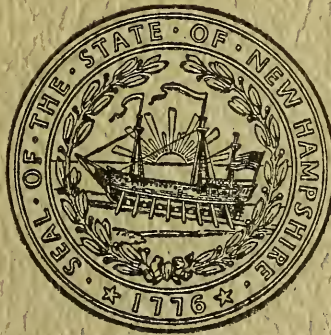

ANNUAL REPORT
of the officers of the
TOWN OF CHATHAM
NEW HAMPSHIRE



For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31

1945

A N N U A L R E P O R T
of the officers of the
T O W N O F C H A T H A M
N E W H A M P S H I R E



For The Fiscal Year Ending December 31

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THE REPORTER PRESS, NORTH CONWAY, N. H.

TOWN WARRANT

(L.S.)

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Chatham, New Hampshire in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said Chatham on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects: FIRST To hear all complaints and adjust them by vote of the town.

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

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

ART. 3. To see if the town will vote to allow 2% discount on all property taxes paid before July first.

ART. 4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$23.29 to the White Mountains Region Association, it being 10c per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for the purpose of advertising the advantages of the town.

ART. 5. To see what the town will do in regard to plowing dooryards for the ensuing year.

ART. 6. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 10th day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-six.

LOREN ANDREWS
ARTHUR A. HILL
LOUVILLE EMERSON
Selectmen of Chatham

A true copy of Warrant: *Attest:*

LOREN ANDREWS
ARTHUR A. HILL
LOUVILLE EMERSON
Selectmen of Chatham

BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the
Ensuing Year January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946

Compared with

Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the
Previous Year January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	<i>Actual Revenue Previous Year 1945</i>	<i>Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1946</i>
From State:		
Interest and dividends tax	\$ 39 11	\$ 35 00
Savings Bank Tax	33 50	30 00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	348 30	340 00
For Fighting Forest Fires	10 55	5 00
National Forest Reserve	612 42	500 00
From Local Sources Except Taxes		
Interest received on taxes and deposits	7 61	5 00
Income of Departments:		
Highway, including rental of equipment	5 00	
Fidelity Trust Co. Bank, fiscal dividend	18 55	
Motor Vehicle permit fees	139 26	125 00
Cash surplus	2,000 00	1,000 00

**From Local Taxes Other Than
Property Taxes:**

	141 00	140 00
Poll taxes, regular at \$2	200 00	200 00
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<i>Total revenues from all sources except property taxes</i>	\$3,557 10	\$2,380 00
Amount to be raised by property taxes		2,945 00
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<i>Total Revenues</i>		\$ 5,325 00

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	<i>Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1945</i>	<i>Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1946</i>
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>		
General Government:		
Town Officers' salaries	\$ 421 57	\$ 450 00
Town Officers' expenses	52 11	50 00
Election and registration ex- penses	3 13	5 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	22 00	25 00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Fire Department	21 10	50 00
Health:		
Vital Statistics	3 25	5 00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town maintenance, summer	343 18	500 00
Town maintenance, winter	350 53	500 00
General expenses of highway department	89 07	

Public Welfare :

Old Age assistance	270 37	275 00
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Patriotic Purposes :

Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	4 80	5 00
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Unclassified :

Miscellaneous	193 35	300 00
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*Payments to Other Governmental
Divisions:*

County Taxes	856 71	860 00
Payments to School District	2,250 00	2,300 00

<i>Total Expenditures</i>	<u>\$4,881 17</u>	<u>\$ 5,325 00</u>
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

SUMMARY INVENTORY

VALUATION

<i>Real Estate: Residents</i>	
Lands and buildings	\$ 71,790 00
Growing wood and timber	15,870 00
Personal, residents	21,955 00

<i>Total residents' valuation</i>	\$109,615 00
Soldiers' exemptions	4,880 00

<i>Residents' valuation</i>	\$104,735 00
<i>Real Estate, Non-residents</i>	
Lands and buildings	\$ 68,610 00
Growing wood and timber	19,055 00
Personal, non-residents	40,700 00

<i>Total non-residents valuation</i>	\$128,365 00
Soldiers' exemptions	150 00

<i>Non-resident valuation</i>	128,215 00

<i>Total valuation</i>	\$ 232,950 00
Tax Rate -- \$.018 on the dollar	
Property tax	\$4,193.10
88 Regular polls at \$2.00	176 00
91 Special polls at \$3.00	273 00

<i>Total Warrant</i>	\$4,642 10

LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Residents

No.		
30	Horses	\$ 2,700 00
165	Cows	15,320 00
48	Neat	3,585 00
2	Oxen	200 00
4	Sheep	40 00
1	Hog	20 00
90	Hens	90 00
		\$ 21,955 00

Non-Residents

7	Horses	\$ 900 00
2	Oxen	190 00
2	Cows	160 00
2	Hogs	30 00
2	Mills	1,000 00
3	Tractors	1,000 00
2	Gas tanks	170 00
	Lumber on sticks	37,250 00
		\$40,700 00

APPROPRIATIONS

No.		
1	Town officers' salaries	\$ 450 00
2	Town officers' expenses	100 00
3	Election and registration	5 00
4	Town Hall	135 00
5	Police Dept.	50 00
6	Fire Dept.	50 00
7	Vital Statistics	5 00
8	Town Aid Class V	106 56
9	Town Road Maintenance	1,000 00
10	Old Age Assistance	400 00
11	Memorial flags	5 00

12	Miscellaneous bills	300 00
13	County tax	856 71
14	School tax	1,941 73

*Total Town and School
Appropriations*

\$ 5,405 00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

No.	<i>Appro- piation</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Unex- pended</i>	<i>Over- draft</i>
1	\$ 450 00	\$ 421 57	\$ 28 43	\$
2	100 00	52 11	47 89	
3	5 00	3 13	1 87	
4	135 00	22 00	113 00	
5	50 00		50 00	
6	50 00	21 10	28 90	
7	5 00	3 25	1 75	
8	106 56		106 56	
9	1,000 00	782 78	217 22	
10	400 00	270 37	129 63	
11	5 00	4 80	20	
12	300 00	193 35	106 65	
13	856 71	856 71		
14	1,941 73	2,250 00		308 27
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	\$ 5,405 00	\$ 4,881 17	\$ 832 10	\$ 308 27

	Unexpended		\$ 523 83	

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Assets

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$ 4,110 93
Due from State, bounties	93 50

Due from Don Chandler on note	200 00
Uncollected taxes (a) levy of 1945	283 66
Uncollected taxes (b) levy of 1944	
Uncollected taxes (c) levy of 1943	2 00
Uncollected taxes (d) levy of 1942	2 00
Uncollected taxes (e) levy of 1941	2 00

<i>Total assets</i>	\$ 4,594 09

Liabilities

Due State when collected, special poll tax	\$150 00
Due school districts	
(a) Dog licenses	40 80
(b) One-half forest reserve fund	306 21
State and Town, joint highway unexpended balance in town treasury	
Orange Class 2	564 00
Town Road Class V	212 92
Capital reserve fund	101 75

<i>Total liabilities</i>	\$1,375 68

Excess of assets over liabilities	\$3,218 41

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$1,000 00
Furniture	50 00
Highway Department	
Lands and buildings	75 00
Equipment	500 00
Supplies	25 00

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Schools, lands and buildings	3,000 00
Land acquired by Tax Collector's deeds 35 acres in 11-1-1	175 00
<i>Total</i>	<hr/> \$4,825 00

Respectfully submitted

H. LOREN ANDREWS
ARTHUR A. HILL
LOUVILLE EMERSON

Selectmen of Chatham

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

 From January 1, 1945 to January 1, 1946

Received

For Automobile permits, 1945		\$ 139 26
For Dog licenses		
20 Male dogs for 1945	\$ 40 00	
1 Female dog for 1945	5 00	
	\$ 45 00	
Fees retained	4 20	
	\$ 40 80	
<i>Total amount due treasurer</i>		\$ 180 06
Amount paid treasurer		\$ 180 06

Respectfully submitted

LOUVILLE R. EMERSON
 Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

FOR CURRENT YEAR'S LEVY

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1945

Debits

Taxes Committed to Collector

Property taxes	\$4,193 10	
Poll taxes, regular at \$2.00	176 00	
Poll taxes, special at \$3.00	273 00	

<i>Total warrant</i>		\$4,642 10

Added Taxes

Poll taxes, regular at \$2.00	8 00	
Poll taxes, special at \$3.00	12 00	
Interest collected	0 33	

Total Debits \$4,662 43

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer

Property taxes	\$3,944 81	
Poll taxes, regular at \$2.00	146 00	
Poll taxes, special at \$3.00	225 00	
Discount allowed	62 95	

Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list

Property taxes	185 67	
Poll taxes, regular at \$2.00	38 00	
Poll taxes, special at \$3.00	60 00	

Total Credits \$4,662 43

LEVY OF 1944

Debits

*Uncollected taxes as of January
1, 1945*

Property taxes	\$ 291 97	
Poll taxes, regular at \$2.00	66 00	
Poll taxes, special at \$3.00	105 00	
Interest collected during fiscal year ended December 31, 1945	7 61	
Poll tax added	5 00	
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<i>Total Debits</i>		\$ 475 58

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer during
fiscal year ending December
31, 1945

Property taxes	\$ 288 97	
Poll taxes, regular at \$2.00	52 00	
Poll taxes, special at \$3.00	84 00	
Interest collected during year	7 61	
Poll tax, added	5 00	
Abatements made during year	38 00	
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<i>Total Credits</i>		\$ 475 58

MATTIE J. CROUSE,
Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Town of Chatham in account with Olin R. Hanscom,
Treasurer for the fiscal year ending December 21,
1945

DETAIL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Cash in treasury, balance of cash on hand December 31, 1944	\$3,104 22
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Received from :

Automobile permits	\$ 139 26
Dog tax	40 80
Mattie J. Crouse, property tax 1944	288 97
Mattie J. Crouse, property tax, 1945	3,944 81
Mattie J. Crouse, regular poll tax 1944	54 00
Mattie J. Crouse, regular poll tax 1945	146 00
Mattie J. Crouse, special plol tax	
Mattie J. Crouse, special poll tax 1944	87 00
Mattie J. Crouse, special poll tax 1945	225 00
Mattie J. Crouse, interest collected on 1944 taxes	7 61
<i>Total receipts from</i>	
<i>Collector</i>	\$4,753 39
Received from Town of Stow for use of road machine	5 00
Received from State of N. H., bear bounty	15 00
State of N. H., bounty on 172 hedgehogs	86 00
State of N. H., Forest Reserve Fund	612 42

State of N. H., a/c Chapter 234 Revised laws 1942	348 30	
State of N. H., fire bill	10 55	
State of N. H., Savings Bank tax	33 50	
State of N. H., interest and divi- dends tax	39 11	
Fidelity Trust Company, final dividend	18 55	
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<i>Total receipts during year</i>		\$ 6,101 88
Cash on hand at beginning of year		3,104 22
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<i>Grand Total</i>		\$9,206 10
Paid by orders of the Selectmen		5,195 17
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Balance of cash on hand deposited in Carroll County Trust Co., Conway December 31, 1945		\$4,010 93

OLIN R. HANSCOM,
Treasurer.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From local taxes, current year	\$4,315 81	
From Property and poll taxes pre- vious years	437 58	
From State, reimbursements	1,144 88	
From local sources, except taxes	203 61	
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<i>Total receipts</i>		\$ 6,101 88
Cash on hand January 1, 1945		\$3,104 22
		<hr/>
		\$ 9,206 10

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

To general government	\$ 498 81	
Protection of persons and property	114 60	
Health	3 25	
Highways and bridges	782 78	
Public welfare	270 37	
Patriotic purposes	4 80	
Miscellaneous bills	193 35	
Other governmental divisions	3,227 21	
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<i>Total payments</i>		\$ 5,195 17
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1945		4,010 93
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		\$9,206 10

DETAIL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

From Tax Collector, Local Taxes

Property taxes, 1945	\$3,944 81	
73 Regular Poll taxes, 1945	146 00	
75 Special poll taxes, 1945	225 00	
Property taxes, 1944	288 97	
27 Regular poll taxes, 1944	54 00	
29 Special poll taxes, 1944	87 00	
Interest on taxes, 1944	7 61	
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		\$4,753 39

From State

Interest and dividend tax	\$ 39 11
Savings Bank tax	33 50
Reimbursement on Federal land	348 30
Fighting fires	10 55
Bounties	101 00

National Forest Reserve	612 42	

		\$ 1,144 88
<i>From Local Sources Except Taxes</i>		
Dog licenses	\$ 40 80	
Motor vehicle permits	139 26	
Town of Stow, use of road machine	5 00	
Fidelity Trust Co., final dividend	18 55	

		\$ 203 61

<i>Total Receipts</i>		\$ 6,101 88
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1945		3,104 22

		\$9,206 10

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

General Government

Town Officers' Salaries

H. Loren Andrews, selectman,	\$ 50 00	
Arthur A. Hill, selectman	50 00	
Louville Emerson, selectman	100 00	
Olin R. Hanscom, treasurer	50 00	
Louville R. Emerson, clerk	20 00	
Louville R. Emerson, issuing auto permits	19 00	
Merle W. Pitman, supervisor	7 50	
Perley R. Head, supervisor	5 00	
Albert C. Charles, supervisor	5 00	
Millard H. Chandler, moderator	5 00	
Mattie J. Crouse, collector	95 07	
Victor H. Hanscom, auditor	15 00	

		\$ 421 57

Town Officers' Expenses

N. H. Assessors, dues	\$ 2 00	
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	16 38	
Loren Andrews, trip to Sanbornville	6 00	
A. A. Hill, trip to Sanbornville	6 00	
L. Emerson, trip to Sanbornville	6 00	
L. Emerson, mileage, 130 miles at 5 cents	6 50	
Louville R Emerson, postage	7 14	
Olin Hanscom, postage	84	
D. A. Weeks, mileage, 25 miles at 5 cents	1 25	
	-----	\$ 52 11

Election and Registration

K. S. Carter, register of deeds	\$ 3 03	
W. G. White, register of probate	10	
	-----	\$ 3 13

Town Hall

Lighting town house	\$ 11 00	
Lighting community hall	11 00	
	-----	\$ 22 00

**Protection of Persons and
Property**

Fire Department, meetings	\$ 21 10	
Bounties	93 50	
	-----	\$ 114 60

Health

Vital Statistics	\$ 3 25	
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Highways and Bridges

Town maintenance as per Road

Agent's Reports

Summer \$343 18

Winter 350 53

General expenses of Highway Dept.

Bridge, plank \$ 39 07

Push rods for snow plow 50 00

	<hr/>	\$ 782 78
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Public Welfare

Old Age Assistance	\$ 270 37	
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Patriotic Purposes

Memorial Day, flags	\$ 4 80	
	<hr/>	\$ 4 80

Miscellaneous Bills

Printing town reports 1944	\$ 87 35	
Insuring school houses	75 00	
Town officers' bonds for 1945	31 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 193 35

Other Governmental Divisions

County Tax for 1945	\$ 856 71	
Special poll tax	220 50	
School appropriations plus one-half forest reserve and dog tax	2,250 00	
	-----	\$3,327 21

<i>Total Payments</i>		\$5,195 17
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1945		4,010 93

		\$9,206 10

H. LOREN ANDREWS,
ARTHUR A. HILL
LOUVILLE EMERSON
Selectmen of Chatham

BOUNTY SCHEDULE

<i>Name of Payee</i>	<i>Hedgehogs</i>		<i>Bears</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Amount</i>
H. Loren Andrews	13	\$ 6 50		
Fred Girouard	16	8 00		
Clifford Emerson	3	1 50		
Perley Head	1	50		
Walton Charles	1	50		
Norris Hill	17	8 50		
John Davis	4	2 00		
Gordon Anderson	2	1 00		
Everett Eastman	1	50		
John Chandler	3	1 50		
Dean Charles	3	1 50	1	5 00
Louie Jandis	1	50		
Urban Andrews	8	4 00		

Harold Andrews	1	50		
Albert Charles	3	1 50		
Earle Boardman			1	5 00
Kenenth Kimball	2	1 00		
Cora Emerson	3	1 50		
Herman Johnson	12	6 00		
Walter Kimball	3	1 50		
Marion Johnson	13	6 50		
Angus Andrews	7	3 50		
Richard Head	6	3 00		
Olin Hanscom	7	3 50		
Clyde Garland	2	1 00		
Sandy McGreggor	1	50		
Leroy Smith			1	5 00
George Booth	2	1 00		
Frank Hill			2	10 00
Lyle Wiggin	1	50		
Clyde Wiggin	1	50		
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	137	\$68 50	5	\$25 00

A true copy *Attest*

LOUVILLE R. EMERSON,

Town Clerk

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

JANUARY 1st TO MARCH 13, 1945

Herbert A. Andrews, 14 hrs. labor at .80	\$ 11 20	
Herbert A. Andrews, 8 hrs. truck at .75	6 00	
Arthur Hill, 65 hrs. plowing snow at \$2.50	162 50	
Fred Lusky, 42 hrs. labor at .75	31 50	
Clifford Emerson, 23 hrs. labor at .75	17 25	
Loren Andrews, 8 hrs. labor at .75	6 00	

<i>Total labor</i>		\$234 45

PARTS FOR SNOW PLOW

R. C. Haselton, 3 plow shoes at \$7.45	\$ 22 35	
R. C. Haselton, 2 plow cutting edges at \$10.80	21 60	
R. C. Haselton, freight from factory and handling	2 78	
R. C. Haselton, bolts for above, 18 at .15	2 70	
Herbert A. Andrews, freight	70	

<i>Sub total</i>		50 13

<i>Total</i>		\$ 284 58

HERBERT A. ANDREWS,
Road Agent

WINTER WORK AFTER MARCH 15, 1945

Taking Down Snow Fence

Clifford Emerson, labor, 4 hrs.		
at .80	\$	3 20
Clyde Garland, labor, 7 hrs. at .75		5 25
Louville Emerson, labor, 3 hrs.		
at .75		2 25
Arthur Hill, truck, 3 hrs. at 1.00		3 00

<i>Sub total</i>		\$ 13 70

BUTTER HILL ROAD

Summer Work

Clifford Emerson, labor, 29 hrs.		
at .80	\$	23 20
Clifford Emerson, tractor, 23 hrs.		
at \$1.20		27 60
Everett Eastman, labor, 25 hrs. at		
.75		18 75
Everett Eastman, truck, 25 hrs. at		
\$1.00		25 00
L. W. Kennett, labor, 4 hrs. at .75		3 00
Clyde Garland, labor, 16 hrs. at .75		12 00
E. H. Eastman, labor, 25 hrs. at .75		18 75
Norman Eastman, labor, 25 hrs.		
at .75		18 75
Nelson Eastman, labor, 22 hrs. at		
.75		16 50
Hugh Hastings, 12 yds. gravel at .10		1 20

<i>Sub total</i>		\$ 164 75

ROBBINS' HILL ROAD

Clifford Emerson, labor, 10 hrs.		
at .80	\$	8 00

Clyde Garland, labor, 6 hrs. at .75	4 50
Arthur Hill, labor, 4 hrs at .75	3 00
Arthur Hill, truck, 4 hrs. at 1.00	4 00
Fred Lusky, labor, 4 hrs at .75	3 00
Earl Sanborn mill crew labor	56 00
Earl Sanborn, truck	35 00

Sub total

\$ 113 50

LITTLE CHATHAM ROAD

Clifford Emerson, labor, 12 hrs at .80	\$ 9 60
Clyde Garland, labor 12 hrs at .75	9 00
Clyde Garland, tractor, 2 hrs. at \$1.00	2 00
Louville Emerson, labor 12 hrs at .75	9 00
Fred Lusky, labor, 8 hrs at .75	6 00
Arthur Hill, labor, 8 hrs. at .75	6 00
Arthur Hill, truck, 4 hrs. at 1.00	4 00
Clyde Garland, stumpage on 500 ft. logs, bridge stringers	5 00

Sub total

\$ 50 60

SUPPLIES BOUGHT

J. O. Flint, 4 spades at \$1.95	\$ 7 80
J. O. Flint, 2 iron bars at \$1.90	3 80
J. O. Flint, 39 lbs spikes at .07	2 73

Sub total

\$ 14 33

SNOW REMOVAL TO JANUARY 1st, 1946

Wesley Buswell, labor 6½ hrs at \$1.50	\$ 9 75
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Wesley Buswell, heating	\$.75	
1 quart oil	35	
4 bolts	25	
		1 35
Clifford Emerson, labor, 13 hrs at		
.80		10 40
Clyde Garland, labor, 9 hrs. at .75		6 75
Arthur Hill, labor, 5 hrs at .75		3 75
Arthur Hill, truck, 1 hr. at \$1.00		1 00
Arthur Hill, truck, 11 hrs. at 1.75		19 25

<i>Sub total</i>		\$ 52 25

<i>Total expended for year</i>		\$409 13

CLIFFORD EMERSON,
Road Agent

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

Chatham, New Hampshire
January 15th, 1946

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that I have completed the examination of accounts of the Town Officials of Chatham, New Hampshire for the municipal year ending December 31st, 1945, to the best of my knowledge and belief. This properly reflects the true financial condition of these accounts, as per the above date.

Respectfully submitted

VICTOR H. HANSCOM,
Auditor

NOTICE



ALWAYS be careful with fire in or near woodlands.

REMEMBER

- (a) You need written permission from your local forest fire warden for debris burning fires when the ground is not covered by snow.
- (b) Be sure your match, cigar, cigarette and pipe ashes are OUT before dropping them.
- (c) Be fire-minded NOW as never before

Be CAREFUL, caution others to be careful

Be cooperative and thus help your Warden your
Town, your Nation, and Yourself.

CHATHAM CENTER CEMETERY FUND
TRUSTEES' REPORT

Beginning January 1, 1945 and ending December 31, 1945

Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of income on hand at beginning of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Balance of income on hand at end of year
Olive Eaton	N. H. Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.	\$ 200.00	2%	\$ 20.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 3.40	\$ 20.60
Fred Eaton	N. H. Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.	\$ 2,000.00	2%	131.36	40.00	33.90	137.46
Mason H. Clay	Portland Savings Bank, Portland, Me.	100.00	2%	33.18	2.67	1.70	34.15
				\$ 184.54	\$ 46.67	\$ 39.00	\$ 192.21

ALBERT C. CHARLES
 OLIN R. HANSCOM
 DANIEL B. BARNUM
Trustees of Trust Funds
 Town of Chatham, N. H.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

School Board

MISS SUSAN W. CHARLES	Term expires 1946
MRS. BERNICE EMERSON	Term expires 1947
MERLE W. PITMAN	Term expires 1948

Moderator

CHARLOTTE HANSCOME

Treasurer

MRS. GLENORA HANSCOM

Clerk

MRS. MATTIE CROUSE

Auditor

DANA A. WEEKS

Superintendent

JOHN H. FULLER
HAMMOND YOUNG

School Nurse

JULIA T. COX

FINANCIAL REPORT

FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1945

Receipts

Equalization fund from state	\$1,885 11	
National forest reserve	483 38	
Tax assessment from selectmen	1,950 00	
Dog licenses	51 00	
Elementary school tuitions	36 00	
Sale of property	2 78	

<i>Total receipts</i>		\$ 4,408 27
Balance on hand July 1, 1944		143 82

<i>Grand Total</i>		\$4,552 09

Payments

Salaries of district officers'	\$ 102 00	
Superintendent's excess salary	118 00	
Administration	23 00	
Teachers' salaries	1,895 50	
Text books	51 30	
Scholars' supplies	28 41	
Flags	5 76	
Janitor service	72 00	
Fuel	117 50	
Water, light, janitor's supplies	33 31	
Minor repairs	50 00	
Medical inspection	50 00	
Transportation of pupils	972 00	
High school tuition	367 50	
Per capita tax	64 00	

<i>Total payments</i>		\$ 3,950 28

Cash on hand June 30, 1945	601 81

<i>Grand Total</i>	\$ 4,552 09

SUSAN W. CHARLES
 BERNICE EMERSON
 MERLE W. PITMAN

School Board

July 10, 1945

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, and other financial records of the School Board of Chatham of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

DANA A. WEEKS,

Auditor

July 10, 1945

REPORT OF TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1945

Cash on hand June 30, 1944	\$ 143 82
Tax assessment from selectmen	1,950 00
Dog tax	51 00
Equalization fund from state	1,885 11
Received, all other sources	522 16

<i>Total receipts, all sources</i>	\$ 4,552 09
Less school board orders paid	3,950 28
Balance on hand June 30, 1945	\$ 601 81

GLENORA HANSCOM

Treasurer.

July 15, 1945

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements, and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Chatham of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and find them correct in all respects.

DANA A. WEEKS,

Auditor

July 15, 1945

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

To the School Board and Citizens of Chatham:

This report is submitted to you at the end of one month as your Superintendent of Schools. The first impression of your two schools is a most satisfying one. During these post-war days American schools are faced with the problem of improving the standard of accomplishment in the "tool" subjects. You should gain real satisfaction from the fact that the fundamentals are being maintained in your schools.

The difficulty of finding elementary school teachers remains about as reported to you last year by Superintendent Fuller. The Teacher Training Schools need more enrollees from the towns of New Hampshire in order to meet the normal demand for teachers.

The pupils attending Fryeburg this year are:

Norman Eastman	Lyle Wiggin
Nelson Eastman	Richard Hill
Margorie Head	Ronald Hill

Respectfully submitted,

HAMMOND YOUNG

February 1, 1946

TABLE I

Teachers and Schools, 1945-1946

<i>School</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Pupils</i>
Eastman	Lucretia P. Chandler	21
Green Hill	Edna H. Pitman	9

TABLE II

Statistics Year Ending June 30, 1945

<i>Schools</i>	<i>Pupils</i>	<i>Percent Attendance</i>	<i>Tardy</i>	<i>Visits of Supt.</i>
Green Hill	13	95.71	5	8
Eastman	25	94.90	2	7
Percent attendance, both schools				95.25
Number pupils transported				19
Pupils not tardy or absent				3
Non-resident pupils				1
High school pupils in other towns				3

 REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

The following is a summary of the health work done in the schools from February 1, 1945 to February 1, 1946: Physical examinations done by Julia T. Cox, R.N.

Number of pupils examined	32
Number of school visits	33
Number of home visits	29
Number of individual inspections	261
Number of pupils vaccinated	29

Number of vaccinations corrected during year	3
Tuberculosis patch test	28
Chest X-Ray (report normal)	6

The following data explains the number of pupils having physical defects and their corrections:

<i>Type of Defect</i>	<i>No. of Pupils</i>	<i>No. of Corrections</i>
Vision	2	1
Teeth	17	14
Tonsils	6	4

Communicable diseases:

Chicken Pox	1
Scabies	10
Pediculosis	5

The \$28.00 contribution by the Salvation Army which was used for dental work was greatly appreciated.

I am pleased to report that practically all the defects in the township of Chatham have been corrected. In behalf of the school system, I wish to extend special thanks to all parents and friends who have whole-heartedly cooperated with us in carrying out a successful health program.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA T. COX, R.N.

VITAL STATISTICS

Recorded in the Town of Chatham in the Year 1945

BIRTHS

January 26, 1945, in Conway, Lloyd Allen Kimball, fifth child of Walter E. Kimball, Jr., and Mary Bean Kimball.

July 29, 1945, in Conway, Edward Allen George, second child of Louis S. George and Arlene Heath George.

Births Unreported in Former Years

Born in Chatham, Charles R. Locke, Aug. 22d, 1894.

Born in Chatham, Florrie M. Hill, May 10, 1874.

Born in Chatham, Cora Howard, March 6, 1912.

MARRIAGES

February 12, in Stow, Maine. Roger M. Emerson, Jr., of Chatham, and Louise Laura Mary Gosselin of Conway.

September 7, in Standish, Maine, Kenneth F. Libby of Freedom, and Pauline Emerson of Chatham.

DEATHS

November 5, in Chatham, Rilla Webb of Chatham; age, 89 years, 9 months, 23 days. Buried in South Chatham.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUVILLE R. EMERSON,

Town Clerk.

