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# Annual Report

Of The Officers Of The

## Town of Wentworth, N.H.

For The Year Ending

January 31, 1936

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Wentworth Library Commission  
1938

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**TOWN OFFICERS For 1935**


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C. Earl Gove	Selectman for 1 year
Charles H. Brown	Selectman for 2 years
Eugene C. Downing	Selectman for 3 years
Olive M. Belyea	Town Clerk
Lottie M. McLaughlin	Treasurer
Grover C. Breck	Tax Collector
Harold Matava	Road Agent
Martin L. Gove	Road Agent
Grover C. Breck	Constable
William A. Morrison	Police Officer
Alson L. Brown	Health Officer
Oscar W. Brown	Town Trustee for 1 year
Robert A. McLaughlin	Town Trustee for 2 years
Alson L. Brown	Town Trustee for 3 years
Meta M. Downing	Library Trustee for 1 year
Eugene C. Downing	Library Trustee for 2 years
Allan M. McCurdy	Library Trustee for 3 years
Ben B. Foster	Auditor
Anson C. Tuttle	Auditor
Raymond E. Downing	Auditor
Effie B. Robinson	Overseer of the Poor

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**ELECTION OFFICERS, 1935**

Harry M. Turner	Moderator
Walter S. Libbey	Supervisor
Ben B. Foster	Supervisor
Fred W. Blodgett	Supervisor
John E. Currier	Ballot Clerk
Leslie E. Belyea	Ballot Clerk
Isaac Burnham	Ballot Clerk

**TOWN MEETING WARRANT**  
**State of New Hampshire**

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

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Wentworth, on Tuesday, the 10th day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

2. To choose delegates to the National Convention.

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

4. Article B. To see if the Town will accept State Aid Construction of the Class II road known as North Dorchester Road, and raise and appropriate or set aside for said purpose the sum of \$790.50; or will accept State Aid for Construction of Class V roads and appropriate or set aside for said purpose the sum of \$483.85.

5. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Highways and Bridges.

6. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal.

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

8. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the library.



9. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of the fire engine.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for repairing town buildings.

11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell either at public auction or private sale to such purchaser and for such price as they may determine any real estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collector's deeds, and until such sale is made to administer such property in the interests of the town.

12. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for support of town poor.

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes, if necessary.

14. 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 thirty-six.

C. EARL GOVE,  
C. H. BROWN,  
E. C. DOWNING,

Selectmen of Wentworth.

A true copy of Warrant — Attest.

C. EARL GOVE,  
C. H. BROWN,  
E. C. DOWNING,

Selectmen of Wentworth.

**BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WENTWORTH, N. H.**

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the  
 Ensuing year, February 1, 1936, to February 1, 1937,  
 compared with  
 Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous  
 year, February 1, 1935, to February 1, 1936.

	actual	est'm'd
Sources of Revenue	1935	1936
<b>FROM STATE:</b>		
Interest and Dividend tax	\$151.06	\$150.00
Insurance Tax	.38	
Railroad Tax	377.49	300.00
Savings Bank tax	291.01	250.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	2.00	
National Forest Reserve fund	40.08	40.00
Abatement State Tax	277.77	250.00
For Relief and Soldiers' Aid	936.62	
<b>FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:</b>		
Int. rc'd on Taxes and Deposits	\$98.52	
County Poor	487.71	
Dog Licenses	176.40	
Lease Land Rents	108.50	
Reimbursement from S. Smith on T.R.A.	13.33	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	234.99	
<b>FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:</b>		
Poll Taxes (189)	\$378.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	3.00	
Am. Motors Ins. Co.	8.10	
Tax sales redeemed	593.27	
Am't Raised by issue of Bonds or Notes	5,000.00	
Cash on hand (surplus)	148.11	
<b>Amount To Be Raised by Property Taxes:</b>	<b>\$18,468.03</b>	

Purposes of Expenditures	actual	est'm'd
Current Maintenance Expenses:	1935	1936
<b>GENERAL GOVERNMENT:</b>		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$897.89	\$900.00
Town Officers' Expenses	317.40	300.00
Election and Regis'tion Expenses	36.00	180.00
Expenses of Town Hall	153.11	250.00
<b>PROTECTION OF PERSONS &amp; PROPERTY:</b>		
Police Department	\$ 27.25	\$ 25.00
Fire Department	226.86	200.00
Bounties	48.00	
<b>HEALTH:</b>		
Health Department	\$125.86	\$200.00
Vital Statistics	8.25	10.00
<b>HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:</b>		
T. R. A.	\$492.32	
Town Maintenance	2,751.55	\$2,800.00
Street Lighting	550.00	600.00
General Expense Highway Dept.	150.00	
<b>LIBRARIES:</b>		
Libraries	\$300.00	\$300.00
<b>PUBLIC WELFARE:</b>		
Town Poor	\$2,092.76	\$1,000.00
County Poor	477.88	
Old Age Assistance	65.01	
<b>PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:</b>		
Aid to Soldiers & their families	\$372.48	
<b>RECREATION:</b>		
Parks, Playgrounds, including		
Band Concerts	\$10.08	
<b>UNCLASSIFIED:</b>		
Taxes bought by town	\$1,270.10	
Leased Land Rents	61.25	
Legal Expenses	56.00	
<b>INTEREST:</b>		
On Temporary Loans	\$493.38	\$400.00

Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:	actual 1935	est'm'd 1936
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:		
Town Road Aid	\$492.32	\$483.85
Indebtedness:		
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
Temporary Loans	\$3,500.00	
Long Term Notes	13,887.92	\$13,887.92
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		
State Taxes	\$1,335.00	\$1,424.00
County Taxes	1,651.22	1,651.22
Payments to School Districts	6,732.72	6,392.29
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$25,581.29	

### INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF WENTWORTH

Lands and buildings	\$336,104.00
Electric Plants	159,500.00
Horses, 57	4,410.00
Oxen, 4	200.00
Cows, 211	8,755.00
Neat Stock, 25	650.00
Sheep, 8	48.00
Fowls, 468	468.00
Tractors, 2	1,000.00
Portable mills, 2	900.00
Wood, lumber, etc.	8,800.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,050.00
Stock in trade	5,775.00
No. of polls, 232, at \$2.00 total poll taxes	\$464.00
National Bank Stock taxes	\$3.00
Total valuation	\$527,660.00

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Amount of taxes committed to collector, including poll taxes and national bank stock taxes	\$18,935.03
Average rate percent of taxation for all purposes, \$3.50 on \$100 valuation	
Amount exempted to soldiers,	\$7,670.00

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**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND  
TAXES ASSESSED**

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Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 800.00
Town Officers Expenses	275.00
Election and Registration expenses	40.00
Town Hall	325.00
Fire Department	200.00
Police Department	25.00
Health Department	75.00
Vital Statistics	10.00
State Aid Construction Class V Roads	479.03
Town Maintenance	2,300.00
Snow Removal	700.00
Street Lighting	600.00
Libraries	300.00
Town Poor	800.00
Interest	800.00
Payments on debt	2,387.92
State Tax	1,335.00
County Tax	1,651.22
School Tax	6,453.56

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Total Town and School Appropriations \$19,556.73

Total Appropriations forwarded	\$19,556.73
Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:	
Interest and Dividend Tax	\$150.00
Railroad Tax	100.00
Savings Bank Tax	300.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	150.00
Abatement State Tax	140.00
	<u>840.00</u>
	\$18,716.73
Plus Overlay	218.30
	<u>18,935.03</u>
Less poll taxes, \$464, Nat. Bank tax, \$3	467.00
Am't to be raised by property taxes on which Town tax rate is figured	18,468.03
<b>Taxes to be Committed to Collector:</b>	
Property Taxes	\$18,468.03
Poll Taxes	464.00
National Bank Stock Tax	3.00
	<u>18,935.03</u>
Total taxes to be committed to Collector	\$18,935.03
Put on after taxes made out	14.00
	<u>18,949.03</u>
Total	\$18,949.03

C. EARL GOVE,  
CHARLES H. BROWN,  
E. C. DOWNING,

Selectmen of Wentworth

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# Financial Report

OF THE

TOWN OF WENTWORTH

For the Year Ending January 31, 1936.

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## CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from the official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

C. EARL GOVE,  
C. H. BROWN,  
E. C. DOWNING,

Selectmen.

February 24, 1936.

LOTTIE M. McLAUGHLIN,

Treasurer.

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**BALANCE**

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**BALANCE SHEET**

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**ASSETS****Cash:**

Cash in hands of treasurer      \$1,869.07

**Accounts Due to the Town:**

Due from State—

Bounties      \$130.00

**Due from County:**

County Poor      \$38.87

**Taxes bought by town:**

Taxes bought by town      \$1,553.50

**Uncollected Taxes:**

Levy of 1935      \$4,982.10

Levy of 1934      487.43

Levy of 1933      208.55

Total Assets      \$9,269.52

Net Debt      \$3,946.57

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**Grand Total**      **\$13,216.09**

Net debt, Jan. 31, 1935      \$6,259.45

Net debt, Jan. 31, 1936      3,946.57

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Decrease of debt      \$2,312.88



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**SHEET****January 31, 1936**

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**LIABILITIES**

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**Accounts Owed by Town:****Bills Outstanding:**

For January Street lighting	\$ 50.00
For Repairing Town Buildings	240.00

**Due to School District:**

Dog licenses	\$146.80
Bal. of appropriation	3,078.56
Lease land rents	47.25

**Outstanding Temporary Loans**

in Anticipation of Taxes:	\$7,000.00
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**Long Term Notes Outstanding:**

Completion of Baker Pond Road	\$1,653.48
Bridge Construction	1,000.00

Total Liabilities	<hr/> \$13,216.09
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<b>Grand Total</b>	<hr/> <b>\$13,216.09</b>
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**RECEIPTS AND**


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**Current Revenue:****From Local Taxes:**

Total taxes committed to collector, 1935	\$18,949.03
Less disc. and abatement '35	8.75
Less uncollected, 1935	4,982.10

Property Taxes 1935 actually collected \$13,577.18

Poll Taxes for 1935 actually collected 378.00

National Bank Stock Tax 3.00

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Total of current year's collections \$13,958.18

Property and Poll Taxes previous  
years actually collected \$4,546.84

Tax Sales Redeemed \$593.27

**From State:**

Abatement State Tax \$277.77

Reinbursement for town poor,  
old age assistance, Soldiers' Aid 936.62

Interest and dividend tax 151.06

Insurance tax .38

Railroad tax 377.49

Savings bank tax 291.01

Fighting forest fires 2.00

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Total Current Receipts forwarded \$21,134.62

(Carried forward to page 16)

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**PAYMENTS**                      **Year Ending January 31, 1936**


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**Current Maintenance Expenses:****General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$897.89
Town officers' expenses	317.40
Election and registration expenses	36.00
Exp. town hall and other town buildings	153.11

**Protection of Persons and Property:**

Police dept., including care of tramps	\$ 27.25
Fire dept., including forest fires	226.86
Bounties	48.00

**Health Department:**

Health department	\$125.86
Vital Statistics	8.25

**Highways and Bridges:**

Town road aid	\$ 492.32
Town maintenance	2751.55
Street lighting and sprinkling	550.00
General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs	150.00

**Libraries:**            Libraries                      \$300.00

**Charities:**

Old age assistance	\$ 65.01
Town poor	2092.76
County poor	477.88

**Patriotic Purposes:**

Aid to Soldiers and their families                      \$372.48

**Recreation:**

Parks, Playgrounds, Band Concerts                      \$10.08

**Unclassified:**

Lease land rent	\$ 61.25
Unclassified	56.00
Taxes bought by town	1270.10

Total Payments forwarded \_\_\_\_\_ \$10,490.05

(Carried forward to page 17)

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**RECEIPTS AND**


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Total Receipts (brought forward from page 14)	\$21,134.62
<b>From County:</b>	
For Support of Poor	\$487.71
<b>From Local Sources, Except Taxes:</b>	
Dog licenses	\$176.40
Interest received on taxes	98.52
1935 Auto permits	205.07
1936 Auto permits	29.92
National forest reserve	40.08
<b>Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:</b>	
Temporary Loans, in anticipation of taxes	\$5,000.00
Lease Land Rents	108.50
Reimbursement from S. Smith on T.R.A.	13.33
American Motors Ins. Co., paid damage on Common fence	8.10
Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue	\$5,129.93
<b>Total Receipts from all sources</b>	<b>\$27,302.25</b>
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1935	\$148.11
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$27,450.36</b>

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**PAYMENTS**                      **Year Ending January 31, 1936**


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Total Payments (brought forward  
from page 15) \$10,490.05

**Interest:**

Paid on Temporary Loans,  
in anticipation of taxes \$493.38

**Indebtedness:**

Payments on Temporary Loans \$3,500.00  
Payments on Long Term Notes 1,387.92

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Total Indebtedness Payments \$4,887.92

**Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

Taxes paid to state \$1,335.00  
Taxes paid to county 1,651.22  
Payments to school districts 6,723.72

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Total Payments to Other Gov. Divisions \$9,709.94

**Total Payments for all purposes** **\$25,581.29**

Cash on hand January 31, 1936 \$1,869.07

**Grand Total** **\$27,450.36**

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**SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY**

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$4,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	300.00
Libraries, Lands and Building	10,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
Police Department	15.00
Fire Department	1,000.00
Highway Equipment	1,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	200.00
Water Supply	100.00
School House, Land, Buildings	4,500.00
Equipment	500.00
All land and buildings acquired through	
Tax Collector's deeds	250.00
2 Hearses, 1 pair Harnesses	100.00
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Total	\$22,965.00

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**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT**

I certify that during the year ending January 31, 1936, 98 motor vehicle permits were issued. Taxes were collected on the same amounting to the sum of \$234.99

73 dog licenses were issued. Taxes were collected on same, less commission @ 20c, amounting to the sum of \$176.40

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Total \$411.39

Recording and making return of 5 marriages, 9 births, 19 deaths, @ 25c \$8.25  
 Commission on Motor Vehicle Permits 24.50  
 Postage and Stationery 2.61

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\$35.36

OLIVE M. BELYEA, Town Clerk.

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**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**


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Minister & School Lease Land Rents	\$108.50
Collected and turned in to Treas.	\$108.50

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1935 Tax Book	\$18,935.03
Added to book after taxes made out	14.00
Collected & turned in to treas.	\$13,958.18
Abated	8.75
Balance on book Feb. 1, 1936	4,982.10
	\$18,949.03

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1934 Tax Book, Feb. 1, 1935	\$4,413.74
Collected & turned in to treas.	\$3,903.91
Abated	22.40
Balance on book Feb. 1, 1936	487.43
	\$4,413.74

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1933 Tax Book, Feb. 1, 1935	\$546.41
Collected & turned in to treas.	\$318.66
Abated	19.20
Balance on book Feb. 1, 1936	208.55
	\$546.41

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1932 Tax Book Feb. 1, 1935	\$311.93
Collected & turned in to treas.	\$253.37
Abated	58.56
	\$311.93

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1931 Tax Book Feb. 1, 1935	\$70.90
Collected & turned in to treas.	\$70.90

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Redemption of taxes bought by town	
Collected and turned in	\$593.27
Interest collected and turned in	\$98.52

GROVER C. BRECK,  
Tax Collector

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**TREASURER'S REPORT**


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**RECEIPTS**

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1935	\$148.11
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**Collector of Taxes:**

1935 Taxes	\$13,958.18
1934 Taxes	3,903.91
1933 Taxes	318.66
1932 Taxes	253.37
1931 Taxes	70.90
Tax Redemptions	593.27
Interest	98.52
Lease Land	108.50

**Town Clerk:**

1936 Auto Taxes	\$ 29.92
1935 Auto Taxes	205.07
Dog Taxes	176.40

**County Commissioners:**

Reimbursement for Relief	\$487.71
Pemigewasset Bank Notes	5,000.00

**State Treasurer:**

Reimbursement for Relief	\$836.62
Forest Fire Bill	2.00
Soldier's Aid	100.00
Insurance Tax	.38
Railroad Tax	377.49
Savings Bank Tax	291.01
Refund for check paid Stafford Smith	13.33
Dist. of Tax on Int. and Dividends 1935	151.06



Dist. of National Forest Reserve Fund	40.08
Abatement of State Tax	277.77
<b>American Motorists Insurance Co:</b>	
Repairs on Common Fence	\$8.10
	\$27,450.36

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EXPENDITURES

Paid State Tax	\$1,335.00
Paid County Tax	1,651.22
Miscellaneous orders given by Selectmen	22,595.07
Cash on hand	1,869.07
	\$27,450.36
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$27,450.36</b>

LOTTIE M. McLAUGHLIN, Treasurer.

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**DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS**


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**Detail No. 1, Town Officers' Salaries**

C. Earl Gove, Selectman	\$150.00
Charles H. Brown, Selectman	125.00
Eugene C. Downing, Selectman	125.00
Grover C. Breck, Tax Collector	289.39
Lottie M. McLaughlin, Treasurer	75.00
Olive M. Belyea, Town Clerk	35.00
Olive M. Belyea, issuing auto permits	24.50
Effie B. Robinson, Overseer of Poor	50.00
Ben B. Foster, Auditor	8.00
Anson C. Tuttle, Auditor	8.00
John E. Currier, Auditor	8.00
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	\$897.89

**Detail No. 2, Town Officers Expenses**

Woodsville Publishing Co., printing Reports	\$95.20
Robert Wakefield, retainer	15.00
Effie B. Robinson, postage, transportation	20.24
Charles H. Brown, postage, envelopes, expense to Tax Conference	15.33
Baxter Burnell, bonding Town officers	55.00
Lottie M. McLaughlin, postage	2.94
Association N. H. Assessors, 1935 dues	2.00
Automotive Service Bureau	15.90
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	23.23
W. J. Randolph, transfers, expense Tax Col.	33.56
C. Earl Gove, postage	.75
Olive M. Belyea, postage	6.61
Grover C. Breck, postage, envelopes, expense to Tax Conference	22.55
The Maxwell Press, tax bills	7.09
Eugene C. Downing, telephone, postage	2.00
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	\$317.40

**Detail No. 3, Election and Registration**

Ben B. Foster, Supervisor	\$12.00
Fred W. Blodgett, Supervisor	12.00
Walter S. Libbey, Supervisor	12.00
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	\$36.00

**Detail No. 5, Town Hall**

Pemigewasset Electric Co., lights	\$25.35
Ayer Ins. Agency, insurance on Hall & Sheds	31.25
Charles H. Brown, oil	.12
W. L. Myles, bulbs & material for hall	25.20
Roy DeCotis, labor on hall	9.00
William Morrison, labor on hall	27.00
H. W. Noyes, insurance, hearse house	6.25
F. P. Dearth, insurance, Town Hall	25.94
M. Harlow Jones, janitor service	3.00
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	\$153.11

**Detail No. 6, Police Department**

M. Elizabeth Barlow, transient	\$ 2.00
Flora C. Jones, transient	1.00
Charles H. Brown, dog constable	10.00
Grover C. Breck, constable	14.25
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	\$27.25

**Detail No. 7, Fire Department**

Charles H. Brown, fire bills	\$12.40
Asa P. Colby, coal	46.66
Corey Furniture Co., stove and fittings	26.15
R. E. Keysar, stove pipe	1.00
C. H. Evans, gas, oil	15.65
Clarence H. Pease, care fire engine	125.00
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	\$226.86

**Detail No. 8, Bounties**

C. Earl Gove, hedgehogs	\$13.20
Charles H. Brown, hedgehogs	4.00
Eugene C. Downing, hedgehogs	11.60
R. A. McLaughlin, hedgehogs	.60
Ralph Foster, hedgehogs	.40
Wesley Elliot, hedgehogs	3.40
Roy McGinnis, hedgehogs	1.00
Charlie Derrick, hedgehogs	1.00
Wilfred Tatham, hedgehogs	2.80
J. P. Currier, 2 bears	10.00
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	\$48.00

**Detail No. 9, Health Department**

R. A. McLaughlin, groceries, M. Ryea	\$ 2.90
Sears Roebuck & Co., footwear, M. Ryea	15.67
Alphonse Fillian, wood, M. Ryea	6.00
W. L. Myles, groceries, M. Ryea	19.71
Alson L. Brown, services Health Officer	23.00
D. R. Jesseman, groceries, M. Ryea	19.28
John Taylor, grain, M. Ryea	4.30
Dr. F. J. Kasheta, medical, M. Ryea	35.00
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	\$125.86

**Detail No. 10, Vital Statistics**

Olive M. Belyea	\$8.25
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**Detail No. 14, Town Maintenance**

Harold Matava, Road Agent	\$1,312.29
Martin L. Gove, Road Agent	1,439.26
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	\$2,751.55

**Detail No. 15, Street Lighting**

Pemigewasset Electric Co.	\$550.00
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**Detail No. 16, General Expense**

H. Dewey Chase, bridge planks	\$150.00
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**Detail No. 17, Library**

Allan M. McCurdy, Treas. Library Trustees	\$300.00
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**Detail No. 18, Town Poor**

R. A. McLaughlin, groceries to A. Fillian, A. Jones, W. D. Goodwin	\$597.36
Mrs. Elizabeth M. Cotton, care L. Chase's children	594.00
Dr. F. J. Kasheta, medical for Fillians, Goodwin, Jones	166.60
W. L. Myles, groceries, H. Muzzey	66.87
Oscar W. Brown, wood	12.50
Grafton Co. Farm hospital, for J. Fillian, Carl Smith, Mrs. Clayton Brown	89.00
N. H. Relief Administration, balance 1934 relief bills	244.06
Flora C. Jones, care transient	1.00
A. O. Shelley, groceries Clayton Brown	12.00
D. R. Jesseman, groceries Clara Pike, Mary Tatham	126.00
Grover C. Breck, Old Age Assistance for Annie Libbey	86.68
Roy DeCotis, auto service for Asa Boardman	4.48
William McKee, groceries Asa Boardman	50.00
Dr. L. A. Middleton, med., Asa Boardman	16.50
Memorial Hospital, for Asa Boardman	25.71

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\$2,092.76

**Detail No. 19, County Poor**

R. A. McLaughlin, groceries B. Hanson	\$309.00
E. B. Robinson, telephone and transportation for Mabel Dow	7.00
Dr. F. J. Kasheta, medical for M. Dow, D. Leary, Schofield, A. Palmer	20.40
Viola B. Brown, milk for Webber	.52
A. W. Woodman, dental Florence Towne	8.00
W. L. Myles, groceries and clothing for A. Palmer	39.77
M. A. Batchelder, clothing for A. Palmer and B. Hanson	7.57
J. W. Harrower, clothing B. Hanson	1.68
Harry F. Wood, clothing B. Hanson	11.21
E. C. Downing, milk for A. Palmer	4.08
Charles Nason, milk for W. Trembley	8.40
G. Youngman, groceries W. Trembley	22.00
A. M. Saliba, clothing Trembley girl and A. Palmer	9.27
W. E. O'Brien, clothing Trembley girl	3.02
E. B. Robinson, transportation for A. Palmer and children	17.00
Ed Lamber, transportation	5.00
Richelson's, clothing Hanson	3.96
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	\$477.88

**Detail No. 20, Old Age Assistance**

Grafton County Old Age Assistance for Annie Libbey	\$65.01
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OF THE TOWN OF WENTWORTH 1935-36

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**Detail No. 21, Soldier's Aid**

Soldier's Aid \$372.48

**Detail No. 22, Parks and Playgrounds**

Roy DeCotis, labor on Common fence \$1.98

W. L. Myles, repairing Common fence 8.10

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\$10.08

**Detail No. 25, Lease Land Rents**

Ethel I. Tuttle, 1935 Lease Land Rent \$40.83

Mrs. Herbert Clark, 1935 Lease Land Rent 20.42

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\$61.25

**Detail No. 26, Unclassified**

Town of Rumney, 1/2 expense running  
town line \$ 4.00

Charles H. Brown, running town lines 20.00

E. C. Downing, running town lines 20.00

Dana E. Stevens, survey work running  
Wentworth and Orford lines 12.00

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\$56.00

**Detail No. 27, Taxes bought by Town**

Grover C. Breck, Collector \$1,270.10

**Detail No. 28, Interest**

Pemigewasset National Bank \$393.38

Ben B. Foster 50.00

Ellen Foster 50.00

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\$493.88

**Detail No. 31, New Construction**

Town Road Aid

Charles T. Patten \$478.99

Stafford Smith, labor on T. R. A. 13.33

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 \$492.32
**Detail No. 37, Temporary Loans**

Pemigewasset National Bank \$3,500.00

**Detail No. 38, Bonds and Term Notes**

Charles T. Patten, Baker Pond Road Loan \$1,387.92

**Detail No. 39, State-County Precincts**

Harry S. Huckins, County Tax \$1,651.22

Charles T. Patten, State Tax 1,335.00

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 \$2,986.22
**Detail No. 40, School District**

Alice A. Downing, School Treasurer \$6,723.72

Balance 1934, \$3,348.72

Part 1935, \$3,375.00



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**ROAD AGENT'S REPORT**

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**Martin L. Gove, Road Agent**

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**February and March 1935****Snow Bills:**

M. L. Gove	\$28.80
G. M. Blodgett	34.53
R. E. Downing	11.87
F. E. Robinson	1.80
Chester Downing	5.67
H. W. Muzzey	2.67
H. Lott	5.00
A. King	4.67
A. Fillian	4.33
O. W. Brown	4.67
M. K. Newton	8.17
Stafford Smith	5.00
W. A. Downing	5.07
N. Downing	3.84
Charlie Derrick	2.00
H. M. Turner	6.67
R. DeCotis	3.00
R. A. McLaughlin	.67
H. M. Jones	.67
H. Rollins	7.33
F. W. Blodgett	1.00
E. Newton	5.50
E. C. Tuttle	5.33

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**\$158.26**

**Ellsworth Hill:**

E. Barlow, team	\$22.66
M. L. Gove, labor	45.90
E. C. Downing, truck	3.00
C. W. Brown, labor	1.67
M. K. Newton, labor	9.00
F. A. Downing, truck	9.00
L. W. Gove, truck	13.00
V. J. Bixby, truck	4.00
W. A. Tatham, labor	16.67
B. Dow, labor	2.67
C. Matava, labor	13.33
W. A. Morrison, labor	9.00

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\$149.90

**Beech Hill:**

E. Barlow, team	\$ 6.00
M. L. Gove, labor	14.39
H. W. Muzzey, labor	3.00
L. W. Gove, truck	14.00
C. Matava, labor	7.00
W. A. Morrison, labor	2.33
W. A. Tatham, labor	2.33
A. L. Reade, truck	3.00

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\$52.05

**Cross Road:**

E. Barlow, team	\$ 6.00
M. L. Gove, labor	14.78
C. Matava, labor	9.00
W. A. Morrison, labor	3.00
W. A. Tatham, labor	3.00
R. Stone, labor	1.67
L. W. Gove, truck	14.00

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\$51.45

**Buffalo:**

E. Barlow, team	\$ 9.33
M. L. Gove, labor	29.55
R. E. Downing, labor	1.33
V. J. Bixby, truck	9.00
L. W. Gove, truck	6.00
C. Matava, labor	8.67
W. A. Morrison, labor	11.34
W. A. Tatham, labor	8.67
R. Stone, labor	3.00

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 \$86.89
**East Side and R. O. Hill:**

E. Barlow, team	\$16.67
M. L. Gove, labor	24.99
W. A. Tatham, labor	9.00
F. Brown, labor	7.00
E. B. Libbey, labor	2.17
V. J. Bixby, truck	5.00
G. Hunter, truck	18.00
L. W. Gove, truck	3.00
J. A. Brown, labor	6.00
C. R. Smith, team	3.33

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 \$95.91
**Village and Creamery:**

E. Barlow, team	\$ 1.33
M. L. Gove, labor	12.83
L. E. Belyea, labor	6.00
G. Hunter, truck	27.00
L. W. Gove, truck	6.00
J. A. Brown, labor	9.67
W. C. Currier, labor	8.00
G. E. Stevens, labor	4.33

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 \$75.16

**Atwell Hill:**

M. K. Newton, labor	\$46.34
E. C. Downing, truck	6.00
E. Barlow, team	44.67
M. L. Gove, labor	96.04
E. Newton, labor	.33
C. D. Keneson, labor	.50
H. Rollins, labor	4.00
F. A. Downing, truck	9.00
L. W. Gove, truck	46.00
W. A. Tatham, labor	4.67
C. Matava, labor	26.33
W. A. Downing, labor	17.33
Stafford Smith, labor	16.00
A L. Reade, truck	6.00
C. R. Smith, team	6.00

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\$329.21

**Miscellaneous:**

Berger Metal Cul. Co.	\$37.83
C. H. Evans, grease	.50
H. D. Chase, bridge plank	8.10
G. Robinson, dynamite, fuse and caps	2.00
R. L. Files and H. J. O'Keefe	
Repairs for Grader	4.06
M. L. Gove, express and labor on grader	1.57
Mica Crystal Co., dynamite, fuse and caps	2.50
J. A. Brown, grade	10.50
F. Snelgrove, grade	1.35
H. M. Turner, grade	2.85
B. B. Foster, shop work	2.70
F. Brown, cement	.75
W. L. Myles, shovels, nails and pick handles	9.45

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\$84.16

**Snow Bills Dec. '35 and Jan. '36**

Fisk Alden and Co., repairs for tractor	\$19.82
Battery	3.75
Express	1.20
A. L. Brown, labor	5.17
Thompson and Hoague, G. Bolts	1.25
Stafford Smith, labor	5.80
W. L. Myles, gas and shovel	3.65
C. H. Evans, gas and bulbs, fan belt	6.75
J. F. Keneson, labor	.50
G. M. Blodgett, labor Snow Plow	38.80
M. L. Gove, labor Snow Plow	40.00
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	\$126.69

**Bills paid by Selectmen:**

C. H. Evans, gas, oil	\$ 6.34
Chas. T. Patten, road oil	91.76
C. H. Evans, labor on tractor	81.12
Gulf Refining Co., gas	49.36
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	\$228.58

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**TOWN ROAD AID**


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**Martin L. Gove, Foreman**

Martin L. Gove, foreman	\$215.44
Leslie E. Belyea, labor	3.15
Stafford Smith, labor	22.00
Charles Matava, labor	57.17
Wilfred Tatham, labor	50.00
Marshall Ryea, labor	32.00
Durward Brown, labor	24.00
William Morrison, labor	13.17
Glen Stevens, labor	18.00

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Clarence Pease, labor	25.17
Henry Muzzey, labor	38.17
William Boardman, labor	18.00
Arthur Boardman, labor	18.00
Fred Brown, labor	80.84
Norman Downing, labor	3.00
George Hunter, labor	12.00
Ernest Lovering, labor	43.33
James Brown, labor	21.00
Ray Stone, labor	18.84
William Currier, labor	18.00
Harry Tilley, labor	18.00
Alson Brown, labor	45.00
Mervin Newton, labor	83.01
David Kenerson, labor	18.00
Walter Downing, labor	41.84
O. L. Dunklee, labor	25.17
Claud Smith, team	6.00
Charles H. Brown, team	22.33
Harry Tilley, team	6.67
Lewis W. Gove, truck	393.88
Oscar Brown, gravel	6.45
Boston and Maine R. R., gravel	37.65
E. C. Chase, gravel	43.65
Mica Crystal Co., dynamite, fuse, caps	26.81
Ben B. Foster, shop work	8.65

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\$1,514.39

Culverts furnished by State \$73.57

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**ROAD AGENT'S REPORT**


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**Harold Matava, Road Agent**
**Miscellaneous Bills:**

Ben B. Foster, shop work	\$42.35
Herbert Page, adjustment bolt	1.00
W. E. Moses, boards, planks and saw bill	25.67
Freight bill, road drag	4.89
H. D. Chase, planks	26.67
Ray McGinnis, hemlock, bridge plank	28.66
Files and O'Keefe Co., road drag	29.60
William Goodwin, post and nails	1.10
Berger Culvert Co., culverts	19.40
Walter Clogston, dynamite	1.60
John Taylor, spikes and nails	1.10
C. S. Barnes, gravel	17.10
Harold Matava, gravel	2.25
Walter Willey, hemlock and nails	7.64
Walter Haynes, gas	15.33

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 \$224.36
**Bridges and Culverts:**

Elwin Clough, labor	\$ 3.50
Walter Willey, labor	8.33
Harold Matava, truck and labor	28.00
Fred Matava, team	12.00
Ray McGinnis, labor	5.33
Patrick Dufour, labor	1.67
Lawrence Foster, truck and labor	10.50
Clarence Rousseau, labor	2.66
William Goodwin, labor	3.25
Orrin Clough, labor	2.33
Earl Gove, labor	1.00

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 \$78.57

**Ellsworth Hill:**

Harold Matava, truck and labor	\$10.30
Clarence Rousseau, labor	2.33
Lawrence Foster, truck	17.50
Walter Willey, labor	3.00
William Goodwin, labor	2.84
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	\$35.97

**Cross and Rowentown Roads:**

Walter Willey, labor	\$10.67
Harold Matava, truck and labor	49.50
Clarence Rousseau, labor	25.17
Gordon McKee, labor	1.33
Elwin Clough, labor	5.67
William Goodwin, labor	2.00
Ray McGinnis, labor	1.00
Lawrence Foster, truck and labor	13.00
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	\$108.34

**Sanders Hill Road:**

James Decourcey, team	\$ 6.00
Maurice Hutchins, team	6.00
Walter Willey, labor	8.50
Crrin Clough, labor	8.00
Lawrence Foster, labor	9.00
Harold Matava, truck and labor	25.00
Elwin Clough, labor	6.84
Frank Celley, team	4.00
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	\$73.34



**Hooper Hill and Cheever Roads:**

Elwin Clough, labor	\$ 2.67
Walter Willey, labor	6.00
Harold Matava, truck	4.50
James Decourcey, team	6.00
Maurice Hutchins, team	6.00
Orrin Clough, labor	3.00
William Goodwin, labor	3.00
Lawrence Foster, truck and labor	12.33
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	\$43.50

**Mail Road:**

Walter Willey, labor	\$48.36
Harold Matava, truck and labor	77.00
Clarence Rousseau, labor	4.84
Elwin Clough, truck and labor	94.33
James Decourcey, team	6.00
Maurice Hutchins, team	9.00
Orrin Clough, labor	50.66
William Goodwin, labor	33.84
Lawrence Foster, truck	105.50
Irwin Foster, labor	3.00
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	\$432.53

**Cutting bushes:**

Orrin Clough, labor	\$24.84
Elwin Clough, labor	24.84
Gordon McKee, labor	21.17
Walter Willey, labor	9.84
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	\$80.69

**Snow Bill:**

Harold Matava, truck and labor	\$63.01
Jess Maynard, labor	6.84
Edward Livermore, labor	31.30
Ray Clough, labor	.85
Clarence Rousseau, labor	2.67
Walter Willey, labor	30.71
Gordon McKee, labor	7.13
Derward Brown, labor	2.50
Kenneth Brown, labor	1.50
Patrick Dufour, labor	3.33
Charles Dufour, labor	3.00
Walter Haynes, labor	3.00
Orrin Clough, labor	2.02
Elwin Clough, labor	1.35
Gerald Hutchins, labor	2.67
Ed Barlow, labor	12.33
Maurice Hutchins, labor	.67
Lester Hutchins, labor	.50
George Gove, labor	9.00
Charles Matava, labor	5.60
Walter Brown, labor	2.00
Lawrence Foster, labor	12.40

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\$204.38

**Branch Road:**

Harold Matava, truck	\$9.11
Clarence Rousseau, truck	2.00
Lawrence Foster, truck	4.50
James Decourcey, team	4.67
Maurice Hutchins, team	5.33
William Goodwin, labor	2.50
Orrin Clough, labor	2.50

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\$30.61

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**TOWN ROAD AID**

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**Harold Matava, Foreman**

Harold Matava, foreman	\$ 69.61
Elwin O. Clough, truck	195.56
Frank A. Downing, truck	111.12
Walter Willey, labor	41.67
William D. Goodwin, labor	41.67
Orrin O. Clough, labor	38.67
Walter Brown, labor	22.67
Durward Brown, labor	22.67
Glen Rodimon, labor	19.67
Charles Dufour, labor	7.67
Walter Haynes, labor	27.34
Maurice Hutchins, labor	13.67
William Shay, labor	13.67
C. E. Gove, labor	1.33
Ray McGinnis, labor	21.00
Patrick Dufour, labor	10.67
Ernest Sawyer, labor	13.67
Jess Maynard, labor	13.67
James Decoursey, team	10.00
Bills-	
Mica Crystal Co., dynamite	4.63
Carl S. Barnes, gravel	70.95
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	\$771.58
Culverts furnished by State	\$35.40

**REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF WENTWORTH, ON JANUARY 31, 1936**

Date of Creation	Trust Funds---Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount	Rate	Bal, Inc.	Exp. Bal.
Feb. 12, 1908	Mary M. Dean, care of cemetery lot..	Plymouth Sav. Bank	\$ 25.00	3%	.....	\$.75
June 13, 1917	Clara E. Burnham, care cemetery lot..	Plymouth Sav. Bank	100.00	3%	.....	\$3.03
Dec. 15, 1917	Mrs. Ann Libbey, care cemetery lot..	Merrimac Sav. Bank	100.00	3%	.....	Interest not drawn
Sept 13, 1920	Mrs. Abbie Moulton, care cemety lot	Plymouth Sav. Bank	100.00	3%	.....	\$3.03
June 30, 1924	Esther F. Dana, care Dana Cem. lot..	Plymouth Sav. Bank	100.00	3%	.....	\$3.03
June 30, 1924	Esther F. Dana, care Flanders cem.lot	Plymouth Sav. Bank	25.00	3%	\$2.54	\$.79
April 3, 1925	Maria E. Hines, care cemetery lot..	Plymouth Sav. Bank	100.00	3%	\$4.00	\$3.32
May 29, 1925	John L. Peters, School use .....	Plymouth Sav. Bank	1000.00	3%	.....	\$30.35
Jan. 7, 1931	uther Smith, care Luther Smith lot	Plymouth Sav. Bank	50.00	3%	.....	\$1.51
July 1, 1933	Clarence A. Eaton, Care Eaton lot,	Plymouth Sav. Bank	100.00	3%	.....	\$3.02
Apr. 26, 1933	Thomas F. Clifford, care cemetery lot	Plymouth Sav. Bank	200.00	3%	.....	\$6.42
Jan. 22, 1935	Nattie B. Briggs, care cemetery lot.	Plymouth Sav. Bank	100.00	3%	.....	Interest not drawn

This is to certify that the information in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
 February 12, 1936

ALSON L. BROWN, OSCAR W. BROWN,  
 ROBERT McLAUGHLIN, Trustees.

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**WEBSTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY**


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**TREASURER'S REPORT**


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**RECEIPTS**

Feb. 1, 1935 Cash on hand	\$ 58.43
To Balance with bank	14.00
Apr. 2, 1935 Received from Selectmen	100.00
Jul. 20, 1935 Received from Selectmen	50.00
Nov. 12, 1935 Received from Selectmen	100.00
Jan. 29, 1936 Received from Selectmen	50.00
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Total Receipts	\$372.43

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**EXPENDITURES**

Olive M. Belyea, Librarian	\$78.00
Leslie E. Belyea, Janitor	33.50
Asa P. Colby, Insurance	120.00
Asa P. Colby, Electrical work	3.50
Pemigewasset Elec. Co., Current	24.00
Library Book House, Books	38.15
H. R. Huntting Co., Books	10.93
J. P. Lippincott Co., Books	2.40
National Geographic Society	3.00
Good Housekeeping	2.50
Sears Roebuck Co., Lawn Mower	9.95
Forrest Littlefield, repairs slate roof	2.50
E. C. Downing, 1 cord wood	7.50
Allan M. McCurdy, 15 gals oil @ 8½c	1.26
Plymouth Ice Co., oil	1.43
Gaylord Bros. Inc., Cards	2.85
Olive M. Belyea, expenses	4.81
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Total Expenditures	\$346.28
Cash on hand January 31, 1936	\$26.15

ALLAN M. McCURDY, Treasurer.

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**LIBRARIAN'S REPORT**


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Number of borrowers of books and magazines from the Library	212
Number of books and magazines loaned during the year	5,406
Number of new books purchased by town	107
Number of books received from The Public Library Commission	43
Number of Gift books added	37

The donors of gift books and magazines include Supt. and Mrs. McCurdy, Earl D. McLeod, Mrs. A. V. Butts, Mrs. Alice Downing, Mrs. Esther Valliere, Mrs. Gladys Robinson, Miss Elva Carpenter, Allan H. Wilde, William G. Hill, Mrs. Effie Robinson, Mrs. Maude Stevens, Robert McLaughlin, Miss Allison Howe, Mrs. Mary Taplin and W. L. Myles.

In an endeavor to give better Library service to the families who do not live in the village, books have been placed in the Atwell Hill and South Wentworth Schoolhouses and are loaned by the teachers. At frequent intervals the books are changed. Thus far the undertaking has proved successful.

OLIVE M. BELYEA,

Librarian

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**AUDITOR'S REPORT**


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This is to certify we have examined the foregoing accounts of Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, Town Trustees, Library Trustees, Road Agents, Overseer of Poor, for the year ending January 31, 1936, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

BEN B. FOSTER,

ANSON C. TUTTLE,

Wentworth, N. H., February 14, 1936.

Auditors.

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# WENTWORTH SCHOOL REPORT

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## FINANCIAL REPORT

Of The Wentworth School District For The Fiscal Year  
Beginning July 1, 1934, and ending June 30, 1935

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### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

ALLAN M. McCURDY, Superintendent

ELSIE E. LIBBEY,

BEATRICE M. GOVE,

ALSON L. BROWN,

July 13, 1935

School Board

**WENTWORTH SCHOOL MEETING****WARRANT**

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**The State of New Hampshire**

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Wentworth qualified to vote in district affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 10th day of March, 1936, at 1:30 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 agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To see if the district will vote to apply to the Federal Government for a grant and loan to build and equip a schoolhouse in South Wentworth.



10. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to issue notes or bonds to secure any loan from the Federal Government for the purpose of building and equipping a schoolhouse in South Wentworth.

11. To see if, in the event that a federal loan is not available in ample time to erect and equip a schoolhouse in South Wentworth before Sept. 1, 1936, the district will authorize the school board to issue notes or bonds to erect and equip a schoolhouse in South Wentworth.

12. To see if the district will authorize the school board to expend the sum of approximately \$600.00 realized in fire insurance on the Foster School toward the erection of a new building.

13. To see if the district will authorize the school board to purchase land for a new schoolhouse in South Wentworth if it deems it expedient to do so.

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

Given under our hands at said Wentworth this 15th day of February, 1936.

ELSIE E. LIBBEY,  
BEATRICE M. GOVE,  
ALSON L. BROWN,

School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ELSIE E. LIBBEY,  
BEATRICE M. GOVE,  
ALSON L. BROWN,

School Board

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

### School Board

MRS. ELSIE E. LIBBEY, Chairman

MRS. BEATRICE M. GOVE,      ALSON L. BROWN

### Treasurer

ALICE M. DOWNING

### Auditors

BEN FOSTER,      ANSON TUTTLE,

RAYMOND DOWNING

### Clerk

META M. DOWNING

### Superintendent

ALLAN M. McCURDY

### Teachers and Enrollment of Schools February 13, 1936

School	Teacher	Enrollment
Grammar,	James R. Morrill .....	32
Primary,	Viola Pray .....	39
Buffalo,	Dorothy G. Veysey .....	16
Atwell Hill,	Gertrude Gilman .....	22
Foster, burned February 12, 1936		

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**RECEIPTS**

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## State and Federal Aid:

Equalization fund for elementary  
schools (from state) \$2,250.35

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Total \$2,250.35

## Income from Local Taxation:

(raised by Selectmen)

Balance appropriation \$210.07

Balance appropriation  
Appropriation 1934-35 5716.92

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\$5,926.99

## From Sources Other Than Taxation:

Elementary school tuitions \$54.00

Dog licenses (from Selectmen) 344.00

Income from local Trust Funds 35.00

Other receipts 15.75

Leased lands 79.80

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Total \$528.59

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Total receipts from all sources \$8,705.93

## Cash on hand at beginning of

year, July 1, 1934 \$110.29

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**GRAND TOTAL \$8,816.22**

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 PAYMENTS 1934-35
 

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Administration	
Salaries of district officers	\$216.00
Superintendent's excess salary	186.20
Truant Officer and School Census	10.00
Expenses of administration	20.41
Instruction	
Principal's and teachers' salaries	\$4,075.25
Text books	86.36
Other expenses of instruction	40.55
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant	
Janitor service	\$185.00
Fuel	158.00
Water, light, janitor's supplies	30.50
Minor repairs and expenses	51.74
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities	
Medical inspection, Health supervision	\$147.51
Transportation of pupils	983.80
High school and academy tuition	1,601.88
Other special activities	10.76
Fixed Charges	
Tax for state wide supervision	\$240.00
Insurance and other fixed charges	10.00
Outlay for Construction and Equipment	
Alterations of old buildings	\$503.50
New Equipment	1.10
Total Payments For All Purposes	\$8,704.61
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1935)	111.61
GRAND TOTAL	\$8,816.22

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**BALANCE SHEET**


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**ASSETS**
**June 30, 1935**

Cash on hand:

Balance June 30, 1935	\$111.61
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Accounts due to district:

From Peters' trust fund	35.00
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From salary account	57.00
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Total Assets	<hr/> \$203.61
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GRAND TOTAL	<hr/> \$203.61
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**LIABILITIES**
**June 30, 1935**

Total Liabilities	\$000.00
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Excess of Assets over Liabilities (Surplus)	<hr/> 203.61
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GRAND TOTAL	<hr/> \$203.61
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**AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Wentworth, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

BEN B. FOSTER,  
ANSON C. TUTTLE,

Auditors.

July 13, 1935.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER**  
**Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1935**  
**School District of Wentworth**

**SUMMARY:**

Cash on hand June 30, 1934	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$110.29
Received from Selectmen,	
Appropriations for current year	\$5716.92
Balance previous appropriation	210.07
Dog licenses	344.00
Income from Trust Funds	35.00
Received from State Treasurer	
(State or Federal Aid)	2250.35
Received from other sources	149.59
	\$8,705.93
Total	
Total amount available for fiscal year	
(Balance and Receipts)	\$8,816.22
Less school board orders paid	8,704.61
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1935	\$111.61
(Treasurer's bank balance)	

ALICE A. DOWNING,

June 30, 1935

District Treasurer

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**AUDITORS' 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 Wentworth, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and find them correct in all respects.

BEN B. FOSTER,  
 ANSON C. TUTTLE,

July 13, 1935.

Auditors.

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**DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS**


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1934

Jun. 30, Piermont school dist., bal. in bank	\$ 110.29
Jul. 10, School Board, Tuition	17.00
Aug. 8, School Board, int. on Peters fund	35.00
Sept. 1, Campton School dist., books sold	1.50
Sept. 26, Selectmen, bal. 1933 school money	210.07
Sept. 26, Selectmen, part 1934 school money	400.00
Sept. 26, Selectmen, 1933 dog tax	175.00
Sept. 26, Selectmen, 1933 L. Land rent	42.00
Oct. 1, Dorchester school dist., spelling blanks sold	.49
Oct. 1, Orford school dist., books sold	1.00
Oct. 25, Selectmen, part school money	525.00
Nov. 3, Campton school dist., books sold	.75
Nov. 6, Orford school dist., books sold	1.00
Nov. 20, Pem. Nat. bank, refund ck. No. 2963	4.50
Nov. 21, Selectmen, part school money	600.00
Nov. 30, Selectmen, part school money	700.00
Dec. 15, State Treas., Equalization fund	2250.35
Dec. 15, Selectmen, part school money	350.00

1935

Mar. 21, Selectmen, part school money	300.00
Apr. 2, Rumney school dist., books sold	1.25
Apr. 9, Selectmen, part school money	50.00
Apr. 18, Selectmen, part school money	700.00
May 15, Selectmen, part school money	625.00
Jun. 10, School Board, ice cream sold	5.30
Jun. 13, Selectmen, bal. 1934 school money	1466.92
Jun. 13, Selectmen, 1934 dog tax	169.00
Jun. 13, Selectmen, 1934 L. Land Rent	37.80
Jun. 27, Piermont school dist., Tuition	37.00

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 \$8,816.22

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**SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1936-37**


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School District of Wentworth, N. H.

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1936.

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**Detailed Statement of Expenditures**

\*Support of Schools:

Teachers' Salaries	\$3,450.00
Text Books	75.00
Scholars' Supplies	150.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	35.00
Janitor Service	222.00
Fuel	150.00
Water, Light, Janitor's Supplies	125.00
Minor Repairs and Expenses	100.00
Health Supervision (Medical Inspection)	170.00
Transportation of Pupils	1,500.00
Other Special Activities	5.00
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	\$5,982.00

Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District)	\$159.00
Truant Officer and School Census (Fixed by District)	10.00
Payment of Tuitions in High Schools and Academies (Estimated by Board)	2,100.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union)	210.00



Per Capita Tax (Reported by State Treasurer)	284.00
Payment of District Debt	500.00
Interest on District Debt	62.50
Insurance	75.00
New Equipment	50.00
Expenses of Administration	25.00
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	\$3,475.50
Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget	\$9,457.50

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#### Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1936, (Estimate)	\$ 25.00
State Aid (December 1936 Allotment)	2782.86
Dog Tax (Estimate)	150.00
Income from Trust Funds (Estimate)	30.35
Elementary School Tuition Receipts (Est.)	37.00
Other Estimated Income, Lease Lands	40.00
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Deduct Total Estimated Income (not raised by taxation)	\$3,065.21
Assessment required to Balance School Board's Budget	\$6,392.29

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#### Special Appropriations Proposed

9. To see if the district will vote to apply to the Federal Government for a grant and loan to build and equip a schoolhouse in South Wentworth.

10. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to issue notes or bonds to secure any loan from the Federal Government for the purpose of building and equipping a schoolhouse in South Wentworth.

11. To see if, in the event that a federal loan is not available in ample time to erect and equip a schoolhouse in South Wentworth before Sept. 1, 1936, the district will authorize the school board to issue notes or bonds to erect and equip a schoolhouse in South Wentworth.

12. To see if the district will authorize the school board to expend the sum of approximately \$600.00 realized in fire insurance on the Foster School toward the erection of a new building.

13. To see if the district will authorize the school board to purchase land for a new schoolhouse in South Wentworth if it deems it expedient to do so.

ELSIE E. LIBBEY,  
BEATRICE M. GOVE,  
ALSON L. BROWN,

School Board

February 11, 1936, Wentworth, N. H.

\*\$3.50 per \$1,000 of taxable inventory is minimum required by law.

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**REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT  
OF SCHOOLS**

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**February 15, 1936**

To the School Board and Citizens of the Wentworth School District:

I hereby submit my sixth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

During the summer the village school was enlarged and remodeled to take care of the increased enrollment. The building originally a one room school has for a long time been inadequate and particularly so the last few years. The building was lengthened approximately 22 feet and now there are 2 rooms ample for 40 pupils each and 45 can be accommodated. There is plenty of wardrobe room for children to hang up their clothes and keep their lunch boxes. Heretofore they have left them in the cold front hall. The vestibule has been enlarged and additional toilets can be installed if necessary. A new heater was installed in the primary room and the rooms are very comfortable. It is the purpose of the Board to equip the building with electricity in the spring. The district received \$50 from the state on this project and will continue to do so each year as greater amounts will be approved for the larger and improved building. The Board found that in working on the original building a great deal of unanticipated repair work had to be done and it was reasonable to do this at this time, while working on the addition. Consequently approximately \$135 was expended on general repairs incident to the addition but not coming under the special appropriation. This was financed out of currents funds and no further appropriation is needed.

Ruth M. Douglas resigned her position at the Foster School January 31. Dorothy G. Veysey was

transferred from the Buffalo school to the Foster school and the children of the Buffalo school were placed in the village school until February 12, when the Foster school was destroyed by fire. The entire Foster school was then transported to the Buffalo school to finish out the year and 4 children there recently sent to the village placed again in the Buffalo school.

The above arrangement does not seem expedient for permanency. The distance is too far. The Board is advised that a substantial building will cost approximately \$3,000 which with the insurance would make a net investment of \$2,400. At present there is no assurance of federal aid but should an opportunity arise before summer it might be advisable to apply for same.

It might be advisable to move the Buffalo school to the Foster district which could probably be done at a considerably lower figure than the erection of a new building.

It is my recommendation throughout this supervisory union that the honor roll for perfect attendance be discontinued after the present year. Originally intended to increase attendance I am firmly convinced that, at the expense of health, it defeats its own ends. Children with hard colds, sore throats, etc. often forerunners of contagious diseases, expose the entire school to illness in their zeal to maintain perfect attendance. The state board of health says that when contagious diseases are prevalent such children should stay at home. These children often times should not be sent out in stormy weather, and there are probably times when small children, tired or nervous, may well be kept at home a day or two. The whole matter of school attendance is one of common sense. When children are well and able they

must attend, and when they are sick and ailing they should stay at home. The children on honor rolls would probably attend regularly anyway, and those of poor attendance are not motivated to attend any more regularly.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLAN M. McCURDY

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**Addition and Alterations on  
WENTWORTH VILLAGE SCHOOL**

Receipts

Appropriation and Notes	\$2000.00
State Aid	50.00
Sale Stove	5.00
	\$2055.00

Expenditures

Record Print Co.	\$ 2.00
Chas. A. Gilbert, Contract	500.00
Henry G. Scruggs	1.50
Chas. A. Gilbert, Contract	500.00
Sears Roebuck	9.75
Montgomery Ward & Co.	10.28
Andrew Dutton Co.	28.25
Chas. A. Gilbert, Contract	400.00
Amos Reade	2.50
Alson Brown	10.00
Herbert Page	7.50
Beatrice Gove, Portiere and Express	2.93
W. T. Rutledge	2.49
Alson Brown	26.00
Richard Fillian	3.00
Oscar Brown	3.00
Marshall Ryea	3.00
Amos Reade	4.00
C. A. Gilbert, Contract	247.00
Herbert Lott	9.00
C. A. Gilbert	2.50

Henry Scruggs	12.70
E. E. Babb & Co., Heater	180.78
Walter Downing	5.16
Wm. F. Rutledge	4.85
Alson Brown	5.00
Henry Scruggs	3.00
Installation Ventilator, Estimated	5.00
Installation Electricity, Estimated	50.00
C. A. Gilbert	9.45
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	\$2,050.64
Receipts	\$2,055.00
Payments	2,050.64
Balance	\$4.36

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**Graduates Wentworth Elementary Schools June 1935**

Eileen C. Dow	Kenneth Wright
Howard L. Gove	Rene Michaud
Ruby Jones	Ralph Foster
Josephine Niemczyk	Ruby Downing
Geraldine Brown	Winnifred Brown

**Perfect Attendance, 1935-1936**

Florence Town	Kenneth Wright
Viola O. Snelgrove	Laura Fountain
Howard W. Evans	Charlotte Brown
Eileen E. Dow	Wilma Morrison
	Willis Lott

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**RETURN OF SCHOOL CENSUS, September, 1935**

No. of children (5-16) found by enumerator	
Boys 82, Girls 64	Total 146
No. of these found not to be in school	17
(No. 5-8)-15, (No. 8-14)-1, (No. 14-16)-1	
Number of resident children (5-16) enumerated and accounted for in school in and out of the district	129

Wentworth School District 1934-1935

School	Teacher	Enroll.	Average Per Member. Attend.	Per Cent Board's Visits	Supt's Fire Visits	Drills	
Grammar,	James R. Morrill	29	26.32	95.32	3	29	
Primary,	Viola M. Pray	37	32.01	91.56	9	29	
Atwell Hill,	Gertrude Gilman	19	16.07	95.77	5	14	
Foster,	Ruth M. Douglass,	15	14.55	93.88	2	24	
Buffalo,	Helen V. Charos					12	
	Sadie J. Barry	20	18.15	93.77	3	22	
	Minnie Blodgett					8	
Total		120	107.31	93.80	22	118	
Less 2 pupils in 2 schools		2				49	
(2 above from Piermont)		118	107.31	93.80	22	118	
Grade	Boys	Girls	Total	Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
I	10	8	18	V	3	4	7
II	15	5	20	VI	8	8	16
III	8	6	14	VII	10	7	17
IV	5	11	16	VIII	4	6	10
(2 from Piermont)					63	55	118

**VITAL STATISTICS**

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**Births Registered in the Town of Wentworth, N. H.,  
For the Year Ending December 31, 1935.**

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Lorraine Ann Stone, born at Wentworth, N. H., January 8, 1935; sixth child, female, living, white, name of father, George Raymond Stone; name of mother, Annie B. Foster; residence of parents, Wentworth, N. H.; occupation of father, laborer; birthplace of father, Houlton, Me.; birthplace of mother, Wentworth, N. H.

Baby Clough, born at Plymouth, N. H., April 20, 1935; fifth child, male, stillborn, white, name of father, Ray O. Clough; name of mother, Matilda Goodwin; residence of parents, Wentworth, N. H.; occupation of father, laborer; birthplace of father, Wentworth, N. H.; birthplace of mother, Lanesville, Mass.

Royce Edward Dow, born at Hillsboro County General Hospital, April 24, 1935; third child, living, male, white; name of father, Ernest D. Dow; name of mother, Mable R. Foster; occupation of father, laborer; birthplace of father, Wentworth, N. H.; birthplace of mother, Wentworth, N. H.

Baby Rousseau, born June 4, 1935, at Concord, N. H.; third child, female, stillborn, white; name of father, Clarence Rousseau; name of mother, Vera Clough; residence of parents, Wentworth, N. H.; occupation of father, barber; birthplace of father, Grafton, N. H.; birthplace of mother, Wentworth, N. H.



Baby Rousseau, born June 4, 1935, at Concord, N. H.; fourth child, female, stillborn, white; name of father, Clarence Rousseau; name of mother, Vera Clough; residence of parents, Wentworth, N. H.; occupation of father, barber; birthplace of father, Grafton, N. H.; birthplace of mother, Wentworth, N. H.

Harriet Sadie Ames, born July 4, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., first child, living, female, white; father's name, Spurgeon Ames; mother's name, Ardella E. Tilley; residence of parents, Wentworth, N. H.; occupation of father, truck driver; birthplace of father, Warren, N. H.; birthplace of mother, Wentworth, N. H.

Rachel Alcelia Fillian, born July 11, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., twelfth child, female, living, white; name of father, Alphonse Fillian; name of mother, Jessie Woods; residence of parents, Wentworth, N. H.; occupation of father, truckdriver; birthplace of father, Manchester, N. H.; birthplace of mother, Piermont, N. H.

Betty Louise, born November 29, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H.; first child, female, living, white; name of father, claims, Lewis E. Myles; name of mother, Bernice H. Dow; residence of parents, Wentworth, N. H.; birthplace of mother, Orford, N. H.

Baby Keneson, born December 8, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H.; fourth child, female, living, white; name of father, Charles D. Keneson; name of mother, Gladys H. Howard; residence of parents, Wentworth, N. H.; occupation of father, farmer; birthplace of father, Wentworth, N. H.; birthplace of mother, Wentworth, N. H.

**Marriages Registered in the Town of Wentworth,  
N. H., For the Year Ending December 31, 1935.**

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Spurgeon Ames and Ardella Tilley, married at Woodsville, N. H., March 27, 1935, by Charles E. Dixon, Justice of the Peace, Haverhill, N. H.; residence of groom, Warren, N. H., age 28, white, occupation, truck driver, born at Warren, N. H., father's name, William Ames, mother's name, Sadie McCormick. Residence of bride, Wentworth, N. H., age 21, white, occupation, at home, born at Wentworth, N. H., father's name, William Tilley, mother's name, Sarah J. Merrill.

William C. Currier and Ethel C. Spooner, married at Wentworth, N. H., May 11, 1935, by H. I. Kemp, Clergyman, Rumney, N. H.; residence of groom, Wentworth, N. H., age 31, white, occupation, laborer, born at Wentworth, N. H., father's name, John P. Currier, mother's name, Alice W. Sharpe; residence of bride, Wentworth, N. H., age 40, white, occupation, housework, born at Warren, N. H., father's name, David J. Spooner, mother's name, Nora Burke.

Elmer L. Glover and Katherine McGinnis, married at Rumney, N. H., November 30, 1935, by H. I. Kemp, Clergyman, Rumney, N. H.; residence of groom, Plymouth, N. H., age 47, white, occupation, farmer, born at Bridgewater, N. H., father's name, Stephen R. Glover, mother's name, Luella Bartlett; residence of bride, Wentworth, N. H., age 35, white, occupation, housework, born at Wentworth, N. H., father's name, Elias McGinnis, mother's name Mehitable Colburn.

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Fred D. Cole and Winnifred A. Pease, married at Wentworth, N. H., November 28, 1935, by H. I. Kemp, Clergyman, Rumney, N. H. Residence of groom, Wentworth, N. H., age 64, white, occupation, Section foreman, born at Stark, N. H., father's name, Daniel Cole, mother's name, Hannah A. Cole. Residence of bride, Wentworth, N. H., age 51, white, occupation, housework, father's name, John L. Weeks, mother's name, Nellie Page.

Harry E. Fracher and Marion Rhoades Nylan, married at Warren, N. H., December 24, 1935, by George M. Williams, Justice of the Peace, Warren, N. H. Residence of groom, Plymouth, N. H., age 31, white, father's name, John C. Fracher, mother's name Mary Bilodeau. Residence of bride, Wentworth, N. H., age 24, white, father's name, Albert Lewis Rhoades, mother's name, Bertha Colburn.

**Deaths Registered in the Town of Wentworth, N. H.,  
For the Year Ending December 31, 1935.**

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Lorraine Ann Stone, died January 8, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., age nine hours, born at Wentworth, N. H., female, white, name of father, George R. Stone, name of mother, Annie B. Foster.

Mack Young, died February 1, 1935, at Haverhill, N. H., age 75 years, 25 days, born at Franconia, N. H., single, white, name of father, Daniel Young, name of mother, Mary Hill.

Emma J. Philbrick, died February 8, 1935, at Hanover, N. H., age 63 years, born at Thetford, Vt., widowed, white, name of father, Anson Moulton, name of mother, Emeline Randall.

Andy J. Chase, died February 22, 1935, at Penacook, N. H., age 69 years, 1 month, 28 days, married, white, name of father, Simeon P. Chase, name of mother, Sarah W. Cleasby.

John Scott, died April 13, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., age 47 years, 6 months, 17 days, born at Burke, N. Y., married, white, name of father, Myron Scott, name of mother, Mary Vincent.

Baby Clough, died April 20, 1935, at Plymouth, N. H., stillborn, born at Plymouth, N. H., male, white, name of father, Ray O. Clough, name of mother, Matilda Goodwin.

Grace E. Henderson, died April 27, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., age 57 years, 9 months, 20 days, born at Enfield, Maine, married, white, name of father, James McKenney, name of mother, Adlina McLaughlin.

Walter Sturtevant, died May 10, 1935, at Concord, N. H., age 56 years, 1 day, born at Wentworth, N. H., married, white, name of father, Milo Aiken, name of mother, Elma Leit.

Frank E. Robinson, died May 10, 1935, at Keene, N. H., age 38 years, 2 months, 12 days, born at Lowell, Mass., married, white, name of father, Charles D. Robinson, name of mother, Effie B. Chase.

Baby Rousseau, died June 4, 1935, at Concord, N. H., stillborn, born at Concord, N. H., female, white, name of father, Clarence Rousseau, name of mother, Vera Clough.

Baby Rousseau, died June 4, 1935, at Concord, N. H., stillborn, born at Concord, N. H., female, white, name of father, Clarence Rousseau, name of mother, Vera Clough.

Susan M. Flanders, died June 27, 1935, at Brookline, Mass., age 66 years, born at Wentworth, N. H., single, white, name of father, William A. Flanders, name of mother, Angie L. Clark.

Mattie C. Sutherland, died July 13, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., age 61 years, 29 days, born at Roxbury, Mass., widowed, white, name of father, Charles D. Sutherland, name of mother, Annie R. Perkins.

Freeman R. True, died September 5, 1935, at Concord, N. H., age 68 years, 10 months, 13 days, born at Orange, N. H., widowed, white, name of father, Joseph True, name of mother, Dolly Fellows.

Zachariah Clifford, died October 5, 1935, at Warren, N. H., age 86 years, 1 month, 8 days, born at Warren, N. H., single, white, name of father, Russell Clifford, name of mother, Sarah Fitts.

Mary Kenney, died October 18, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., born at Newbury, N. H., married, white, name of father, Curtis Messer, name of mother, \_\_\_\_\_ Carleton.

Mary B. Sheridan, died November 3, 1935, at Woodsville, N. H., age 42 years, 11 months, born at Laconia, N. H., married, white, name of father, Asa Boardman, name of mother, Alice Floyd.

Baby Keneson, died December 9, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., age 16 hours, born at Wentworth, N. H., female, white, name of father, Charles D. Keneson name of mother, Gladys H. Howard.

Arthur J. Kimball, died December 15, 1935, at Wentworth, N. H., age 81 years, 7 months, 16 days, born at Wentworth, N. H., single white, name of father, James Kimball, name of mother, Mary J. Ellsworth.

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

OLIVE M. BELYEA,  
Town Clerk.



