

TOWN OF CARROLL, N. H.



ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OFFICERS

For The Year Ending December 31,

1945



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of the
OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF
CARROLL,
NEW HAMPSHIRE



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st.

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THE BISBEE PRESS - LANCASTER, N. H.

TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Fred T. Whitcomb

TOWN CLERK

George E. Temple

SELECTMENSelden G. Thompson Oscar E. Rines
Leonard O. Burroughs**TOWN TREASURER**

George E. Temple

TAX COLLECTOR

Wallace H. Shores

OVERSEER OF THE POOR

Oscar E. Rines

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECK LIST

Elmer O. Brill Manson Hunt Ely Perry

BOARD OF HEALTH

Elmer O. Brill

CHIEF OF POLICE

Archie Glines

AUDITORS

George Temple, Jr. Paul J. Lemieux

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Carroll, in the County of Coos and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in town affairs. You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To elect all necessary town officers.
2. To raise and appropriate such sums as may be necessary for—
 - a. Town Officers' Salaries
 - b. Town Officers' Expenses
 - c. Election and Registration Expenses
 - d. Expenses Town Hall and other Buildings
 - e. Police Department
 - f. Fire Department
 - g. Health Department
 - h. Vital Statistics
 - i. Auto permits
 - j. Highways and Bridges
 1. Road Maintenance, Summer
 2. Road Maintenance, Winter
 3. General Expense Highway Department
 4. State Aid Construction
 5. Sidewalk Construction and Repairs
 - k. Street Lighting
 - l. Libraries
 - m. Town Poor and Old Age Assistance
 - n. Advertising
 - o. Memorial Day and other Celebrations
 - p. Cemeteries
 - q. Payment on Temporary Loans
 - r. Interest on Loans
4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money by temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.
5. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through tax collector's deeds, or otherwise.

6. To raise and appropriate to the White Mountains Region Association, for its program of advertising, etc., as a part of the cooperative investment by regional towns, an amount equal to 10c per \$1000 of the assessed valuation for 1945.

7. To transact any other business that may lawfully come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the town this twentieth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-six.

S. G. Thompson

O. E. Rines

L. O. Burroughs

Board of Selectmen.

VALUATIONS FOR 1945

Land and Buildings	\$ 977,076.00
Growing Wood and Timber	15,664.00
Electric Plants	34,000.00
26 Horses	3,400.00
78 Cows	6,640.00
47 Gasoline Stations	4,180.00
Stock in Trade	500.00
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	\$1,041,460.00
Less Soldiers' Exemptions	14,000.00
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	\$1,027,460.00
Tax Rate \$2.30 on \$100.00	
Property Tax	\$ 23,631.58
Regular Poll Taxes of \$2.00	332.00
Special Poll Taxes of \$3.00	543.00
National Bank Stock Tax	.60
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	\$ 24,507.18

TAXES ASSESSED 1945

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,275.00
Town Officers' Expenses	435.49
Election and Registration	145.00
O. P. A. Clerk	240.00
Town Hall	541.00
Police Department	150.00
Fire Department	24.67
Blister Rust	200.00
Health Department	149.00
Vital Statistics	12.75
State Aid Class 5 Road	62.76

Town Road Maintenance	2,500.00
Street Lighting	2,000.00
Automobile Permit Fees	68.00
Sidewalks	500.00
Libraries	255.00
Old Age Assistance	300.08
Town Poor	206.50
Memorial Day Honor Roll	312.90
Public Service	74.69
Cemeteries	150.00
Advertising and White Mt. Region Assn.	132.00
Interest	120.00
County Tax	4,945.97
School Tax	13,099.78

Total Town and School Appropriations \$ 27,900.59

Less Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest and Dividend Tax	\$ 868.59	
Railroad Tax	1,000.00	
Savings Bank Tax	300.00	
Reimbursements a/e Federal Lands	900.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	250.00	
Cash Surplus	1,000.00	
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\$ 23,582.00

Plus Overlay

	386.18
	<hr/> \$ 23,968.18

Less Regular Poll Taxes \$ 336.00

National Bank Stock Tax	.60
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Amount to be raised by property
taxes on which tax rate is figured \$ 23,631.58

TAXES COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

Property Taxes	\$ 23,631.58
Regular Poll Taxes	336.00
National Bank Stock Tax	.60
Special Poll Taxes	539.00
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Total Taxes Committed	\$ 24,507.18

Respectfully submitted,
S. G. Thompson
O. E. Rines
L. O. Burroughs
Selectmen of Carroll.

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Land and Buildings	\$ 12,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,000.00
Libraries and Equipment	3,000.00
Fire Department Equipment	800.00
Highway Equipment	2,000.00
Water Supply	43,000.00
School Land and Buildings	10,000.00
School Equipment	2,500.00
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Total	\$ 75,800.00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CARROLL

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year Jan. 1, 1946 to Dec. 31, 1946—Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year Jan. 1, 1945 to Dec. 31, 1945.

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1945	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1946	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 867.72	867.72		
Railroad Tax	1,126.86	1,126.86		
Savings Bank Tax	171.53	171.53		
Reimbursement a/c State and Fed. Forest Lands	1,006.40	900.00		106.40
National Forest Reserve	300.02	473.36	173.34	
Bounties	8.00	29.50	21.50	
Blister Rust Refund	3.80			3.80
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Business Licenses and Permits				
Dog Tax	33.00	33.00		
Rent on Town Hall and Bldgs.	202.00	120.00		82.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	358.66	358.66		
Sale of Town Property	25.00			25.00

Cash Surplus	2,487.81	2,763.60	275.79
From Local Taxes other than Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular \$2	260.00	330.00	70.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	.60	.60	
(c) Special \$3-Poll Taxes	429.00		429.00
(d) Interest and Costs	12.06		12.06
Total Revenues from all sources	\$ 7,292.46	\$ 7,174.83	540.63
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes	21,079.94	21,057.03	
Total Revenues	\$28,372.40	\$28,231.86	\$ 140.54

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CARROLL

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year Jan. 1, 1946 to Dec. 31, 1946—Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year Jan. 1, 1945 to Dec. 31, 1945.

Purposes of Expenditures:	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1945	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1946	Increase	Decrease
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,255.00	\$ 1,255.00		
Town Officers' Expenses	451.17	451.17		
Election and Registration exp.	183.00	450.00	267.00	
O. P. A. Clerk	175.00			175.00
Expenses Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	985.93	985.93		
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	148.00	148.00		
Fire Department	170.45			170.45
Moth Extermination—Blister Rust	200.00	200.00		
Health:				
Health Dept., including hospitals	187.00	198.00		
Vital Statistics	5.50	5.50		
Bounties	29.50			29.50
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Maintenance: Summer	726.50	726.50		
Town Maintenance: Winter	1,794.17	1,794.17		
Street Lighting	1,905.23	2,505.23	600.00	
Town Wood account	91.00			91.00
Withholding Tax	15.90			15.90

Libraries	255.00	255.00	
Public Welfare:			
County Poor	71.80		71.80
Old Age Assistance	325.14	525.14	200.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	92.55	192.55	100.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses	108.00		108.00
Advertising and Regional Asso.	100.00	100.00	
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	120.00	120.00	
Tax Refund	6.90		6.90
Outlay of New Construction and Perm. Improvement:			
Highway and Bridges:			
State Aid Const.—Town share	226.74		226.74
Sidewalk Construction	381.50	381.50	
Indebtedness:			
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Special Poll Tax \$3 to State	396.00	396.00	
Payments to other Gov't Divisions:			
County Tax	4,945.97	4,945.97	
Payment to School Districts	12,918.20	12,918.20	
Total Expenditures	\$28,372.40	\$28,231.86	\$1,167.00
			\$1,307.54

BALANCE SHEET**ASSETS**

Uncollected Taxes 1945 List	\$	736.15
Due from State:		
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Lands		787.98
National Forest Reserve		473.36
Bounties		29.50
Coos County Wood a/c		164.00
Wood on hand		28.00
Balance in Treasury, December 31, 1945		13,123.07
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Total Assets	\$	15,342.86
Total Liabilities		12,691.28
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Net Assets over Liabilities	\$	2,651.58

BALANCE SHEET

LIABILITIES

Due School District	\$	8,099.78
Due School District Dog Tax		25.75
Due O. E. Rines, Note		4,000.00
Due W. H. Shores, Balance Salary		50.00
Due Library Trustees		125.00
Due State—22 \$3.00 Special Poll Taxes Collected		66.00
Due State—36 \$3.00 Special Poll Taxes Uncollected		108.00
Accounts Outstanding		216.75
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Total Liabilities	\$	12,691.28

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

Balance on hand January 1, 1946	\$ 12,746.22
Joseph Liberty, Collector 1944 Taxes	849.23
W. H. Shores, Collector 1945 Taxes	23,797.03
Town Clerk, Motor Vehicle Permits	358.66
Town Clerk, Dog License Fees	33.00
S. G. Thompson, Rent on Town Hall	2.00
O. E. Rines, Rope	25.00
W. B. McCauley, Rent on Post Office	160.00
Twin Mt. Grange, Rent on Hall	40.00
State Treasurer:	
Reimbursement State and Federal Land	1,006.40
Forest Redistribution	300.02
Savings Bank Tax	171.53
Railroad Tax	1,126.86
Interest Dividend Tax	867.72
Bounties	8.00
Refund on Blister Rust	3.80
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	\$ 41,495.47
Orders drawn by Selectmen	28,372.40
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Balance in Treasury December 31, 1945	\$ 13,123.07

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Temple, Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts and vouchers of the Treasurer of the Town of Carroll for the year ending December 31, 1945 and found them correct.

George Temple, Jr.

Paul F. Lemieux

Auditors.

PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,255.00
Town Officers' Expenses	411.17
Election and Registrations	183.00
Civilian Defense	175.00
Town Hall	985.93
Police	148.00
Fire	170.45
Bounties	29.50
Blister Rust Control	200.00
Dog Taxes	36.25
Health Department	187.00
Vital Statistics	5.50
Wood Account	91.00
Town Road Maintenance	2,520.67
Withholding Tax	15.90
State Aid Road	226.74
Street Lighting	1,905.23
Automobile Permit Fees	40.00
Libraries	255.00
Old Age Assistance	325.14
County Poor	71.80
Advertising	100.00
Public Service Enterprise	65.00
Cemeteries	92.55
Damages and Legal Expense	108.00
Tax Refund	6.90
Interest	120.00
Sidewalks	381.50
Special Poll Tax	396.00
County Tax	4,945.97
School District	12,918.20
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Total	\$ 28,372.40

 TAX COLLECTION REPORT

Statement of 1944 Taxes, December 31, 1945

Uncollected Taxes Dec. 31, 1944	\$	816.37
Additional Poll Taxes Collected		10.00
Additional Property Taxes Collected		10.30
Costs of Delinquent Taxes		3.50
Interest on Delinquent Taxes		9.06
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	\$	849.23

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph Liberty, Collector.

Statement of 1945 Taxes, December 31, 1945

Assessment of 1945	\$	24,507.13
Additional Taxes		46.00
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	\$	24,553.18
Collected	\$	23,797.03
Abatements		20.00
Uncollected Taxes, Dec. 31, '45		736.15
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	\$	24,553.18

Respectfully submitted,

Wallace H. Shores, Collector.

 TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

George E. Temple, Auditor	\$	15.00
J. H. Liberty, Balance '44 Salary, Collector		50.00
W. H. Shores, part Salary for '45		200.00
L. O. Burroughs, Selectman		200.00
O. E. Rines, Selectman		200.00 300.00
S. G. Thompson, Selectman		250.00
George E. Temple, Clerk and Treasurer		20.00
O. E. Rines, Overseer of Poor		20.00
E. O. Brill, Board of Health		
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	\$	1,255.00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Arlene Lemieux, Typing	\$	10.00
E. C. Eastman, Supplies		63.87
S. A. Burns, Ins. Agency, Town Officers' Bonds		55.00
Coos County Register of Deeds		8.89
J. H. Liberty		6.50
C. W. Putney, Repairs on adding machine		24.75
W. B. McCauley		38.00
E. L. Proctor, Printing		20.45
L. O. Burroughs		10.00
O. E. Rines		15.00
G. E. Temple		8.71
S. G. Thompson		150.00
	\$	411.17

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

F. T. Whitcomb, Moderator Mch.	\$	10.00
William Wright, Clerk		5.00
William Powell, Clerk		5.00
L. G. Hunt, Clerk		5.00
M. P. Liberty, Clerk		5.00
Eli Perry, Supervisor		30.00
M. G. Hunt, Supervisor		30.00
E. O. Brill, Supervisor		30.00
Courier Printing Company, Checklists		30.00
E. L. Proctor, Election '44, Town Meetings '44 and '45		33.00
Total	\$	183.00

O. P. A. CLERK

Matilda Fournier	\$	85.00
Teresa Mason		90.00
Total	\$	175.00

 TOWN HALL

S. A. Burns, Insurance Agency, 3 years' insurance	\$	328.74
S. A. Burns, Insurance Agency, liability insurance		57.56
Hadlock's Insurance Agency, 3 years' insurance		110.88
Ray Fahey, wood		55.50
F. E. Staples, boiler repairs		25.50
Russell Burroughs, relay switch		22.00
L. O. Burroughs, boiler repairs		67.75
Fournier's Store, boiler repair parts		5.14
W. McCann, work		6.00
L. O. Burroughs, lamps		1.70
C. McCauley		25.00
J. McGee		75.00
B. McCulloch, fuel oil		147.60
Public Service Company, lighting		57.56

Total	\$	985.93
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 POLICE

Archie Glines	\$	148.00
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 FIRE

Clayton Straw, Warden	\$	114.70
N. J. Bedard		30.20
Clayton Straw, express		1.55
State Forester, 6 fire pumps		24.00

Total	\$	170.45
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 BLISTER RUST

State Treasurer	\$	200.00
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BOUNTIES

Ruth Glines, 1 hedgehog	\$.50
Stanley McGee, 4 hedgehogs		2.00
A. Stagman, 7 hedgehogs		3.50
M. Rines, 7 hedgehogs		3.50
A. Jenkins, 10 hedgehogs		5.00
Philip Ward, 2 bears		10.00
W. B. McCauley, 1 bear		5.00
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	\$	29.50

DOG ACCOUNT

C. J. Ricardi, Constable for 1944	\$	25.00
W. B. McCauley, Commission for 1944		6.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, dog tags		3.65
George E. Temple, Commission		1.60
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Total	\$	36.25

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Alpha Elliot, rent for town dump	\$	100.00
John Houghton, care town dump		87.00
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Total	\$	187.00

VITAL STATISTICS

Vital Statistics	\$	5.50
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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Summer Maintenance

Charles J. Lennon, Agent	\$	726.50
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 Winter Maintenance

Charles J. Lennon, Agent	\$	1,409.37
Bretton Woods Company		324.00
L. O. Burroughs, repairs on plow		49.00
F. E. Staples, repairs on plow		11.80
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Total	\$	1,794.17

 STATE AID TOWN ROAD

State of New Hampshire	\$	99.89
Charles J. Lennon, Agent		126.85
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Total	\$	226.74

 STATE AID FUND

Balance State and Town Fund available for 1946 Construction. Application must be made to State Highway Department before May 1, 1946	\$	262.80
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 STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$	1,905.23
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 WOOD ACCOUNT

J. H. Liberty, 6½ cords of wood	\$	91.00
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 WITHHOLDING TAX

Collector Internal Revenue	\$	15.90
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AUTOMOBILE PERMIT FEES

George E. Temple	\$	40.00
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LIBRARIES

Jennie Shores, Trustee	\$	125.00
Mamie McGee, Librarian		105.00
Hadlock's Insurance Agency		25.00

Total	\$	255.00
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	\$	325.14
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COUNTY POOR

J. H. Liberty, burial Arch Damon	\$	6.00
J. H. Liberty, work M. Zane		6.00
J. H. Liberty, sawing and delivering wood M. Zane		43.80
Oscar Rines, wood for M. Zane		16.00

	\$	71.80
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ADVERTISING

White Mountain Region Association	\$	100.00
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PUBLIC SERVICE

Bisbee Press, Printing Town Reports	\$	65.00
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 CEMETERIES

Milton Morrow, Catholic Cemetery	\$	35.00
George E. Temple, Town Cemetery		57.55
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Total	\$	92.55

 DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSE

Jessie Ewen, accident	\$	100.00
E. M. Bowker, legal		8.00
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Total	\$	108.00

 TAX REFUND

W. B. McCauley	\$	6.90
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 INTEREST

O. E. Rines, interest to December 31, 1945	\$	120.00
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 SIDEWALKS

C. J. Lennon, Agent	\$	381.50
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 SPECIAL \$3.00 POLL TAX

State Treasurer, balance of 1944 list	\$	39.00
State Treasurer, on 1945 list		357.00
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Total	\$	396.00

 COUNTY TAX

Coos County Taxation	\$ 4,945.97
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SCHOOL MONEY

Hazel McGee, Treasurer, balance 1944 appropriation	\$ 7,892.89
Hazel McGee, Treasurre, 1944 Dog Tax	25.31
Hazel McGee, Treasurer, 1945 appropriation	5,000.00
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Total	\$ 12,918.20

LIBRARY TRUSTEES' REPORT

Balance inb ank, Dec. 31, 1944	\$ 2.55
Received from Town	125.00
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	\$ 127.55
Paid New England News, books and express	74.91
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Balance December 31, 1945	\$ 52.64

Respectfully submitted,

Jennie B. Shores.

 WATER COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

Balance in Treasury, Dec. 31, 1944	\$ 247.29
Total rent received in 1945	665.85
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Total for 1945	\$ 913.14
Total expense including Salaries and Bank Service	710.89
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Balance in Treasury Dec. 31, 1945	\$ 202.25

Respectfully submitted,

F. E. Staples, Treasurer.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Carroll on January 1st., 1946 as of December 31st.

Date of Creation	Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Bal. of In. on hand at beginning of year	Income during year	Expended during year.	Balance of Income on Hand at end of year
Jan. 5, 1924	John A. Viall, care of cemetery lot	Whitefield Savings Bank	\$106.11	1 1/2 %	\$22.47	1.92	1.92	\$24.39
March 26, 1925	Ebenezer Glines, care of cemetery lot	Whitefield Savings Bank	100.	1 1/2 %	15.74	1.71	1.71	17.45
May 24, 1927	Celia Glines, care of cemetery lot	Whitefield Savings Bank	100.	1 1/2 %	9.88	1.63	1.63	11.51
Sept. 14, 1927	Ellen Flynn, care of cemetery lot	Whitefield Savings Bank	300.	1 1/2 %	25.58	4.89	4.89	30.47
Sept. 16, 1939	John Hunt, care of cemetery lot	Whitefield Savings Bank	100.	1 1/2 %	7.92	1.61	1.61	9.53
March 5, 1941	Baldie & MacMillan. c/o cem. lot	Whitefield Savings Bank	200.	1 1/2 %	12.04	3.17	3.17	15.21
Oct. 10, 1945	George A. Straw, care of cemetery lot	Whitefield Savings Bank	100.	1 1/2 %		.25	.25	.25

This is to certify that the information in this report is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

GEORGE E. TEMPLE, Trustee.

