetic, and for the second time all prizes went to pupils in the Town District. Proficiency was judged by the ranks obtained in examinations given by the Superintendent. In the first test eight pupils received 100%, and according to previous arrange-

ments, those eight were given another test which resulted in the following awards:—

1st Prize, Helen Osuchoski, \$5.00

2nd Prize, Nellie Pinker, \$2.50

3rd Prize, Mabel Whitney, \$1.00

Graduation exercises were held at 2 P. M., June 17, 1926, at the Lower Village Chapel, with the following program:

Invocation	Rev. John Wellwood
Song, Salute to the Flag	Lower Village School
Essay, Development of Natural Resources	Richard Cross
Essay, History of Hillsboro	Bernice Merrill
Essay, Forestry	Edward McNamara
Recitation, Thanksgiving	Madeline Gilmore
Essay, The Perfect Tribute	Helen Gammell
Declamation, Our Presidents	Mabel Whitney
Songs, Lower Village School	
Essay, Abraham Lincoln	Mildred DeShan
Essay, A. Atwater Kent	Nellie Pinker
Song	Bear Hill School
Essay, John James Audubon	Louise Young
Essay, Theodore Roosevelt	Gladys Whitney
Essay, History of Woman's Suffrage	Alice Barker
Essay, Origin of Arbor Day	Helen Osuchoski
Award of Prizes and Diplomas	Supt. A. A. Holden
Benediction	Rev. John Wellwood
Reception to graduates	

Respectfully submitted,

A. A. HOLDEN,  
Supt. of Schools.

## SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT

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### State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Special School District in the Town of Hillsborough, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the High School Building in said district on Friday, the 11th day of March, 1927, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator, clerk, and treasurer for the ensuing year, one member of the Board of Education for the ensuing three years, one member of the Board of Education for two years, one member of the Board of Education for one year, and any other necessary district officers.

2. To hear the reports of the Board of Education, Treasurer, and other officers and committees heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary in addition to the amount required by law for the support of schools, repairs on buildings, payments on debt, and any other necessary charges arising within said district.

4. To choose auditors, agents, or committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

5. To see if the Special School District will vote to accept and administer the trust fund to be known as

the Old School Association Educational Fund; upon the terms and conditions as set forth in the memorandum relating to the same, and now on file with the Clerk of said Special School District.

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

Given under our hands this twenty-first day of February in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

GEORGE W. HASLET  
CHARLES S. PERRY  
GEO. W. BOYNTON

Board of Education.

## SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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We present herewith reports for school year ending June 30, 1926.

The new High School has been erected and has been occupied since Jan. 1st. Although the cost of the building has been very close to our estimate, the expense of clearing the lot, grading, etc., and equipment was more than anticipated, and fearing that more expense might be incurred than the appropriation would cover, the Building Committee decided to omit finishing the Gymnasium and Manual Arts Room until all other work was completed.

With some items under discussion for adjusting, the cost so far has been approximately as follows:

Building	\$52,790 68
Heating	6,547 00
Plumbing	3,337 49
Lighting and other wiring	942 00
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	\$63,617 17
Architect's fees	\$3,725 58
Excavating and clearing land	3,747 65
Bond for builder	750 00
Furnishings, etc.	2,011 41
Sundries	182 38
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	\$74,034 19

Further adjustment may add something to this amount, but probably there will be about \$500.00 available toward completing the work.

Financing for the new building was provided by borrowing on notes at the Hillsborough Guaranty Savings Bank as the money was needed. When the borrowing was completed, these notes were exchanged for serial notes, dated Jan. 20, 1927, of which \$73,000 are outstanding, payable \$4,000.00 each year.

The cost of insurance on boiler in the old school house has been increased very much on account of age and crackage risk. Within a few years, we must consider the replacement of this boiler with a new one.

On account of this extra insurance cost and certain extra expense in connection with the new school, it is necessary to ask for an emergency appropriation of \$1,000.00 to be used during the balance of the present school year, ending June 30th.

We recommend the following appropriations for the school year commencing July 1, 1927:

High School	\$7,500 00
Elementary School	8,000 00
District officers	125 00
Superintendent's excess salary	400 00
Per Capita Tax	562 00
Payment of Debt	4,000 00
Interest on debt	3,500 00
Other obligations	413 00
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	\$24,500 00
Deficit for 1926-27	1,000 00
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Total	\$25,500 00

In connection with the above recommendations, it may be of interest to state that according to a report furnished by the State Department, out of 250 School Districts the expense per pupil in our elementary schools was the next to the lowest in the state.

In September the School District suffered a severe loss in the sudden death of Mr. Delmont E. Gordon, who had been a member of the school board for years. Extremely interested in the schools, and a man of good judgment, he held the respect of the community and proved himself of invaluable assistance to the other members of the board.

## SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT FINANCIAL REPORT

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For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1925 and ending  
June 30, 1926

### Receipts

Appropriation for support of schools	\$12,250 00
Appropriation for district officers	125 00
Appropriation for payment of interest	150 00
Appropriation for repairs	439 00
Appropriation for per capita tax	486 00
Appropriation for text books and supplies	850 00
Dog licenses	197 26
Deering School tax	40 80
High School tuitions	2,064 00
Elementary school tuitions	260 00
Money borrowed	15,000 00
Other sources	7 05
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	\$31,869 11
Cash on hand July 1, 1925	40 31
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	\$31,909 42

### Payments

Salaries of district officers	\$ 125 00
Superintendent's excess salary	337 50
Truant officer and school census	15 00
Expenses of administration	41 52
Teachers' salaries	11,326 81
Text books	315 40
Scholars' supplies	537 22
Other expenses of instruction	186 18
Janitor	1,040 00
Fuel	841 81
Water, light and janitor's supplies	132 15
Minor repairs and expenses	80 60

Medical inspection	165 00
Lands and new building	13,742 85
Alteration of old building	1,055 49
New equipment	30 63
Payment of interest on debt	100 00
Tax for state wide supervision	486 00
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	\$30,559 16
Cash on hand June 30, 1926	1,350 26
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	\$31,909 42

GEORGE W. HASLET  
DELMONT E. GORDON  
CHARLES S. PERRY

Board of Education.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Board of Education and find the same to be correct and all payments properly vouched for.

WALTER L. KELSO  
IRA C. ROACH  
INEZ C. COLE

Auditors.



## TREASURER'S REPORT

For School Year Ending June 30, 1926

### Receipts

Appropriation from town	\$14,300 00
Dog licenses	197 26
Deering School tax	40 80
High school tuitions	2,064 00
Elementary school tuitions	260 00
Money borrowed	15,000 00
Other sources	7 05
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	\$31,869 11
Cash on hand, July 1, 1925	40 31
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	\$31,909 42

### Payments

Orders from Board of Education	\$30,559 16
Cash on hand, June 30, 1926	1,350 26
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	\$31,909 42
Marion Moore Fund	\$972 73

ANNIE G. JANOWSKY

Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above account of Annie G. Janowsky, Treasurer, and find the same to be correct.

WALTER L. KELSO

IRA C. ROACH

INEZ C. COLE

Auditors.

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the Board of Education of the Hillsboro Special School District.

The report of the Superintendent of Schools for the year 1925-1926 is herewith respectfully submitted.

There were no changes or additions to the grade teaching corps. First and second grades, Mrs. Cora Scruton began her 16th year in our schools; third and fourth grades, Miss E. Estella Shedd began her second year; fourth and fifth grades, Mrs. Emily K. Flanders, her 13th year; sixth and seventh grades, Mrs. Eva Doble, her 13th year; seventh and eighth grades, Miss Grace Crosby, her second year. The High School faculty consisted of Mr. Harold C. Bowley, who began his third year with us; Miss Myrtie K. Brooks, of the Commercial Department, beginning her fifth year; Miss Marjorie Hutchinson, last year's graduate from the Keene Normal School, succeeded Miss Gertrude Sampson as teacher of Domestic Science and French, who resigned to continue her studies elsewhere; Miss Mabel Shaw, a graduate of Bates with twenty years' teaching experience, succeeded Miss Esther Lord, who also resigned to continue her studies. The high school teachers averaged ten years teaching experience, and the grade teachers averaged 17 years. Miss Lena Conant began her fifth year as our supervisor of music, and Miss Edith Messer her fifth as supervisor of drawing. Seven of our teachers have the highest form of State Teachers' Certification.

Our total enrollment increased from 285 in 1923 to 303 in 1924, and 320 this year. An increase this year of 28 in the grades, but a loss of 11 in the high school.

Grade	Pupils	Grade	Pupils
1	40	8	18
2	31	9	22
3	40	10	20
4	36	11	18
5	21	12	23
6	28		
7	23		
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		Total	320

There were 51 resident pupils in the high school and 32 tuition pupils. Throughout the state 8.8% of the high school pupils are tuition pupils while 38.5% of ours are tuition pupils.

The percentage of attendance was the same as last year, 96.4%; varying from 95.6 in the lowest grades to 96.9% in Miss Shedd's room. We are well above the state's average of 94.6%, for even our lowest record was 95.6%. Teachers, parents and pupils are to be congratulated on the decreasing number of cases of tardiness. There were 190 cases in 1923, 239 cases last year and only 139 cases this year. Last year's record of 239 cases was good, so this year's record is excellent. Throughout the state there were .86 cases per pupil in high schools and 1.3 cases per pupil in the grades, while our record was .6 cases per pupil.

Last year there were 17 names on the Honor Roll of Perfect Attendance, while this year there are 33 names. If we had nineteen names on this list we would equal the average for the state.

### Honor Roll

High School—John Clark, Edward Flemming, Amelia Gregoire, Ella Gross, Velna Kelso, Erlene Murdo, Ilene Murdo, Norman Murdo, Dorothea Shea, Dorothy Smith, Lydia Trottier and Thearis Waldron.

Seventh grade—Nelson Davis, Carol Richardson, Marjorie Smith.

Sixth grade—Kenneth Ryder.

Fifth grade—Kenneth Blake, Alice Smith.

Fourth grade—Frances Holly, Arthur Jackson.

Third grade—Arthur Camara, Lucy Clark, Howard Clark, Nathalie LaMoy, Lillian Ryley.

Second grade—Kostentey Poluchor, John Rysnik.

First grade—Raymond Cate, Herman Donegan, Mary Holly, Frances Murdo, Thalia Ryder, Julia Zeludancz.

The teachers' records of visits show two visits by the Board of Education, 252 visits, or 7 per week by the

Superintendent, and 544 by others. Visits by parents and others increased from 300 last year to 544 this year.

The scholarship was awarded to William Landon, who entered Dartmouth College.

Miss Mary A. Currier, a registered nurse, recommended by the State Dep't of Education, conducted the medical examination, which was carefully followed up by Miss Gile. The largest number of defects were as follows:—Malnutrition 47 cases, defective vision 14, defective teeth 103, hypertrophied tonsils 50, adenoids 20. Each parent was notified of his children's defects, but as treatment is not compulsory, far too small a number had the defects treated.

The graduation exercises of the Grammar School were held in the High School room at 2 P. M. Friday, June 18th. There were 16 graduates and the honor pupils were, Dorothy J. Parker, D. Virginia Temple and Barbara A. Hall. The High School graduation exercises were held in Child's Opera House on Thursday evening, June 17th, with 23 graduates. This, I believe, was the largest high school graduating class we have ever had. Dorothy Gregoire was the Valedictorian, and William Landon, the salutatorian.

The school year for which this is a report closed June 30th, 1926, but it seems fitting to mention at this time a sad event which happened in August, just before the schools opened for the school year of 1926-7. I refer to the death of a member of the school board, Mr. Delmont E. Gordon. He was always a sympathetic listener to the troubles of the teachers, or the complaints of parents, ready, willing and able with kindly advice and help, interested in everything that was for the good of the schools and the town. Besides being for a term of years a school board member, he had many other interests and had only recently retired as President of the Business Association. We appreciate his work, and miss his help and advice.

Respectfully submitted,

A. A. HOLDEN,  
Supt. of Schools.

*Births Registered in the Town of Hillsboro for the Year Ending December 31, 1926.*

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex & Cond't'n		Father's Name	Mother's Maiden Name	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male	Female						
Jan. 4	Gerbert	M							
" 6	Fred Warren, Jr.	M		Albert Gerbert	Evelyn C. Spalding	Hillsboro	Sta Engineer	Holyoke, Mass	Brattleboro, Vt.
" 21	Jadwida	F		Fred W. Hill	Esther L. Fowle	"	Lineman	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
Feb. 3	Robert Andrew	M		Antoni Sztandarski	Jozefa Sztandarki	"	Mill Operative	Poland	Poland
" 5	Kenneth Stanley, Jr.	M		Aime St. Laurent	Nellie Dumais	"	Mill Worker	Hooksett	Soucook
" 21	Donald Earl	M		Herbert Lampron	Elizabeth Venezia	Medford, Mass.	Laborer	Manch'r, Mass	Boston, Mass.
" 25	Lionel Frederick	M		1 Kenneth S. Knaption	Georgia M. Ives	Bennington	Elev. R. R. Em.	Hillsboro	Hillsboro
Apr. 7	Ruth Margaret	F		2 Harry Flanders	Florence M. Colby	Hillsboro	Mill Operative	Hillsboro	Bennington
" 29	Charles Willard	M		4 Leo C. Lafamme	Adeleine Whitemore	"	Clerk	Woons'ket, R I	Hillsboro
" 29	Gerald Eugene	M		3 Forest W. Boutelle	Bertha E. Iufkin	"	Mill Operative	Antrim	Temple
" 29	Elenor Beatrice	F		1 Byron E. Lyon	Hazel I. Chase	"	Laborer	Waterville, Vt.	Hopkinton
May 5	Sylvia May	F		8 George H. Bumford	Alice M. Waidron	"	Woodworker	Hillsboro	Warner
" 22	George Henry, Jr	M		3 Guy Gregg	Mary Rodriguez	Deering	Laborer	Melvin	Penacook
" 24	Clyde Charles	M		1 Willard C. Jackson	Mary E. St. John	Hillsboro	Laborer	Ph ipst'n Mass	Dorchester
June 11	William	M		2 Manuel Texiera	Annette Sussier	"	Laborer	Keene	Deering
July 11	Henry	M		1 Herman H. Boutelle	Maudie Page	"	Card Stripper	Portugal	Portugal
Sept 3	Beatrice	F		13 Joseph F. Gardner	Ray Mitnick	"	Laborer	Antrim	Goshen
Oct. 12	Charles	M		6 Leon Daneault	Florence M. Murdo	Manchester	Laborer	Canada	Lowell, Mass.
" 17	William	M		3 Harry J. Feldblum	Daisy Fellows	Hillsboro	Farmer	Russia	Canada
" 17	Henry	M		1 George H. Edwards	Rosa Gomes	"	Weaver	Br'd Aub'n NY	Hillsboro
" 17	Ezaretta	F		2 Rob't J. Robertson, Jr.	Ludwa Bondor	"	Grocery Store	Revere, Mass.	Francetown
Nov. 8	William	M		9 Manuel Andrad	Bianche E. Locke	"	Weaver	Camb'ge Mass.	England
" 11	Henry	M		1 Tony Zehudewicz	Marion S. Gilson	Medford, Mass.	Laborer	Madeira	Poland
" 16	Ezaretta	F		4 Paul B. Evans	Ada M. Frank	Hillsboro	Student	Poland	Poland
Dec. 3	Henry	M		3 James A. Mosley	Ida M. Gould	"	Farmer	Medford, Mass	Deering
" 29	Ezaretta	F		1 Howard M. Colburn	Grace L. Fauning	Hillsboro	Clerk	Londonderry	Somerville Mass
" 29	Ezaretta	F		2 Robert L. Costine		"	Laborer	Hillsboro	Portland, Me.
" 29	Ezaretta	F				"	Mill Operative	So. Newbury	Henniker
" 29	Ezaretta	F				"	Mill Operative	Holyoke, Mass	New York City

*Marriages Registered in the Town of Hillsboro for the Year Ending December 31, 1926.*

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Father	Birthplace of Father	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married.
Feb. 6	Hillsboro	Warren G. Fisher Alice M. Waldron	Deering Hillsboro	24 w 24 w	Mill Operative " "	Phi'pst'n Mass Dorc'str Mass	Jason L. Fisher Clarence Waldron	Hebron	1 Rev. H. L. McCann 1 Hillsboro
Apr. 3	"	Arthur A. Fuller Martha C. Chase	" "	25 w 18 w	Farmer At home	Whelock, Vt. Hillsboro	Frank L. Chase	Nova Scotia	1 Rev. H. L. McCann 1 Hillsboro
June 11	"	Harold C. Reynolds Ruth R. Bancroft	Lynn, Mass "	33 w 26 w	Garage owner Dietitian	Lynn, Mass. Salem, Mass.	Edward Reynolds Charles P. Bancroft	Peabody Mass	2 Rev. E. D. Towle 1 Hillsboro
" 12	Manchester	Charles V. Patten Marion L. Chadwick	Hillsboro "	33 w 24 w	Fireman Looper	Deering Sutton	William H. Patten Wm. H. Chadwick	Deering	2 Rev. J. Wesley Rafter 2 Manchester
" 19	Hillsboro	Warren A. Evans Eveline M. Nelson	" "	21 w 19 w	Drug clerk Teacher	Londonderry Hillsboro	Arthur L. Evans Leon Nelson	Londonderry	1 Rev. L. E. Alexander 1 Hillsboro
" 24	"	Ollo P. York Frances L. Harrington	" "	23 w 19 w	Grocery clerk At home	Belmont Peterboro	Wm. H. York Amos O. Harrington	Sharon, Vt.	1 Rev. L. E. Alexander 1 Hillsboro
July 3	"	Walter A. Clarke Elizabeth G. Scott	" "	40 w 35 w	Mechanic At home	Lee, Mass. Holyoke Mass	Edwin T. Clarke Jules Gerbert	Sharon, Vt. Salsby Mass.	1 Rev. L. E. Alexander 2 Hillsboro
" 17	"	Wallace H. Gaddas Roena B. Eaton	Holyoke Mass Hillsboro	24 w 28 w	At home Stenographer	Hillsboro Bradford	Thomas Gaddas Charles P. Eaton	Bradford	1 Rev. H. L. McCann 1 Hillsboro
" 31	"	Wayne H. Odell Glayds M. Moulton	" "	24 w 28 w	Per ho'se op. Spinner	Staff'rdy'le Ct. Concord	Thomas B. Odell John M. Moulton	Newburyport	1 Rev. Charles J. Leddy 1 Hillsboro
Aug. 16	Keene	Lloyd E. Lisherness Elmar I. Shedd	Concord Keene	19 w 35 w	At home Carpenter	Concord Hillsboro	John M. Moulton Payson Lisherness	Concord	1 Rev. Charles J. Leddy 2 F. H. Whitcomb J of P
Sept. 6	Hillsboro	Joseph E. R. Belisle Sarah A. Poirier	" "	37 w 24 w	Musician Clerk	Concord Manchester	John Shedd Henry J. Poirier	Oldtown, Me. Hillsboro	1 Rev. C. J. Leddy 1 Keene
" 13	"	Romeo O. Duval Nina F. Saunders	Manchester Hillsboro	16 w 27 w	Housekeeper Shoe repairer	" "	Philip E. Belisle Arcade Duval	Canada "	1 Rev. C. J. Leddy 1 Hillsboro
" 18	"	Harold M. Colburn Ida M. Gould	" "	21 w 18 w	Bank clerk Truck driver	Hillsboro So. Newbury	Francis Saunders Wm. Colburn	Wor'str Mass So. Newbury	1 Rev. H. L. McCann 1 Hillsboro
" 23	"	Judson W. Gould Gladys M. Colburn	" "	19 w 19 w	Housekeeping Laborer	Henniker Hillsboro	Ernest Gould Wm. Colburn	Hillsboro Henniker	1 Rev. H. L. McCann 1 Hillsboro
" 23	Bradford	Allen E. Follansbee Edythe M. Crooker	" "	59 w 46 w	At home Taxi livery Teacher	Newbury Dorchester Hillsboro	Perley Follansbee Charles B. Crooker	Danbury Amherst	2 Rev. George C. Trow 1 Bradford

Oct. 3	Plymouth	John C. Berry	Plymouth	81 w	Insur'nce ag't.	Campton	Otis Berry	Strafford	2	Rev. F. J. Andrews
" 28	Hillsboro	Katie M. Goodall	Hillsboro	44 w	Merchant	Deering	Henry Ashby	Bradford	2	Rev. L. E. Alexander
" 31	"	Paul A. Nickerson	Glo'c'ter Mass	32 w	H'dw'r Clerk	Glo'c'ter Mass	Andrew Nickerson	Nova Scotia	1	Rev. H. L. McCann
Nov. 20	"	Frances Silva	"	19 w	Backer	"	Manuel Silva	Canada	1	Rev. L. E. Alexander
" 24	Peterboro	Henry Blair	Hillsboro	35 w	Rest'nt	Lowell, Mass.	Frank Tarbox	Keene	2	Rev. A. J. Holley
" 28	Lebanon	Edna La Blanc	"	25 w	"	Keene	George G. Colby	Chate'gay N Y	1	Rev. Howard H. White
Dec. 2	Concord	Alfred F. Colby	"	24 w	Salesman	Walth'm Mass	Fred B. Ives	Hillsboro	1	Rev. Edwin T. Cooke
" 17	Manchester	Benlah M. Ives	"	22 w	Tel. Operator	Hillsboro	John B. Kemp	Hillsboro	1	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter
		Samuel C. Kemp	"	18 w	Laborer	"	Guy C. Davis	E. Brookfield	1	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter
		Evelyn G. Davis	"	34 w	Mill Operative	Som'v'le Mass	George J. Wise	Hebron	2	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter
		George A. Wise	Keene	35 w	Wood Chopp'r	Groton, Mass.	Almon Cass	Richmond	1	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter
		Eva M. Huntley	Hillsboro	29 w	Cook	Keene	George O. Watson	Moria, N. Y.	2	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter
		Byron M. Watson	"	26 w	Lu'ber	Char'l'n Depot	Harry E. Mills	England	1	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter
		Ethel I. Chandler	"	20 w	Housekeeper	Boston	John C. Johnson	Sweden	1	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter
		Frank G. Johnson	"		Mill Operative	Hillsboro	Charles H. Sleeper	Hillsboro	1	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter
		Maudie F. Sleeper	"		Tel. Operator	"		Hillsboro	1	Rev. J. Wesley Rafter

*Deaths Registered in the Town of Hillsboro for the Year Ending December 31, 1926.*

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex and Condition		Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Years	Months		Male or Female	Single Married Widowed					
Jan. 3	Hillsboro	Sarah B. McDaniels	76		Nova Scotia	F	W	Electrician	Edmund Betts	Ann M. Wilder	Berlin Vt.	Waitsfield, Vt.
" 18	"	Orcas A. Harrington	73	10	Berlin, Vt	M	W	Home-maker	Le'nard Harri'g't'n	Eliza Peaslee	"	Boston, Mass
" 28	"	Laura I. Black	70	6	Henniker	F	W	"	Eben'z Hemphill	Elizabeth Venezia	Washington Hillsboro	Springfield Hillsboro
Feb. 5	"	Infant Lampron	7	24	Hillsboro	M	S	Lumber deal'r	Herbert Lampron	Emma Davis	Washington Hillsboro	Deering
" 12	"	Gilman Danforth	79	3	East Wash'ton	F	W	Retired	Calvin Danforth	Clara Goodall	Hillsboro	Deering
" 13	Henniker	Abbie J. Hadley	86	6	Hillsboro	F	W	"	Robert Carr	Sadie E. Stowell	Allenstown	Deering
" 17	Hillsboro	Frank D. Cate	21	8	West Deering	M	S	Truck driver	William B. Cate	Anna V. Smith	Deering	Deering
" 20	"	Lorane A. Foote	2	3	Hillsboro	F	S	"	Harold R. Foote	Belinda Colby	"	"
" 23	"	Richard Clement	82	11	Manchester	M	W	Retired	Richard Clement	"	"	"
" 26	Framingham	Esther J. Burbank	18	4	"	F	S	"	Daniel Hoyt	Lucy Kimball	Hillsboro	Deering
Mar. 3	Hillsboro	Daniel Scott Hoyt	79	10	Hillsboro	M	S	Carpenter	Harry Gould	Agnes Simmons	"	Hillsboro
" 12	Manchester	Dorothy Gould	14		Son'v'le Mass	F	S	Housewife	Francis G Dresser	Mary C. Pope	Washington	Washington
Apr. 13	Hillsboro	Lillian M. Follansbee	58	8	Windsor	F	M	"	Granville Parker	Laura McKellips	Munsonville	Mt. Vernon
" 15	Concord	Willie C. Owen	51	3	"	F	W	"	James Gove	Mary Alexander	Wear	Corinth, Vt.
" 24	Hillsboro	Ira A. Parker	76	7	Lowell, Mass.	M	W	Housewife	Harold R. Elliott	"	Percy, N H	Keene
" 25	"	Donsella F. Chase	75	9	Wear	F	W	"	"	"	"	"
" 30	"	Lester H. Elliott	1	10	Newport, Vt.	F	M	"	"	"	"	"
May 5	Boston	Augusta Goodrich	39	9	"	F	M	"	"	"	"	"
" 16	Hopkinton	Ellen A. Newman	31	10	"	F	M	"	"	"	"	"
June 1	Warner	Louis Perrault	82		"	M	S	"	"	"	"	"
" 15	Hillsboro	Adela E. Haslet	74	11	Canada	F	M	Laborer	Twinisk Perrault	Isabella Bean	Canada	Searsmont Me
" 16	"	Harriett A. Newman	92	10	Boston	F	S	Teacher	George Haslet	Eliza Hamilton	Hallowell, Me	"
" 22	"	Henry C. Colby	77	11	Goshen	M	W	Retired	David Gregg	Melissa Robinson	Deering	Hillsboro
" 26	Goffstown	Roland T. Abbott	79	11	Hillsboro	M	W	Farmer	Cyrus Colby	Eliza Carr	Hillsboro	N. H.
July 14	Hillsboro	George H. Carlson	20	9	Wor'ster Mass	M	S	Clerk	John F. Carlson	Augusta Stevens'n	Sweden	Sweden
" 22	Arli'g't'n Mass	Hannah E. Pinard	52	10	Lowell, Mass.	F	W	At home	Gledhill Beel	Nancy Johnson	England	England
" 22	Goffstown	Stewart Adanson	82	2	Scotland	M	S	Mill operative	Wm. Adanson	Mary	Scotland	Scotland
" 26	Hillsboro	Alma J. Smith	49	14	Sunapee	F	M	Housewife	Chas. I. Wheeler	Harriet Symonds	Charlestown	Achworth



Aug.	2	Hillsboro	Bert Drew	2	1	Suncook	M	Laborer	Wm. Drew	Lucinda Drew	New Ham's're	Suncook
"	3	"	Deborah M. Brown	56	2	Watert'n Mass	F	Teacher	Eben MacKeller	Sarah Collins	Machias, Me.	Hillsboro
"	12	"	Sarah W. Story	85	9	Hillsboro	F	Jeweler	Jason H. Newell	Lavilla Emery	Hillsboro	"
Sept.	2	"	Delmont E. Gordon	57	1	Skowheg'n Me	M	Laborer	Elbridge Gordon	Sarah Hawes	England	Germany
"	5	"	James J. Griffin	73	4	Champl'in NY	M	Housewife	George W. Griffin	Ann Basford	Goshen	Hillsboro
"	10	"	Maria W. Leach	49	7	England	F	Retired	Thomas Wise	Rebecca Johnson	Germany	"
Oct.	3	"	John Pundt	77	6	Germany	M		Albert Richardson	Lucy O. Howlett	Germany	Poland
"	13	"	Sarah A. White	85	2	Hillsboro	F		Manuel Andrade	Rosa Gomes	Hillsboro	Hillsboro
"	17	"	Infant Andrade			"			George Ellinwood	Violet H. Sleeper	Portugal	"
"	18	"	Jean W. Ellinwood	1	2	"	F		Joseph A. Snow	Alice M. Hill	Hillsboro	"
"	18	Concord	Norris Leon Snow	1	5	"	M	Clerk	William Plummer	Susan Clark	Henniker	Hopkinton
"	28	Goffstown	Joseph Plummer	72	2	Henniker	M	Butcher	Melvin Temple	Jennie O. Goodall	Washingt	Antrim
"	29	Hillsboro	Edwin G. Temple	54		Windsor	M	Housework	A'gustin Ab'ndoch	Charlotte Herman	Germany	Germany
Nov.	5	Concord	Ottolie Stock	64	1	Germany	F	M. D., retired	Robert Peaslee	Persis Dodge	New Boston	Wears
"	9	Hillsboro	Benjamin D. Peaslee	69	6	Wears	M		Leo. Kulbackie	Agnes Rnnak	Webster Mass	Poland
"	16	"	Theodore Kulbackie	3	5	Hillsboro	M		J. Arthur Mosley	Ada M. Frank	Hillsboro	Portland, Me.
"	17	"	Infant Mosley			"	F		James Barter	Eliz. Easterbrook	Dev's'ire Eng.	Dev's'ire Eng.
"	29	"	Jane B. Commons	88	1	Devons're Eng	F	Retired	Thomas Devoy	Mary Kelley	Ireland	Ireland.
Dec.	24	"	John Thomas Devoy	32	2	Hillsboro	M	Farmer				
"	28	Manchester	Charlotte T. Russell	70	11	London, Eng.	F	At home				

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

CHAS. F. BUTLER, Town Clerk





