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January 31, 1927



ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

OFFICERS, TRUSTEES, AGENTS AND COMMITTEES

OF THE

TOWN OF SANDOWN

For The Year Ending January 31, 1927.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk-Daniel A. McKay

Selectmen--Ralph S. True, Thomas R. Shaw, Maurice D. Hathaway

Treasurer-Raymond K. Bassett

Road Agents—Burton S. Lovering, Henry E. Rand, Bernard A. Love

Supervisors of Checklist—Harland W. Rand, William S. Leslie, Burton S. Lovering

Tax Collector—Esther M. True

Board of Health-Elwin C. Mills

Library Trustees—D. A. McKay, Lena M. Grover T. R. Shaw

Town Trustees-Bernard A. Love, Ralph S. True

Fire Warden-Bernard A. Love

Deputy Fire Wardens—Clarence Drowne, Raymond K.
Bassett, Eugene C. True, James Hoyt

Constable—Clarence Merrick

Librarian—Agnes J. Shaw

Auditors-John D. Kelley, Clarence I. Drowne

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the inhabitants of the Town of Sandown qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House on the second Tuesday of March next at ten o'clock in the fore-noon to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To choose a Town Clerk.
- 2. To choose one Selectman for three years.
- 3. To choose a Town Treasurer.
- 4. To choose one or more Road Agents.
- 5. To choose a library trustee for three years.
- 6. To choose a Town Trustee for three years.
- 7. To choose all other necessary Town officers.
- 8. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for Town charges.
- 9. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for highways.
- 10. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for Town poor.
- 11. To see how much money the Town will vote for Memorial Day.
- 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$100.00 for the control of White Pine Blister.
- 13. To see if the Town will vote to divide the interest of the \$1,000 deposited in the Manchester Savings Bank

among the several denominations in proportion to their taxes.

- 14. To see if the Town will vote to buy a tractor snow-plow and raise money therefor.
- 15. On petition of William Yale and eleven other voters to see whether the Town will vote to give authority to the Derry Electric Company to install three street lamps along the Hampstead-Sandown-Derry-Chester road between the Sandown-Hampstead and the Sandown-Derry line, at no expense to the Town of Sandown other than the monthly charge of \$1.11 per light subject to a 10% discount if paid on or before the tenth of the month i. e. an annual charge for three lights of \$36.00.
- 16. To see how much money the Town will vote for Old Home Week.
- 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money for the use of the Town in anticipation of taxes.
- 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provision of the will of Sophronia W. Currier, deceased, reading as follows: I give and bequeath to the Town of Sandown the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, in trust, however the income or such portion thereof as may be necessary to be expended, in forever keeping my family burial lot, the lot of my Father and Mother,—Laevi Sanborn and Aurelia Sanborn; and the lot of Cyrus W. Hills, adjoining lots located in the North Burying ground in Sandown, N. H. in respectable condition and proper repair.
- 19. To act upon any business that may come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this Twenty-first day of February, 1927.

RALPH S. TRUE,
THOMAS R. SHAW,
MAURICE D. HATHAWAY,
Selectmen of Sandown.

A true copy of Warrant. Attest:

RALPH S. TRUE,
THOMAS R. SHAW,
'MAURICE D. HATHAWAY,
Selectmen of Sandown.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF SANDOWN, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1927 to January 31, 1928

Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year February 1, 1926 to January 31, 1927

Compared with

Sairwated Sapendi- tures en- aing year		50.00	30.0	50.00	10.00	1,806.03
Actual Estimated Expendi- Expendi- tures pre- tures en- vious year suing year 1920 1927	S.	\$031.93 6°72	5.5 5.5	55.47	333	151.59
	Current Maintenance Expenses:	Town Officers' Salaries Town Officers' Expenses	Election and Registration Expenses	Protection of Persons and Property: Fire Department	Health: 200.00 Health Department Vital Statistics	Highway and Bridges: State Aid Maintenance: State's Contribution Town's Contribution
Actual Estimated Revenue Revenue Previous Ensuing Year, 1926 Year, 1927		\$23.84	1,000.00			40.00 128.00 45.00
Actual Estimated Revenue Revenue Previous Ensuing Cear, 1926 Year, 192	248.7566	3.43	600.00	183.97 TAXES	227.48	46.00 16.00 128.00 50.00
	AOM STATE: Railroad Tax Seriing Real: Tox	Savings Bailly Lax For Fighting Forest Fires For Highways:	(a) For State Aid Maintenance	(b) tur Odds Interest and Dividend Tax 183.97 FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES	All Licenses' and Permits except Dog Licenses Interest Received on Taxes and De-	posits Sale of cemetery lots From Poll Taxes (a) National Bank Stock

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2,000.00	21.00	25.00	100.00	472.50 315.00	585.00	2,538.00 000.00 \$11,900.00
496.10 2,300.53 37.10	21.00	50.00	177.36	365.00 365.00 500.00	200.00 200.00 ivisions: 585.00	2,538.(a) 2,538.(d) 925.03 2,538.(d) 925.03 000.00 000.00 \$11,900.00
4th Class State's Contribution Town Maintenance General Expense of Highway De- partment	Education: Libraries Charities:	Recreation: Parks and Playgrounds INTEREST: On Tennograph Louis	On temporary rooms On Long Term Notes Highways and Bridges: State Aid Construction	State's Contribution Town's Contribution Indebtedness: Payment on Principal of Debt:	(c) To Restore Trust Funds 200 Payments to Other Governmental Divisions: State Taxes 58	County taxes Payments to School Districts Unclassified TOTAL EXPENDITURES
472.50						3,284.34
Revenue Applicable only to New Construction and Improvements: FROM STATE; (a) For State Aid Highway Construction					TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEDE DECREES	TANES CONTROL OF TANES 2,978.54 Amount Raised by Property Taxes 8,220.50 TOTAL REVENUES \$11,199.64

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF SANDOWN

Lands and Buildings	\$196,170.00
Horses, 61	3,885.00
Oxen, 2	250.00
Cows, 44	1,690.00
Other Neat Stock, 3	75.00
Fowls, 1771	2,217.00
Vehicles, 1	50.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	2,775.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks, 2	275.00
Stock in Trade	2,100.00
Mills and Machinery	1,100.00

Total, exclusive of soldiers' exempti	ons \$210,587.00
Polls, 134 @ \$2.00	268.00
Bank Stock taxes	44.00
Amount of taxes committed to collecto	r,
including poll taxes and national bar	nk
stock taxes	\$8,314.30
Average rate per cent of taxation for	
all purposes	3.80
Amount exempted to soldiers and sol-	
diers' widows	4,281.00
Names of express companies doing 1	ousiness in your town,
American Railway.	

Names of telephone companies doing business in your town, Sandown & N. E. T. & T.

APPROPRIATIONS

State Tax	\$585.00
County Tax	423.71
Town Charges	800.00
Highways	2,938.00
Town Poor	400.00
Memorial Day	15.00
Library	21.00

School District White Pine Blister Rust	2,338.00 400.00 193.60
Overlay -	193.00
	\$8,314.31
STATEMENT OF ASSETS	
Cash in hands treasurer: \$1,036.68 Deposited in Manchester Savings Bank 1,000.00 Interest due on deposits 248.35 Joint Highway Accounts, unexpended balances in State Treasury 448.10 Forest Fires 23.84 F. M. Harris Witham 145.70 Taxes not collected: levy of 1924 10.70 Taxes not collected: levy of 1925 19.85 Taxes not collected: levy of 1926 51.41 Unredeemed lands, 1925 8.46 Unredeemed lands, 1915 to 1920 88.40 Unredeemed lands, 1921 21.70	
Unredeemed lands, 1923-1924 34.60 Unredeemed lands, 1926 290.22	
Total Assets	\$1,132.98
Grand Total	\$3,412.01
STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES	
Unexpended balance in Town Treasury 442.92 Outstanding temporary loans in anticipation of taxes 1,500.00 Interest due the several religious socities 56.57	
Total liabilities Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	\$1,999.49 1,412.52
Grand Total	\$3,412.01

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes:	
Property taxes committed to Collector,	
1926 \$8,036.50	
Less discount and abatement, 1926 8,030.80	
Less uncollected, 1926 7,985.39	
1. Property taxes, current year, actually	
collected	\$7,985.39
2. Poll taxes, current year, actually	
collected @ \$2.00	252.00
3. Property and poll taxes, previous	
years, actually collected	268.85
-	
Total of above collections	\$8,556.24
Tax sales redeemed	149.00
From State:	
5. For Highways. 4th Class \$732.34	
(b) For State Aid maintenance 151.59	
(b) For State Aid construction 485.73	
6. Interest and dividend tax 183.97	
89. Railroad tax, Savings bank tax 487.66	
12. Fighting forest fires 8.22	
13. Filing declaration as representa-	
tive 2.00	
From County:	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
From Charles Putney 80.50	
14. For support of poor 43.00	
From Local Sources, Except Taxes: 16. Dog licenses 94.10	
16. Dog licenses 94.10 20. Interest received on taxes 6.90	
24. Income from departments: From Old Home Ass'n 42.14	
26. Permits for the registration of motor	
vehicles 227.48	*
venicles 221.40	

28. From sale of cemetery lots, \$16. Use of Hearse, \$2.00 Receipts Other Than Current	18.00 Revenue:	`
28. Temporary loans in anticipation taxes during year		3,063.63
Total Receipts from All Sources Cash on hand February 1, 1926		\$12,768.87 373.19
Grand Total		\$13,142.06
STATEMENT OF PAY	MENTS	
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
1. Town Officers' salaries	\$631.98	
2. Town officers' expenses	68.72	
3. Election and registration expens	ses 54.00	
5. Expenses town hall and other	07.01	
town buildings	87.21	
Protection of Persons and Prop		
7. Fire department, including fore fires	55.47	
Health:	33.47	
12. Vital statistics	3.30	
Highways and Bridges :	5.50	
14. State aid maintenance	353.55	
15. Maintenance, 4th class	496.10	
16. Town maintenance	2,300.53	
18. General expenses of highway de		
ment, including watering trough		
Charities:	0,110	
Libraries:	21.00	
20. Town poor	254.42	
Recreation:		
24. Park and playgrounds, including		
band concerts	50.00	
Unclassified	634.83	

29. Taxes bought by town Interest:	290.22	
33. Paid on temporary loans in anti-		
pation of taxes	37.50	
34. Paid on long term notes	177.36	
Total interest payments		\$214.86
Outlay for New Construction a	ınd	
Permanent Improvements: 37. Highways and Bridges—State A	Aid 811.38	
constituction .	011.50	
Total outlay payments Indebtedness:		\$811.38
45. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	1 \$1,500.00	
46. Payments on long term notes	500.00	
49. Payments to trustees, trust fund		
Total indebtedness payments Payments to Other Governmen	tal	\$2,200.00
Divisions:		
51. Taxes paid to State	\$585.00	
52. Taxes paid to County	423.71	
54. Payments to School Districts	2,538.00	
Total payments to other govern-		
mental divisions		\$3,546.71
Total payments for all purposes		\$12,111.38
Cash on hand January 31, 1927		1,030.68
Grand Total		\$13,142.06

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Building	gs	\$1,500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings		572.00
Police Department equipment		10.00
Fire Department equipment		120.00
Highway Department equipmen	nt	50.00
Materials and Supplies		123.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings		900.00
Equipment		100.00
Total	_	\$3,375.00
TOWN CLERE	K'S REPORT	
I have licensed the following	dogs for the year	1926:
29 Male dogs @ \$2.00	·	\$58.00
1 Male dog, 6 mos.	•	1.00
5 Female dogs @ \$5.00		25.00
1 Female dog, 10 mos.		4.10
3 Female spayed @ \$2.00		6.00
•	_	\$94.10
Paid Treasurer	\$94.10	7
Town Clerk's Fee	5.85	
Bal. to Town	\$88.25	
	DANIEL A. Mc	KAY.
		own Clerk.
PERMITS FOR MOTOR	VEHICLES YEA	AR 1926
Number of cars		60
Amount of Taxes collected and	l paid to Town	
TD.	-	

Treasurer

DANIEL' A. McKAY, Town Clerk.

\$227.48

TREASURER'S REPORT

		THE RECIENCE THE OWL	
1926)		
Feb.	1	Cash on hand	\$373.19
	19	Received of Second National Bank,	
		Money borrowed	1000.00
Mar.	6	Received of R. K. Bassett, Col.,	
		1925 Taxes	226.92
April	6	Received of R. K. Bassett, Col.,	
		1924 and 1925 Taxes	41.93
		-	***************************************
D 11		4017.00	\$1,642.04
		ders of Selectmen \$817.29	
Cash	on ha	and to balance 824.75	•
		\$1,642.04	
		JOHN G. GOOD	137 7 57
		John G. Good	Treasurer
	_		
April	5		\$824.75
	10	Received of D. A. McKay, Town	110.66
	24	Clerk, Auto Tax, 1926	119.66
	24	Received of Selectmen, Redeemed	149.00
	24	land of 1924 taxes	149.00
	24	Received of Selectmen, Cemetery lot No. 8, sold to John McManus	7.00
May	1	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	7.00
May	1	Poll Taxes, 1926	16.00
	18	Received of Selectmen, Nellie C.	10.00
	10	S. Osgood, Old Home Day Ass'n	42.14
	24	Received of D. A. McKay, Town	,2.1,
		Clerk, Auto Tax 1926	53.59
June	5	Esther M. True, Collector, Poll	
5		Taxes, 1926	12.00
	18	Received of Second National	
		Bank, money borrowed	500.00
	18	Received of Daniel A. McKay, Town	
		Clerk, dog license, 1926	78.00

	18	Received of Daniel A. McKay, Town	
		Clerk, Auto Tax 1926	21.59
July	2	Received of Selectmen, Bal. due	
		on cemetery lct, No. 9 C. Merrick	2.00
	9	Received of Daniel A. McKay, Town	
		Clerk, for filing declaration for Repre-	
		sentative, W. P. Odell	2.00
	29	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 Taxes	284.05
Aug.	6	Received of Selectmen, forest fires	3.46
	10	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 Taxes	430.09
	25	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 Taxes	270.38
	30	Received of Selectmen for classified	
		highways class 4	732.34
Sept.	3	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 Taxes	80.50
	24	Received of D. A. McKay, Town	
		Clerk, 1926 dog licenses	15.10
	24	Received of D. A. McKay, Town	
		Clerk, Auto tax	31.52
Oct.	5	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 taxes	530.50
	23	Received of Selectmen, from Charles	
		Putney, Board of Alverdo Putney	60.00
	23	One-half cemetery lot No. 7, Sears	3.50
	23	One-half cemetery lot, Kirby	3.50
	23	For use of Hearse	2.00
	29	Received of Selectmen, Rocking-	
		ham County Poor	43.00
Nov.	3	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 Taxes	1,090.92
	19	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 Taxes	939.20
	19	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 Taxes	1.109.44

Dec.	1	Received of Esther M. True, Col. 1926 Taxes	1,970.21
	9	Received of Selectmen, Railroad tax and Savings Bank tax	487.66
	23	Received of Esther M. True, Col. 1926 Taxes	1,014.02
1927	7		
Jan.	12	Received of Selectmen, Tax on In-	
		terest and Dividends	183.97
	31	Received of Selectmen, State High-	
		way Department	637.32
	31	Received of D. A. McKay, Town	
		Clerk, Dog license, 1926	1.00
	31	Bal. due on Auto tax	1.12
	31	Received of Esther M. True, Col.	
		1926 taxes	546.98
Jan.	31	Received from Selectmen	
-		G. M. Griffin, fighting fire	4.79
		Chas. Putney	17.00
		Chas. Putney	3.50
Paid	on 01	rders of Selectmen	\$11,294.09
		and to balance	1,030.68
		1	\$12,324.79

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

DELECTMEN DIVE		,
Town Officers' Salaries:		
Ralph S. True, Selectman	\$100.00	
Thomas R. Shaw, Selectman	77.70	
Maurice D. Hathaway, Selectman	92.35	
Raymond K. Bassett, Treasurer	50.00	
Daniel A. McKay, Town Clerk	20.00	
Esther/M. True, Collector	125.23	
John D. Kelley, Auditor	4.50	
Paid to Estate of James F. Sargent	, for	
services of James F. Sargent	from	
Jan. 31, 1925 to April 7, 1925	33.00	
Ernest F. Fletcher, Supervisor	4.00	
Harland W. Rand, Supervisor	37.00	
William S. Leslie, Supervisor	20.00	
Agnes J. Shaw, Librarian	60.00	
Herbert George, Ballot Clerk	3.00	
E. C. Mills, Board of Health	5.20	
•		
		\$631.98
Town Officers' Expenses:		·
Ralph S. True, Selectman	\$15.00	
Thomas R. Shaw, Selectman	9.08	
Maurice D. Hathaway, Selectman	21.80	
Daniel McKay	22.84	
		\$68.72
Election and Registration:		
James E. Hoyt, Ballot Clerk	\$6.00	
f. W. A. McKay, Supervisor	33.00	
George S. Sanborn, Ballot Clerk	6.00	
John D. Kelley, Ballot Clerk	3.00	
Raymond K. Bassett, Ballot Clerk	6.00	
-		\$54.00
Town Hall Expenses:		
Raymond K. Bassett, Janitor	\$10.00	

Phillip S. Knights, shingling town house 42.14 \$87.21 Fire Department: Bernard A. Love Maurice Hathaway \$52.47 Maurice Hathaway \$55.47 Vital Statistics: W. A. Allen D. A. McKay \$3.30 Highways and Bridges: State Aid maintenance, Selectmen State Aid maintenance, Selectmen Fernard A. Love, Road Agent Henry E. Rand, Road Agent Henry E. Rand, Road Agent Berton S. Lovering, Road Agent Fernard Expense of Highways: Northeast Metal Co. Ralph S. True, Railings and Bridge Planks Pla	Community Hall Association rent Ralph L. Lincoln, for oil	25.00 10.07	
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Planks 110.47 Ralph S. True, Bridge Stringers and			
Rails 15.88			
	Rails	15.88	
\$192.91			\$192.91
Snow Paths, February, 1926:	The state of the s		
Donald Gates \$297.05 F. E. Brown 252.04			
B. A. Love 283.58			
\$832.67			\$832.67

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Snow Paths, January 1927:		
H. E. Rand	30.90	
B. A. Love	18.29	
B. S. Lovering	13.00	
B. S. Boyering		
		\$62.19
C. B. French, Gas and oil for snow plow		7.60
C. B. Trenen, das and on for show plow	_	
		\$3,150.18
General Expense of Highway:		φο,100.10
C. B. French, spikes, etc.	\$6.55	
M. D. Hathaway	3.50	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	10.30	
S. T. Adams, repairing road machine	11.50	
Otis Butler, 2 Bush Cutters	3.00	
Nora Buttrick, watering place		
H. E. Rand, watering place	2.25	
-		027.10
7.11		\$37.10
Libraries:		621 00
T. R. Shaw, Library Trustee		\$21.00
Charities:		
Town Poor		
Joseph Bingham, feeding and lodging		
persons	5.00	
Ralph Lincoln, mdse. for F. M. Harris		
Witham	20.92	
George E. Rowell, wood for F. M. Harr		
Witham	6.00	
Ralph S. True, wood for F. M. Harris		
Witham	11.50	
N. H. C. S. Society, Board for Alverdo		
Putney	211.00	
		\$254.42
Parks and Playgrounds:		
Meeting House Green Memorial Associa	ation	\$50.00
Unclassified:		

Daniel McKay, issuing 60 automobile			
permits	\$15.00		
Daniel McKay, Licensing 39 dogs @	\$.15 5.85		
Esther M. True, Taxes bought by			
Town	290.22		
John D. Kelley, Methodist money	'39.04		
Town of Hampstead, engineering line	e 7.29		
Clarence Merrick, Dog officer	9.50		
Charles H. Woodard, refund of dog	y .		
license	2.00		
A. W. Rowell, dues to the N. H. A.	Asso-		
ciation	2.00		
Daniel McKay, Universalist money	33.30		
J. H. Foster, Blister Rust Control	400.00		
Edson C. Eastman, Supplies	17.39		
E. P. Trowbridge, printing reports	95.00		
Raymond K. Bassett, taxes bought by	V		
town	8.46		
•		\$925.05	
Interest:		**	
Second Bank of Nashua	\$162.50		
	52.36		
Trustees of Trust funds, interest	52.36		
	52.36	\$214.86	
Trustees of Trust funds, interest —	52.36	\$214.86	
Trustees of Trust funds, interest Indebtedness:	52.36	·	
Trustees of Trust funds, interest Indebtedness: State Aid Construction	52.36	811.38	
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Indebtedness: State Aid Construction Payments on temporary loans Second National Bank of Nashua payments on long time notes To Second National Bank, Nashua Trustees of Trust Funds Elenor Bagley Fund Hannah T. French Fund Justin Sanborn Fund	\$500.00 \$50.00 50.00	811.38	

Payments to Other Gove Raymond K. Bassett, Earl R. Stockbridge, C H. E. Chamberlain, St	School Treas. \$2, County Tax	538.00 423.71 585.00
		\$3,546.71
Total payments for Cash on hand Jan 31st, 1		\$12,111.38 1,030.68
· T	ALPH S. TRUE, HOMAS R. SHA AURICE D. HA Select	
	ELECTMEN STA	ATE AID
Received from Treasurer		\$811.38
Expense of gravel		\$57.70
Expense of trucking		105.34
Expense of labor		348.34
Total		\$811.38
STATE AI	D MAINTENAN	CE
Received from Treasure	1*	\$353.55
Expense of team hire	5	883.45
Expense of Labor		43.86
Expense of cutting bushe	s 1	37.84
Expense of rails, posts ar	nd spikes	88.40
;	Al Dil C Thir	\$353.55
	ALPH S. TRUE,	(17
	HOMAS R. SHAT AURICE D. HAT	

MAURICE D. HATHAWAY, Selectmen of Sandown.

WORK ON HIGHWAY FRANK E. BROWN, Road Agent

For Pathing Snow in District No.	
Frank E. Brown	\$44.64
Harold E. Brown	46.29
M. Armstrong	3.89
John Anderson	7.88
Gilman L. Brown	21.20
J. Coombs	9.72
Leslie George	13.12
John Goodwin	.78
Herbert George	2.33
Byron Kelley	13.23
John D. Kelley	17.12
E. N. Langlois	1.36
James Martin	14.39
John McLaughlin	1.25
Clarence Merrick	10.50
Harland Rand	5.44
Harry Whitcomb	38.90
Total Received	\$252.04
Feb. 7, 1926—Payroll No. 1	\$72.54
Feb. 13, 1926—Payroll No. 2	107.15
Feb. 12, 1926—Payroll No. 2A	19.08
Feb. 18, 1926—Payroll No. 3	64.56
Feb. 18, 1926—Payroll No. 3A	9.22
Feb. 24, 1926—Payroll No. 4	7.79
Received from Town Treasurer	\$280.34
For Pathing Snow in D. Gates District:	·
Frank E. Brown	\$4.57
Harold E. Brown	5.05
Gilman L. Brown	2.53

Byron Kelley	2.53
John Kelley	2.53
J. Coombs	.97
Herbert H. George	.39
James Martin	1.56
Clarence Merrick	2.53
Harland Rand	2.53
Harry Whitcomb	3.11
Total Received	\$28.30
For Pathing Snow	
Feb. 7, 1926—Payroll No. 1	\$72.54
Feb. 13, 1926—Payroll No. 2	107.15
Feb. 18, 1926—Payroll No. 3	64.56
Feb. 24, 1926—Payroll No. 4	7.79
Total	\$252.04
TOWN OF SANDOWN	
Dr. to	
FRANK E. BROWN, Road Agent	
For Pathing Snow in D. Gates District	t
Feb. 12 1926—Payroll No. 2A	\$19.08
Feb. 18, 1926 Payroll No 3A	9.22
Total Received	\$28.30
ACCOUNT OF B. S. LOVERING, Road A	\gent
For 1926 and 1927, ending Jan. 31, 1927	~
Received of Town Treasurer, Check, May 1,	
1926	\$125.00
Received of Town Treasurer, Check, Sept. 11,	
1926	50.00
Paid Bills as follows:	
B. S. Lovering, labor and team	\$57.73
B. S. Lovering, labor and team	14.02
M. D. Hathaway, labor	26.25
E. F. Fletcher, labor	24.11

Fred Lovering, labor	12.84
R. S. True, team (1 pair of horses)	14.00
R. S. True, man and one pair of horses	5.46
R. S. True, one pair of horses	3.11
R. S. True, labor	3.90
Bert Green, labor	9.54
Charles Rock, labor (cutting bushes)	8.17
Thomas Shaw, 1 load gravel	.10
B. S. Lovering, 5 loads gravel	.50
	\$179.73
Amount received	175.00
Balance due B. S. Lovering	\$4.73
SNOW BILLS, 1926	
BERNARD A. LOVE.	
Received of Town Treasurer	\$283.58
Paid	'
B. A. Love	\$14.19
D. A. McKay	5.45
B. S. Lovering and team	16.73
J. M. Phillips	1.56
A. Brown	1.56
M. Hathaway	23.53
R. Brown	2.14
H. M. Kelley	23.53
H. V. Kelley	1.95
C. Merrick	3.50
H. Ross	11.09
G. Van Annan	3.79
W. Leslie	4.96
L. Walton	4.48
J. Bingham	35.20
J. Cavenaugh	13.81
V. Malcomian	6.42

20	
C. J. Drowne	5.06
W. Pevere	1.95
G. Sanborn	2.73
R. Bassett	5.84
	94.11
R. S. True	24.11
_	6202 50
0.1 75 0202 50	\$283.58
Orders on Treasurer \$283.58	
SNOW BILL, BERNARD A. LOVE, Ag	ent
Received of Treasurer	\$18.29
Paid	
G. Van Annan, shoveling	\$1.95
H. Ross, shoveling	2.39
J. Bingham, shoveling	1.75
J. Cavenaugh	1.75
W. Pevere	1.17
D. McKay	3.11
R. True	6.22
T. True	···-
	\$18.29
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LABOR ON LOVERING'S BRIDGE	
B. A. Love	\$8.56
R. True	5.45
M. Hathaway	5.45
	\$19.46
Received Order on Treasurer \$19.46	
WORK ON CRAM HILL	
H. Whitcomb, team	\$10.50
F. Brown, team	10.50
L. B. Walton, labor	3.50
H. Ross, labor	3.50
R. Bassett, labor	3.50
R. Bassett, gravel, 28 loads	2.80
B. Love	5.25
b. Love	2.40
	\$39.55
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SETTING RAILS

B. Love, labor		\$4.81
B. Love, 11 posts @ \$.10		1.10
L. B. Walton, labor		3.31
F. Brown, spikes		.66
		\$9.88
Total	49.43	
By order on Treasurer	45.97	
Received bal. due from Treasurer,		
Jan. 31, '27	3.46	
Paid		
B. A. Love, labor		\$46.30
V. Melkonian, labor and gravel		29.67
C. I. Drowne, labor		14.78
J. Lovering, labor		7.00
D. McKay, labor		7.00
R. K. Bassett, labor		14.59
C. Rock, labor		12.45
J. Bingham and team		40.06
F. Brown and team		47.25
H. Brown and team		31.50
M. Hathaway		24.56
G. Brown		5.25
H. Ross		21.00
H. Whitcomb		21.00
B. Lovering and team		13.22
R. True and team		10.11
E. Fletcher		5.84
J. Cavenaugh		14.00
F. Lovering		5.84
		\$371.42
Received of Treasurer		370.80
Received bal. due from Treasurer, Jan,		
31, 1927		\$.62

LABOR ON FREMONT ROAD, STATE AID

R. K. Bassett, cutting bushes	\$4.67
C. Rock, cutting bushes	26.45
M. Hathaway, cutting bushes	22.95
V. Melkonian, cutting bushes	17.51
B. Love, cutting bushes	20.42
H. Roberts, truck	62.00
H. Mills, truck	60.00
F. Brown, team	42.00
H. Whitcomb, team	42.00
M. Hathaway, labor	18.47
• •	21.00
J. Bingham, labor D. McKay, labor	14.97
	21.58
R. Bassett, labor .	18.47
L. B. Walton, labor	21.00
H. Ross, labor	22.17
B. Love, labor	1.36
V. Melkonian, labor	10.50
H. Smith, labor	10.50
J. H. Martin, labor	13.61
H. Kelley, labor	13.80
M. Hathaway, 138 loads gravel	2.50
C. I. Drowne, 25 loads gravel	2.30
	\$487.93
On orders Town Treasurer \$488.10	φιολίου
487.93	
Paid bal. due Town, Jan. 31, 1927 \$.17	
TOWN OF SANDOWN, N. H., HIGHWAY	DEPT.
PATHING SNOW	
H. E. RAND, Road Agent District No.	2
Pay Roll—Jan. 22, 1927 :	
Paid	
David J. King	\$7.00
George Rowell	5.02

2.53
2.53
2.33
2.53
2.53
2.92
\$27.39
\$1.17
1.17
1.17
\$3.51

LABOR ON HIGHWAY, Year 1926

H. E. RAND, Road Agent District No. 2

Paid -	
George Rowell and team	\$115.50
Frank Brown and team	7.00
Harold Brown and team	14.00
David King and team	77.00
H. E. Rand and team	84.61
Ralph True and team	7.00
A. McLauren, labor	42.00
E. N. Pervere	32.28
H. W. Rand	49.78
B. H. Rowell	35.00
Herbert George	5.25
Maurice Hathaway	7.00
Daniel Hoyt	1.75
Paid for gravel	
George Rowell	7.00

H. E. Rand E. Cloudman	16.60
Herbert Woodard	.20
	\$502.57
CUTTING AND BURNING BUSHES	IN DISTRICT

CUTTING AND BURNING BUSHES IN DISTRICT NO. 2, YEAR, 1926

H. E. RAND, Road Agent

Paid E. N. Pervere H. E. Rand	\$22.57 42.81
H. W. Rand	4.48
Herman Overle	.39
Ť	\$70.25 abor on Guide Rails
Paid	abor on Guide Rans
E. N. Pervere	\$4.29
	·
H. E. Rand	11.47
H. W. Rand	3.51
52 Posts	13.00
20 lbs. spikes	1.20
	\$33.47

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Sandown, N. H. on January 31st, 1927

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Expended Languages Tear	5 00 Total
Income on hand at begin of the ome During of Year. The ome During Year.	8
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HOW INVESTED State character and rate of return for each investment. State also dates when funds, were "borrowed or used for city or town purposes."	The Exeter Banking Co. The Nutifield Savings Bank red from Cash To be deposited stmen " in Amoskeag 31, 1927 " Savings Bank Total
TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION All trust funds should be reported separately giving name of fund and donor	Martha H. Ordway Elizabeth B. Grainger Hannah T. French (Receiv Justin Sanborn Sele Eleanor Bagley (Jan.
Date of Creation	Dec 7, 1922 Feb. 2, 1926 Oct. 1, 1913 Jan. 1, 1913 Dec. 15, 1897

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief. Dated Jan. 31, 1927.

RALPH S. TRUE, BERNARD A. LOVE,

Trustees.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Sandown, N. H., Feb. 18, 1927.

This is to certify that we have carefully examined the accounts of the Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Road Agents, Selectmen, Trustees of Trust Funds and Tax Collector, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN D. KELLEY, C. I. DROWNE,

Auditors.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

No. of books in Library	1,408
No. of State and Reference books	190
No. of books loaned from Feb. 1, 1926 to Jan. 31,	
1927	350
Collected for fines from Feb. 1, 1926	
to Jan. 31, 1927 \$2.26	
Cash on hand from fines, Feb. 1, '26 .23	
	2.49
Postage and fees	.42
Balance on hand from fines	\$2.07
On hand unexpended Jan. 31, 1926 \$21.64	
Received from Trustees' appropriation	
for 1926 21.00	
	42.64
Haxe expended for books	36.22
On hand unexpended	\$6.42
The Library has received from the State "The	Public
Laws of New Hampshire" revised to date.	
AGNES J. SHAV	N,

Librarian.

ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE OFFICERS OF SANDOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR

Beginning July 21, 1925 and ending June 30, 1926 SCHOOL OFFICERS FOR 1926-27

SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. Lena M. Grover, Chairman James M. King Mrs. Jennie F. C. Leslie, Clerk

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Fred E. Pitkin, M. A.

TREASURER

Raymond K. Bassett

MODERATOR

Clarence I. Drowne

CLERK

Daniel A. McKay

AUDITOR

CLARENCE I. DROWNE

ATTENDANCE OFFICER AND ENUMERATOR

Herman Oberle

SCHOOL NURSE

EVA M. PARKER

STAFF OF TEACHERS FOR 1925-26

Year	1925	1925	1925		1926	1925	1925
	Experience 1	10	0		0	11	
Summer	Sessions 0		0	5-27	0	_	0
Training	Clark School Margaret L. Brown Plymouth Normal '24	Sanborn Sem. '16	Keene Normal '25	CEACHERS FOR 1926-27	Plymouth Normal '26	Sanborn Sem. '16	Keene Normal '25
Teachers	Margaret L. Brown	Chestnut Hill Edna M. Kelley	Ruth M. Atkinson	T	Clark School Ruth A. Childs	Chestnut Hill Edna M. Kelley	Ruth M. Atkinson
School	Clark School	Chestnut Hill	Pine Grove		Clark School	*Chestnut Hill	Pine Grove

*As enrollment had dropped to three pupils, this school was closed at end of fall term, the pupils transferred to Clark School where Miss Kelley succeeded Miss Childs, who resigned because of poor health.

SCHOOL WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District of Sandown qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on Tuesday, March 15th, 1927, at Two o'clock in the Afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
- 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
- 4. To choose a member of the school board for the en-
- 5. To fill any other vacancies on the school board.
- 6. To hear reports of agents, auditors, committees, or other officers chosen, and take any action relating thereto.
- 7. To see what alterations, if any, the district will vote in the school board report of money needed for educational purposes during the ensuing fiscal year, and to see if the district will vote to raise the amounts as then called for therein.
- 8. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in the warrant.

Given under our hand this eighth day of February, 1927.

LENA M. GROVER,

JENNIE F. C. LESLIE,

School Board of Sandown.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926 RECEIPTS

Cash on hand July 1, 1925 Equalization fund District Tax for:	\$1,083.55 2,077.94
Support of elementary school	1,645.00
High school tuition	350.00
Salaries of district officers	92.00
Superintendent's excess salary	100.00
For payment of per capita tax	92.00
Truant officer and chool census	20.00
Expense of administration	15.00
New equipment	75.00
Dog Licenses	164.45
Total Receipts	\$5,714.94
PAYMENTS	
Salaries of district officers	\$72.00
Superintendent's excess salary	180.77
Truant officer and school census	25.00
Expense of administration	18.97
Teachers' salaries	2,600.00
Text books	58.24
Scholars' supplies	53.54
Flags and apurtenances	4.25
Other expenses of instruction	24.76
Janitor services	108.00
Fuel	109.75
Water, light and janitor supplies	8.00
Minor repairs and expenses	76.23
Health supervision	93.00
Transportation of pupils	270.00
High school tuition	250.00
Other special activities	4.95 *

\$2 per pupil tax to state	92.00
Alterations of old buildings	218.44
New equipment	166.14
Cash on hand, June 30, 1926	1,280.90

\$5,714.94

JENNIE F. C. LESLIE, LENA M. GROVER,

School Board of Sandown.

F. E. PITKIN,

Superintendent of Schools.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school district of the School Board of Sandown, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

C. I. DROWNE,

July 12, 1926

Auditor.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DISTRICT TREAS-URER FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1926

Cash on hand June 30, 1925 Received from Selectmen, raised by taxation Dog taxes Received from State treasurer	\$1,083.55 2,389.00 164.45 2,077.94
Total available for the year Less school board orders paid	\$5,714.94 4,434.04
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1926 R. K. BASSETT,	\$1,280.90

Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the School District of Sandown, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and find them correct in all respects (except some vouchers not returned).

C. I. DROWNE,

July 12, 1926

Auditor.

SCHOOL BOARD BUDGET

From July 1, 1927 to June 30, 1928

To be voted on at annual school meeting Tuesday after-

noon at 2.00 o'clock, March 15, 1927. Teachers' salaries \$1,900.00 Textbooks 50.00 Scholars' supplies 50.00 Flags and appurtenances 5.00 Other expenses of instruction 10.00 Janitor service 72.00 Fuel 100.00 Water, light and janitor's supplies 15.00 · Minor repairs and expenses 100.00 Health supervision 57.00 Transportation of pupils 720.00 Other special activities 10.00 Total for "support of schools" \$3,089.00 · Deduct State aid 1,500.00 Balance to raise by district tax \$1,589.00 Salaries of district officers 125.00 Superintendent's salary 122.00 Truant officer and school census 20.00 Expenses of administration 15.00 High school tuitions 270.00

New equipment \$2 per pupils tax to State 50.00 86.00

Grand total to raise by district tax for all school purposes

\$2,277.00

Respectfully submitted, LENA M. GROVER, JENNIE F. C. LESLIE,

Dec. 29, 1926

Sandown School Board.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

February 8, 1927.

To the School Board and Citizens of Sandown:

Herewith I submit to you my seventh annual report as superintendent of schools.

MORE RELIABLE REPORT CARD MARKS

Short weekly tests in reading and arithmetic, grades 3 to 8, are now supplied to the teachers. These same tests for the 5th grade have been given to very many pupils of that grade in many towns and cities throughout the United States, and we know the scores those pupils made. By comparing our 5th grade pupils' marks with those made in the other towns and cities, our teachers have a reliable guide for judging just how well our pupils are doing. The same is true for each grade.

ASK TO SEE THE NEW ARITHMETIC PRACTICE EXERCISES

This year the schools have been supplied with some new practice exercises in arithmetic. They are bound in book form and called "The Arithmetic Work Book." We are expecting them to raise our arithmetic work to a higher standard. They are for grades 3 to 8.

MORAL INSTRUCTION IN THE SCHOOLS

The religion of behavior and conduct includes the principles of honesty, reverence, courtesy, kindness, courage, temperance, fair-play, justice, thrift, industry, etc., including many such characteristics.

In our efforts to build those principles into the characters of our children the following measures are taken:

- 1. No teacher is given a license in this State whose moral character has not been certified to by three persons, and her license is permanently taken away if immorality is proved.
- 2. The Bible or Bible stories may be read in the morning exercises.
 - 3. The morning session is opened with prayer.
 - 4. Inspirational poems or psalms are memorized.
- 5. Reading books are chosen that contain some character-building literature.
- 6. The lives or accomplishments of great men are described in books used.
- 7. The teacher in her dicipline and playground supervision attempts to require the pupils to follow those principles in their school life.
- 8. Various other ways, as stories told, discussions, dramatizations, etc.

The religion of belief is left for the Sunday schools of the Church

As these principles are sectarian and vary according to the denomination of the church, no attempt is made to teach them in the schools. These include such items as the following:

- 1. Was Jesus a divine being, or was he a perfect man?
- 2. Is it true that Jonah was in a whale three days?
- 3. Must a person be baptized to be acceptable to God?
- 4. Will Chirst return in person to rule on earth 1,000 years?
 - 5. Did Peter really found the church in Rome?
- 6. Did the crucifixion of Christ relieve us from the consequences of our own sins?

SCHOOL OBSERVANCE OF HOLIDAYS

Labor Day, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving Day, New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Fast Day, Flag Day, Memorial Day and Arbor Day are the *ten* holidays that occur while school is in session.

In New Hampshire seven of these are so-called "legal holidays." The term "legal holiday" does not mean that schools must not keep, or that banks, factories and stores must close; it merely means that if a note or check is dated as payable on that day, it cannot be collected until the next succeeding business day.

To close school on each of the ten holidays would shorten each pupil's school year by two weeks.

Columbus was a deep student of geography and mathematics. It is quite certain that he would prefer our boys and girls to celebrate his discovery of America by regular attendance at school where special attention to his life, courage and perseverance was given, and their knowledge of geography and mathematics increased by loyal work in their regular lessons. He would not prefer that the school be closed and that the pupils spend the day in idleness.

A similar argument applies to nearly all the other holidays.

THE IMPROVEMENT IN WRITTEN ENGLISH SINCE 1921

The following shows the number of errors per 100 words made in a written composition test given in 1921 and in 1927. The center column is the number of errors per 100 words; each figure at the right or left represents a pupil of that grade. The 7, 7, 5 at right of 5 errors shows that in 1927 two 7th grade pupils and a 5th grade pupils made 5 errors per 100 words.

Pupils of	i 1921	Errors	Pupils of	1927
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		7	7	

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12
57
516
185
205
, 6, 6, 7, 7
524
5, 526
5, 6, 730
355
640

The following tables and statistics are given below:

- School Officers for 1926-27.
- 2. Staff of teachers for 1925-26
- 3. Staff of teachers for 1926-27.
- 4. Eighth grade graduates for 1926
- 5. Sandown pupils in high school 1926-27.
- 6. Pupils neither absent nor tardy 1925-26.
- 7. Attendance statistics 1925-26.

Respectfully submitted, FRED E. PITKIN,

Superintendent of Schools.

EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES IN JUNE, 1926 Elsie Ray (in Sept. 1926 entered Union High School) OTHER SANDOWN PUPILS ENROLLED IN HIGH

SCHOOLS 1926-27

Sanborn Seminary:

Ralph Drowne

Albert Drowne

Pinkerton Academy:

Olive Van Annan

PUIPLS NEITHER ABSENT NOR TARDY DURING 1925-26

Marion Brown, Alice George, Leslie George, Mary Woodard

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS 1925-26

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*State 1924- 1925	6.5	1	95.4	67	V. 1.5	*\$2 *\$2	i c		*		
1921-	16 63	20	68	335	5.5	172	0.1	51	ŗ	0	
1922-	12	345	89.4	35.6	7.7	100	77	53	,	S	
1923-	13	29.3	93	18.3	2.0	125	13	52	(7	
1924-	7.1	35.7	91.2	28.7	2.1	187	20	49		_	
1925-	11.7	30.4	94.2	16	3.2	120	#	53	32	ı,O	
Chestnut Hill	6 0	0 00 00 00	98.5	ĸ	1.3	29	7	18	16	4	wn.
Pine Grove	10	13.9	55	17	4	33	7	15	6		vith Sando
Clark School	16	7.7	95	25	चं	31	rc,	20	7	0	arison v
	_	Average membershin	Per cent, attendance	No. half days absent per pupil	No. of tardinesses per pupil	No. of visits from parents and citizens	No. of visits from School Board	No. of visits from Supt.	No. of visits from School Nurse	No. of pupils not absent or tardy	*On the basis of three schools for com

Births, Marriages and Deaths

Registered in the

TOWN OF SANDOWN

For the Year Ending

DECEMBER 31, 1926

Births Registered in the Town of Sandown for the Year Ending December 31, 1926

Birthplace of Mother.	Marlboro, Mass Italy Concord
Birthplace of Father.	Canada Italy Sandown, Fremont
Maiden name of Mother.	5 w Emile Lauglois Anna Demers (anada Marlboro, Mass 5 w Emanuele Blanco Mary Laudona Ifaly Concord s 6 w Clarence A. Merriek Eunice II, Hinkley Sandown Sandown
Name of Father.	Emile Langlois-, Emanuele Blanco, Clarence A. Merriek Raymond K. Bassett
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Alale or Female S. May S. May S. May Still May S. M	0000
Living or Stillb	
Male or Female &	
Name of Child (if any.)	for 1926 Margareta Blanco Margareta Blanco Margareta Blanco 1 1 1 2 29 Eleana L. Bassett 1 1 1 2 3 3 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4
Place of Birth.	as down
Date of Birth	1926 Mar 17 une 2 Dec, 10

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN TOWN OF SANDOWN FOR YEAR ENDING DEC.31, 1926

Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by whom married.	Toward W. Collins Clergym an Hampsfead
Names of Parents, Condition	
Place of Birth of Each.	Sandown
Occupa- tion of Groom	w Truck driver w Box maker
Age of each	2 2 2
Residence of each at time of Marriage	Epping
Place of Name and Surname of each at time Stroom and Bride. Residence of Stroom S	Oct. 9 Hampstead Joseph J. F. L. Rock Epping 24 w Truck Sandown John Rock Evelyn Doris York Fremont 18 w Box Brentwood Rasanna Lavoie Rasanna Lavoie
Place of Marriage.	Hampstead
Date.	1926 Oct. 9

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SANDOWN FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1996

Maiden name of Mother ,	ne Petsy Spaulding Catherine Jackson Abugin York I Olive Smith I Nknown Shan C. Chase I nknown I n
Name of Pather.	Thos I. Sherburne — Petsy Spaulding Angella Tork Alugial York Alugial York Alugial York I course smith Prohicls Prohicls Prohicls Factor
Place of Birth.	Peb. 21 Sandown
Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Sandown George J. Sherburne 78 9 18 12 13 14 Marchester 6 mm Neahanne 6 8 8 29 14 15 15 15 15 15 15 15
Place of Death	1926 Feb. 21 Sandown Mar. 14 Manchester May 5 July 22 Aug 8 Aug 8 Oct. 8 Sandown Nov. 15 Dec. 24

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

DANIEL A. MCKAY Town Clerk.





