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## Town Officers 1939

Selectmen

MYRLE E. REED

MARCH CLARK

SOLON L. NEAL

Town Clerk

GUY S. NEAL

Town Treasurer

GUY S. NEAL

Supervisors

ALBERT J. DAVIS

LEON F. NEWTON

THOMAS B. SOUTHWICK

Moderator

ERVING C. DAVIS

Road Agents

LEONARD E. SMITH FREELAND E. HEMPHILL
LOYAL VALLIENT

Overseer of the Poor

MYRLE E. REED

Tax Collector

LEON F. NEWTON

Constable

THOMAS E. POTTER

Auditor

HELEN M. SOUTHWICK

### Town Warrant

#### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Acworth in the County of Sullivan in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Acworth on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- Art. 1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
- Art. 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.
- Art. 3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for highways and bridges.
- Art. 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for breaking roads.
- Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of the town poor.
- Art. 6. To see if the town will vote to accept State aid for Class V roads and raise money for the same.
- Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for lights.
- Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for debt and interest.
- Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow on notes on credit of the town, such sums as may be necessary to meet current expenses in anticipation of taxes.
- Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the observance of Old Home Day.
- Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of Silsby Free Public Library.
- $\,$  Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Memorial Day.

- Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to have one more street light installed in South Acworth on road leading to Albert Meaders.
- Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of thirty-eight dollars for the issuance and distribution of printed matter calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the town in co-operation with other towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee region, said appropriation to be disbursed by the selectmen.
- Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to buy a new road machine and raise money for same.
- Art. 16. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord ninteen hundred and forty.

MYRLE E. REED,
MARCH CLARK,
SOLON L. NEAL,
Selectmen of Acworth.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

MYRLE E. REED,
MARCH CLARK,
SOLON L. NEAL,
Selectmen of Acworth.

## Budget

At a meeting of the Budget Committee at the Silsby Free Public Library, Saturday, Feb. 3, 1940, it recommended—

That we raise the sum of \$1,500.00 to pay town charges.

That we accept State aid construction of Class V roads and raise and appropriate or set aside for said purpose the sum required.

That we raise the sum of \$50.00 for the observance of Old Home Day.

That we raise the sum of \$30.00 for the observance of Memorial Day.

That we raise the sum of \$300.00 for town and town house lights.

That we raise the sum of \$350.00 for old age assistance.

That we raise the sum of \$1,000.00 for the support of town poor.

That we raise the sum of \$75.00 for the support of Silsby Free Public Library.

That we raise the sum of \$200.00 to pay interest charges.

That we raise the sum of \$2,500.00 for winter maintenance of roads.

That we raise the sum of \$5,210.00 for the support of schools.

HELEN M. SOUTHWICK, GLENN N. BASCOM, GUY S. NEAL.

Budget Committee.

#### Budget of the Town of Acworth, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year February 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1939	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
From State				
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 90.60	\$ 90.60	\$	\$
Insurance Tax	3.30	3.30	Ψ	Ψ
Savings Bank Tax	83.03	83.03		
For Fighting Forest Fires	146.11	300.00	153.89	
From Local Sources Except Taxe	s			
Rent of Town Hall and Other				
Buildings	10.00	10.00		
Interest Received on Taxes and				
Deposits	586.63	400.00		186.63
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees				
1938	5.10			
1939	537.35	550.00	7.55	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes				
(a) Poll Taxes	320.00	300.00		20.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	11.00	11.00		
Cash on Hand (Surplus)	4513,63			4513.63
Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes		\$ 1747.93	\$ 161.44	\$4720.16
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes		14969.27		
TOTAL REVENUES		16717.20		

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1939	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
Current Maintenance Expenses				
General Government	0 05.40	0 0 0 1 1 0	Φ Φ	
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 654.13		\$ \$	
Town Officers' Expenses	447.18	447.18	22.50	
Election and Registration Exp. Expenses Town Hall	27.50 $30.00$	50.00 30.00	22.50	
Protection of Persons and Proper	rty			
Police Department	21.75	20.00		1.75
Fire Department	260.87	300.00	39.13	
Health				
Health Dept. including Hospital	ls 4.75	5.00	.25	
Vital Statistics	20.25	8.00		12.25
Highways and Bridges				
Town Maintenance	700.00	700.00		
Street Lighting	282.00	300.00	18.00	
Winter Maintenance	2702.55	2500.00		202.55
Libraries	101.05	75.00		106.25
Libraries	181.25	75.00		106.25
Public Welfare	050.00	1000 00	01.00	
Town Poor	978.02	1000.00	21.98	
Old Age Assistance	279.25	300.00	20.75	
Patriotic Purposes	00.00	00.00		
Memorial Day	30,00	30.00		
Recreation		<b>**</b> 0 0 0		
Parks and Playgrounds	56.00	56.00		
Public Service Enterprises				
Cemeteries	151.50	151.50		
Interest				
On Temporary Loans	<b>55.</b> 30			55.30
On Long Term Notes	175.00	175.00	•	
Outlay for New Construction				
and Permanent Improvements				
Highways and Bridges				
State Aid Construction—Town Share	ı's 539.28	539.28		
	000.20	000.20		
Payments to Other Gov. Divs. County Taxes	2418.18	2418.18		
	5283.50			73.50
Payments to School Districts				
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$15298.20	6 \$14969.2'	7 \$122.61	\$451.60

## Report of Selectmen

Inventory	of	the	Town	of	Acworth,	April	1,	1939
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Lands and buildings	\$296,410.00
Electric plants	8,000.00
Horses 89	8,070.00
Oxen 8	780.00
Cows 295	17,825.00
Other neat stock 106	5,315.00
Sheep 63	267.00
Fowls 288	288.00
Fur bearing animals 4	20.00
Portable mills 2	250.00
Wood, lumber, etc.	2,445.00
Gasolene pumps and tanks 7	415.00
Stock in trade	3,550.00
Aqueducts	4,350.00
Polls, number 264 @ \$2.00 \$ 528.00	
National Bank stock taxes 11.00	
Total valuation	\$347,985.00
Amount of taxes to be committed to collector,	
including poll taxes and National Bank	
stock taxes	\$ 14,806.39
Average rate per cent of taxation for all	. ,
purposes	\$ 4.10
Amount exempted to soldiers	\$ 8,150.00
,	
Statement of Appropriations and Taxes Asses	sed, 1939
Town charges	\$ 1,600.00
Forest fire	50.00
Town road aid, Class V road	549.00
Town maintenance	
Winter roads	2,500.00
Highways and bridges	700.00
	4 20 00

150.00

300.00

New road

Street lighting

Library	181.50
Old age assistance	350.00
Town poor	1,100.00
Memorial Day	30.00
Old Home Day	50.00
Interest	200.00
County tax	2,418.18
School tax	5,210.94
Total town and school appropriations	\$15,389.62
Less estimated revenue and credits	
Interest and dividend tax \$ 58.00	
Insurance tax 3.00	
Savings Bank tax 100.00	
Motor vehicle permit fees 500.00	
	661.00
_	\$14,728.62
Plus overlay 5%	77.77
Net amount to be raised by taxation	\$14,806.39
Less poll taxes \$ 528.00	
National Bank stock taxes 11.00	
	539.00
	\$14,267.39
Amount to be raised by property taxes on which town tax rate is figured	
Tax rate \$4.10	\$14,267.39
Taxes to be committed to collector	, ,
Property taxes	\$14,267.39
Poll taxes	528.00
National Bank stock taxes	11.00
Total taxes to be committed to collector	\$14,806.39

MYRLE E. REED,
MARCH CLARK,
SOLON L. NEAL,
Selectmen of Acworth.

# Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures

#### FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940

	Appropriation	Expenditures	Unexpended Bal.	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$	\$ 654.13	3 \$ \$	
Town Officers' Expenses	'	447.18	3	
Election and Registration Exp.		27.50	)	
Expenses Town Hall		30.00	)	
Police Department		21.78	5	
Fire Department	50.00	260.87	7	
Bounties		9.40	)	
Health Department		4.78	5	
Damage by dogs		9.00	)	
Vital Statistics		20.28	5	
Cemeteries		151.50	)	
Parks and Playgrounds		6.00	)	
Town Charges	1600.00			
	1650.00	1642.33	3 7.67	
Street Lighting	300.00	282.00	0 18.00	
Town Maintenance				
Winter	2500.00	2702.5	5	202.55
Summer	4027.81	3552.42	2 475.39	
Town Poor	1100.00	978.02	2 121.98	
Old Age Assistance	350.00	279.2	5 70.75	
F.R.A. Roads	549.00	539.28	9.72	
Silsby Free Public Library	181.50	181.2	5 . 25	
Memorial Day	30.00	30.00	)	
Old Home Day	50.00	50.00	)	
Interest	200.00	230.30	)	30.30
County Tax	2418.18	2418.18	3	
	\$13356.49	\$12885.5	8 \$703.76	\$232.85

Unexpended balance of appropriations

\$703.76 \$703.76

#### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town House, lands and buildings	\$ 3,000.00
Library, land and building	5,000.00
Furniture, books, etc.	2,000.00
Parks and playgrounds	500.00
Schools, lands and buildings	8,600.00
Equipment	800.00
All lands and buildings acquired through	
tax collectors' deeds	
Rackliff farm	1,000.00
Brown homestead	250.00
Hilliard farm	700.00
Perham pasture	100.00
Slader pasture	100.00
O'Leary lot	100.00

## Town Clerk's Report

54 male and spayed female dogs licensed for	
full year	\$ 108.00
8 female dogs licensed for full year	40.00
1 male dog licensed for part of year	1.00
1 kennel of 5 dogs	12.00
	\$ 161.00
Less fees due town clerk, 68 dogs @ 20¢	13.60
	\$ 147.40
1938-39 auto permits	\$ 5.10
1939-40 auto permits	\$ 537.35

I hereby certify that I have examined the books of Guy S. Neal, Town Clerk, and books of Guy S. Neal, Town Treasurer, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HELEN M. SOUTHWICK, Auditor.

## Tax Collector's Report

#### Amount of uncollected and unredeemed taxes

1936	Unredeemed Uncollected		\$	11.15 14.11		
					\$	25.26
1937	Unredeemed		\$	206.58		
	Uncollected			97.52		
					\$	304.10
1938	Unredeemed		\$	491.73		
	Uncollected			108.02		
					\$	599.75
1939	Uncollected				\$4	4,425.88
		Amounts coll	ected			
1936	Collected				\$	531.01
1937	Collected				\$	723.03
1938	Collected				•	1,649.59
1939	Collected				\$10	),431.69

Respectfully submitted,

LEON F. NEWTON,

Tax Collector.

## Treasurer's Report

#### Summary of Receipts

From State of New Hampshire		
Insurance tax	\$	3.30
Interest and dividend	·	90.60
Savings Bank tax		83.03
Class V roads, highway maintenance	3,	177.81
Bounty on hedgehogs 1938, 1939		25.00
Forest fire		146.11
Hurricane damage		146.68
Leon F. Newton, Tax Collector		
1939 property taxes	10,	111.69
1939 poll taxes		320.00
Previous years taxes	4,	936.54
Tax sales redeemed	1,	044.49
Guy S. Neal, Town Clerk		
Dog licenses 1939		150.40
Auto permits 1938		5.10
Auto permits 1939-40		537.35
Pages Orchestra, rent town hall		10.00
John Spaulding, town relief		230.00
Old age assistance, refund		160.62
Interest and costs		675.67
Temporary loans	3,	250.00
Sale of Fred Brown real estate		210.00
Down payment on Rackliff farm		100.00
Cash on hand February 1, 1939	1,	552.09
	\$26,	958.66

#### Summary of Payments

Town Officers' salaries	\$	654.13
Town Officers' expenses		447.18
Election and registration		27.50
Town house		30.00
Police		21.75
Fire		260.87
Bounties		9.40
Damage by dogs		9.00
Health department		4.75
Vital statistics		20.25
Summer maintenance, town roads		3,552.42
Winter maintenance, town roads		2,702.55
Street and town house lights		282.00
FRA roads		539.28
Silsby Free Public Library		181.25
Old age assistance		279.25
Town poor		978.02
Memorial Day		30.00
Old Home Day		50.00
Parks and playgrounds		6.00
Cemeteries		151.50
Taxes bought by town		968.95
Abatements		57.00
Interest		230.30
Temporary loans		3,250.00
State tax		2,418.18
School district		5,283.50
Cash in the treasury January 31, 1940		4,513.63
	\$2	26,958.66

Respectfully submitted,

GUY S. NEAL, Town Treasurer.

#### Detailed Statement of Receipts

	Detailed Statement of Receipts	
1939		
Feb. 1, Cas	sh on hand, auditor's report \$	1,552.09
11, Sta	te of New Hampshire, bounty on	
hed	lgehogs	15.60
Sta	te of New Hampshire, forest fire	4.26
Joh	nn Spaulding, relief credit	10.00
25, Joh	nn Spaulding, relief credit	10.00
Mar. 3, Leo	on F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 198	38 498.07
Lec	on F. Newton, interest 1938	12.52
4, Joh	nn Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
18, Joh	nn Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
Lec	on F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 193	63.94
Leo	on F. Newton, interest and costs 1937	9.75
Lec	on F. Newton, taxes 1938	105.78
Lec	on F. Newton, interest 1938	2.17
Apr. 1, Gu	y S. Neal, balance auto permits 1938	5.10
Gu	y S. Neal, auto permits 1939	281.10
15, Joh	nn Spaulding, relief credits	25.00
May 1, Gu	y S. Neal, auto permits 1939	22.32
5, Leo	on F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 193	365.90
	on F. Newton, polls 1939	4.00
Lec	on F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	12.45
Leo	on F. Newton, taxes redeemed 1936	62.24
Leo	on F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	
	nn Spaulding, relief credits	10.00
	oert Derrington, Brown real estate	
	part	10.00
	nn Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	nn Spaulding, relief credit	10.00
All	pert Derrington, Brown real estate	
	part	100.00
	y S. Neal, Ex., note	800.00
	nn Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	nn Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	pert Derrington, Brown real estate	
in	part	50.00

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June 19,	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	128.77
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1938	6.26
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937	7.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	28.00
	Leon F. Newton, poll tax 1939	2.00
	Richard Campbell, poll tax 1935	2.00
22,	State, hurricane damage	146.68
	John Spaulding, relief credits	10.00
		,000.00
	Guy S. Neal, town clerk, auto permits	127.83
July 4,		,177.81
	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	Guy S. Neal, town clerk, dog licenses 1939	84.80
	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
12,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1938	154.28
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1938	4.08
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	46.90
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	4.00
27,	Leon F. Newton, taxes	299.39
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes	38.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	151.39
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1938	7.78
29,		,450.00
	John Spaulding, relief credits	15.00
	Albert Derrington, Brown real estate	
	in part	50.00
31,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1938	435.54
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1938	26.17
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	197.35
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	22.00
Aug. 2,	Guy S. Neal, town clerk, auto permits	16.70
	Guy S. Neal, dog licenses	51.00
5,	Selectmen, Katherine P. Sanborn, back	
	taxes	27.00
9,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1939	325.34
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	8.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	83.04
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1938	3.46

Aug. 11.	Leon F. Newton, taxes redeemed 1937	75.19
110,81 11,	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1937	25.48
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	161.56
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	8.00
	Leon H. Newton, taxes 1938	248.37
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1938	18.46
	Leon F. Newton, taxes redeemed 1936	42.70
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	19.37
28,		211.80
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	12.00
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,181.92
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1938	79.41
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937	55.36
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1937	15.99
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1936 redemption	51.15
	Leon F. Newton, poll tax 1936	2.00
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	22.48
29,	John Spaulding, relief credits	10.00
	Guy S. Neal, town clerk, auto permits	28.73
	Guy S. Neal, town treasurer, dog licenses	
-	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
9,	8, 1111	5.00
12,	,,	
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	20.60
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	16.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	383.20
1.0	F. D. Carpenter, redemption tax 1935	46.40
	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
22,	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	State of New Hampshire, forestry	2.20
	State of New Hampshire, Unity forest fir	
	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1938	
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938 Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	14.22 112.88
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939  Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	6.00
30	Leon F. Newton, politaxes 1939 Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937	22.48
ου,	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937 Leon F. Newton, interest 1937	6.33
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1937 Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	159.11
	Leon 1. Ivew ton, taxes 1500	100.11

	T 1000	0.4 \$0
Sept. 30,	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	21.59
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	258.65
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	6.00
	State of New Hampshire, 3 forest fire bills	
	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	Guy S. Neal, town clerk, auto permits	28.76
7,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector,	
	redemption taxes 1936	209.25
	Leon F. Newton, costs and interest 1936	77.04
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937	192.60
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1937	45.52
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	123.60
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	13.66
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	123.00
	Leon F. Newton, cost of deed and	
	recording	2.25
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	317.37
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	8.00
	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	County of Sullivan, refund Thomas	
	Thompson	160.62
17,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1939	194.84
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	14.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	46.35
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	10.60
21,		6.00
	John Spaulding, relief credit	10.00
23,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1939	291.04
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	8.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	41.20
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	7.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937	49.08
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1937	15.26
Nov. 3.	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	244.51
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	12.00
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1938	2.00
4,	John Spaulding, relief credit	10.00
13,	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	759.45

Nov 13	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	26.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	731.45
<i>2</i> 1,	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	10.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	84.16
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	12.06
30.	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1936	4.65
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	6.15
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	4.12
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	3.70
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	1,698.84
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	30.00
Dec. 2,	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	1,256.47
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	16.00
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	5.00
	John Spaulding, relief credit	15.00
	Pages Orchestra, rent of town hall	2.00
4,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1936	
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	18.37
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937	29.96
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1937	11.23
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	28.84
	Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	6.11
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	974.14
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	14.00
	John Spaulding, relief credit	10.00
12,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1939	
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	18.00
	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
21,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 193	
	Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	4.00
	Leon F. Newton, interest 1939	.23
	Leon F. Newton, taxes 1936	40.00
23,	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	State of New Hampshire, bounty on	0.40
0.0	hedgehogs	9.40
30,	State of New Hampshire, insurance tax	3.30
	State of New Hampshire, interest and	00.60
	dividend tax	90.60

	30,	State of New Hampshire, savings bank tax	x 83.03
1940			
Jan.	9,	Guy S. Neal, town clerk, auto permits	30.54
		Guy S. Neal, dog licenses	9.20
	13,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1939	257.89
		Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	16.00
		Leon F. Newton, interest 1939	3.78
		John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
	30,	John Spaulding, relief credit	5.00
		John Heino, grass on Rackliff farm	2.00
	31,	Guy S. Neal, auto permits	1.37
		Leon F. Newton, tax collector, taxes 1936	27.90
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	16.16
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1936	23.25
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	10.59
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	24.72
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	6.64
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1936	6.65
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	8.97
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937	4.28
		Leon F. Newton,	8.00
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1937	5.70
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1938	4.50
		Leon F. Newton, taxes	8.12
		Leon F. Newton,	2.00
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	390.67
		Leon F. Newton, poll taxes 1939	18.00
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1939	5.24
		Earl E. Howe, down payment on	
		Rackliff farm	100.00
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	3.08
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1936	16.97
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1937	206.58
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1938	491.73
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	10.00
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1939	8.10
		Leon F. Newton, taxes 1936	9.30
		Leon F. Newton, interest and costs 1936	8.80

Jan.	31,	Leon F. Newton, taxes	1938		10.24
		Leon F. Newton, taxes	1938		2.00
		Leon F. Newton, intere	st and costs	1938	5.86
		Leon F. Newton, taxes	1937		8.56
		Leon F. Newton, intere	st and costs	1937	5.08
		Leon F. Newton, poll ta	ıx 1938		2.00
		Leon F. Newton, intere	st 1936-37		.40
		Leon F. Newton, intere	st and costs	1939	.20
		Leon F. Newton, tax sa	le		5.82
				\$26,9	964.48

## Detailed Statement of Payments

#### Town Officers' Salaries

1939		
Mar. 24,	Guy S. Neal, financial report	10.00
July 3,	one-half salary town clerk and treas.	50.00
Aug. 5,	Solon L. Neal, bal. overseer of poor 1938	8.00
	part services selectman	50.00
Oct. 7,	Myrle E. Reed, part overseer of poor	13.13
	Solon L. Neal, part services selectman	35.00
Dec. 9, 1940	Myrle E. Reed, part services selectman	75.00
	Guy S. Neal, bal. salary town clerk	
	and treasurer	50.00
	March Clark, services selectman	22.50
	perambulation town lines	8.00
	Solon L. Neal, perambulation town lines	20.00
	services selectman	60.00
	Myrle E. Reed, perambulation town lines	23.00
	Jennie E. Smith, auditor 1938-39	10.00
	Leon F. Newton, balance services tax	
	collector 1938	55.00
	part services tax collector 1939	100.00
	Myrle E. Reed, bal. services selectman	64.50
		654.13
	Town Officers' Expenses	
1939	· · · · · ·	
Mar. 24,	Perry & Willard, bond, town officers \$	38.50
	Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., supplies	5.00
	Wm. Miller Son Co., printing town	
	reports	115.60
Apr. 1,	New Hampshire Assessors, dues	2.00
15,	Clinton K. Barton, 84 transfers	16.80
	Harry E. Jameson, list, probate estates	.50
	Edson C. Eastman, Inc., supplies	.96
	Myrle E. Reed, stamped envelopes	6.15

May	6,	Wheeler & Clark, town supplies \$	7.07
		Myrle E. Reed, attending tax meeting	8.00
		Guy S. Neal, 107 auto permit fees	26.75
June	3,	Wheeler & Clark, town supplies	1.03
July	3,	W. P. Garrison, auto guide	3.75
		Guy S. Neal, 6 auto permit fees 1938	1.50
		43 auto permit fees 1939	10.75
	14,	Harold R. Harvey, making out taxes, etc.	15.00
		Guy S. Neal, trip to Concord	5.00
Aug.	5,	11 auto permit fees	2.75
		copying inventory	4.00
		Solon L. Neal, attending tax meeting	4.00
Oct.	7,	W. P. Garrison, auto manual 1940	3.75
		Guy S. Neal, 14 auto permit fees	3.50
		attending town clerks meeting	5.00
		state town clerk dues	2.00
		Edson C. Eastman Co. Inc., collectors	
		sales and deed forms	.93
Nov.	4,	Clinton K. Barton, recording Beryl	
		Mountain deed	1.00
		Wheeler & Clark, town vouchers, postage	7.65
Dec.	2,	Leon F. Newton, tax collector, cost of	
		collecting and tax sales	97.83
		attending tax meeting	4.00
		making 2 deeds and expense	6.50
1940			
Jan.	6,	Clinton K. Barton, recording coll. deed	1.00
	30,	Guy S. Neal, making out town report	
		and work on books	25.00
		11 auto permit fees	2.75
		postage and telephone	3.00
		Myrle E. Reed, expense overseer of poor	5.16
		Leon F. Newton, making 3 deeds	3.00
		\$	447.18

#### Election and Registration

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1939			
		\$	5.00
Dec. 2,	Leon F. Newton, services as supervisor		6.00
1940			
Jan. 31,	Albert J. Davis, services as supervisor		12.00
	Leon F. Newton, services as supervisor		4.50
		\$	27.50
		ψ	21.00
	Town Hall		
1939			
	Myrle E. Reed, insurance	\$	20.00
1940	nighto is recoa, moutanee	Ψ	
	E. C. Davis, treas., use of 2 horse sheds		10.00
		\$	30.00
		φ	50.00
	Police		
1939			
June 3,	Thomas Potter, constable, services	\$	9.75
Aug. 5,	services		7.50
Oct. 7,	services		3.50
Dec. 2,	services		1.00
Dec. 2,		Φ.	
		\$	21.75
	Fire		
1939	-		
	Thomas Potter, posting fire notices	\$	4.00
June 3,	fire calls and cash paid	Ψ	4.40
Aug. 5,	Crescent Lake section, Acworth		7.10
mag. o,	Crescent Lake section, Unity		119.90
Sept. 2,	Crescent Lake fire		32.40
Dec. 2,	fire calls from look-outs		3.00
Dec. 2,	State of N. H., Forestry Dept., fire tools		49.50
	Ray Davis, express on fire tools		3.82
1940	Tray Davis, express on me tools		0.02
	Alstead Precinct, fire at Mrs. Hulls		36.75
		æ	260.87
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Bounties 1939	
Dec. 2, March Clark, bounty on hedgehogs  Myrle E. Reed, bounty on hedgehogs	4.00 5.40
\$	9.40
Damage by Dogs	
1939	
Aug. 5, Guy S. Neal, postage and collecting	
dog taxes	
Oct. 7, license tags and book	6.00
\$	9.00
Health Department	
1940	
Jan. 31, Fred Robbins, services	4.75
Vital Statistics	
1940	
Jan. 30, Guy S. Neal, records submitted under	40 ===
Chapter 285 laws of 1899	
recording vital statistics	$\frac{7.50}{}$
\$	20.25
Town Maintenance	
Orders Drawn for Repairs of Highways and Brid	ges
Under Direction of Selectmen	
1939	
May 6, Westley Severance, 350 ft. bridge plank \$	
Myrle Reed, attending road meeting	8.00
Raymond Davis, express, scraper blade	.94
June 23, Julius Pitkin, labor, E. Acworth bridge	3.00
Ernest Knight, labor, E. Acworth bridge	3.00

Warren Goewey, labor, E. Acworth bridge

Leonard Smith, labor, E. Acworth bridge

M. S. Perkins, welding grader wheels

24, P. G. Perkins, parts for scraper

		Solon L. Neal, attending road meeting Wm. Vatcher, repairing dam, South	4.00
Бере.	,	Acworth	7.00
		Thomas Potter, repairing dam, South	•.00
		Acworth	5.00
Oct.	7.	F. A. Evans, spikes and bags for dam	4.65
Nov.		Fred Robbins, lumber, labor on bridge	12.68
	-,	Myrle E. Reed, lumber, plank, East	
		Acworth bridge	28.12
		plank, Div. No. 1 and 2	14.83
		plank, spikes, labor, Uris bridge	54.33
		Fred L. Robbins, plank, labor on bridge	41.24
		Myrle E. Reed, plank, labor on bridges	35.38
	17,	Arthur N. Jennison, plank, South	
		Acworth bridge	55.31
	18,	Thomas Potter, labor, South Acworth	
		bridge	5.40
	24,	Arthur N. Jennison, bridge plank	16.94
Dec.	2,	Ray Sparks, painting signs	4.00
		C. H. & M. O. Miller, sticking lumber	1.50
		Myrle E. Reed, planking, South Acworth	
		bridge	7.40
	16.	Myrle Reed, Jr., labor, E. Acworth bridge	.67
		Wallace Reed, labor, E. Acworth bridge	.67
		Leonard E. Smith, labor, E. Acworth	
		bridge	1.00
		F. A. Evans, 10 lbs. spikes	.60
1940			
Jan.		Miller Brothers, lumber	2.40
	30,	Myrle E. Reed, 849 ft. bridge plank	20.37
		\$	365.52

#### District No. 1, Leonard E. Smith, Agent

		District No. 1, Leonard E. Smith, Agent	
1939			
May	6,	Julius Pitkin, labor	\$ 14.51
		Victor Wilson	2.34
		Lyle Farnsworth	3.00
		Leonard Smith, labor and truck	43.50
	13,	Julius Pitkin labor	6.00
		Clarence Ells	3.00
		Fred L. Robbins	3.00
		John Heino	2.00
		Leonard Smith, labor and truck	27.00
	20,	Fred Robbins labor .	2.50
		Joseph Yuhas, labor and dynamite	5.00
		Leonard Smith, attending road meeting	4.00
		labor and truck	8.00
	26,	John Rickard labor	10.34
		Julius Pitkin	10.34
		Lyle Farnsworth	9.00
		Clarence Neal	2.34
		Leonard Smith, labor and truck	18.00
June	3,	Julius Pitkin labor	13.67
		John Rickard	13.67
		Lyle Farnsworth	10.67
		Clarence Neal	2.34
		Leonard Smith, labor and truck	32.00
	9,	Julius Pitkin labor	18.51
		John Rickard	18.51
		Lyle Farnsworth	18.51
		Luther Clough	3.00
		Charles Kivi	3.34
		James Lufkin	6.00
		Harold Lufkin	6.00
		David Coull	6.00
		Warren Goewey	6.00
		Leonard Smith, labor and truck	55.50
	17,	Julius Pitkin, labor	12.00
		Leonard Smith, labor and truck	36.00
		John Rickard labor	12.00

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June 17, Lyle Farnsworth labor	12.00
James Lufkin	12.00
Harold Lufkin	12.00
David Coull	12.00
Warren Goewey	12.00
Bertram Gilligen	5.00
Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	9.00
23, Julius Pitkin labor	3.34
Everett Knight	1.34
Leonard Smith, labor and truck	10.00
24, Walter Goodwin, labor	3.33
July 3, Julius Pitkin labor	5.17
David Coull	5.17
Warren Goewey	3.00
Leonard Smith, labor and truck	15.50
7, Julius Pitkin labor	7.34
Warren Goewey	7.34
David Coull	4.34
Leonard Smith, labor and truck	18.00
14, Julius Pitkin labor	3.00
Leonard Smith, labor and truck	9.00
21, Julius Pitkin labor	15.17
John Rickards	3.17
Leonard Smith, labor and truck	45.50
Byron Surber labor	6.00
28, Julius Pitkin	3.00
Leonard Smith, labor and truck	9.00
Aug. 5, Harold Lufkin labor	3.00
Victor Wilson	4.67
Julius Pitkin	1.67
Fred Wells	1.50
Leonard Smith, labor and truck	23.00
Mrs. Homer Anderson, 44 yards gravel	4.40
C. Howard Smith labor	1.67
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culvert	90.72
11, Julius Pitkin labor	15.00
C. Howard Smith	15.00
Victor Wilson	6.00

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Aug. 11, Charles Kivi		2.67
Leonard Smith, l	abor and truck	45.00
19, Leonard Smith		49.50
25, Julius Pitkin		6.68
C. Howard Smit		2.34
Leonard E. Smit	h, labor and truck	20.00
Sept. 2, C. Howard Smith	n labor	3.00
Julius Pitkin		6.00
Joseph Handfield		6.00
Clarence Ells		6.00
Leonard E. Smit	h, labor and truck	34.00
Alfred Short, 74	yards gravel	7.40
H. C. Metcalf, 2	bags cement	1.70
Sept.11, Julius Pitkin		3.00
Lyle Farnsworth		3.00
Clarence Ells		3.00
Joseph Handfield		3.00
-	h, labor and truck	9.00
Dec. 2, John Sargent, gr	ravel	10.40
	ck, gravel and logs	6.00
Wm. Horseman,		2.80
Fred Robbins		3.01
C. Howard Smith		1.67
Leonard Smith, 1		9.00
	labor	4.67
Leonard Smith, 1		14.00
James Lufkin		.34
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		\$1,148.11

#### District No. 2, Freeland Hemphill, Agent

1939			
May	6,	Freeland Hemphill, attending road	
		meeting	\$ 8.00
		Leonard Smith, labor and truck	9.00
		Julius Pitkin labor	3.00
		Warren Goewey	6.67

May (	6, Thomas Potter labor	3.00
	Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	27.00
19	9, John Balla, 12 yards gravel	1.20
	James Lufkin labor	3.00
	Loyal Vallient	1.33
	Warren Goewey	10.67
	Joseph Handfield	1.67
	Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	36.00
20	6, David Coull labor	16.00
	Harold Lufkin	12.33
	James Lufkin	16.00
	Warren Goewey	16.00
	Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	46.00
	Joseph Handfield labor	3.00
June 3	B, Harold Lufkin	7.66
	David Coull	7.66
	James Lufkin	3.00
	Warren Goewey	16.00
	Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	51.00
(	9, James Lufkin labor	4.00
	Harold Lufkin	4.00
	David Coull	4.00
	Warren Goewey	4.00
	Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	9.00
25	B, Leonard Smith	21.00
	Warren Goewey labor	7.33
	Spencer Knight	3.00
	Everett Knight	4.33
	Lyle Farnsworth	3.00
	Harold Lufkin	3.00
	James Lufkin	3.00
	David Coull	7.33
	Julius Pitkin	7.00
3(	), Leonard Smith, labor and truck	27.00
	Warren Goewey- labor	9.00
	David Coull	9.00
	Julius Pitkin	9.00
	Everett Knight	3.00

July 7	, Julius Pitkin labor	7.67
	Warren Goewey	7.67
	David Coull	4.67
	Leonard Smith, labor and truck	22.00
21	, David Coull labor	18.00
	Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	42.00
	John Balla, 44 yards gravel	4.40
28	, Edmond Johnson, 38 yards gravel	3.80
	David Coull labor	15.00
	Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	27.00
Aug. 5	, Freeland Hemphill	41.00
	David Coull, labor	13.67
11	, Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	9.00
	David Coull, labor	18.00
	Edmond Johnson, 18 yds. gravel	1.80
	Warren Goewey, labor	15.00
	John Balla, 20 yds. gravel	2.00
24	, David Coull labor	28.33
	Warren Goewey	28.33
Sept.	2 Leonard E. Smith, labor and truck	7.00
	Julius Pitkin labor	2.33
	C. Howard Smith	.67
	David Coull	9.34
	Warren Goewey	21.00
9	, Freeland Hemphill	3.00
	Warren Goewey	10.00
0.00	Clarence Jeffery	24.00
25	, Clarence Jeffery	25.33
	Warren Goewey	25.33
	Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	9.00
9.0	John Balla, 20 yds. gravel	2.00
30	, Freeland Hemphill, labor and truck	27.00
	Kenneth Hemphill labor	3.00
	Warren Goewey	14.33
	Clarence Jeffery	14.33
	Faithful Jeffery	1.67
	John Balla, 22 yds. gravel	2.20

Nov.	-	Warren Goewey	labor	3.00
		Clarence Jeffery		3.00
				\$ 963.05

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June 3	Freeland Hemphill labor	5.00
54110 0,	Warren Goewey	3.33
	David Coull	2.33
17.	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	9.00
,	Spencer Knight, labor	3.00
July 7,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	27.00
,	Don Champney labor	3.00
	Theodore Pitkin	3.00
	Julius Pitkin	3.00
	Warren Goewey	3.00
	David Coull	3.00
	David Coull	3.00
	John Rickard	3.00
14,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	54.00
	Leonard Smith	18.00
	Warren Goewey labor	3.00
	Don Champney	18.00
	David Coull	18.00
	Julius Pitkin	15.00
	James Lufkin	15.00
	Harold Lufkin	15.00
29,	C. Howard Smith	9.00
	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	45.00
	Don Champney, labor	15.00
Aug. 5,	H. C. Metcalf, tools	3.50
	N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culvert	17.71
12,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	23.00
	Don Champney labor	7.67
	C. Howard Smith	3.00
	John Balla, 281 loads gravel	28.10
	George Groux, 22 loads gravel	2.20
17,	Julius Pitkin labor	16.50
	C. Howard Smith	15.00
Sept. 2,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	22.00
	C. Howard Smith, labor	2.33
	John Balla, 14 yards gravel	1.40
	Don Champney labor	1.33
	C. Howard Smith	3.67

Sept. 16,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	18.00
	C. Howard Smith labor	18.00
	Don Champney	18.00
	Robert Champney	18.00
	Donald Champney	3.00
	Freeman Champney	15.00
	Clyde Young	18.00
Oct. 7,	Don Champney	3.00
	Clyde Young	3.00
	C. Howard Smith	3.00
	Robert Champney	3.00
	Freeman Champney	3.00
14,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	18.00
	Ernest Randall labor	6.00
	William Alden	6.00
	Thomas Deardon	6.00
	Thomas Deardon, Jr.	6.00
Nov. 24,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	27.00
	Arthur Lufkin labor	9.00
	Joe Hanfield	9.00
Dec. 2,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	36.00
	Arthur Lufkin labor	12.00
	Joseph Handfield	12.00
	Harold Grant	2.33
	John Balla, gravel	10.80
9,	John J. Lees, blasting	39.75
		\$1,075.74

NOTE—\$147.02 of above account expended on maintenance of new Champney road.

## Winter, Town Maintenance

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1939		
	Glenn M. Bascom	\$ 11.67
,	Victor Wilson	11.81
	Edmund Johnson	6.00
	Donat Ferland	47.33
	Emery Ferland	58.00
	Thomas Potter	2.00
	Charles Pockett	2.67
	Winslow Neal	2.67
	Ralph Timpano	2.33
	Harold Grant	2.33
	Ralph Goewey	16.98
	Thomas Potter	36.69
	Eli Wilson	2.00
	Freeland Hemphill	192.00
	Joseph Lapointe	99.21
	Joseph Pare	36.33
	Placid Pare	3.33
	Ernest Pare	2.00
	Clarence Jeffery	6.00
	Faithful Jeffery	6.33
	Richard Jeffery	9.67
	Theodore Pitkin	34.05
	Julius Pitkin	8.34
	Arthur Lufkin	3.00
	Walter Goodwin	3.01
	Loyal Vallient	2.50
	Clyde Young	3.00
	Leon Newton	2.67
	Everett Knight	3.01
	Leonard Smith	276.69
	Wm. Henderson	8.50
	A. A. Fisk	3.80
	Loyal Vallient	20.67
	Raymond Sparks	23.50
	Harold Grant	2.67
	Leon Newton	10.01

Mar 18	Wesley Campbell	2.67
mai. 10,	Earl Miller	1.00
	Gerald Heselton	3.67
	William Mitchell	2.33
	Ray Heselton	332.00
	Lyle Farnsworth	33.67
	Fred Murdough	1.50
	B. H. Gilligan	11.23
24,	L. E. Rogers	16.54
	Walker Bros.	2.00
	Austin Johnson	4.17
Apr. 1,	Leon Newton	1.67
	David Knight	1.67
	Everett Knight	.67
	Leonard Smith	7.00
	Leonard Smith	20.00
	Loyal Vallient	17.83
	Everett Knight	1.00
	Charles Mulligan	3.00
	Robert Champney	3.00
22,	Freeland Hemphill	60.00
	Thomas Potter	14.67
	Robert Champney	3.00
	Warren Goewey	8.67
	Loyal Vallient	3.00
	Winslow Neal	3.00
	Julius Pitkin	4.51
	Everett Knight	.67
	Elroy Reed	.67
	Leonard Smith	30.00
	John Balla	1.00
	Algene Fisk	1.10
May 6,	Joseph Lapointe	5.81
	Joseph Pare	2.33
19,	Freeland Hemphill	4.00
	Warren Goewey	1.33
	Joseph Handfield	1.33
	John Pickul	10.32

May 26	Julius Pitkin	3.00
1114, 20,	Lyle Farnsworth	3.00
	John Rickard	3.00
	Leonard Smith	9.00
June 24	Emery Ferland	10.00
	J. Lyman Putnam	6.75
1,0,,	Nelson-Warner Co. 4 tons salt	64.00
24	Loyal Vallient, putting up snow fence	10.00
21,	George Randall	3.33
	Salvadore Timpano	3.33
27	Arthur Smith	9.00
2.,	C. Howard Smith	14.84
	Fred Robbins	7.67
	Leonard Smith	61.50
	John F. Balla, sand	9.90
	John F. Balla, sand	10.90
Dec. 2.	Harvey Royce, trucking salt	1.00
200. 2,	C. Howard Smith	6.00
	Leonard Smith, truck and labor	18.00
	Fred Robbins	6.00
	John F. Balla	3.60
	Freeland Hemphill, truck and labor	41.00
	Julius Pitkin	3.00
	Harold Grant	7.67
	Warren Goewey	9.00
	John F. Balla	7.20
9.	Nelson-Warner Co. ½ ton salt	8.00
	John Rickard	4.50
,	Leonard Smith, truck and labor	28.00
	Wallace Reed	.50
	Elroy Reed	.50
22,	Freeland Hemphill, truck and labor	30.00
	Harold Grant	10.00
	Thomas Potter	4.67
	Thomas Henderson	3.33
	John Balla, sand	2.10
	Thomas Potter	.67
	Freeland Hemphill, truck and labor	4.00
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Dec. 23,	James Lufkin Curtis Demond	6.18
		2.34
	Herbert Randall	3.84
00	Leonard E. Smith, truck and labor	18.50
30,	Loyal Vallient, truck and labor	20.00
	Donald Champney, Jr.	5.50
	Freeman Champney	6.50
	Don Champney	3.67
40.40	Loyal Vallient, truck and labor	17.00
1940		
Jan. 6,	Harold Grant, truck and labor	18.00
	Warren Goewey	6.00
	John Balla, sand	3.60
	Lyle Farnsworth	1.00
13,		6.34
	Albert Derrington	2.00
	Raymond Sparks	2.00
	Leonard E. Smith	43.00
20,	Loyal Vallient	124.50
	Donald Champney, Jr.	1.67
	David Coull	6.16
	Freeman Champney	1.67
	George Randall	1.50
	Herbert Randall	1.50
	Albert Derrington	15.99
	Harold Grant	137.00
	Warren Goewey	25.67
	Freeland Hemphill	22.00
	Thomas Potter	3.33
	Henry Corey	5.00
	Thomas Potter	5.00
	John Rickard	11.01
	Eli Wilson	3.34
	Dorian Wilson .	3.34
	Leonard E. Smith	74.00
	Albert Derrington	2.67
	David Coull	2.67
30,	John Heino	4.50

Jan. 30,	Loyal Vallient, labor and truck	17.00
	Albert Derrington	3.00
	John Balla, sand	5.30
	Freeland Hemphill	4.00
	Harold Grant, labor and truck	15.00
	Warren Goewey	3.00
	Henry Corey	3.00
	Thomas Potter	1.33
	Thomas Henderson	1.33
	John Balla, sand	.30
	Lyle Farnsworth	2.00
21	Myrle E. Reed, Jr.	3.00
91,	Samuel Moody	1.67
	Leonard E. Smith	16.00
	Lyle Farnsworth	1.67
	John Balla, sand	1.40
	John Balla, sand	2.20
	John Sargent, sand	.60
		\$2,702.55

## Street and Town House Lights

1939		
Mar. 24,	Granite State Electric Co.	\$ 47.00
June 3,		47.00
July 3,		23.50
Aug. 5,		23.50
Sept. 2,		22.50
Oct. 7,		24.50
Nov. 4,		23.50
Dec. 2,		23.50
1940		
Jan. 6,		23.50
30,		23.50
		\$ 282.00

	Silsby Free Public Library	
	Ayrle E. Reed, insurance Guy S. Neal, Treasurer, appropriation	\$ 106.25 75.00
		\$ 181.25
	Old Age Assistance	
1939 Apr. 15, S June 3, 24, Aug. 5, Sept. 12, Oct. 7, Nov. 4, Dec. 2, 30, 1940 Jan. 30,	State of New Hampshire	\$ 69.75 27.00 27.00 22.50 22.50 22.50 22.50 21.50 21.50 279.25
F T F N E	Support of Town Poor  Itoughton Funeral Home, burial  Tred Brown  Thomas Potter, meals for tramps  T. A. Evans, goods, John Rickard  Mrs. John Demers, board and care,  Elizabeth Spaulding  Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	\$ 100.00 1.20 12.00 20.00

18.00

36.00

10.00

William Spaulding

Mrs. Cora G. Davis, board and care,

Ronald and Jean Spaulding

Mar. 24, Sullivan County Home, balance board and care, Fred Brown

Apr.	15,	Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		Elizabeth Spaulding	18.00
		Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
May	6,	Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
		Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
		Ronald and Jean Spaulding	36.00
		Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		Elizabeth Spaulding	18.00
		Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
		Ronald and Jean Spaulding for March	36.00
June	3.	Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	
	,	William Spaulding	18.00
		Mrs. Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
		Ronald and Jean Spaulding	36.00
		Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		Elizabeth Spaulding	18.00
July	3,	Mrs. Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
·		Ronald and Jean Spaulding	36.00
		Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
		Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		E. Spaulding	18.00
Aug.	5,	Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	13.50
		Mrs. Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
		R. and J. Spaulding	36.00
		Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		E. Spaulding	18.00
Sept.	2,	Mrs. A. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
		Mrs. Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
		R. and J. Spaulding	36.00
	16,	Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		E. Spaulding	18.00
Oct.	7,	F. A. Evans, groceries, Donat Ferland	8.19
		F. A. Evans, groceries, Delia Thompson	4.82

Oct.	7,	Mrs. Cora G. Eastman, board and care,	
		R. and J. Spaulding	36.00
		Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
		Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		E. Spaulding	18.00
		Myrle E. Reed, keeping tramps	1.00
Nov.	4,	Mrs. Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
	ĺ	R. and J. Spaulding	33.00
		Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
		Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		Elizabeth Spaulding	18.00
Dec.	2.	Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
	,	R. and J. Spaulding	33.00
		A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
		Myrle Reed, Jr., taking tramp to Alstead	1.00
	9.	Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
	,	Elizabeth Spaulding	18.00
	16.	F. A. Evans, groceries, Delia Thompson	3.63
1940	- ,		
Jan.	6.	Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
	-,	R. and J. Spaulding	33.00
		Clara L. Bean, board and care,	
		Elizabeth Spaulding	18.00
		A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
	30.	Cora G. Davis, board and care,	
	,	R. and J. Spaulding	33.00
		Mrs. A. W. Walker, board and care,	
		William Spaulding	18.00
		F. A. Evans, groceries, Delia Thompson	4.68
			978.02

## Memorial and Old Home Day

1939	Memorial and Old Home Day		
	H. L. Estabrook, Treas., Memorial Day	\$	30.00
	Myrle E. Reed, Treas., Old Home Day	Ψ	50.00
		•	80.00
	Cemeteries	ψ	80.00
1939	Cemeteries		
	Julius Pitkin, cutting and removing tree	es \$	15.00
	Solon L. Neal		15.00
	Leonard Smith "		9.50
Sept. 2,	Acworth Cemetery Assn., hurricane		
	damage		50.00
	Solon L. Neal, mowing cemetery		28.00
	sexton services		34.00
		\$	151.50
	Parks and Playgrounds		
1939		Φ.	2.00
Sept. 9,	A. J. Davis, mowing common	\$	6.00
	Interest		
1939	a an i	Ф	40.77
	Guy S. Neal	\$	43.75
	Guy S. Neal		43.75
8,	Connecticut River National Bank		$\frac{1.50}{4.00}$
	Guy S. Neal, Ex.		4.00
Sout 9	Cuy S Nool Fy		
-	Guy S. Neal		6.05
Oct. 7,	Guy S. Neal,		$6.05 \\ 43.75$
Oct. 7, Dec. 2,			6.05
Oct. 7, Dec. 2, 1940	Guy S. Neal,		$6.05 \\ 43.75$
Oct. 7, Dec. 2, 1940	Guy S. Neal, Guy S. Neal,	\$	6.05 43.75 43.75 43.75
Oct. 7, Dec. 2, 1940	Guy S. Neal, Guy S. Neal,	\$	6.05 43.75 43.75
Oct. 7, Dec. 2, 1940	Guy S. Neal, Guy S. Neal, ————————————————————————————————————	\$	6.05 43.75 43.75 43.75
Oct. 7, Dec. 2, 1940 Jan. 30,	Guy S. Neal, Guy S. Neal, ————————————————————————————————————		6.05 43.75 43.75 43.75
Oct. 7, Dec. 2, 1940 Jan. 30,	Guy S. Neal, Guy S. Neal,  Motes Paid	\$1,	6.05 43.75 43.75 43.75 230.30 000.00 800.00
Oct. 7, Dec. 2, 1940 Jan. 30, 1939 July 8,	Guy S. Neal, Guy S. Neal,  Notes Paid  Connecticut River National Bank, note	\$1,	6.05 43.75 43.75 43.75 230.30

1939	Taxes Bought by Town at Tax Sale		
	, Ernest A. Randall, property deed to		
Dec. 2	town for 1936-37-38-39 taxes by		
	Leon F. Newton, collector	\$	155.16
1940			
	O'Leary lot so called		42.37
31	, Slader pasture, Edna Elliott		25.85
	Susan Perham wood lot, Edna Elliott		30.29
	Leon F. Newton, collector, tax sales		715 90
	bought by town		715.28
	*1 · · · · · / m	\$	968.95
10.40	Abatement of Taxes		
1940	o, B. C. Wood, rebate on 1939 tax	\$	41.00
Jan. 50	Leon F. Newton, abatement of	Φ	41.00
	Lorne Jennison, poll tax 1937		2.00
	Mildred Spaulding, poll tax 1937		2.00
	Harry White, poll tax 1937		2.00
	Kathryn White, poll tax 1937		2.00
	Medora Amsden, poll tax 1937		2.00
	Milton Stewards, poll tax 1937		2.00
	John Mackie, poll tax 1937		2.00
	Alice G. White, poll tax		2.00
		\$	57.00
1939	Order Drawn to Pay County		
	, Merton J. Sargent, treas. County tax	\$9	,418.18
OCt.	, Merton 5. Dargent, treas. County tax	Ψ	,410.10
	Orders Drawn for School District		
1939			
July 3	3, Agnes Derrington, school treasurer, part school money	<b>@1</b>	,100.00
	part school money		,700.00
	balance 1938-39 school money		852.00
	1938 dog tax		131.50
	part 1939-40 school money part 1939-40 school money	1	400.00
	- Date 1050 to bolloof molloy		
		\$9	,283.50

## Auditor's Statement

Assets of the Town, January 31, 1940	
Cash in treasury	\$4,513.63
Due on 1937 taxes	4,425.88
1938 taxes	599.75
1937 taxes	304.10
1936 taxes	25.26
Brown place	40.00
	\$9,908.62
Liabilities of Town, January 31, 1940	
Schools, balance of dog money	\$ 138.40
Schools, balance of appropriation	3,710.94
Outstanding notes	
Guy S. Neal	3,500.00
Net surplus, January 31, 1940	2,559.28
-	\$9,908.62
Cemetery Trust Funds for Perpetual C	are
Assets	
Deposited in New Hampshire Savings Bank,	
January 31, 1940	\$3,210.27
Liabilities	
Total Trust Funds received \$2,960.00	
Unexpended interest 250.27	
	\$3,210.27
The Silsby Free Public Library Trust Fu	
Assets	
Deposited in New Hampshire Savings Bank,	
January 31, 1940	\$1,929.93
Liabilities	¥2,0 <b>2</b> 0.00
Total Trust Funds received \$1,789.06	
Unexpended interest 140.87	
	<b>D4</b> 000 5
Dogwootfully submitted	\$1,929.93

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN M. SOUTHWICK, Auditor.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Acworth, N. H., on January 31, 1940

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS, Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance Income on Hand Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance Income on Hand End of Year
CEMET	CEMETERY FUNDS							
Apr. 22, 1913	Edward C. Ball	N. H. Sav. Bank	\$ 100.00	21/2%	<del>\$\$</del>	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	<del>9</del> 9-
Apr. 22,	Julia A. Buswell	,,	200.00	21/2%	75.00	69.9	15.00	69.99
Apr. 26, 1916	Mary L. Bowers	,,	300.00	21/2%	55.00	8.31	44.50	18.81
Mar. 1, 1919	George W. Neal	**	100.00	21/2%	25.00	3.00	10.00	18.00
Dec. 15, 1921	Henry A. Clark		200.00	21/2%	95.00	7.33	4.00	98.33
July 8, 1922	T. W. Place	• •	50.00	21/2%		1.25	1.25	
Aug. 5, 1924	Wm. Warner	,,	100.00	21/2 %		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 3, 1925	Horace G. Perham	,,	50.00	21/2%		1.25	1.25	
July 13,	Laura J. McKeen	,,	100.00	$21_{2}\%$		2.50	2.50	
Dec. 29,	Abram M. Mitchell	,,	190.00	21/2%	55.00	5.94	15.00	45.94
May 3, 1929	Charles K. Wood		100.00	21/2%		2.50	2.50	
March 14, 1930	Charles Elliott	"	50.00	21/2%		1.25	1.25	
Apr. 1,	Hiram N. Hayward	3.3	100.00	21/2%		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 12, 1931	Cynthia E. J. Finley		100.00	21/2%		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 1,	Ada L. Wallace	**	200.00	21/2%		5.00	2.50	2.50

									\$250.27			119.05	18.74	3.08	\$140.87
2.38	.63	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	7.50	2.50	2.50	\$135.26		3.75	167.26	178.33		\$349.34
2.38	.63	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	7.50	2.50	2.50	\$80.53		3.75	29.94	14.57	3.08	\$51.34
									\$305.00			256.37	182.50		\$438.87
21/2%	21/2%	21/2%	21/2%	21/2%	21/2%	21/2%	21/2%	21/2%			21/2%	21/2%	21/2%		
95.00	25.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	300.00	100.00	100.00	\$2960.00		150.00	1000.00	475.00	164.06	\$1789.06
9.9	66	* *	3.3	•	6.6		3.3	"			6 6	• •	9.9	11	
			hill		n						uc				
Ryder fund	Oariett Eaton	Samuel A. Nye	Ashton E. Hemphill	George W. Buss	Frank McLaughlin	Walter Slader	George W. Call	Alger E. Hemphill		LIBRARY FUNDS	Rebecca W. Madison	W. L. Woodbury	Abram M. Mitchell	Walter Slader	

1939

# The Silsby Free Public Library

#### REPORT OF TREASURER

## Receipts

Feb. 1, Cash on hand	\$	10.48
July 14, Library appropriation by town		75.00
Sept.12, Jennie E. Smith, binding and 2 books	3	4.53
1940		
Jan. 1, Rebecca Madison Fund, interest		3.75
	\$	93.76
Expenditures		
1939		
July 1, Jennie E. Smith, janitor	\$	10.00
Jennie E. Smith, services librarian	ψ	15.75
		3.75
Aug. 12, Jennie E. Smith		
Dec. 9, A. J. Davis, 1 cord wood		8.00
Jennie E. Smith, librarian to Dec. 1		16.50
1940		
Jan. 26, Jennie E. Smith, librarian to Feb. 1,	1940	6.75
Balance in the treasury		33.01
•	\$	93.76

I hereby certify that I have examined the account of Guy S. Neal, Treasurer of the Silsby Free Public Library and find it correct.

HELEN M. SOUTHWICK, Auditor.

#### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Citizens of Acworth:

One hundred two books have been added. Forty-five purchased, forty-two given by friends, and fifteen given by the State. As a State aid bonus we are to receive a years subscription to Story Parade magazine.

Fifteen magazines are purchased and a number given.

Three thousand six hundred seventy-two books and one thousand nine hundred magazines have been loaned.

The Bookmobile still continues to give joy to the town, having been here seven times. The last time November 28th, it left one hundred nine books at the two schools at South Acworth, forty at Acworth and twenty-seven at the library. It also stops at various homes.

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE E. SMITH, Librarian.

## School Warrant

#### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said district on the twelfth day of March 1940, at one thirty o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- Art. 1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
- Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- Art. 3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years, also one member for one year.
  - Art. 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- Art. 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.
- Art. 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- Art. 7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
- Art. 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.
- Art. 9. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate to improve and fence the school yard at South Acworth.
- Art. 10. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Acworth, this 29th day of January 1940.

EVA J. DEMPSEY, THOMAS POTTER, HELEN M. SOUTHWICK,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EVA J. DEMPSEY, THOMAS POTTER, HELEN M. SOUTHWICK,

School Board.

## The Public Schools

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand July 1, 1938	\$ 285.50
Appropriation from Town	5,452.00
Balance of previous appropriation	373.00
Dog licenses	131.50
Received from State Treasurer	4,568.78
Received from other sources	31.00
Total amount available for fiscal year	\$10,841.78
Less School orders paid	9,788.55
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1939	\$ 1,053.23

#### AGNES DERRINGTON, District Treasurer.

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing account and find it correct.

GUY S. NEAL, School Auditor.

## Expenditures of the Year in Detail

#### Elementary Disbursements

#### Salaries of District Officers

1938		
Aug. 1,	H. Raymond Danforth, one-half	
	year salary	\$ 10.00
Nov. 26,	Eva Dempsey, salary	20.00
	Helen Southwick, salary	35.00
	H. Raymond Danforth, balance salary	10.00
28,	Agnes Derrington, salary as treasurer	10.00
Dec. 21,	Guy S. Neal, auditing books	10.00
1939		
Apr. 17,	H. Raymond Danforth, moderator	5.00
		\$ 100.00

## Superintendent's Salary

1000	Superintendent's Salary		
1938 Nov. 26	Fred Perry, Acworth's share	\$	135.18
1101.20,	Trea Terry, Heworth S Share	Ψ	100.10
	School Census		
1938			
Nov. 26,	Helen Southwick, taking census	\$	5.00
	Expense of Administration		
1938	II 1 G. d. tal	₫•	1 ~ 4
Nov. 26, 1939	Helen Southwick, expense	\$	1.54
	Agnes Derrington, postage		1.87
,	Perry & Willard, treasurer's bond		5.00
June 12,	Charlestown School District, bill		1.75
	Helen Southwick, telephone, postage_		2.00
		\$	12.16
	Teachers' Salaries		
Hazel Le	ewis	\$	850.00
Maud Me	oody		825.00
Phyllis A			850.56
Dora Sho	erwin _		19.44
		\$	2,545.00
1939	Text Books		
	Wilcox & Fillett Co.	\$	8.24
may o,	Charlestown School District, bill	Ψ	63.58
	_	\$	71.82
	Scholars' Supplies		
1939			
June 12,	Charlestown School District, bill	\$	92.48

## Other Expenses of Instruction

Other Expenses of Instruction		
1939		
June 12, Charlestown School District	\$	3.16
July 13, Scott Foresman & Co., bill rendered		12.00
	\$	15.16
Janitors' Salaries	т	
Helen Smith	\$	62.80
Joseph Pinney		6.60
Clarence Neal		21.30
Thomas Potter		45.00
Phyllis Adams		1.10
-	\$	136.80
Fuel	7	
Thomas Southwick	\$	37.00
Albert J. Davis	•	77.75
Miller Bros.		9.00
W. L. Gowen		16.00
Myrle Reed		32.00
	\$	171.75
Lights and Janitors' Supplies	*	_,,,,,
Granite State Electric Co., lights	\$	25.69
Cheshire Chemical Co.	Ψ	14.25
E. J. Dempsey		3.12
Fay Evans		3.12
Charlestown School District		5.16
-	\$	51.34
Minor Repairs and Expenses	φ	91.04
Samuel Moody	\$	5.41
Helen Smith	ψ	7.00
Gladys Neal		4.00
Thomas Southwick		9.63
Leonard Smith		.67
Theodore Pitkin		.67
Minnie Randall		5.00
Elroy Reed		5.17

Albert Derrington Clarence Neal Thomas Potter Phyllis Adams John C. Crowley Charlestown School District Joseph Dempsey Helen M. Southwick	\$	3.35 5.00 9.50 1.63 6.30 6.20 1.38 .65
Health Supervision	Ψ	11.00
Z. L. Hasham, school nurse	\$	108.02
Transportation of Pupils		
H. Raymond Danforth, insurance O. D. Berry, insurance Emery Ferland Leroy Clark Edward R. Walshaw Thomas Southwick		67.10 100.22 441.12 593.12 1,219.86 418.68
Payment of Tuition	\$ 2	2,840.10
E. L. Estabrook, tuition	\$	633.00
Other Special Activities		
Charlestown School District	\$	4.05
Fixed Charges		
State Treasurer, per capita tax Myrle E. Reed, insurance	\$	228.00 80.00
	\$	308.00

## Payment of Debt and Interest

New Hampshire Savings Bank New Hampshire Savings Bank, interest	\$ 500.00 37.50
High School Disbursements	\$ 537.50
Tuition, Vilas High School	\$ 1,439.69
Transportation	
Emery Ferland	\$ 110.28
Leroy Clark	148.28
Edward R. Walshaw	135.54
Thomas B. Southwick	109.84
	\$ 503.94

### FINANCIAL REPORT

### Receipts

Balance on hand as per auditor's report	\$ 285.50
Received from	
State Treasurer	4,568.78
Town Treasurer	5,452.00
Town Treasurer, balance previous	
appropriation	373.00
Dog licenses	131.50
All other sources	31.00
	\$10,841.78

Expendit	ures			
			ELEMENTARY	
District Officers' salaries	\$		\$ 100.00	
Superintendent's salary,				
(Acworth's share)			135.18	
School census			5.00	
Expense of administration			12.16	

Teachers' salaries		2,545.00
Text books		71.82
Scholars' supplies		92.48
Other expenses of instruction		15.16
Janitor service		136.80
Fuel		171.75
Light and janitors' supplies		51.34
Minor repairs and expenses		77.56
Health supervision		108.02
Transportation of pupils	503.94	2,840.10
High school tuition	1,439.69	633.00
Other special activities	,	4.05
State, per capita tax		228.00
Insurance		80.00
Payment of debt and interest		537.50
	@ 1 049 CO	
	\$ 1,943.63	\$ 7,844.92
Total payments for all purposes		\$ 9,788.55
Cash on hand end of year, June 30,	1939	1,053.23
cash on hand that of jean, same so,	-	
Outstanding note due on Aswerth		\$10,841.78
Outstanding note due on Acworth	1	e 500.00
school house, January 1, 1943	L	\$ 500.00

I hereby certify that I have examined the books of Acworth School Board and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

GUY S. NEAL, School Auditor.

#### SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Acworth School Board:

I herewith submit my tenth annual report as your superintendent of schools.

This year the sixth grade has been collected in one class at South Acworth. This arrangement has left only the five lower grades at Acworth Center with Miss Hazel Lewis as teacher. There are two schools at South Acworth with Miss Phyllis Adams as principal and teacher

of grades 1, 2 and 3 and Miss Eleanor Rock teaching grades 4, 5 and 6.

Miss Lewis and Miss Adams are successful teachers who remained from last year's force. Miss Rock is an experienced teacher who has proved herself as very able in organizing a school room into a quiet work-room and in making a class room interesting and pretty with the children's own work.

In spite of irregularities due to sickness this year I feel sure a good year's work will be accomplished in each of the schools. I wish every parent would visit the three schools and see for themselves the excellent work being done by your teachers and pupils.

At a special school meeting last summer it was voted that the South School Building should be repaired, the grounds leveled and a good fence built around the grounds. The building was found to be in even worse condition than was expected. It has been made safe as possible and in a condition that it can be kept fairly warm.

The school board by law is not allowed to spend more than 5% of the school money for repairs with a special appropriation for that purpose. Different interpretations could be made of this law allowing from \$443.29 to \$514.55. After the building was repaired to a reasonable amount there was not enough left to do anything about the grounds or fence.

Personally it seems to me that it will be less expensive to buy a new lot and build a modern building than to spend a rather large sum on the present plant. I fear that in a few years with the changes that are being made, new regulating will force the evacuation of the lot and building for school work. I am sure that it would be better for the children to have running water, modern rest rooms, a furnace in a basement, and correct light, in a building with two class rooms on the ground floor.

I wish to thank the citizens, school officials and teachers for their help and kindness.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER L. MASON

#### Acworth Statistical Report, 1938-1939

Number of teachers	3
Number of pupils registered	70
Percent attendance	91.95
Cases of tardiness	89
Board meetings	5
Visits by board members	12
Visits by superintendent	55
Visits by citizens	154
Nurse visits at schools	35
Nurse visits at homes	17

The nurse's record is from January 1939 to January 1940. The rest of the data covers July 1938 to July 1939.

## Report of School Nurse, January 1939 to January 1940

This report is given in order to bring to your attention some of the school health program activities.

The result of the audiometer hearing test brings to light 3 pupils with defective hearing.

The routine health inspection shows improved personal hygiene and greater interest in health habits among the pupils.

	Defects found	Defects corrected
No. pupils undernourished	5	3
No. pupils with enlarged tonsils	13	4
No. pupils with defective teeth	34	6
No. pupils with pediculosis	2	2
No. pupils with skin infection	6	4
No. pupils unvaccinated	2	
No. pupils with defective vision	4	1

Total number school visits 35 Number home visits 17

ZEPHYRINE L. HASHAM, R. N., School Nurse.

# VITAL STATISTICS

REGISTERED IN THE

TOWN OF

ACWORTH, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

**DECEMBER 31, 1939** 

Births registered in the Town of Acworth, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1939.

Birthplace of	Acworth N H Cornagury Cuba Beograd Yugoslavia Maynard Mass Fristol R	Acworth N II Proctor VI Alstead N II Lempster N II West Brookfield V Acworth N II
Birthplace of	Acworth N H Acworth N ODDIN Mass Beograd Y Woveester Mass Haynand Maynatol R Hubbardston Mass Fristol R I	min State inty Acworth N H Salesman Castleton England Proctor Vt CypewriterMch Coventry R Infland Nistead N I Abrover Marlow N H Lempster N And Driver Brafford England West Brook abover Acworth N H Acworth N
Residence of Occupation of	Laborer Lumberman Parmer Parmer Salesman Parmer Sawmill	Emp State Hwy, Emp State Hwy, Typewniter Mch ( Laborer Bus Driver Laborer
Residence of	All	Acworth
Tol	D = Co	IW IIA
Maiden Name	Evelyn F Grant Elsie M Miner Pauline Mastnah Tynne Tiaminen Mary M Silvia	Mary E Westney Ethel G Rumrill Evelyn C Ware Laura M Thurber Doris A Walefield Lillian Kemp
Name of		Kenneth R Hemphill John Rickards Pardon C Harrington Robert F Champney Edward R Walshaw Julius Pitkin
x ving or illborn of Child	Serect   Second   S	111110 711110
Name of Child	John Joseph Balla Elaine Johnson Lorraine A Snow Tyyne Volat Heino Rose Marye Knight	Latry W Hemphill Eleanor B Rickards William L Harrington Louise M Champney Andrew L Walishaw Baby Pitkin
Place of		6 Kockingham Vt 4 Rockingham Vt 4 Walpole N H 9 Rockingham Vt 7 Acworth N H
Date 1939	Jan 14 Feb 22 Apr 8 May 96	June July 31 Aug 14 Oct 24 Nov 27

Marriages registered in the Town of Acworth, N. H., for the year ending December, 31, 1939.

ke Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married	1 B F McIntire Clergyman Markow M H	Franklin Parker Clergyman	1 Chichester N H 1 HRaymond Danforth Justice of Peace	Acworth N H   Emerson G Hangan   Minister   P.	1 Durham N H 2 M L Holt Unitarian Minister 9 Wahala N H	
Occupation	Lumber Dealer Housewife	Housewife Laborer Housewife	Farmer Housewife Farmer Housewife	Mining Housewife Laborer Housekeeper	ife ife	Farmer Carpenter Housewife Farm-hand Housework
Birthplace of Parents	Langdon N H Keene N H Marlboro N H		Acworth N H Grafton Vt Acworth N H Acworth N H	Hungary Hungary Ellsworth Maine Ellsworth Maine	Acworth N H New York State New York State Chelsea Mass	Haverhill N H Bridgeport Conn New Haven Conn
Names of Parents	Thomas D Miller Margaret L Smith Wm H S Ingalls	Eliza M Armstrong Salvatore Timpano Vida Trussler	Watter G Smith Jessamine Ball Solon L Neal Bertha F Perham	Joseph 1 unas Lazy Elizabeth Oswald Ells Eloise Hodgkins Julius W Pithin	Lillian M Kemp Alexander Sawyer Amelia Marshall Charles A Demond	Mabel Nutter William O Roy Rachel E Violet Mitchell Wright Julia Pecor
Birthplace of Each		Ontario Canada			sin V t	Westport Conn SCharlestownNH
Occupation	27. Lumber Dealer Acworth N H 28. Nurse Marlboro N H	Laborer	Miner		Farmer Housework	Farmer Waitress
Residence g of Each	Acworth N H 27 Marlboro N H 23	Acworth N H 23	Acworth N H 27		Acworth N H 44 Acworth N H 37	Acworth N H 20. Rockingham Vt 29
Name of Groom and Bride	Maurice D Miller Kathryn L Ingalls	Ralph Timpano Georgianda Smith	Winslow H Neal Helen Yuhas	Clarence N Ells Jennie A Pitkin	George F Sawyer Catherine E Balla	Raymond W Roy Evelyn E Demars
Date Place of 1939 Marriage	Feb 1 Marlboro N H	Feb 2Chichester N H Ralph Timpano Georgiana Smi	July 1 Acworth N H	Aug 25 Durham N H	Oct 16 Walpole N H	Nov 3 Concord N H

Deaths registered in the Town of Acworth, N. H., for the year ending December, 31, 1939

Maiden Name of Mother	Marcella Heard Betsey Wallace Lucy M Lamb Blanche Latulitys Lillian Comstock Ethel M Spaulding Abbie Hubbard Louisa Blanchard Estsy Hawward Lillian Kemp Artemissa Newton
Name of Father	Frank Gowen Sylvester Reed Alexander Sawyer Olivia Be Brown Ernest Pare Orlando D Kemp Ernest A Batchelder Harry Dickens James Nash Harvey Miller Julius Pitkin J Newton Davis
Birthplace of Mother	Acworth N H Acworth N H Palmer Mass Canada Chester Vt Derby Vt Barton Vt Walpole N H Acworth N H Acworth N H Acworth N H
Birthplace of Father	Acworth N H Acworth N H Mystic Conn Canada Acworth N H London England Newport Vt Gilsum N H Laugdon N H Acworth N H Acworth N H Acworth N H
Sex Coloin Occupation	M Farmer M W Farmer M W Retired M W Retired M E M Laborer M M M Farmer M M M M Housewife M F M Farmer M F M Farmer M F M Farmer M F S Teacher
Years Months Days of Birth	63 2 8 Acworth N H 79 716 Acworth N H 80 715 New York 718 129 Warren Mass 71 8129 Warren Mass 53 7 3 Acworth N H Marblehead Mass 29 1113 Orleans Vt 75 3 Barton Vt 63 9 Alstead N H 73 9 Eangdon N H 73 9 Eangdon N H 63 417 Acworth N H 63 417 Acworth N H
Name and Surname of the Deceased	Carl W Grant Rollins S Reed Alexander Sawyer Fred L Brown Richard Pare Carl F Kemp Baby Batchelder Roderick L Dickens Kendrick H Richmond Inez L Kemp Thomas D Miller Baby Pitkin Marinda P Davis
Place of Death	2 Aeworth N H 10 Aeworth N H 10 Onty N H 27 Aeworth N H 27 Aeworth N H 19 Marblebead Mass 18 Aeworth N H 13 Aeworth N H 16 Aeworth N H 17 Aeworth N H 27 Aew
Date 1939	Jan Feb May Aug Sept Nov Dec

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

GUY S. NEAL, Town Clerk.



