

Annual Report

of the Town of

Rumney

New Hampshire



Year Ending

December 31, 1944

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



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TOWN OFFICERS



1944 - 1945

Treasurer Mrs. Etta C. Pero
Clerk..... Leslie L. Bunker
Selectmen..... William A. Marshall, W. Haven Little
Everett A. Ray
Road Agent..... Austin H. Farnsworth
Overseer of the Poor..... Leon E. Pratt
Moderator..... Leon N. Bryar
Auditors..... Lois M. Kenneson, Julia S. Abbott
Lena M. French
Supervisors..... Jesse A. Barney, Wilbur J. Hall
Mahlon G. Kelly,
Library Trustees..... George D. Kidder, E. A. Ray
Julia S. Abbott
Trustees of Trust Funds.. George D. Kidder, Ralph E. Bailey
Everett A. Ray
Tax Collector Edward I. Moses
Constables..... Richard A. Hall, John H. MacDonald
Special Police..... Herbert R. Hall

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Rumney in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs: (L*S)

You are hereby notified to meet at Rumney Town Hall in said Rumney on Tuesday, the thirteenth (31th.) day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Highways in addition to the amount required by law.

4. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of the Library.

5. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights.

6. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of Cemeteries.

7. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of the Common.

8. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Owen B. LaMott Post No. 76, American Legion, for Memorial Day and other patriotic purposes.

9. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriation for the Fire Department.

10. To choose a Fire Commissioner.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$ 270.51 to secure from the State \$ 1,082.03 to be expended for Town Road Aid.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$ 400.00 for control of the White Pine Blister Rust in co-operation with the State Forestry and Recreation Department.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$ 81.00 to the Lakes Region Association which is one one

hundredths of one per cent ($1/100$ of 1%) of the assessed valuation, for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the town, together with other towns in the Lakes Region.

14. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to administer, lease, rent, or sell or otherwise dispose of any real estate or any "Mineral Rights" acquired by the town at its tax collector's sales.

15. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Sceva Speare Memorial Hospital of Plymouth, N. H.

16. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the division of municipal accounting and to make appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

17. - To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$ 1,287.00 to be set aside for future construction under the State Aid Orange System on unimproved Class 2 roads to match State funds which will become available later, at which time work can be started.

18. To see if the Town will vote to support United States membership in a general system of international cooperation, such as that proposed at the Dumbarton Oaks Conference, having police power to maintain the peace of the world.

19. To see if the town will vote to allow a 2 per cent discount on all taxes paid within fifteen days after presentation of tax bill.

20. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

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

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

Given under our hands and seal, this 24th, day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-five.

Everett A. Ray, William A. Marshall, W. Haven Little,
A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

Everett A. Ray, William A. Marshall, W. Haven Little,
Selectmen of Rumney

BUDGET

Budget of the Town of Rumney, New Hampshire
Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing
Year January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945 compared
with actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous
Year February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944.

Source of Revenue	Actual	Estimated
	1944	1945
From State:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 130.11	130.11
Railroad Tax	138.40	138.40
Savings Bank Tax	595.78	595.78
Building and Loan Assn. Tax	180.00	140.00
Reimbursement on account of State and Federal Forest lands	947.00	947.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	4.98	24.98
National Forest Reserve	203.11	203.11
½Expense men at Forestry Training Session	12.08	12.08
Plowing Road to Mica Mine	75.00	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Revolver Permits	10.00	10.00
Fines and forfeits, Municipal Court	63.60	63.60
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	41.00	
Dog Licenses	233.80	233.80
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	588.80	588.80
Filing Fee	2.00	

Tax Sales Redeemed	\$	1,272.04	1,272.04
Sale of Fellowship Grounds Lot		10.00	10.00
Uncollected 1943 taxes collected in 1944		43.07	
Royalties from Mica Mines		445.05	
Reimbursement for aid given George Avery and Shirley Chamberlain		55.00	
Cash Sales-merchandise		2.60	
Refund on Barrel of Oil		14.96	
Sale George Blake Homestead to Urban Elloit		45.00	
½ interest in Bacon lot to Percy Ayer		70.00	
Unexpended T. R. A. money returned by State		217.91	
Cash Surplus		<u>10,988.55</u>	<u>15,999.58</u>

From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:

Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.	756.00	756.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	20.00	20.00
Poll Taxes—Special at \$3.	1,182.27	1,182.27
Total Revenue from all Sources Except Property Taxes	<u>18,348.11</u>	<u>22,317.55</u>
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes	<u>25,423.45</u>	
Total Revenues	<u>43,771.56</u>	

Current Maintenance Expenses

Purpose of Expenditure	Actual 1944	Estimated 1945
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,365.21	1,365.21
Town Officers' Expenses	266.43	266.43
Election and Registration Expenses	167.30	112.30
Municipal Court Expenses	125.00	125.00
Exp. Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	281.16	156.16
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	10.50	30.00
Fire Department	682.10	800.00
Plymouth Fire Dept-Parsonage fire	200.94	
General Expense	20.20	25.00
Sceva Spear Hospital	100.00	100.00
Vital Statistics	24.00	23.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Maintenance:	4,201.96	4,500.00
Summer	\$2,566.22	
Winter	1,635.74	
Street Lighting	601.79	656.50
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	204.95	80.00
Town Road Aid (T.R.A.)	234.84	217.91
Supplies	181.38	181.38
Bounties	98.00	140.00

Libraries:		
Library	\$ 700.00	700.00
Public Welfare:		
Town Poor	600.00	600.00
Old Age Assistance	635.37	700.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	50.00	50.00
Civilian Defense	8.17	
Recreation:		
Parks and Playgrounds	50.00	50.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	500.00	500.00
Interest:		
On Bonded Debt	347.50	297.50
Outlay for New Construction:		
Highways and Bridges-To be set aside for future work		1,218.00
Roads, Flood damage repairs	10.55	2,811.36
Payment of Principal of Debt		
Long term notes	2,000.00	2,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
County Taxes	1,854.32	1,834.52
Payments to School District	11,018.20	12,388.00
State:- Special Poll Tax at \$3.	1,182.27	1,182.27
Miscellaneous:		
Overpayment by State		
Flood damage award	49.84	
Properties bought at Tax Sale		1,295.71
Total Expenditures	\$ 27,7971.98	34,431.05

INVENTORY

Land and Buildings	\$ 633,663.00
Growing Wood and Timber	20,466.00
Electric Plants	58,410.00
49 Horses	6,690.00
8 Oxen	975.00
306 Cows	30,895.00
34 Other Neat Stock	2,160.00
27 Sheep	390.00
7 Hogs	165.00
14,007 Fowl	15,400.90
20 Fur-Bearing Animals	320.00
12 Vehicles	4,950.00
2 Portable Mills	2,700.00
Wood, Lumber etc.	19,823.25
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	2,850.00
Stock in trade	12,275.00
Mills and Machinery	46,550.00
Total Valuation	
	\$ 858,683.15
415 Regular Poll Taxes at \$2.	830.00
439 Special Poll Taxes at \$3.	1,317.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	20.00
Total Amount of Taxes to be committed to Collector:	
inc. Poll tax and National Bank Stock Tax	\$ 27,898.52
Special. Poll Tax	1,317.00
Total Taxes	
	29,215.52
 Tax Rate	 \$ 3.15
Amount of property exempted to Soldiers	\$ 12,710.00

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND
TAXES ASSESSED**

Appropriations:

Town Charges	\$ 4,500.00
State Aid Construction	1,218.00
Town Road Aid	135.08
Town Maintenance	2,000.00
Town Maintenance $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1% of \$858,683.15	2,146.71
Fire Department	600.00
Street Lighting	656.50
Hospital Appropriation	100.00
Library	700.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Parks and Playgrounds	50.00
Cemeteries	500.00
Interest on Bonds	347.50
Payment on Principal of Debt	2,000.00
County Tax	1,854.32
School Tax	12,388.00
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Total Town and School Appropriations	\$ 29,246.11

Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest and Dividend Tax	88.06
Railroad Tax	148.80
Savings Bank Tax	616.28
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Land's	947.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	600.00
Total Revenues and credits	\$ 2,400.14
Plus overlay	1,052.55
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Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$ 27,898.52
Less 415 Regular Poll taxes at \$2	830.00
Less National Bank Stock taxes	20.00
Amount to be Raised on Which Tax Rate is Figured	\$ 27,048.52

Taxes to be Committed to Collector

Property taxes	\$ 27,048.52
415 Regular Poll taxes	830.00
National Bank Stock taxes	2 0.00
Total Taxes	\$ 27,898.52
Special Poll taxes at \$3	<u>1,317.00</u>
Total Taxes to be Committed	\$ 29,215.52
Tax Rate	\$ 3.15

FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance Sheet

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of Treasurer \$ 15,999.58
(Including \$4,996.95 set aside for future disbursements)

In hands of officials:

Overseer of Poor 142.10
Fire Department 33.05
Memorial Day Fund 25.62

Accounts Due to Town:

Due from State:

Joint Highway Const. Act (T.R.A.) 871.65
State Aid Orange 2,436.00

Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1943 374.92
Levy of 1942 24.10

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1944 1,547.27
Levy of 1943 none

Total Assets \$ 21,454.20
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt) 3,760.30

Grand Total \$ 25,214.50
Net Debt, January 31, 1944 \$ 8,567.45
Net Debt, December 31, 1944 3,760.30
Decrease of Debt, 4,807.15

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by Town

Due Doctor Account	\$	750.68
Due to State-Special Poll Taxes (when collected)		105.00
Due to School District: Dog licenses		225.71
Balance of Appropriation		7,388.00
National Forest Reserve (½)		101.55

State and Town Joint Construction Accounts:

Unexpended balance in State Treasury:

State Aid Orange	2,436.00
Town Road Aid	871.65

Unexpended Balance in Town Treasury:

State Aid Orange	1,218.00
Town Road Aid	217.91

Bonds Outstanding:

Issue of \$ 11,900.00 2½% Bonds to pay for road and bridge repairs caused by cloud-burst and flood of June 14, 1942.	11,900.00
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Total Liabilities	\$	25,214.50
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RECEIPTS

Current Revenue

From Local Taxes

Total taxes committed to collector	\$	29,308.43
Less discount and abatements		379.44
Less uncollected, 1944		1,547.27
Property taxes current year actually collected		25,405.72
Poll taxes, Current year, Regular at \$2 actually col.		756.00
Poll taxes, Current year, Special at \$3 actually col.		1,200.00
National Bank Stock taxes		20.00

Total of Current Year's collections	\$	27,381.72
Property and Poll taxes, Previous years actually col.		43.07
Tax sales redeemed		1,272.04

From State:

Interest and Dividend tax	\$	130.11
Railroad tax		138.40
Savings bank tax		595.78
Reimburseent a/c State and Federal		
Forest lands		947.00
Fighting forest fires		17.06
Bounties		180.00

From Local Sources, Except Taxes

Dog licenses		233.80
Revolver permits		10.00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court		63.60
Rent of town property		41.00
Registration of motor vehicles, 1944-45 permits		588.80
National forest reserve		203.11

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Filing fee		2.00
Plowing roads, (Atwood Mica Mine)		75.00
Reimbursement of unexpended T. R. A. money by		
State		217.91
Royalties from Mines		445.05
Miscellaneous receipts		197.56

Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue \$ 937.52

Total Receipts from all Sources \$ 32,783.01
Cash on Hand February 1, 1944 10,988.55

Grand Total \$ 43,771.56

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$	1,365.21
Town officers' expenses		266.43
Election and registration expenses		167.30
Municipal court expenses		125.00
Expenses Town hall and other town buildings		281.16
Supplies		181.38

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department, including care of tramps		10.50
Fire department, including forest fires		883.04
Civilian defense		8.17
Bounties		98.00

Health:

Sceva Speare Mem. Hospital		100.00
Vital Statistics		24.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid (T. R. A.)		234.84
Town Maintenance		4 201.96
Street Lighting		601.79
General Expenses of Highway Dept.		204.95
Flood Damage Repairs		10.55

Libraries:

Library		700.00
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Public Welfare	
Old Age Assistance	\$ 635.37
Town poor	600.00
Patriotic Purposes:	
Memorial Day exercises	50.00
Recreation:	
Parks and playgrounds	50.00
Public Service Enterprises:	
Cemeteries	500.00
Unclassified:	
General Expense	20.20
I. H. Morse, Ellsworth's Share Flood Damage	
Award overpaid Rumney	49.84
Interest:	
Paid on bonded debt	347.50
Indebtedness:	
Payment on bonded debt	2,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:	
Special Poll Taxes at \$3 paid to State	1,182.27
Taxes paid to County	1,854.32
Payments to School District	11,018.20
Total Payments for all Purposes	\$ 27,771.98
Cash on hand December 31, 1944	15,999.58
Grand Total	43,771.56

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$	10,100.00
Furniture and equipment		800.00
Library, Land and Building		12,000.00
Furniture and equipment		5,050.00
Fire Department, equipment		3,500.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings		1,000.00
Equipment		5,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds		1,000.00
Water Supply owned by Town		500.00
Schools Lands and Buildings		12,000.00
Equipment		1,500.00

Lands and Buildings Acquired Thru Tax Collectors' Deeds.

Edwin Littlefield Homestead	\$	300.00
R. W. Manney Property		1,000.00
16 acre Stevens woodlot		500.00
40 acre Jennie Preston woodlot		400.00
25 acre Spaulding woodlot		250.00
Mineral Rights, Atwood property and millsite		2,000.00
Mineral Rights on Cook Farm		100.00
Mineral Rights on Rogers- Henry Herbert lot		1,500.00
Gordon Colburn Mineral Rights		100.00
Belden Mill Landing		200.00
Conference Grounds lots (10)		150.00
Total	\$	58,950.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

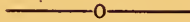
Receipts

Dog Licenses	\$	254.00
Less fees		20.20
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		233.80
Auto Tax Permits		588.80
Filing fee		2.00
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Total Receipts	\$	824.60

Payments

Paid to Town Treasurer	\$	824.60
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Leslie L. Bunker, Town Clerk



REPORT OF MUNICIPAL COURT

Cases Tried

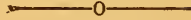
Fish and Game Violations	1
Motor Vehicles Violations	14
Drunk and disturbing the Peace	2
Larceny	2
Larceny (Minor)	1

Disposition of cases

Paid fines and costs	13
Paid costs	5
Committed to House of Correction	1
Made Restitution (Minor)	1

Leslie L. Bunker, Justice

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT



Edward I. Moses in account with Town of Rumney 1944

Summary of Warrant, Levy of 1944

Debits

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1944	\$	89.86
Interst collected		1.05
Added Tax collected		14.00
Interest on added tax collected		.89
		105.30
	\$	105.30

Credits

Total remittances to Treasurer between Feb. 1, 1944 and December 31, 1944	\$	43.07
Abatements made during year		54.23
Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list		8.00
		105.30
	\$	105.30

Summary of Warrant, Levy of 1944

Taxes committed to Collector:

Property taxes	\$	27,048.92
Poll taxes, Regular at \$2		830.00
Poll taxes, Special at \$3		1,317.00
National Bank Stock tax		20.00
		29,215.92
Total Warrant	\$	29,215.92
Added taxes		
Property taxes	\$	25.20
Poll taxes, Regular at \$2		20.00
Poll taxes, Special at \$3		39.00
Interest collected		8.31
		82.51
Total Debits	\$	29,308.43

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:	
Property taxes	\$ 25,397.41
National Bank Stock tax	20.00
Poll taxes, Regular at \$2	756.00
Poll taxes, Special at \$3	1,200.00
Interest collected	8.31
Abatements	100.62
Discounts allowed	278.82
Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list	
Property taxes	1,374.27
Poll taxes, Regular at \$2	68.00
Poll taxes, Special at \$3	105.00
Total Credits	\$ 29,308.43

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts as of December 31, 1944

Debits

Tax sales on account of levies of	1943	1942
Taxes sold to Town	\$ 780.91	406.22
Interest collected after sale	23.67	70.76
	804.58	476.98

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer during year	420.42	437.33
Abatements	9.24	15.55
Unredeemed taxes at close of year	374.92	24.10
	804.58	476.98
Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales		
on account of levy of	1943	1942
Raymond E. Reed	20.10	
Heirs of Charles Valley	22.87	24.10
Alfred Cook & Son	7.76	
Stinson Lake Camps, Inc.,	324.19	
	374.92	24.10

Uncollected taxes, Levy of 1944

Perley Avery	\$	9.73
Leona Avery		5.00
Herbert Aldrich		111.79
Emilie B. Barney		5.00
Pete Cedoric		5.00
Heirs of Albert Cummings		37.80
Urban Elliott		6.58
Lenora Elliott		5.00
Heirs of Lela Ford		12.67
George R. Gilson		5.00
Burmah R. Gilson		23.90
Dorcas H. Hinkson		5.00
Chester L. Hinkson		95.41
Laura Harriman		5.00
Maurice C. Kimball		89.78
Isabel Kimball		5.00
Marjorie Knilling		5.00
Alice R. Libbey		66.15
Neil A. MacDonald		5.00
Arline MacDonald		5.00
B. C. McLellan		92.90
Sylvanus Moses		2.36
Robert Munkittrick		5.00
Emma Munkittrick		5.00
Dan Miner		5.00
Frederick Paradie		5.00
Phylis Paradie		5.00
John Patterson		5.00
Marjorie Patterson		15.55
Raymond E. Reed		5.00
Ascenath Reed		5.00
Earl Rowell		5.00
Beatrice Rowell		5.00
Robert A. Thompson		9.73
Phoebe Thompson		5.00
Arthur Tomlinson		3.00

Heirs of Charles Valley	\$	19.69
Edward Vinton		5.00
Alfred Cook & Son		4.73
Jane S. & William Hay		50.40
Heirs of H. B. Kendrick		6.30
Newdale Mining Corporation		567.00
Heirs of A. M. Newell		28.35
Ernest M. Nichols		4.73
Isadore Rudnick		18.90
Smith Bros.		12.60
Harold Walker		7.88
Clayton Whiting, Grover Mayhew & Vernal K. Sargent		3.15
Francis Henderson		15.75
Other uncollected taxes, paid Jan. 1st		115.44

\$ 1,547.27

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name of and the amount due from each delinquent taxpayer as of December 31, 1944, on account of the levy of 1944, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Edward I. Moses, Tax Collector

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TREASURER'S REPORT

Etta C. Pero in Account with Town of Rumney

Balance in Treasury February 1, 1944	\$	10,988.55
Edward I. Moses, 1944 taxes and interest		27,381.72
	\$	38,370.27
Added taxes, 1943	\$	14.00
Uncollected taxes of 1943		27.63
Interest		1.44
	\$	43.07

Tax Sales Redeemed:

Stinson Lake Camps, Inc, 1941	\$	414.29
Sylvanus W. Moses, 1943		9.64
Roland Lyford, 1942		47.66

Roland Lyford, 1943	\$	46.25
Isadore Rudnick, 1943		21.07
Raymond Reed, 1943		2.04
B. C. McLellan, 1943		2.00
Stinson Lake Camps, Inc., 1942		389.67
Stinson Lake Camps, Inc., 1943		253.90
B. C. McLellan, 1943		85.52
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	\$	1,272.04

Received from State Treasurer:

Bounties	\$	180.00
National Forest Reserve		203.11
Reimbursement for loss of taxes on public forest lands		947.00
½ Expense of 5 men at Forestry Training Session		12.08
Plowing Road at Atwood Mica Mine		75.00
State's share of forest fire bill		4.98
Reimbursement for money appropriated but not expended during 1944 on T. R. A.		217.91
Savings Bank Tax		595.78
Railroad Tax		138.40
Interest and Dividends tax		130.11
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	\$	2,504.37

Leslie L. Bunker

Automobile Tax	\$	588.80
Dog Licenses		233.80
Municipal Court		63.60
Filing fee		2.00
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	\$	888.20
Rent of Town Hall	\$	41.00

Royalties on Mines:

Granite State Mining Co	\$	145.05
Crystal Mica Co		50.00
Golding-Keene Co		250.00
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	\$	445.05

Revolver Permits	\$	10.00
Miscellaneous:		
Sale of lot at Fellowship Grounds	\$	10.00
Reimbursement for aid given George A. Avery		30.00
Reimbursement for aid given Shirley Chamberlain		25.00
Selectmen, cash		1.60
Quitclaim of Geo. Blake Homestead to U. Elliott		4.00
Percy M. Ayer, 1/2 interest in Bacon lot		70.00
Refund on barrel of oil		14.96
Sale of household goods of Frank Worth		1.00
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	\$	197.56
Total Receipts	\$	43,771.56
Total Payments		27,771.98
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Balance in Treasury December 31, 1944	\$	15,999.58

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

BY SELECTMEN

February 1, 1944 to December 13, 1944, inclusive

Town Officers' Salaries and Expenses:	
Lois M. Kenneson, Auditor	\$ 12.00
Julia S. Abbott, Auditor	12.00
Leslie L. Bunker, services as Town Clerk	100.00
Leslie L. Bunker, expenses	14.00
Leslie L. Bunker, auto permit fees	70.00
Leon E. Pratt, services as Overseer of Poor	100.00
Edward I. Moses, Tax Collector, collecting \$27,381.71 of 1944 taxes at 1½%	410.73
Edward I. Moses, Tax Collector, collecting \$43.07 uncollected taxes of 1943 in 1944	.65
A. L. Harvey, 1941 Tax Collector, collecting certain uncollected and added 1941 taxes	4.08
Etta C. Pero, services as Town Treasurer	100.00
Everett A. Ray, services as Selectman	181.00
Everett A. Ray, Expenses	20.00
W. Haven Little, services as Selectman	115.75
W. Haven Little, Expenses	16.00
William A. Marshall, services as Selectman	319.00
William A. Marshall, Expenses	22.59
George D. Kidder, Treasurer of Trust Funds	10.00
Asa P. Colby, Town Officers bonds	75.00
Robert G. Wakefield, Legal advice	3.00
Fred J. Shores, Registry of Deeds, recording deeds, transfers, and searching records	20.09
Anna D. Proctor, Register of Probate	.50
Association of N. H. Assessors, annual dues	2.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	22.05
The Record Print, ptg. inventory blank notices	1.20
	\$ 1,631.64

Election and Registration:

Leon N. Bryar, Moderator	\$	10.00
Edward I. Moses, Moderator		5.00
Ralph E. Bailey, Supervisor		22.00
Wilbur J. Hall, Supervisor		23.00
Mahlon G. Kelly, Supervisor		35.00
Charles C. Craig, Ballot Clerk		15.00
Delbert C. Kenneson, Ballot Clerk		15.00
A. E. Jaquith, Ballot Clerk		15.00
Ralph C. Kenneson, Ballot Clerk		15.00
John MacDonald, police duty		10.00
The Record Print, printing supervisors' notices		2.30
	\$	167.30

Town Hall:

George D. Kidder, insurance premium for 3 yrs	\$	125.00
Ivan Bixby, firewood		33.00
Austin Aldrich, repairing chairs		12.00
Howard Milton, changing front doors and locks		7.00
Henry E. Mousette, janitor work in hall		56.00
White Mountain Power Co., lights in hall		23.16
Mutual Studios, flameproofing stage curtains		25.00
	\$	281.16

Police Department:

Leslie L. Bunker, Municipal Court Judge	\$	125.00
John H. MacDonald, Constable		6.50
Herbert R. Hall, Police duty		4.00
	\$	135.50

Fire Department:

Ralph E. Bailey, Treas. of F. Dept., maintenance	\$	600.00
Lloyd E. French, firemen attending Forestry meeting May 12th		24.15
Lloyd E. French, forest fire bill		9.95
Forestry Dept., State of N. H.,		

Forestry apparatus and tools		48.00
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	\$	682.10
Plymouth Fire Department, Parsonage fire	\$	200.94
Bounties:		
Bounties paid on 196 Hedgehogs	\$	98.00
Vital Statistics:		
Leslie L. Bunker, reporting births, marriages and deaths		24.00
Supplies:		
Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc., office supplies etc	\$	20.79
Asa P. Colby, printing inventory notices and Tax Collector's supplies		11.90
Asa P. Colby, Town reports		137.00
George E. Kelly, hardware, etc.,		1.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., dog tags and licenses		8.09
Gordon M. Clay, office supplies		2.60
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	\$	181.38
Highway Department:		
Austin H. Farnsworth, road maintenance	\$	4,201.96
Flood Damage Repairs		
Austin H. Farnsworth, flood damage repairs	\$	10.55
General Expense:		
George D. Kidder, insurance on Littlefield house 3 years, bill of June 7, 1944		3.20
State of New Hampshire, R. R. Crossing signs		13.00
Robert G. Wakefield, legal services		3.00
H. E. Mousette, labor		1.00
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	\$	20.20
General Expense Account, Highway Dept.		
Ayer Insurance Agency, premiums L. & B. D. insurance on town trucks	\$	61.46
George D. Kidder, bill of June 17, 1944 insurance of tool house 1 year		15.60

C. L. Esty, repairs on tool house, materials	\$	57.64
C. L. Esty, repairs on tool house		11.72
Grossman's, tool house repairs, material		17.28
Chase Grain Mill, tool house, cement		41.25
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	\$	204.95
Ira H. Morse, Ellsworth's share State's distribution		
Flood Damage money overpaid Rumney	\$	49.84
Sceva Speare Memorial Hospital, appropriation		100.00
Street Lighting:		
White Mountain Power Company, lighting 11 months		601.79
Library:		
Julia S. Abbott, Library Treasurer	\$	700.00
Overseer of the Poor:		
Leon E. Pratt, Overseer	\$	600.00
Old Age Assistance:		
Payments to State of New Hampshire	\$	635.37
Memorial Day and other Patriotic Purposes:		
Wilbur J. Hall, Treasurer, 1944 appropriation		50.00
Care of the Common:		
Harold A. Murdough, 1944 appropriation	\$	50.00
Care of Cemeteries:		
Harold A. Murdough, 1944 appropriation	\$	500.00
Civilian Defense:		
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	\$	8.17
State Aid Maintenance:		
TRA payments, June 24, '44, bal. '43 appro.	\$	99.16
1944 appropriation TRA		135.08
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	\$	234.84

Indebtedness:

Payment flood damage bonds to The Second
National Bank of Boston \$ 2,000.00

Interest:

Payment of interest on flood damage bonds \$ 347.50

County Taxes for 1944:

Paid to Harry S. Huckins, County Treasurer \$ 1,854.32

Schools:

Etta C. Pero, School District Treasurer
Payment of balance 1943-44 appropriation \$ 6,018.20

Payments on account 1944-45 appropriation 5,000.00

\$ 11,018.20

State Treasurer of New Hampshire:

Payment of special \$3.00 poll taxes collected
to December 31, 1944 \$ 1,182.27

Total Payments \$ 27,771.98

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Austin H. Farnsworth in Account with Town of Rumney
February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944, inclusive

Receipts

By orders of Selectmen \$ 4,201.96

Payments, Road Maintenance

Trucks, Gasoline and Oil:

W. J. McKee's Market, gasoline and oil \$ 7.15

Paul Townsend, gasoline 321.61

Fuller's Auto Service, gasoline 15.62

Southwest Petroleum Co., oil 63.00

\$ 407.38

Trucks, Parts and Repairs:

Rumney Garage, repairs, labor and supplies	\$	143.50
Jones Auto Co., Ford repairs		4.15
Wilder's Garage, G. M. C., truck repairs		36.30
Pynn's Garage, Ford truck new radiator & repairs		60.90
Railway Express Co., express on radiator		1.05
Sanel Auto Parts Co., hydraulic jack		7.95
Calder's Auto Service Station, battery supplies, labor		19.40
Brendon Hadlock, hydraulic jack		13.00
Sears Roebuck, truck tire and tube		49.80
H. E. Page, tire recap, etc.		22.20
Ben Foster, blacksmithing		4.25
Municipal Steel Co., truck cross chains		86.15
Lester Coffin, Ford headlights		2.00
A. M. Rand Co., repair links		1.32
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	\$	451.97

Maintenance, Supplies, Parts and Tools:

Joe Spaulding, rail posts	\$	7.75
M. L. Dunklee, rail posts		3.60
Goerge E. Kelly, hardware and supplies		43.71
R. S. Yeaton, bridge planks		71.81
Jay LeVanway, dynamite and caps		12.28
Harold Woodward, sand		6.00
W. H. Ray, gravel		4.00
Edgell's Garage, repairs and rebuilding plow		49.35
Federal Tool & Steel Co., 1 grader blade		22.97
N. H. Explosives Co., jack hose		9.20
N. H. Explosives Co., plow blades and other supplies		71.30
R. C. Hazelton, plow cutting edges		50.38
American Railway Express, charges plow blades		4.36
A. M. Rand Co., electrical supplies, scythes, stones forks, paint and truck tools		41.69
White Mountain Power Co., lights		15.00
Pemigewasset Nat. Bank, service charges		16.21
Evelyn R. Elliott, grindstone, stove, vise, drills		26.00

Chase Grain Mill, 27 bags salt	\$	27.30
Chase Grain Mill, tile		23.80
	\$	<u>506.71</u>

Labor:

Austin H. Farnsworth, Agent	\$	1,290.10
Percy A. Munkittrick		431.10
Robert H. Munkittrick		738.60
Fred S. Farnsworth		85.20
Vernon Perkins		125.40
H. E. Mousette		109.20
A. Dewey		5.40
W. Hovey Ray		4.80
Amos Aubertin		6.50
Shirley Chamberlain		5.00
Deane C. Carr		4.00
Fred Matava		11.40
Allie Vinton		19.20
	\$	<u>2,835.90</u>

Total Road Maintenance inc. \$10.55 flood damage \$ 4,201.96

FLOOD DAMAGE ACCOUNT, Flood of June 14, 1942

Austin H. Farnsworth in Account with Town of Rumney
February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944, inclusive

Receipts

By orders of Selectmen	\$	10.55
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Payments

Austin H. Farnsworth, Agent, labor	\$	6.30
A. M. Rand Co., barbed wire		4.25
	\$	<u>10.55</u>

FLOOD DAMAGE SPECIAL FUND

Balance on hand February 1, 1944	\$	2,821.91
Disbursements as above made		
Feb. 1, 1944 to Dec. 31, 1944		10.55
		<u>10.55</u>
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1945	\$	2,811.36

1942 FLOOD DAMAGE BOND ISSUE

2 1/2% Rumney Town bonds, sold to Ballou, Adams & Company, Boston. \$15,900 00 dated October 1 1942

Interest payable semi-annually, and \$2,000.00 bonds to be retired annually.

		Bonds payable	Int. payable	Total payable
DUE				
1945	April 1	11,900.00	148.75	
	Oct. 1	11,900.00	148.75	
	Oct. 1	Bonds payable		2,297.50
1946	April 1	9,900.00	123.75	
	Oct. 1	9,900.00	123.75	
	Oct. 1	Bonds payable		2,247.50
1947	April 1	7,900.00	98.75	
	Oct. 1	7,900.00	98.75	
	Oct. 1	Bonds payable		2,197.50
1948	April 1	5,900.00	73.75	
	Oct. 1	5,900.00	73.75	
	Oct. 1	Bonds payable		2,147.50
1949	April 1	3,900.00	48.75	
	Oct. 1	3,900.00	48.75	
	Oct. 1	Bonds payable		2,075.50
1950	April 1	1,900.00	23.75	
	Oct. 1	1,900.00	23.75	
	Oct. 1	Bonds payable		1,947.50

Totals \$ 11,900.00 \$ 1,035.00 \$ 12,935.00

NEW CONSTRUCTION

State Aid Orange—North Groton Road.

1944 Town Appropriation \$ 1,218.00

This money to be set aside for future construction under State Aid Orange System for Class 2 Roads to match State funds which will become available later, at which time the work can be started.

TOWN ROAD AID

Elliott Mill Road and Cone Mill Road

Receipts

Balance 1943 State Appropriation	\$	399.05
Balance 1943 Town Appropriation		99.76
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		498.81
1944 State Appropriation	\$	540.32
1944 Town Appropriation		135.08
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	\$	675.40
Total	\$	1,174.21

Payments During 1944

From State Appropriation	\$	67.72
From Town Appropriation		16.93
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		84.65
Balance on hand	\$	1,089.56
Carried over for future TRA disbursements:		
Balance State Appropriations	\$	871.65
Balance Town Appropriation		217.91
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	\$	1,089.56

REPORT OF THE OVERSEER OF THE POOR

L. E. Pratt in Account with the Town of Rumney
Year Ending December 31, 1944.

Receipts

By orders from the Selectmen	\$	600.00
Cash on hand, Feb 1, 1944		<u>87.58</u>
Total Receipts	\$	687.58

Disbursements

Richard Manney	\$	110.10
Shirley V. Chamberlain		141.47
Huldah J. Valley, (Deceased) Funeral exp.		110.00
Eva Clark, County farm		158.18
Overseer's Expense, postage, phone., auto., etc.		7.50
Tramp Account, repairs to tramp house		13.95
Bank analysis charges		<u>4.37</u>
Total Disbursements	\$	545.57
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1945		<u>142.01</u>
	\$	687.58

(January 3, 1945-Received of Shirley V. Chamberlain and turned over to the Town Treasurer, the sum of \$25.00 in part payment of assistance furnished him in above item.)

CEMETERY REPORT

H. A. Murdough in Account with Town of Rumney

Receipts

By orders of Selectmen, 1944 Appropriation	\$	500.00
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Payments

John Henry Thompson, labor	\$	66.60
Lyle Mc Ginnis, labor on water system		2.40
Harold A. Woodward, mowing		2.55
Mary Sanborn, labor		4.80
Harold A. Murdough, labor		392.20
Harold A. Murdough, truck		30.04
Harold A. Murdough, brixment, lead pipe etc.		<u>1.41</u>
	\$	500.00

MEMORIAL DAY REPORT

Owen B. LaMott Post No. 76 American Legion in Account
with Town of Rumney

Receipts	
Received from Town	\$ 50.00
Balance from 1943	2.62
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	\$ 52.62
Payments	
Memorial wreath from Mrs. H. Page	\$ 2.00
Memorial wreath from E. M. Nichols	5.00
Otto L. Durand Post No. 66, 6 doz. flags	7.00
Ammunition	3.00
Speaker ^e for Memorial Day	10.00
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	\$ 27.00
Balance on hand	25.62
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	\$ 52.62

Wilbur J. Hall, Finance Officer

"CARE OF COMMON" ACCOUNT

H. A. Murdough in Account with Town of Rumney

Receipts	
1944 Appropriation	\$ 50.00
Payments	
John Henry Thompson, labor	\$ 5.40
Mary Sanborn, labor	5.40
H. A. Murdough, labor	39.20
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	50.00

REPORT OF FIRE CHIEF

Report of Fires from February 1944 to February 1945

1944

Mar. 16	Chimney fire, Mrs. F. Hall,	W. Rumney
Mar. 23	Chimney fire, Mr. G. Youngman	W. Rumney
April 3	Chimney fire Mr. E. Bailey,	Rumney Depot
April 5	Chimney, Roof fire, Mrs. Harriman	Rumney Dep't
April 13	House fire Mr. Ayer	Quincy
April 19	Grass fire Mr. R. Nickerson	W. Rumney
April 22	Chimney fire Mr. Moulton	Rumney
May 6	Chimney fire Mr. Herbert Avery	Rumney
May 13	Chimney fire Mrs. Fred Clukey	Rumney Depot
June 10	Chimney fire Mr. William Marshall	Rumney
Aug. 26	Fire at Town Dump	
Oct 12	Chimney fire Mrs. Fred Clukey	Rumney Depot
Oct. 15	Chimney fire Mr. Jack Lawrence	W. Plymouth
Oct. 21	Fire at Camp in Groton	
Oct. 30	Chimney fire Mrs. B. Keniston	Rumney
Nov. 13	Chimney fire Mr. H. Fletcher	Rumney Depot
Nov. 24	House fire Baptist Parsonage	Rumney
Nov. 29	Chimney fire Mrs. D. Jaquith	Rumney
Dec. 8	Chimney fire School-house	Rumney Depot
Dec. 20	Saw-mill fire Johnson Lum. Co.,	Jaquith lot

1945

Jan. 18	Chimney fire Mrs. Burt	W. Rumney
	Lloyd E. French, Fire Chief	

REPORT OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Fire Department Maintenance

Receipts

Balance on hand January 31, 1944	\$	44.19
Received from Town, 1944 appropriation		600.00
Received from sale of 4 firemens' coats		27.15
Received from Town of Groton, Rousseau camp fire		20.00
Total Receipts	\$	691.34

Payments

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., phone	\$	29.25
White Mountain Power Co., lights		15.00
Ayer Insurance Agency, Fire equipment insurance		82.30
Aubrey Robinson, 1944 Firemen's insurance		37.00
Wood Engineering Service, 1 Oberdoffer pump		61.15
Rumney Garage, 1 battery, gun nipple and labor		16.50
Rumney Garage, battery and inspection		12.50
Rumney Garage, gas, oil, anti freeze		7.67
Asa P. Colby, coal, repairing charger, 4 bulbs		36.97
Asa P. Colby, coal		51.14
C. L. Craig, gas and oil		4.98
J. Lyle McGinnis, labor on fire truck		0.40
Harry J. McGinnis,		20.40
Paul D. Townsend, gas		2.46
A. M. Rand Co., bolts etc.		4.50
Rumney Grange, rent of fire house to Dec. 1944		58.33
Koehler Mfg. Co., battery charger		5.22
Koehler Mfg. Co., 1 spot light		15.41
Joe Yeaton, lumber for truck boxes		3.42
Robert Haskell, helmets, etc.		72.47
Ivan Bixby, 5 dry cells and exp. on pumper		10.00
D. S. Brown, gas and oil		18.33
G. E. Kelly, gas, oil and hardware		5.77
Lloyd French, trip to Mass.		6.00
Leon Bixby, building fires to Nov.30		12.50
Leon Bixby, building fires to Dec. 17		8.25
Harold Murdough, building fires to Dec. 31		7.00
Winfred Wilkins, taking pumper to Mass for repairs		28.56
Bank charges		4.81
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Total Payments	\$	658.29
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1945		33.05
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		691.34

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF RUMNEY ON DECEMBER 31, 1944

Purpose of Creation of Trust—Care of Cemetery Lots		Name of Fund and Donor	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance on hand at beginning of year			
Date of Creation	Date of Creation				Income during year	Expended during year	Balance on hand at end of year	
Dec 15, 1915	H B Stevens	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	100.00	106.28	2.13	1.50	106.91	
Dec 17, 1915	Henry Ramsey	"	100.00	101.81	2.03	1.15	102.69	
Feb 23, 1916	Darling & Webster	"	75.00	75.53	1.51	1.45	75.59	
Sept 16, 1916	W S Emerson	"	100.00	117.23	2.35	.75	118.83	
July 17, 1919	Abbie D Merrill	"	234.13	215.48	4.32	1.70	218.10	
July 17, 1919	Emma Watts	"	100.00	106.31	2.13	1.20	107.24	
Oct 14, 1919	A R Bond	"	100.00	112.90	2.26	.95	114.21	
Aug 17, 1920	Frances H Foss	"	150.00	170.74	3.42	1.55	172.61	
Feb 2, 1921	Caroline Howe & George Burns	"	150.00	162.55	3.26	1.40	164.41	
Apr 1, 1921	C G Kiddier & O W Fletcher	"	200.00	242.01	4.86	1.15	245.72	
Dec 30, 1921	Daniel Page	"	100.00	105.65	2.11	.85	106.91	
Mar 16, 1922	Dr I N Fox	"	75.00	79.27	1.59	.65	80.21	
May 19, 1928	Duffy	"	150.00	165.68	3.32	1.45	167.55	
Mar 15, 1928	Eben Wells & George Kelly	"	150.00	150.13	3.02	2.10	151.05	
Feb 21, 1916	Cone, Mason & Moulton	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200.00	334.75	6.73	1.60	339.88	
Jan 23, 1923	John L Emerton	"	100.00	111.10	2.25	1.40	111.95	
Mar 27, 1923	George W Fletcher	"	125.00	158.80	3.21	1.55	160.46	
Mar 27, 1923	George P French	"	125.00	163.06	3.31	1.35	165.02	
May 16, 1926	Maria Adelaide Doe	"	375.00	407.05	8.26	5.65	409.66	
Dec 29, 1927	Alonzo Keniston	"	100.00	106.00	2.15	1.50	106.65	
Dec 29, 1927	Chester Fletcher	"	100.00	101.92	2.05	1.95	102.02	
May 27, 1928	Charles Spalding	"	500.00	513.88	4.31	1.95	516.24	

Rate of Interest 2%

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF RUMNEY DEC. 31, 1944—Continued.

Purpose of Creation of Trust—Care of Cemetery Lots		Name of Fund and Donor	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance on hand at beginning of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Balance on hand at end of year
Date of Creation	Creation							
June 17, 1929	J P Keyes	New Hampshire Savings Bank	"	150.00	156.90	3.17	1.80	158.27
May 13, 1930	Peppard & Elliott	"	"	400.00	441.23	8.91	3.90	446.24
July 30, 1930	Albert T Craig	"	"	100.00	102.41	2.01	1.20	103.28
Oct 6, 1930	Charles C Palmer	"	"	100.00	104.43	2.11	3.90	102.64
June 2, 1931	Whitcher & Brown	"	"	150.00	155.79	3.15	1.95	156.99
July 2, 1931	Chapman	"	"	100.00	102.66	2.09	.95	102.89
July 29, 1931	A K George & Comstock	"	"	200.00	199.85	4.34	2.25	211.64
Nov 3, 1931	Alonzo Wheat	"	"	100.00	100.86	2.03	1.80	101.19
Nov 1, 1932	Baxter Hardy	"	"	150.00	160.15	3.25	1.15	162.25
June 8, 1934	Elliott Keniston & Farrington	"	"	250.00	299.15	5.98		305.13
June 8, 1934	Jacob & William H Keniston	"	"	150.00	155.07	3.15	1.25	156.97
Feb 9, 1935	Edwin Annis	"	"	50.00	52.64	1.75	.85	52.84
June 18, 1935	C D & E G Kelly	"	"	100.00	105.47	2.13	.80	106.80
Nov 7, 1935	James B Wilson	"	"	100.00	100.31	2.03	1.55	100.79
June 22, 1936	L H Loveland	"	"	100.00	104.34	2.11	1.30	105.15
June 1, 1937	Caroline E Baker	"	"	200.00	208.15	4.21	1.90	210.46
May 31, 1938	Blodgett & Davis	"	"	100.00	101.18	2.05	1.25	101.98
Sept 2, 1938	Fales & Rogers	"	"	150.00	150.63	3.05	2.45	151.23
Nov 2, 1938	Marshall Burpee	"	"	150.00	154.04	3.11	1.55	155.60
Nov 28, 1938	Keniston	"	"	150.00	150.63	3.05	1.55	152.13
Dec 27, 1938	Luther E Pierce	"	"	100.00	100.20	2.01	.95	101.26
May 17, 1939	John Swain	"	"	100.00	102.32	2.07	.90	103.49

Rate of Interest, 2 %

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF RUMNEY, DEC. 31, 1944—Continued.

Purpose of Creation of Trust—Care of Cemetery Lots		Name of Fund and Donor	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance on hand at beginning of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Balance on hand at end of year
Date of Creation	Creation							
Oct 3,	1923	Jeremiah Cotton	Amoskeag Savings Bank	125.00	142.07	3.58	1.95	143.70
Nov 30,	1923	William L. French	“ “	125.00	164.97	4.16	1.35	167.78
Nov 30,	1923	Samuel French	“ “	125.00	139.73	3.52	2.50	141.75
May 28,	1924	Joiah Quincy	“ “	100.00	105.06	2.66	1.80	105.92
June 18,	1924	Oliver D. Doe	“ “	100.00	137.50	2.71	1.40	108.81
Nov 14,	1924	H. W. Herbert	“ “	100.00	106.83	2.69	1.40	108.12
Nov 14,	1924	G. C. Jones	“ “	200.00	214.92	5.40	1.70	218.62
Feb 20,	1934	Patrick J. Ahern & J. Dimond	“ “	150.00	161.82	4.07	1.71	164.19
Sept 2,	1938	F. A. Dolloff	“ “	100.00	113.20	2.84	1.55	217.97
Mar 26,	1896	Greenleaf	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	214.13	5.39	2.40	165.68
Nov 30,	1927	C. R. Emerton & John Irvin	“ “	125.00	163.94	4.14	2.40	165.68
Jan 6,	1929	Myra Moore	“ “	50.00	55.34	1.39	.90	55.83
June 5,	1936	C. P. Waldron	“ “	200.00	201.15	5.05	1.70	204.50
Nov 14,	1940	Grace Stevens	“ “	100.00	102.92	2.59	1.10	104.41
June 3,	1941	Mitchell & Braley	“ “	250.00	259.93	6.55	1.50	264.98
Aug 11,	1941	Harry Kimball	“ “	150.00	157.38	3.95	1.55	159.78
Oct 2,	1941	Fred Abbott	“ “	150.00	152.97	3.84	1.10	155.71
Oct. 22,	1943	J. Sanford Kelly	“ “	100.00	100.00	1.67	.60	101.07
May 23,	1932	Blodgett	Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	25.89	26.34	.65	.50	26.49
Sept 16,	1940	Joseph Burley	“ “	100.00	106.35	2.64	.75	108.24
Apr 1,	1941	Daniel Abbott	“ “	164.49	170.28	4.26	1.30	173.24
Apr 1,	1941	Eva M. Clark	“ “	152.75	160.45	4.00	1.30	164.45

2 1/2%

Rate of int.

2 1/2%

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF RUMNEY, DEC. 31, 1944—Concluded.

Purpose of Creation of Trust—Care of Cemetery Lots		How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance on hand at Beginning of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Balance on hand at end of year
Date of Creation	Name of Fund and Donor						
July 25, 1940	Moses Kelly	Laconia Federal Savings & Loan	100.00	103.71	2.61	.95	105.36
Feb 19, 1943	Joseph Chivell	Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	2.71	.90	101.81
Mar 23, 1943	S. & C. W. Herbert	" "	200.00	200.00	5.00	3.05	201.95
Apr 27, 1943	Mackey & Sweat	" "	150.00	150.00	3.43	1.95	151.48
July 8, 1943	Charles W. Ordway	" "	50.00	50.00	.84		50.84
Mar. 24, 1944	Geo J & Della M Avery	" "	100.00				100.00
June 9, 1944	George M. Ashley	" "	100.00				100.00
July 20, 1944	Dan C Pillsbury	" "	5.40				5.40
Aug. 1, 1944	Frances L & Wilbert Woodbury	" "	100.00				100.00
Oct. 24, 1944	Charles Smart & Merrill	" "	50.06				50.06
Oct. 27, 1944	E Harvey Elliott	" "	100.00				100.00
Sept. 28, 1914	David Hall	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00				100.00

2 per cent

2 1/2% Int.

LIBRARY TREASURER'S REPORT

Julia S. Abbott in Account with Town of Rumney

Receipts

Received from Town	\$	200.00
Received from lost check		2.10
Received from Town		200.00
Received from Town		300.00
Received from book account		34.73
		736.83
	\$	736.83

Payments

A. M. Rand, supplies		2.83
Fred R. Ford, janitor		8.00
Fred R. Ford, janitor		15.00
Money borrowed from book account	\$	28.30
Merlnd E. McLoud, wood		16.00
H. E. Moussette, work		3.25
C. L. Hinkson, wood		96.00
Asa P. Colby, coal		35.07
H. E. Moussette, work		16.00
Charles Harvey, work		1.00
O. A. Patterson, wood		8.00
Frank M. Ford, work		2.40
Pemigewasset Nat'l. Bank, safe deposit box		3.60
I. R. Bixby, wood		3.00
George D. Kidder, supplies		2.70
George E. Kelly, supplies		1.38
Harold Murdough, janitor		7.00
Herman Durand, work on furnace and supplies		118.81
White Mountain Power Co.,		17.52
Frank Beach, janitor		15.00
L. L. Bunker, janitor		105.00
Alice French, librarian		229.17
Bank charges		1.80
		736.83
Total Payments	\$	736.83

BOOK ACCOUNT

February 1, 1944 Cash on hand	\$	19.36
Received from Town account, amount borrowed		28.30
Received from Adelaide Merrill Estate		300.00
Received interest on U. S. bonds		40 38
Received interest on U. S. bonds		38.43

Total Receipts	\$	426.47
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Payments

Paid for Newsweek	\$	3.50
Harcourt Bruce & Co.		1.80
Fellowship Book Store		1.25
Mc Millian Co.		4.61
The Personal Book Shop		21.45
New England News Co.		23.09
H. R. Hunting Co.		14.84
G. E. Kelly, paper and magazines		11.50
Julia S. Abbott, paper and magazines		20.00
Deposited in N. H. Savings Bank (from Adelaide Merrill Estate)		275.00
Paid Town Library account		34.73

Total Payments	\$	411.77
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Cash to balance		14.70
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	\$	426.47
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Library Assets

Endowment Funds in N. H. Savings Bank			
Jan. 1, 1945, Book No. 45,611		\$	2,315.89
Adelaide Bond Trust Fund		\$	2,700.00
1	\$ 1,000.00	No.	123880 L
1	\$ 1,000.00	No.	123881 A
1	500.00	No.	60369 J
1	100.00	No.	C2062163 G
1	100.00	No.	C2062162 G

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

From February 1, 1944 to January 1, 1945

Number of volumns in the Library February 1, 1944	63 84
Number of volumns purchased	40
Number of volumns given	23
Number of volumns lost or discarded	8
Total number of volumns January 1, 1945	6440
Federal, State and Town documents	10
Newspapers and magazines	19
Circulation of fiction	1826
Circulation of non fiction	194
Circulation of magazines	710
Total for year	2730
New borrowers during year	11
Number of borrowers during year	104
Average daily patronage	20
Amount of fines collected	\$ 3.10
On hand	1.10

Donors of books and magazines:

Mrs. N. B. Cone, Mrs. J. B. Foster, Miss Nettie Core,
Mrs. Elwin Manion, Mr. & Mrs. William Marshall, Mrs.
Robert Everts, and Miss Julia Abbott.

Some donated books have not been listed as they are not new
but they are catalogued.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing
accounts for 1944: Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Select-
men, Bankbooks of Cemetery Trust Funds, Common,
Cemetery, Library Trustees, Municipal Court, Overseer
of the Poor, Tax Collectors, Fire Commissioners, Legion
and Memorial Day Appropriation, Town Maintenance,
T. R. A., Librarian and find them correctly cast and prop-
erly vouched.

Lois M. Kenneson,
Julia S. Abbott,

Auditors.

BOOKS ADDED TO THE LIBRARY DURING YEAR

All in Good Time	Allis
Apostle Life of Saint Paul	Asch
Blessed are the Meek	Kossak
Big Blue Soldier	Hill
Bugles in Her Heart	Larrimore
China to Me	Hahn
Dam Yank	Raine
Dewey, An American	Walker
Doctor Ellen	
Dunny Brook	Carroll
Eisenhower	Miller
Emperor's Physician	Perkins
Graniet Harbor	Bud
Green Years	Cronin
Hearthstones in Wilderness	Berry
High Tide at Noon	Ogilvie
Highway to Alaska	Lanks
Home to the Hills	Wright
Just David	Porter
Knights of the Range	Grey
Lonely Trail	Gregory
Mr. England—Story of Winston Churchill	
Mystery of Red Triangle	Tuttle
Nazarene	Asch
New Hampshire for Young People	Johnson
On the Wings of the Morning	Mc Craw
Penny Nichols Finds a Clue	Clark
Pollyanna's Door to Happiness	Borton
Pollyanna's Golden Horseshoe	Borton
Pollyanna in Hollywood	Borton
Robbers' Roost	Grey

Sheridan's Ride
Shadow and Glory
Street of the City
Silvertown Roundup
Three in Jungle
Understood Betsey
Valley of the Sky
Winter Wheat

Miller
Jennings
Hill
Raine
Shields
Fisher
Skidmore
Walker

Alice E. French, *Librarian*

School Officers

1944-45

SCSCHOOL BOARD

Leon N. Bryar, Chairman

Zena B. Jaquith

Thelma Mac Donald

TREASURER

Etta C. Pero

AUDITORS

Lois M. Kenneson

Julia S. Abbott

MODERATOR

Leon N. Bryar

Substitute

Edward I. Moses

DISTRICT CLERK

George E. Kelly

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

R. E. Bailey

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Arthur S. Rollins

Rumney

School

Report

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the tenth of March 1945, 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 heretofore 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 raise and appropriate the sum of \$975.00 to install flush toilets together with necessary equipment and construction at the Village School.

Given under our hands at said Rumney this fifth day of February, 1945.

Leon N. Bryar,
Zena B. Jaquith, School Board.
Thelma M. MacDonald,

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

Leon N. Bryar,
Zena B. Jaquith, School Board
Thelma M. MacDonald,

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To The Rumney School Board:

This report, which is my second one, as your superintendent of schools will briefly present the principal facts about our Rumney schools and those recommendations which you are asked to consider.

We were fortunate in being able to retain all of our teachers of the previous year. Only those towns that were obliged to enter the highly competitive field of contract making for new teachers can fully appreciate how fortunate we were. In order that we may continue our schools without interruption I recommend that careful thought be given to the upward revision of our salary schedule.

Music instruction was resumed in October when Miss Carolyn E. Gove of Laconia was employed as music supervisor. There was an interruption of five weeks while her car was undergoing repairs following an accident which occurred while she was on her way to the Manchester Convention. Miss Gove's manner of approach has won the good will of her pupils and the teachers. We believe that much will be accomplished in music under her direction.

Transportation service is well organized and efficiently maintained. So far as I know there have been no criticisms this year either by parents or by pupils. Because of the detail involved in securing gasoline allotments for transporters it is strongly recommended that contracts for school transportation be negotiated before the term closes in June.

The new heating plant at the Depot School has been in operation since the beginning of the present school year with good results. The decision to burn coal appears to have been a wise one which should, under normal conditions, give both greater comfort and reduced heating costs. Maximum efficiency and ease of operation can be realized when desired grades and size of coal can be readily obtained. The blower system insures a more even distribution of heat where it is needed.

Shortage of manpower has thus far prevented completion of a well at the Depot School for which an appropriation was made two years ago. It now seems that we shall have no well until more labor is available unless arrangements can be made to have one drilled. The cost of such a well will be more than the two hundred dollars appropriated for digging a well but it should easily be worth the difference. Construction of a school well will provide greater convenience and will show a substantial cost reduction over a period of years.

The work of modernizing our textbook equipment and making it uniform in all schools is progressing as rapidly as finances permit. The basal system of reading has been carried through grade four beyond which it will not be extended. "Adventures in English" is now used from grade three through eight.

Regular, planned instruction in hand writing is given throughout all grades. Manuscript writing was started this year in grade one and will be continued until the second half of grade two when the change will be made to cursive writing. Research and experimentation have definitely proved that better progress in reading accompanies the use of manuscript writing for beginners. We hope to introduce a new and better graded series of history textbooks by September. Changes in geography must wait until stable world conditions make possible the preparation of textbooks which promise less frequent revisions than are now necessary.

The new report cards being used this year are designed to give parents a clearer as well as a more detailed report of the progress their children are making. They are expected to stimulate pupil interest by showing parallel estimates of achievement and of effort in each subject and to make everyone more keenly aware of the importance of good school citizenship. I believe the report on citizenship qualities is the best indication of what may be expected in adult performance. The ideals and attitudes we are able to establish in children will remain as a powerful

force long after the facts of everyday instruction are forgotten.

Again it is my pleasure to report the most helpful co-operation of pupils, parents, teachers and the Rumney School Board. For all this my thanks are hereby expressed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Arthur S. Rollins

Superintendent of Schools

Perfect Attendance for School Year of 1943-44

Thelma L. Carr Bruce E. Moulton Irving MacDonald

1944 GRADUATES OF RUMNEY SCHOOLS

Roy Lyford	Marjorie Manion
Roger Winsor	Frances MacDonald
Mary Cummings	Margaret Woodward
Frank R. Hall	Madeline Avery
John H. Kelly	Betty M. Burnham
Robert E. Lowell	Gloria M. Fuller
Bruce E. Moulton	Bernice E. Moulton

RUMNEY SCHOOL CALENDAR 1945-46

Term Begins	Term Ends	No. of Weeks	No. of Days
Sept. 5, 1945	Dec. 21, 1945	16	72
Jan. 2, 1946	Feb. 15, 1946	7	33
Feb. 25, 1946	April 19, 1946	8	39
April 29, 1946	June 7, 1946	6	28
		37	172

Expected days of no school:

Fair; October 12; State Conventior, 2 days; Thanksgiving, 2 days; Town Meeting; Institute; Memorial Day.

TEACHERS IN RUMNEY SCHOOLS 1944-45

School	Teacher	Grade
Montview	Mrs. Marie Atherton	1-6
Depot Grammer	Mrs. Lela C. Munson	5-8
Depot Primary	Miss Mary R. Russell	1-4
Village Grammer	Mrs. Dorothy B. Davis	5-8
Village Primary	Miss Ruth E. Russell	1-4

ENROLLMENT IN RUMNEY SCHOOLS
SCHOOL YEAR 1943-1944

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total	Grade	Boys	Girls	Total		
1	8	10	18	5	8	5	13		
2	9	4	13	6	9	8	17		
3	2	11	13	7	8	3	11		
4	6	9	15	8	6	10	16		
			Totals				56	60	116

RUMNEY SCHOOL DISTRICT 1943-44

School	Teacher	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Per Cent Attendance	Supt.'s Visits	Board's Visits	Non-R.* Pupils
Montview	Mrs. Marie L. Atherton	26	18.43	91.05	32	4	0
Depot Grammar	Mrs. Lela C. Munson	29	25.10	92.11	23	4	0
Depot Primary	Miss Mary R. Russell	18	13.22	92.96	17	4	0
Village Grammar	Mrs. Dorothy B. Davis	23	18.92	93.55	28	2	0
Village Primary	Miss Ruth E. Russell	32	26.24	93.14	28	2	2
Grand Total		128	101.91	92.56	128	16	2

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1945-1946

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools

Teachers' Salaries	\$ 6 222.00
Text Books	302.00
Scholars' Supplies	325.00
Flags and Appurtenances	15.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	150.00
Janitor Service	400.00
Fuel	800.00
Water, Light, Janitors Supplies	225.00
Minor Repairs and Expenses	150.00
Health Supervision, Medical Inspection	296.00
Transportation of Pupils	3,000.00
Payment of Elementary Tuition	111.00
Other Special Activities	25.00
	\$ 12,021.00

Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District)	\$ 150.00
Truant Officer and School Census	25.00
Payment of Tuition in High Schools	3,100.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary	283.60
Per Capita Tax	302.00
*Other Obligations Imposed by Law	300.00
	\$ 4,160.60

Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget	\$ 16,181.60
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ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1945 (Estimate)	\$	800.00
State Aid (December 1945 Allotment)		3,400.00
Dog Tax (Estimate)		150.00
Other Estimated Income		65.00
Deduct Total Estimated Income		<hr/>

Not Raised by Taxation	\$	4,415.00
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		<hr/> \$ 11,766.60

Special Appropriation Proposed (Article in Warrant)

To install flush toilets with necessary construction and equipment at Village School. 975.00

Total Assessment Required to Cover Budget and Appropriations	\$	12,741.60
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* This item includes legal obligations such as judgements, orders of State Department of Health on complaint, necessary rent and costs of authorized administration and insurance. Repairs in excess of 5% of the school money new equipment and major construction must be raised under special articles in the warrant.

Annual Report of District Treasurer for Fiscal Year Ending

June 30, 1944.

Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1943	\$	868.77
Appropriations for current year		10,718.50
Dog tax		229.87
Received from State Treasurer-State Aid		3,049.47
Received from all other sources		192.40
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$	15,059.01
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Less School Board orders paid		13,150.54
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1944	\$	1,908.47
Less Analysis Charges		6.58
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	\$	1,901.89

July 11, 1944

Etta C. Pero, District Treasurer

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

1943	From Whom	Source	Amount
July 9	State of N. H.	Budget Adj.	\$ 74.40
Oct. 2	Town of Rumney	Appropriation	1,000.00
Oct. 30	Town of Rumney	"	1,000.00
Nov. 20	Town of Rumney	"	1,000.00
Dec. 11	State of N. H.	Over Pd. Supt's Sal.	13.70
Dec. 13	Town of Rumney	Appropriation	2,000.00
Dec. 15	State of N. H.	State Aid	3,049.47
1944			
Feb. 12	Campton Sch. Dist	Educational Matl.	10.80
Feb. 24	Henry Holt Co.	Cash Returned	5.67
April 11	Town of Rumney	Appropriation	1,000.00
May 9	Town of Rumney	"	1,500.00
June 3	Town of Rumney	"	2,000.00
June 17	Town of Rumney	Bal. 1943-44 Appro.	1,218.50
		Dog Tax	229.87
		½ Forest Reserve	69.83
June 30	Town of Ellsworth,	Tuition	18.00
Total Receipts During the Year			\$ 14,190.24

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

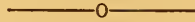
This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Rumney, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and find them correct in all respects.

Lois M. Kenneson,

Julia S. Abbott,

July 13, 1944.

FINANCIAL REPORT



RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid

Equalization Fund for Elementary Schools	\$	3,049.47
National Forest Reserve-Schools 1/2 from Selectmen		69.83
Total	\$	3,119.30

Income from Local Taxation

For the support of elementary schools	\$	7,732.50
For the payment of high school tuition		2,000.00
For salaries of district officers		140.00
For truant officer and school census		15.00
For Superintendent's excess salary		200.00
For the payment of per capita tax		316.00
Other obligations of the district		315.00
Total	\$	10,718.50

From Sources Other Than Taxation

Dog Licenses	\$	229.87
Elementary school tuition		18.00
Sale of property		10.80
Other receipts		93.77
	\$	352.44
Total From all Sources	\$	14,190.24
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1943		868.77
Grand Total	\$	15,059.01

PAYMENTS

Administration

Salaries of district officers	\$	135.40
Superintendents' excess salary		238.10
Truant officer and school census		13.00
Expenses of administration		134.93

Instruction

Principal's and teachers' salaries	\$	5,413.74
Text Books		226.27
Scholars' supplies		327.34
Other expenses of instruction		86.75

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant

Janitor service	\$	370.74
Fuel		633.95
Water, Light and janitors' supplies		156.07
Minor repairs and expenses		192.40

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities

Medical inspection, health supervision	\$	256.54
Transportation of pupils		2,320.35
High school tuition		1,990.89
Elementary school tuition		225.00
Other special activities		12.00

Fixed Charges

Tax for state wide supervision	\$	316.00
Insurance and other fixed charges		102.00

Outlay for Construction and Equipment

New equipment	\$	5.65
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Total payments for all purposes	\$	13,157.12
Total cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1944		1,901.89

Grand Total \$ 15,059.01

BALANCE SHEET

Assets, June 30, 1944

Cash on hand		
Balance June 30, 1944	\$	1,901.89
Total Assets		1,901.89
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Grand Total	\$	1,901.89

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Salaries of District Officers

Leon N. Bryar	\$	12.00
Zena B. Jaquith		43.50
Thelma Mac Donald		45.90
Lois M. Kenneson		1.50
Julia S. Abbott		1.50
Etta C. Pero		25.00
George E. Kelly		3.00
Edward Moses		3.00
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	\$	135.40

Superintendent's Excess Salary

Treasurer of State Board of Education	\$	238.10
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Truant Officer and School Census

Ralph E. Bailey	\$	13.00
Expenses of Administration		
Leon N. Bryar	\$	4.00
Zena B. Jaquith		2.66
Thelma Mac Donald		13.80
Plymouth School District		1.80
The Record Print		6.80
Theda Lougee		34.77
World Book Co.		5.41

Asa P. Colby	\$	51.44
Arthur S. Rollins		2.04
Edson C. Eastman Co.		1.09
Etta C. Pero		4.51
Pemigewasset National Bank		6.58

\$ 134.92

Principal's and Teachers' Salaries

Ruth E. Russell	\$	978.00
Mary R. Russell]		978.00
Lela C. Munson		1,075.50
Dorothy Davis		1,117.50
Marie Atherton		904.00
Carol Giannarakos		93.18
Collector of Internal Revenue		237.56

\$ 5,413.74

Text Books

Charles E. Merrill Co.	\$	8.69
Iroquois Publishing Co., Inc.		48.09
American Book Co.		6.61
The MacMillan Co.		6.49
Webster Publishing Co.		1.59
Ginn & Co.		28.12
The John C. Winston Co.		13.47
Allyn & Bacon		4.06
J. B. Lippincott Co.		4.09
Hall & McCreary Co.		1.89
Arlo Publishing Co.		11.63
Beckley-Cardy Co.		25.68
Scott, Foresman & Co.		60.54
Silver Burdett Co.		5.32

\$ 226.27

Scholars' Supplies

Asa P. Colby	\$	1.50
Gledhill Bros. Co.		187.48
Henry Holt Co.		11.34

American Ed. Press Inc.	\$	44.40
Ed. E. Babb & Co., Inc.		63.14
Scott, Foresman Co.		14.68
Mary R. Russell		1.87
Arthur S. Rollins		2.93

\$ 327.34

Other Expenses of Instruction

Ed. E. Babb & Co., Inc.	\$	1.55
J. L. Hammett Co.		2.62
Denoyer-Geppert Co.		20.53
World Book Co.		15.95
Dorothy Davis		45.00
W. M. Welsh Mfg. Co.		1.10

\$ 86.75

Janitor Service

Ethel Akerman	\$	74.74
Horace Patterson		111 00
Peter Mc Cormack		185.00

\$ 370.74

Fuel

Leon N. Bryar	\$	36.60
John Patterson, Jr.		16.25
Albert Clogston		40.00
Dorothy Davis		5.85
P. S. Willey		210.00
O. A. Patterson		72.00
C. W. Garland		60 00
Raymond Keniston		150.00
Marie Atherton		3.25

\$ 633.95

Water, Lights and Janitors' Supplies

White Mountain Power Co.	\$	67.61
Asa P. Colby		3.86

Leon N. Bryar	\$	75
Alberta Colby		55.50
Mc Kee's Market		.60
Joan Dow		15.75
Hazel P. nham		12.00

\$ 156.07

Minor Repairs and Expenses

Mrs. Earl Rowell	\$	20.00
Mrs. Olin Fuller		5.00
Rand's		46.17
Harold C. Mac Donald		3.00
Wm. D. Keniston		8.40
Leon N. Bryar		3.50
Leland C. Dunn		17.50
John Patterson		1.75
Horace Patterson		5.75
Dana Jaquith		45.95
George Littlefield		1.00
Peter N. Mc Cormack		4.25
George E. Kelly		30.13

\$ 192.40

Medical Inspection

Anna Lovett	\$	220.42
Collector of Internal Revenue		31.95
Mc Crillis Drug Co.		4.17

\$ 256.54

Transportation of Pupils

Horace Patterson	\$	610.80
Asa P. Colby		264.00
Charles W. Smith		666.40
Wilbur J. Hall		631.20

Wendell Stephenson	\$	69.90
Paul S. Durgin		71.55
Collector of Internal Revenue		6.50

\$ 2,320.35

High School Tuition

Plymouth School District	\$	1,867.30
Bath Special School District		33.59
Springfield, Vermont School Department		90.00

\$ 1,990.89

Elementary School Tuition

Campton School District	\$	225.00
Other Special Activities		
Everett Poitras	\$	1.00
Clarence Poitras		1.00
Bernice Spaulding		10.00

\$ 12.00

Insurance

C. L. Craig	\$	12.00
G. D. Kidder		30.00
Asa P. Colby		60.00

\$ 102.00

New Equipment

Ed. E. Babb & Co.	\$	5.65
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Per Capita Tax

Treasurer State Board of Education	\$	316.00
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REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To Rumney School Board:

I herewith submit my report of School nursing from September 1943 to July 1944.

Children inspected	110
Pupils with symptoms of defects:	
Dental	47
Tonsils	14
Vision	3
Enlarged glands	7
Orthopedic	1
Underweight	5

The following number of pupils had corrections:

Dental	52
Tonsil operations	5
Vision 5, new glasses- 3, lenses changed	

29 Children were treated at dental clinics held at Plymouth.

2 Children had examinations and glasses through the sight Conservation Department of Public Welfare.

1 Child had Chest X-rays by the State Tuberculosis Association.

88 school calls, 144 home calls, and 45 business calls were made in connection with the Health Program of class room inspection and talks, home calls and clinic work.

At the beginning of school 1944 these pupils showed symptoms of defects:

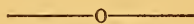
Children examined	108
Dental defects	38
Tonsils enlarged or diseased	20
Vision defects	5
Enlarged glands	11
Orthopedic	1
Underweight	4

13 children have been tested to date with the audiometer for hearing and 1 found to be defective.

The usual fine co-operation of those interested in the health of the school children is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA M. LOVETT, R.N.



AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE



This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Rumney, N. H., of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944 and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

LOIS M. KENNESON,
JULIA S. ABBOTT,

July 13, 1944.

Births Registered in the Town of Rumney, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1944.

Sex, Condition

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Male or Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child	Color - All White	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Feb 14	Plymouth	George Irving	M	L	1	W	Winifred E. Wilkins	Evelyn M. Ashley	Rumney Depot	Milkman	Bath	Plymouth
Feb 26	Laconia	Carlton Harold Lee	M	L	7	H	Harold A. Woodward	Hattie M. Boswell	Rumney	Laborer	Bethel Maine	Rumney
March 4	Plymouth	Lee	M	S	8	J	James Havelock	Marjorie A. Plimney	Rumney Depot	Foreman	Maxfield Me	Millbridge
March 9	Rumney	Mary Ellen	F	L	3	L	Lester W. Coffin	Mildred A. Camp	Rumney	Farmer	Clampton	Boston Mass
March 17	Plymouth	Nancy Ann	F	L	3	H	Harold C. MacDonald	Thekla Moses	Rumney	Laborer	Victory Vt	Rumney
March 25	Rumney	Joyce Elaine	F	L	3	W	William F. Flanders	Thekla D. Pi rce	Rumney	Truck driver	Rumney	Plymouth
March 25	Laconia	Winifred	F	L	4	N	Neil M. MacDonald	Arlene A. Ingalls	Rumney	Bobbin rigger	N Haverhill	Boston Mass
March 30	Plymouth	Carol Ann	F	L	6	J	John F. Patterson	Marjorie A. Bartt	Rumney Depot	Mill Laborer	Plymouth	Winnot Flat
March 31	Rumney	Minnie May	F	L	7	P	Perley R. Avery	Leona M. Chase	Rumney	Truck driver	Ellsworth	Rumney
March 31	Rumney	Laura Lee	F	L	1	U	Unknown	Ruth Mary Manion	Rumney	Laborer	Craftsbury Vt	Rumney
May 11	Rumney	Robert George	M	L	6	J	James L. Hamilton	Mary H. Brooks	Rumney Depot	Clock in store	Concord	Rumney
Oct 1	Plymouth	Teresa Gail	F	L	2	C	Carl B. Brown	Natalie Evelyn Page	Rumney	Trucking	Rumney	Rumney
Oct 14	Plymouth	Sally Jeanne	F	L	3	R	Raymond S. Keniston	Ira Vivian Bixby	W Rumney	Inspector	W Rumney	Pigeon Cove M
Dec 10	Plymouth	Burgess Henry	M	L	2	G	Glenn H. Youngman	Mary M. Stone	Rumney	Farmer	N Woodstock	Rumney
Dec 16	Plymouth	Ann Marie	F	L	3	C	Charles W. Smith	Maud L. Downing	Rumney	Laborer	Unknown	Rumney
Dec 21	Plymouth	Richard Leon	M	L	5	W	Walter Blake	Burmah B. Tomlinson	Rumney	Laborer	Unknown	Rumney

Marriages Registered in the Town of Rumney, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1944

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and Residence of each at time of marriage	Age	Color	Thine Mar	Occupation of each	Birthplace of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by whom married
July 28 Laconia	Jasper Roland Winsor Rumney Bernice Arlene Bixby Rumney	19 W 1		1	Farmer	Rumney	Leonard A Winsor Emma A Vernon	Providence RI Oxford Mass	Poultryman Housewife	Pierre D Volleumier Cong Minister Laconia
Aug 23 Rumney	Jack Woodrow Turner Phenix Olive Mary Woodward Rumney	27 W 2		2	Cowboy	Alamosa Colo	Vivian A Kennesson O B Turner	Plymouth Alamosa Colo	Housewife Cowman	J Robert Treganza Meth Minister Enfield
Aug 23 Mercedith	Leon Robert Bixby Rumney Eleanor Faye Spencer Plymouth	22 W 1		1	Pract'l nurse	Rumney	Frank S Woodward Mary Alice Craig	Fort Smith Arkansas Bethel Maine	Housewife Forest Service	
Nov 5 Rumney	George Robert Gilson Rumney Christina E Bisson Plymouth	24 W 2		2	Laborer	Rumney	Ivan R Bixby Vivian A Kennesson	Cambridge Mass Warren	Farmer Housewife	Roland William Clergyman Mercedith
Nov 12 Rumney	James Everett Darling West Rumney Shirley Beatrice Fuller West Rumney	32 W 2		2	Laborer	Plymouth	George A Emerson Zelpha C Avery	New York City Campton	Surveyor Inspector	Leslie L Bunker Justice Rumney
Nov 22 Rumney	Edward Camille Thibault Rumney Louise Carolyn Moulton Rumney	39 W 2		2	At Home	Whitefield	William Gilson Eva S Brown George A Bisson	Woodsville Haverhill Canada	Laborer Housewife Machinist	Leslie L Bunker Justice Rumney
		23 W 1		1	Laborer	Providence RI	Ellen A Dame James R Darling	Whitefield Providence RI	Housewife Auto Mechanic	Leslie L Bunker Justice Rumney
		18 W 1		1	At Home	Woodsville	Hattie S Brown Oland C Fuller	Exeter RI Wheelock Vt	Housewife Farmer	Leslie L Bunker Justice Rumney
		30 W 2		2	Laborer in mill	Nova Scotia	Eda B Walker Joseph Thibault	Boston Mass Nova Scotia	Housewife Farmer	Leslie L Bunker Justice Rumney
		25 W 3		3	Housemaid	Campton	Lena Comeau Benjamin Moulton Lulu Reed	Nova Scotia Campton Plymouth	Housewife Farmer Housewife	Leslie L Bunker Justice Rumney

Deaths Registered in the Town of Rumney, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1944.

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age, Sex, Condition			Place of Birth	Occupation	Birthplace of Parents		Maiden Name of Mother		
			Years	Months	Days			Male or Female	Father		Mother	
Jan 1	Rumney	Rose Alice King	55	9	12	F	M	Lowell	Mass	Ireland	Patrick Gallagher	Unknown
Jan 8	Haverhill N H	Grace Bickford	61	4	9	F	M	Hooksett	N H	Brookfield	Vt	Martha Lakin
Jan 10	Norwood Mass	Wm S Cruickshank	65	7	25	M	M	Prov R	I	Scotland	Scotland	Euphemia Maidon
Feb 8	Woodsville	Nettie Kimball	86	3	27	F	W	Dorchester		Orford	Wentworth	Catherine Atwood
Feb 13	Pittsfield	George M Ashley	M			M		P E Island		P E Island	P E Island	Jane Mc Rae
Feb 14	Hartford Vt	Ada Blanchard	75	6	22	F	W	Groton		Hudson	Groton	Emiline Hardy
Feb 24	Plymouth	Clara Jane Pike	86	7	14	F	W	Ellsworth		Ellsworth	Campton	Caroline A Sanborn
Feb 27	Rumney	Julia A Avery	88	6	19	F	S	Franconia		Graffon	Maxfield	Lauretta Moulton
March 4	Plymouth	Lee Havelock	M			M		Plymouth		Maxfield	Me	Marj. Phinney
March 16	Wilmington	Ms Lester Joshua Goss	M			M				Maxfield	Me	James Havelock
March 25	Plymouth	Harriet F Henderson	74	3	28	F	W	Maine		N Brunswick	N Brunswick	Susan Grant
April 6	Plymouth	Marion E Dow	74	8	1	F	M	Hollton	Me	Hollton	Me	John T Mullon
May 2	Plymouth	David S Lavelle	6	3	18	M	C			Goffstown	Wentworth	Reginald Lavelle
May 11	Rumney	Ethelyn G Kelly	60	11	20	F	M	Lebanon	N H	Warren	Laconia	Dorothy Rodimon
May 19	Plymouth	Cora E Camp	71	26	17	F	M	Salem	Mass	Salem	Mass	Sisic K Wentworth
May 31	Rumney	Grace E Jaquith	65	8	17	F	M	Sandwich	Mass	Fairfield	Me	Annie Merritt
June 2	Plymouth	Ruth F Farnsworth	20	3	3	F	S	Rumney		Rumney	Runney	Margaret Stephenson
June 2	Westmoreland	Charles M Burpee	73	11	25	M	M	Dorchester		New London	Runney	Doris Wheel
June 12	Rumney	Emily E Cook	68	2	2	F	S	Plymouth		Essex	Plymouth	Elizabeth Page
June 13	Rumney	Reuben K Miller	64	10	11	M	M	Pawtucket	R I	Massachusetts	Rhode Island	Susan Laron
July 19	Plymouth	William Thomas Ford	77	7	5	M	M	Plymouth		Rumney	Plymouth	Flora F Fellows
July 31	Laconia	Frank B Hanley	45	3	15	M	M	Dorchester		Calais	Me	Mary Elizabeth Brooks
Aug 25	Plymouth	Fred Derostia	56	9	8	M	D	Canada		Canada	Canada	Phoebe Gilman
Oct 4	Derry	Charles F King	76	1	9	M	W	Boston	Mass	New Hamp	West Indies	Dorothy MacDonald
Nov 4	Laconia	Joseph Herman Davis	82	10	14	M	W	Rumney		Rumney	Westfield	Phyllis M Dimond
Nov 13	Cambridge Ms	Ella M Keyes	76	8	4	F	W	Westfield	Mass	Westfield	Mass	Ella M Dimond
Dec 10	Woodsville	William R Atwood	63	3	28	M	M	W Rumney		Dorchester	Rumney	Ellen J Hall

