

N
352.07
G76
1932

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town of Grantham
New Hampshire




Hamilton Smith
Library,
University of
New Hampshire

For the Year Ending
January 31, 1932

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
OFFICERS
OF THE
Town of Grantham
New Hampshire
FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31, 1932

J. MADISON HOWE
PRINTER
GRANTHAM, N. H.

N
352.07
Q76
1932



Digitized by the Internet Archive
in 2011 with funding from
Boston Library Consortium Member Libraries

TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

Perley Walker

Town Clerk

Gladys D. Walker

Selectmen

Leston N. Horton

George W. Hastings

Henry A. Howard

Town Treasurer

Donas J. Reney

Tax Collector

Ralph E. Howard

Highway Agent

Donas J. Reney

Library Trustees

Margaret Pillsbury

Gladys Walker

Juno B. Horton

Librarian

James M. Howe

Trustees of Trust Funds

Perley Walker

Sidney W. Ide

Henry A. Howard

Supervisors

Wesley D. Currier

Walter S. Heath

Edward Hutchins

Auditors

Margaret Pillsbury

Juno B. Horton

Health Officer

Perley Walker

Overseer of Poor

Henry A. Howard

SCHOOL OFFICERS

Clerk

Bernice M. Howe

School Board

Alberta A. Hastings

Gladys D. Walker

Olive S. Howard

Treasurer

Henry A. Howard

Auditors

Margaret Pillsbury

Juno B. Horton

TOWN WARRANT

(L. S.) THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the town of Grantham in the County of Sullivan, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Grantham on Tuesday, the 8th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose by ballot and major vote one Town Clerk, one Town Treasurer and one Police Officer for the ensuing year, one Selectman and one Trustee of Trust Funds for the ensuing three years, one Trustee of the Public Library for the ensuing year, one Trustee of the Public Library for the ensuing two years, and one Trustee of the Public Library for the ensuing three years.

Art. 2. To choose one or more highway agents and all other necessary town officers, agents and committees, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Age Assistance.

Art. 4. To raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary to defray town charges.

Art. 5. To see if the town will vote to apply for State Aid for highways, and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 6. To raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary to repair highways and bridges.

Art. 7. To raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary for snow bill.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for State Aid maintenance.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the maintenance of the Trunk Line Highway.

Art. 10. To raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary for the support of the Public Library.

Art. 11. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 for White Pine Blister Rust control, to be spent in cooperation with the State Forestry Department.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will raise and appropriate for the support of the District Nurse in cooperation with the Lake Sunapee Nursing Association.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries.

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to hire money if necessary.

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to change the Soldiers' Memorial situated on the Library grounds.

Art. 16. To hear the reports of the officers, agents and committees heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 17. To transact any other business that may come legally before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-two.

LESTON N. HORTON,
 GEORGE W. HASTINGS,
 HENRY A. HOWARD,

Selectmen of Grantham.

A true copy of warrant, attest:

LESTON N. HORTON,
 GEORGE W. HASTINGS,
 HENRY A. HOWARD,

Selectmen of Grantham.

Budget of the Town

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the En
Compar
Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Pre

| SOURCES OF REVENUE | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1931 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1932 | Increase | Decrease |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| From State: | | | | |
| Railroad tax | 37 20 | 37 20 | | |
| Savings bank tax | 101 07 | 101 07 | | |
| For fighting forest fires | 5 00 | 5 00 | | |
| For highways | | | | |
| (a) For state aid maintenance, | | | | |
| (b) For trunk line maintenance | 6,911 81 | 6,911 81 | | |
| Interest and dividend tax | 78 69 | 78 69 | | |
| From Local Sources Except | | | | |
| Taxes: | | | | |
| Interest received on taxes and | | | | |
| deposits | 6 58 | 6 58 | | |
| From Poll Taxes: | 228 00 | 228 00 | | |
| Revenue Applicable only to | | | | |
| New Construction and | | | | |
| Improvements: | | | | |
| From State: | | | | |
| Class V roads | 595 40 | 595 40 | | |
| Total revenues from all sources | | | | |
| except property taxes | \$7,963 75 | \$7,963 75 | | |
| Amount raised by prop- | | | | |
| erty taxes | 8,712 37 | 8,712 37 | | |
| Total revenues | \$16,676 12 | \$16,676 12 | | |

of Grantham, N. H.

uing Year, January 31, 1932 to January 31, 1933
ed with

vious Year, January 31, 1931 to January 31, 1932

| PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1931 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1932 | Inc. | Dec. |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|------|----------|
| CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES: | | | | |
| General Government: | | | | |
| Town officers' salaries | \$455 32 | \$455 32 | | |
| Town officers' expenses | 553 13 | 553 13 | | |
| Care and supplies for the town hall | 2 00 | 2 00 | | |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | | |
| Police department | 50 00 | 50 00 | | |
| Fire department | 24 05 | 24 05 | | |
| Blister Rust | 300 00 | 300 00 | | |
| Health: | | | | |
| Health department | 303 80 | 303 80 | | |
| Vital statistics | 4 50 | 4 50 | | |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| Trunk line maintenance, State's contribution, Town's contribution | 7,790 71 | 7,790 71 | | |
| Town maintenance | 1,933 41 | 933 41 | | 1,000 00 |
| Education: | | | | |
| Libraries | 87 00 | 87 00 | | |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | | |
| Memorial Day | 107 80 | 7 80 | | 100 00 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | | | |
| Cemeteries | 14 20 | 14 20 | | |
| Interest: | | | | |
| On temporary loans | 222 92 | 222 92 | | |

| PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1931 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1932 | Inc. | Dec. |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|------|-------------------|
| (Continued from preceeding page) | | | | |
| Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements: | | | | |
| Highways and Bridges, | | | | |
| State aid construction, | | | | |
| State's contribution, | | | | |
| Town's contribution | 560 32 | 560 32 | | |
| Payments to other governmental divisions: | | | | |
| State taxes | 574 00 | 574 00 | | |
| County taxes | 1,067 94 | 1,067 94 | | |
| Payments to school district | 2,087 27 | 2,087 27 | | |
| Total expenditures | \$16,138 37 | \$15,038 37 | | \$1,100 00 |

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

Inventory of the Town

| | NO. | VALUATION |
|------------------------------------------------------|-----|--------------|
| Lands and buildings | | \$230,935 00 |
| Horses, | 60 | 4,025 00 |
| Oxen, | 2 | 200 00 |
| Cows, | 152 | 9,655 00 |
| Neat stock, | 36 | 1,845 00 |
| Sheep, | 72 | 375 00 |
| Hogs, | 4 | 65 00 |
| Fowls, | 245 | 245 00 |
| Fur-bearing animals, | 3 | 150 00 |
| Portable mills, | 1 | 500 00 |
| Wood and lumber | | 11,380 00 |
| Gasoline pumps and tanks, | 7 | 1,050 00 |
| Value of stock in trade | | 6,000 00 |
| Mills and machinery | | 2,500 00 |
| Total valuation exclusive of soldiers' exemptions | | \$268,925 00 |
| Exempted to soldiers | | 3,700 00 |
| Total valuation | | \$265,225 00 |

Appropriations

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Town officers expenses | \$1,000 00 |
| White Pine Blister Rust Control | 200 00 |
| Health department | 300 00 |
| State aid maintenance | 300 00 |
| State aid construction | 441 00 |
| Trunk Line maintenance | 580 00 |
| Town road maintenance | 1,800 00 |
| Library | 40 00 |
| Cemeteries | 50 00 |
| State tax | 574 00 |
| County tax | 1,067 94 |
| Support of schools | 2,501 00 |
| Overlay | 349 38 |
| | \$9,203 32 |
| | |
| Bank tax | \$ 13 00 |
| Polls, 139 @ \$2 | 278 00 |
| Property tax | 8,712 37 |
| | \$9,003 37 |
| | |
| Average rate per \$100, \$3.28 | |

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| L. N. Horton, selectman | \$ 70 00 |
| George W. Hastings, selectman | 60 00 |
| H. A. Howard, selectman | 50 00 |
| Gladys D. Walker, clerk | 25 00 |
| Donas J. Reney, treasurer | 50 00 |
| Ralph E. Howard, tax collector | 112 32 |
| H. A. Howard, overseer of poor | 40 00 |
| Wesley Currier, supervisor | 4 50 |
| Walter Heath, supervisor | 9 00 |
| E. W. Hutchins, supervisor | 4 50 |
| Perley Walker, health officer | 10 00 |
| J. B. Horton, auditor | 10 00 |
| Densmore H. Currier, dog warden | 10 00 |
| | \$455 32 |

Town Officers' Expenses

| | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Ella Luman, copying records | \$ 66 00 |
| H. A. Howard, wood, trip to Concord, trip to Claremont, looking over land etc. | 69 00 |
| A. L. Reney & Co. | 19 04 |
| Gladys D. Walker, auto permits etc. | 26 48 |
| Edson C. Eastman, tax book, dog tags etc. | 14 44 |
| Charles W. Rounsevel, transfers | 5 80 |
| L. N. Horton, looking over land, trip to Concord, trip to Claremont, work on snow plow, cash paid telephone and postage | 35 35 |
| J. M. Howe, printing town reports, envelopes | 127 75 |
| Association of N. H. Assessors | 2 00 |

| | |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Lovell B. George, cleaning toilet | 4 00 |
| M. L. Sargent & Son, insurance on hall and library | 47 46 |
| W. A. Reney, for Laughton and library | 61 51 |
| Barton & Shulins, advice and retainer fee | 23 00 |
| State highway garage | 7 97 |
| Mrs. Austin Russell, nurse visit to Laughtons | 50 |
| Perley Walker, hay for Laughton | 14 00 |
| R. E. Howard, tax costs | 20 40 |
| D. J. Reney, freight etc. | 1 43 |
| G. W. Hastings, looking over land | 7 00 |

\$553 13

Town hall expenses \$2 00

Police Department

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| George Hastings, keeping tramps | \$50 00 |
| Z. W. Pillsbury, damage to hens | 5 00 |

\$55 00

Fire Department

| | |
|------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| George Hastings, deputy, attending meeting and expenses | \$ 6 18 |
| Perley Walker, warden and fighting fires | 17 87 |

\$24 05

Vital Statistics

| | |
|------------------|--------|
| Dr. Claggett | \$1 00 |
| Gladys D. Walker | 3 50 |

\$4 50

Health Department

| | |
|---------------------|----------|
| Mrs. Austin Russell | \$300 00 |
| Corner Pharmacy | 3 30 |
| J. R. Kelly | 50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$303 80 |

Trunk Line Maintenance

| | |
|------------------------|------------|
| J. W. Colburn | \$7,300 33 |
| D. J. Reney, snow bill | 417 90 |
| Earl Gilman | 72 48 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$7,790 71 |

Town Road Maintenance

| | |
|---------------|------------|
| H. A. Howard | \$ 117 50 |
| D. J. Reney | 1,625 98 |
| J. B. Green | 180 93 |
| Elwin Kimball | 9 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,933 41 |

Libraries

| | |
|--------------------------|---------|
| R. E. Newhall | \$ 3 00 |
| J. M. Howe, librarian | 39 00 |
| A. L. Reney, mowing lawn | 5 00 |
| J. B. Horton, trustee | 40 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$87 00 |

County Poor

| | |
|----------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Alice M. Heath, board and care for Bert Currier | \$265 57 |
| Ada Lewis, milk for Herbert Thornton | 53 80 |
| Hugh Fairgrieve, clothes for Herbert Thornton | 5 41 |
| Carrie F. Wright Hospital, for Burton Hayward | 55 00 |

| | |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Dr. E. J. Stone, for Burton Hayward | 50 50 |
| Dr. D. C. Moriarty, for Herbert Thornton | 3 00 |
| Dr. A. S. Marden, county poor | 40 00 |
| Dr. F. P. Claggett, county poor | 57 50 |
| Dura Hastings, banking house for Mrs. Rogers | 3 00 |
| John R. Kelly, for Fred Currier | 1 75 |
| W. O. Cobb, clothes for Herbert Thornton | 5 15 |
| Albert R. Wallace, trans. Herbert Thornton | 15 00 |
| Mrs. Austin Russell, Thornton and Currier families | 36 62 |
| W. A. Reney, supplies | |
| Dependent soldier | 21 51 |
| Fred Currier | 204 41 |
| Alice Rogers | 135 91 |
| Herbert Thornton | 464 65 |
| Burton Hayward | 40 12 |
| A. L. Reney & Co., | |
| Alice Rogers | 24 05 |
| Burton Hayward | 24 11 |
| Herbert Thornton | 78 15 |
| Fred Currier | 25 14 |
| Wilfred Reney | 5 00 |
| H. A. Howard, | |
| Dependent soldier | 2 00 |
| Wood for Alice Rogers | 104 00 |
| Cash paid etc., H. H. Thornton | 41 43 |
| Wood for Burton Hayward | 25 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,787 78 |
| Patriotic Purposes | |
| J. W. Johnson & Son, flags | \$ 4 00 |
| Glenn Hudson, soldiers' memorial | 103 80 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$107 80 |

Cemeteries

| | |
|----------------------------------------------|---------|
| Fred Ariel, paint | \$ 2 20 |
| H. A. Howard, mowing cemetery, setting posts | 12 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$14 20 |

Interest on Temporary Loans

| | |
|------------------------------|----------|
| First National Bank, Newport | \$222 92 |
|------------------------------|----------|

Indebtedness

| | |
|---------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | \$6,000 00 |
|---------------------------------------------------------|------------|

State Aid Construction

| | |
|--------------|----------|
| L. N. Horton | \$560 32 |
|--------------|----------|

Class V Highway

| | |
|--------------|----------|
| L. N. Horton | \$272 45 |
| D. J. Roney | 349 81 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$622 26 |

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Taxes paid to state | \$ 574 00 |
| Taxes paid to county | 1,067 94 |
| Payments to school districts | 2,087 27 |
| State Forestry, blister rust | 300 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4,029 21 |

Abatements

| | |
|----------------|-----------|
| | 1930 book |
| Annis, Ethel | \$2 00 |
| Brennen, James | 2 00 |

| | |
|-----------------|------|
| Kruckamick, Dan | 2 00 |
| Mutney, Dewlos | 2 00 |
| McClone, Joseph | 2 00 |
| Morrill, G. H. | 2 00 |
| Morrill, Mary | 2 00 |
| Nash, Homer J. | 2 00 |

1931 book

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------|
| Barton, Ira McL. | 2 00 |
| Barton, Lucy E. | 2 00 |
| Currier, Fred L. | 8 56 |
| Currier, Josephine | 2 00 |
| Evans, Robert | 2 00 |
| Hazen, Margaret, paid in Canaan | 2 00 |
| Laughton, Frank | 2 46 |
| Moulton, Claude | 2 00 |
| Moulton, Jennie | 2 00 |
| Smith, Ernest | 2 00 |
| Smith, Dorothy | 2 00 |
| Thornton, Herbert H. | 21 19 |
| Thornton, Mary | 2 00 |
| Walker, Moses | 2 00 |

L. N. HORTON,
G. W. HASTINGS,
H. A. HOWARD,
Selectmen.

Financial Report

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1932

CERTIFICATE

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

January 31, 1932.

L. N. HORTON,
G. W. HASTINGS,
H. A. HOWARD,


Selectmen.

DONAS J. RENEY, Treasurer.

Town of Grantham, N. H.,

Balance

ASSETS

| | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| Cash | |
| In hands of treasurer | \$143 25 |
| Accounts Due to the Town | |
| Due from county | \$703 90 |
| Other bills due town: | |
| Grange | 30 00 |
| Taxes bought by town on 1931 book | 183 17 |
| Taxes bought by town on 1930 book | 53 71 |
| Taxes paid by town on 1931 book | 52 48 |
| Taxes not collected: | |
| Levy of 1931 | 42 89 |
| | ----- \$1,066 15 |
| | ----- |
| Total assets | \$1,209 40 |
| This  Grand total | \$1,209 40 |
| Surplus, January 31, 1931 | \$741 96 |
| Surplus, January 31, 1932 | 573 27 |
| Decrease of surplus | 168 69 |

Sheet

January 30, 1932

LIABILITIES
Accounts Owed by Town

Due to school district:

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Dog licenses | \$135 13 |
| Balance of appropriation | 501 00 |

| | |
|-------------------|----------|
| Total liabilities | \$636 13 |
|-------------------|----------|

| | |
|---------------------------------------------|----------|
| Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus) | \$573 27 |
|---------------------------------------------|----------|

| | |
|--------------------------------------------|------------|
| Should equal this ↓ Grand total | \$1,209 40 |
|--------------------------------------------|------------|

Grantham, N. H.,

Receipts and

RECEIPTS
Current Revenue

From Local Taxes:

| | | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Property taxes committed to collector, 1931 | \$8,712 37 | |
| Less discount and abatement, 1931 | 28 21 | |
| Less uncollected, 1931 | 16 89 | |
| Property taxes, current year, actually collected | | 8,667 27 |
| Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 114 @ \$2.00 | | 228 00 |
| Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected | | 81 51 |
| Total of above collections | | 8,976 78 |
| Total current revenue receipts | | <u>\$8,976 78</u> |

(Carried forward to page 24)

Payments for the year ending January 31, 1932

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government:

| | | |
|-------------------------|----------|------------|
| Town officers' salaries | \$455 32 | |
| Town officers' expenses | 553 13 | |
| Expenses town hall | 2 00 | |
| | — — — | \$1,010 45 |

Protection of Persons and Property:

| | | |
|------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Police department, including care of tramps | 50 00 | |
| Fire department, including forest fires | 24 05 | |
| Blister rust | 300 00 | |
| Damage by dogs | 5 00 | |
| | — — — | 379 05 |

Health:

| | | |
|-------------------|--------|--------|
| Health department | 303 80 | |
| Vital statistics | 4 50 | |
| | — — — | 308 30 |

Highways and Bridges:

| | | |
|------------------------|----------|----------|
| Trunk line maintenance | 7,790 71 | |
| Town maintenance | 1,933 41 | |
| | — — — | 9,723 12 |

Libraries:

| | | |
|-----------|--|-------|
| Libraries | | 87 00 |
|-----------|--|-------|

Charities:

| | | |
|-------------|--|----------|
| County poor | | 1,787 78 |
|-------------|--|----------|

| | | |
|-------------------------|--|-------------|
| Total of above payments | | \$13,295 70 |
|-------------------------|--|-------------|

(Carried forward to page 25)

Grantham, N. H.,

Receipts and

RECEIPTS(Brought forward from page 22) \$8,976 78

From State:

| | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|--|
| For highways and bridges, | | |
| For State aid maintenance, | | |
| For State aid construction, | | |
| For Trunk Line maintenance, | \$6,911 81 | |
| For Class V highway maintenance | 595 40 | |
| Interest and dividend tax | 78 69 | |
| Railroad tax | 37 20 | |
| Savings bank tax | 101 07 | |
| Fighting forest fires | 5 00 | |
| | 7,729 17 | |

From County:

| | |
|---------------------|----------|
| For support of poor | 1,697 99 |
|---------------------|----------|

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--------|--|
| Dog licenses | 142 77 | |
| Interest received on taxes | 6 58 | |
| Registration of motor vehicles, | | |
| 1931 permits | 94 98 | |
| Registration of motor vehicles, | | |
| 1932 permits | 132 52 | |
| | 376 85 | |

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Total current revenue receipts | \$18,780 79 |
|--------------------------------|-------------|

(Carried forward to page 26)

Payments for the year ending January 31, 1932

PAYMENTS

| | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-------------|
| (Brought forward from page 23) | | \$13,295 70 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | |
| Flags and Soldier's Memorial | | 107 80 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | |
| Cemeteries | | 14 20 |
| Unclassified: | | |
| Taxes bought by town | | 268 96 |
| Discounts and abatements | \$70 21 | |
| Total current maintenance expenses | | \$13,686 66 |
| Interest | | |
| Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | 222 92 | |
| Total interest payments | | \$222 92 |
| Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements | | |
| Highways and bridges, State aid construction | 560 32 | |
| Class V maintenance | 622 26 | |
| Total outlay payments | | \$1,182 58 |
| Total of above payments | | \$15,092 16 |

(Carried forward to page 27)

Grantham, N. H.,

Receipts and

RECEIPTS

(Brought forward from page 24) \$18,780 79

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue

| | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year | 6,000 00 | |
| Refunds | 2 00 | |
| Town of Croydon, use of snow plow | 19 50 | |
| Received from tax collector, on 1930 book, bought by town | 43 36 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total receipts other than current revenue | | \$6,064 86 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total receipts from all sources | | \$24,845 65 |
| Cash on hand February 1, 1931 | | 119 97 |
| | | <hr/> |
| This is Grand total | | 24,965 62 |

Unclassified

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|--------|
| Taxes bought by town on 1930 book | | |
| Vieno, Hibbard | | \$8 92 |
| Brown, L. R. | | 8 92 |
| Smith, Sophronia Est. | | 35 87 |
| Taxes bought by town on 1931 book | | |
| York, Annie | | 134 75 |
| Currier, Udo I. | | 29 95 |
| Barton, Ora | | 18 47 |
| Taxes paid by town on 1931 book | | |
| Smith, Sophronia Est. | | 39 36 |
| Brown, L. R. | | 6 56 |
| Vieno, Hibbard | | 6 56 |

Payments for the year ending January 31, 1932

PAYMENTS

| | | |
|---------------------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| (Brought forward from page 25) | | \$15,029 16 |
| Indebtedness | | |
| Payments on temporary loans | | |
| in anticipation of taxes | 6,000 00 | |
| | | ----- |
| Total indebtedness payments | | \$6,000 00 |
| Payments to Other Governmental Divisions | | |
| Taxes paid to state | 574 00 | |
| Taxes paid to county | 1,067 94 | |
| Payments to school districts | 2,087 27 | |
| | | ----- |
| Total payments to other governmental divisions | | \$3,729 21 |
| Total payments for all purposes | | \$24,822 37 |
| Cash on hand January 31, 1932 | | 143 25 |
| | | ----- |
| Should equal this Grand total | | \$24,965 62 |

Schedule of Town Property

| DESCRIPTION | VALUE |
|-----------------------------------------|-------------|
| Town hall, lands and buildings | \$2,000 00 |
| Furniture and equipment | 100 00 |
| Library, land and building | 2,000 00 |
| Furniture and equipment | 500 00 |
| Fire department, equipment | 75 00 |
| Highway department, lands and buildings | 300 00 |
| Equipment | 900 00 |
| Schools, lands and buildings | 2,000 00 |
| Equipment | 200 00 |
| All other property and equipment | 400 00 |
| Two lots lease land | 3,000 00 |
| | \$11,475 00 |

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Rec'd 1931 dog licenses | \$142 77 |
| 1931 auto permits | 94 98 |
| 1932 auto permits | 132 52 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total received | \$370 27 |
| Paid treasurer | \$370 27 |

GLADYS D. WALKER, Town Clerk.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

From R. E. Howard, tax collector

| | | |
|---------------------------|-------|------------|
| 1930 tax | \$81 | 51 |
| 1930 interest | 4 | 10 |
| 1930 taxes bought by town | 43 | 36 |
| 1931 tax | 8,895 | 27 |
| 1931 interest | 2 | 48 |
| | | \$9,026 72 |

From Gladys D. Walker, town clerk

| | | |
|--------------------|-----|-----------|
| Dog licenses | 142 | 77 |
| Auto permits, 1931 | 94 | 98 |
| Auto permits, 1932 | 132 | 52 |
| | | \$ 370 27 |

| | | |
|---------------------|--|------------|
| County pauper claim | | \$1,697 99 |
|---------------------|--|------------|

From State

| | | |
|--------------------------------|-------|------------|
| State highway | 6,491 | 71 |
| Class V roads | 595 | 40 |
| 1930 interest and dividend tax | 51 | 17 |
| Snow removal account | 420 | 10 |
| Forestry | 5 | 00 |
| R. R. tax | 37 | 20 |
| Savings bank tax | 101 | 07 |
| 1931 interest and dividend tax | 27 | 52 |
| | | \$7,729 17 |

| | |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------|
| First National Bank | 6,000 00 |
| W. A. Roney, overpaid on V. Tucker account | 1 00 |
| Wm. E. Howard, dog damage | 1 00 |
| Town of Croydon, use of snow plow | 19 50 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total receipts | \$24,845 65 |
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1931 | 119 97 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$24,965 62 |
| Total payments | \$24,822 37 |
| | <hr/> |
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1932 | \$143 25 |

DONAS J. RENEY, Treasurer.

ROAD AGENTS' REPORT

TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE PATROL ACCOUNT

| | TEAM | |
|-----------------|-------|----------|
| H. R. Sherman | | \$110 22 |
| F. B. Pillsbury | | 185 33 |
| G. W. Hastings | | 76 99 |
| | TRUCK | |
| W. A. Reney | | 126 56 |
| H. A. Howard | | 160 42 |
| L. N. Horton | | 237 33 |
| | MEN | |
| J. L. Colburn | | 421 40 |
| B. E. Hastings | | 171 66 |
| M. Z. Pillsbury | | 166 22 |
| R. H. Reney | | 321 50 |
| G. E. Berry | | 71 61 |
| O. Barton | | 173 05 |
| S. W. Ide | | 129 33 |
| E. D. Reney | | 312 62 |
| H. C. Hamilton | | 45 22 |
| B. C. Marton | | 8 00 |
| E. H. Pillsbury | | 234 05 |
| C. H. Heap | | 138 82 |
| C. L. Moulton | | 149 01 |
| W. O. Cobb | | 73 33 |
| V. L. Tucker | | 38 22 |
| U. I. Currier | | 87 40 |
| R. A. Evans | | 294 66 |
| W. M. Reney | | 241 78 |
| F. Laughton | | 14 00 |
| R. E. Newhall | | 46 56 |
| E. W. Hutchins | | 37 70 |

| | |
|--------------------------|------------|
| E. W. Smith | 67 28 |
| E. H. Slack | 18 06 |
| N. C. Thornton | 33 00 |
| L. Spooner | 44 00 |
| C. F. Currier | 63 55 |
| S. M. Colburn | 181 73 |
| D. Mutney | 23 33 |
| C. L. Pillsbury | 24 00 |
| A. J. Pillsbury | 1 67 |
| M. McMorris | 3 50 |
| T. J. Heath | 3 50 |
| H. Reney | 6 14 |
| Z. Pillsbury | 13 33 |
| A. Walker | 7 56 |
| J. Dunbar | 7 11 |
| C. A. Kenneston | 3 56 |
| | SUPPLIES |
| D. H. Currier | 8 20 |
| Gamsby Bros. | 25 65 |
| Rowell Bros. | 6 00 |
| Silsby & Johnson Co. | 22 92 |
| Reney Bros. | 12 04 |
| J. W. Colburn, patrolman | 2,649 84 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$7,298 96 |
| Overdrawn | \$1 37 |

J. W. COLBURN, Patrolman.

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

| | | | |
|-----------------|----------|----------|----------|
| | TRUCK | | |
| H. A. Howard | | \$100 00 | |
| L. N. Horton | | 217 77 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$317 77 |
| | SUPPLIES | | |
| W. A. Reney | | \$ 7 40 | |
| | TEAM | | |
| L. N. Horton | | \$ 18 00 | |
| | MEN | | |
| L. Pillsbury | | 12 00 | |
| H. Sherman | | 3 00 | |
| M. McMorris | | 6 00 | |
| M. Pillsbury | | 15 00 | |
| R. Richardson | | 6 00 | |
| H. Thornton | | 3 00 | |
| W. Walker | | 31 50 | |
| R. Reney | | 6 00 | |
| Z. Pillsbury | | 54 00 | |
| Ora Barton | | 34 66 | |
| E. Pillsbury | | 39 83 | |
| Sidney Ide | | 4 66 | |
| Austin Farewell | | 1 50 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$217 15 |
| | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Grand total | | | \$560 32 |

L. N. HORTON, Foreman.

CLASS V HIGHWAYS
REPORT OF L. N. HORTON

| TRUCK | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| H. A. Howard | \$50 00 | |
| L. N. Horton | 90 00 | |
| | <hr style="width: 100%;"/> | \$140 00 |
| TEAM | | |
| L. N. Horton | | \$ 42 00 |
| MEN | | |
| Ora Barton | 15 00 | |
| Sidney Ide | 15 00 | |
| W. Walker | 15 00 | |
| R. Reney | 15 00 | |
| E. Pillsbury | 12 00 | |
| | <hr style="width: 100%;"/> | \$ 72 00 |
| SUPPLIES | | |
| B. L. Horn, caps, fuse etc. | 5 25 | |
| Edward Hutchins, dynamite | 11 00 | |
| John Colburn, dynamite | 2 20 | |
| | <hr style="width: 100%;"/> | \$ 18 45 |
| Grand total | | <hr style="width: 100%;"/> \$272 45 |

CLASS V HIGHWAYS
REPORT OF D. J. RENEY

| | | |
|----------------------|----------|----------|
| | TEAM | |
| D. J. Reney | | \$ 7 00 |
| | TRUCK | |
| D. J. Reney | | 107 76 |
| H. A. Howard | | 50 00 |
| | LABOR | |
| D. J. Reney | | 24 51 |
| J. H. Dunbar | | 14 67 |
| C. L. Pillsbury | | 15 00 |
| Donald Barton | | 9 00 |
| Frank Laughton | | 3 00 |
| Udo I. Currier | | 12 00 |
| Leon Spooner | | 1 34 |
| | MATERIAL | |
| H. A. Howard, gravel | | 26 00 |
| Reney Bros., lumber | | 79 53 |
| | | \$349 81 |

TOWN HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

SNOW BILL

| | |
|----------------------|--------|
| John Colburn | \$5 37 |
| Francis Pillsbury | 5 37 |
| Walter Heath and man | 8 55 |
| Zena Pillsbury | 3 37 |
| F. Laughton | 3 37 |
| W. Reney | 3 37 |
| Eben Reney | 3 37 |

| | |
|------------------|------|
| Seely Colburn | 3 37 |
| Udo Currier | 3 15 |
| Fred Currier | 3 15 |
| Harold Barton | 3 15 |
| John Hastings | 1 35 |
| Clyde Currier | 1 00 |
| Wilford Cobb | 4 00 |
| Herbert Thornton | 4 00 |
| Merton Pillsbury | 4 00 |
| Joshua Dunbar | 4 00 |
| Raymond Reney | 4 00 |
| Allen Walker | 4 00 |

\$71 94

TEAM

| | |
|----------------|--------|
| James Green | 108 28 |
| Elbridge Smith | 15 35 |
| L. A. B. Smith | 9 36 |
| Henry Sherman | 36 50 |
| H. A. Howard | 36 50 |
| L. N. Horton | 8 00 |
| Gamsby Bros. | 8 00 |
| Perley Walker | 4 50 |

\$226 49

Grand total, \$298 43

JAMES B. GREEN, Agent.

TOWN ROAD

TEAM AND LABOR

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|------------|
| D. J. Reney | | \$268 40 |
| | TRUCK | |
| D. J. Reney | | 498 75 |
| L. N. Horton | | 10 00 |
| H. A. Howard | | 10 00 |
| | TEAM | |
| Henry Sherman | | 7 00 |
| | LABOR | |
| D. J. Reney | | 84 25 |
| Everett Reney | | 28 95 |
| Merton Pillsbury | | 30 53 |
| T. J. Heath | | 20 62 |
| Dura Hastings | | 2 01 |
| C. L. Pillsbury | | 43 07 |
| Ira Barton | | 68 23 |
| Ralph Richardson | | 16 50 |
| Glenn Hudson | | 3 50 |
| Fred Currier | | 61 25 |
| J. H. Dunbar | | 108 95 |
| B. E. Hastings | | 11 28 |
| Leon Spooner | | 37 93 |
| Frank Laughton | | 42 57 |
| L. A. B. Smith | | 2 00 |
| E. M. Smith | | 6 00 |
| | MISCELLANEOUS | |
| D. H. Currier, labor on road machine | | 3 50 |
| D. H. Currier, sharpening picks | | 40 |
| Willard Walker, gravel | | 2 45 |
| Edward Hutchins, gravel | | 80 |
| D. J. Reney, shovels and picks | | 8 52 |
| Reney Bros., lumber | | 109 20 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total, | | \$1,486 66 |

SNOW BILL

| | | |
|------------------------|----------------|----------|
| | TRUCK | |
| D. J. Roney | | \$12 21 |
| | TEAM AND LABOR | |
| D. J. Roney | | 48 22 |
| H. A. Howard | | 6 00 |
| Henry Sherman | | 6 00 |
| | LABOR | |
| Merton Pillsbury | | 2 00 |
| B. E. Hastings | | 5 45 |
| Clarence Hastings | | 4 28 |
| T. J. Heath | | 3 89 |
| Raymond Roney | | 1 56 |
| C. L. Moulton | | 1 56 |
| J. W. Colburn | | 3 50 |
| Seely Colburn | | 3 50 |
| Eben Roney | | 3 50 |
| Zena Pillsbury | | 3 50 |
| Francis Pillsbury | | 3 50 |
| Frank Laughton | | 3 50 |
| E. W. Hutchins | | 3 50 |
| Ira Barton | | 3 89 |
| Wesley Currier | | 1 17 |
| Udo Currier | | 3 50 |
| C. L. Pillsbury | | 1 34 |
| E. M. Smith | | 3 00 |
| L. A. B. Smith | | 7 25 |
| Elwin J. Kimball | | 9 00 |
| | MISCELLANEOUS | |
| J. W. Colburn, cartage | | 50 |
| D. J. Roney, sand | | 3 00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total, | | \$148 32 |

DONAS J. RENEY, Agent.

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have audited the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Trunk Line Patrolman, Foreman of State Aid Construction and Town Highway Agent and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

JUNO B. HORTON,
MARGARET C. PILLSBURY,

Auditors.

Report of Trust Funds of the Town of Grantham on January 31, 1932

| Date of Creation | Trust Funds - Purpose of Creation | How Invested | Amt. of Principal | Rate of Interest | Income Expended |
|------------------|------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1891-1899 | From sale of lease land, school fund | Newport Savings Bank | \$623 00 | Four per cent | \$25 16 |
| 1907-1911 | Hannah Hayward Fund, for cemetery lot | | | | |
| 1900 | William Howe Fund, for cemetery lot | | | | |
| 1903 | Jonathan Brown Fund, for cemetery lot | | | | |
| 1911 | Myra Shaw Fund, for cemetery lot | | | | |
| 1913 | Hannah Stevens Fund, for cemetery lot | | | | |
| 1920 | Mercy Sanborn George Fund, for cemetery lot | | | | |
| 1915 | Hiram Buswell Fund, for library | 100 00 | 4 04 | | |
| 1929 | Reverdy Smith Fund, for Wm. Smith cemetery lot | | | 300 00 | 12 12 |
| | | | 50 00 | | 2 02 |

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

January 30, 1932

SIDNEY W. IDE,
 PERLEY WALKER,
 HENRY A. HOWARD,
 Trustees.

DUNBAR FREE LIBRARY

Librarian's Report

| | |
|---------------------|--------|
| Books purchased | 37 |
| Books loaned | 1001 |
| Received from fines | \$1.40 |

JAMES M. HOWE, Librarian.

Trustees' Report

From Jan. 31, 1931 to Jan. 31, 1932

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|-----------------------------|---------|----------|
| Money on hand Jan. 31, 1931 | \$55 42 | |
| Trust fund | 12 12 | |
| Fines | 1 40 | |
| Town | 40 00 | |
| | ----- | \$108 94 |

PAYMENTS

| | | |
|------------------------------------------------------|---------|-------------|
| H. R. Hunting Co., books, postage and insurance | \$34 63 | |
| The Book Supply Co., books, postage and insurance | 3 60 | |
| Bernice M. Howe, cleaning library | 1 00 | |
| Paste for library | 05 | |
| | ----- | \$ 39 28 |
| Amount on hand | | \$69 66 |

MARGARET C. PILLSBURY,
GLADYS D. WALKER,
JUNO B. HORTON,

Trustees.

AGENT'S REPORT**CEMETERY FUNDS**

| | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------------|
| Received int. on all cemetery funds | | \$34 34 |
| Paid for labor and material in Dunbar Hill cemetery | \$16 16 | |
| Paid H. A. Howard, labor and material in East Grantham cemetery | 18 18 | |
| | | <hr/> \$34 34 |

PERLEY WALKER, Agent.

L. S. C. N. A.**REPORT OF THE NURSING STAFF**

We are glad to report this year from Sunapee the splendid donations that were received from the Local Chapter of the Red Cross, the Woman's Club, Ladies Aid, Parent-Teacher Association, from the Community Whist Parties as well as from individuals. The money was used for dental work, tonsil and adenoid operations on children in families where they could not afford to have these defects corrected. Milk and hot lunches were also served to 16 needy school children during the winter months. In Sunapee, at Christmas time, 17 families received funds, clothing and gifts for children that otherwise would have had no Christmas. These funds were raised by the Sunday School and by special Community Whist Parties. The nurses attended meetings and lectures throughout the year. Special conferences were held with the Nursing Supervisors of the John Hancock and the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. We wish to thank you all for the kind interest that you have taken in this valuable work. We feel that health education has greatly improved in our districts.

July 10, 1930 a Child Health conference was held at the Community House, Grantham. Physical examination of 24 pre-school children; 3 vaccinations. Dr. E. J. Stone, Newport, examining physician with the District Nurse in attendance.

There were also Dental and Child Health clinics held at the town hall in Springfield.

Patients were transported to other clinics such as Pre-natal, Toxin-Antitoxin, Orthopedic and Goiter in various cities of the State.

A health talk was given on annual Health Day for the Grange in Grantham by the District Nurse, Mrs. Edith Brown Philbrick.

Respectfully submitted,

LENA UEHLEIN, R. N.

EDITH BROWN PHILBRICK, R. N.

FINANCIAL REPORT—June 1, 1930 to May 31, 1931

| | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Balance on hand June 1, 1930 | \$2,125 27 | |
| Received from subscriptions | 3,365 98 | |
| Received in fees from Sunapee district | 868 80 | |
| Received fees from Springfield and Grantham districts | 254 55 | |
| | <hr/> | \$6,614 60 |
| Salary of nurse, Sunapee district | \$1,500 00 | |
| Telephone and supplies, Sunapee district | 32 37 | |
| Maintenance and insurance of car | 577 03 | |
| Rent of car while Sunapee District car is repaired | 25 00 | |
| Salary of nurse, Grantham and Springfield district | 1,500 00 | |
| Telephone and supplies, Grantham and Springfield district | 28 38 | |
| Maintenance and insurance of car | 630 80 | |
| Postage and printing etc. | 81 14 | |
| Rent of hall, annual meeting | 15 00 | |
| Purchase of dental chair | 10 00 | |
| Transferred to fund for renewal of cars | 225 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,624 72 |
| Balance on hand May 31, 1931 | 1,989 88 | |
| | <hr/> | \$6,614 60 |

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL BOARD'S REPORT

From July 1, 1930 to June 30, 1931

RECEIPTS

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Balance on hand July 1, 1930 | \$ 933 59 |
| State aid | 1,823 91 |
| Taxation | 2,614 00 |
| Trust fund | 25 16 |
| Dog licenses | 87 27 |
| Sale of stove | 2 00 |
| Refund and broken glass | 11 22 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total, | \$5,497 15 |

ORDERS DRAWN

Administration

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Salaries of district officers | \$ 69 00 |
| Superintendent's excess salary | 230 00 |
| Truant officer and school census | 10 00 |
| Expenses of administration | 26 55 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 335 55 |

Instruction

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Teachers' salaries | 3,025 00 |
| Text books | 78 30 |
| Scholars' supplies | 76 69 |
| Other expenses of instruction | 2 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 3,181 99 |

Operation and Maintenance

| | | |
|----------------------------|--------|--------|
| Janitor service | 74 00 | |
| Fuel | 57 50 | |
| Janitors' supplies | 2 10 | |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 464 32 | |
| | | 597 92 |

**Auxiliary Agencies and
Special Activities**

| | | |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|
| Medical inspection | 89 00 | |
| Transportation of pupils | 147 00 | |
| High school tuition | 490 00 | |
| | | 726 00 |

Fixed Charges

| | | |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Tax for state wide supervision | 100 00 | |
| | | \$4,941 46 |
| Total receipts | \$5,497 15 | |
| Total orders drawn | \$4,941 46 | |
| | | \$555 69 |
| Balance July 1, 1931 | | |

ALBERTA A. HASTINGS,
GLADYS D. WALKER,
OLIVE S. HOWARD,

School Board.

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

| | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Cash on hand July 1, 1930 | \$ 933 59 |
| From taxation | 2,614 00 |
| State aid | 1,823 91 |
| Trust fund | 25 16 |
| Dog tax | 87 27 |
| Received from boy for broken window | 22 |
| Sale of school stove | 2 00 |
| Received from J. L. Hammett Co., for overpayment for supplies | 11 00 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total receipts | \$5,497 15 |
| Total expenditures | \$4,941 46 |
| <hr/> | |
| Cash on hand | \$555 69 |

ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

| | |
|------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| Lillian Reney, auditor | \$ 1 00 |
| Silsby & Johnson Co., paint, pails etc. | 16 70 |
| Newport Furniture Co., 6 shades | 3 60 |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., blackboards | 41 31 |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., text books and scholars' supplies | 39 39 |
| B. A. Hayward, wood in shed | 3 00 |
| B. L. Horn, paint and oil | 16 80 |
| Albert Wallace, material and cartage | 53 55 |
| Nina Sherman, cleaning schoolhouse | 3 65 |
| E. E. Spiller, labor on schoolhouse | 100 00 |
| Wesley Currier, labor on schoolhouse | 60 00 |
| Montgomery Ward & Co., heater | 35 27 |
| D. C. Heath & Co., text books | 13 13 |
| Ginn & Co., text books | 16 28 |

| | |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------|
| J. L. Hammett Co., scholars' supplies and repairs | 40 35 |
| Donald Newhall, janitor | 38 00 |
| Bernice M. Howe, school census, cleaning etc. | 12 60 |
| J. M. Howe, enumeration cards | 1 50 |
| World Book Co., text books | 2 32 |
| Chas. E. Merrill Co., text books | 10 14 |
| A. J. Densmore, supt's excess salary | 230 00 |
| Standard Book Co., text books | 5 12 |
| Henry A. Howard, drawing gravel | 20 00 |
| Ernest Pillsbury, shoveling gravel | 5 84 |
| Leston Horton, drawing gravel | 20 00 |
| James B. Green, work on school yard | 51 75 |
| N. H. Treasury Dept., per capita tax | 100 00 |
| Lebanon School District, 1 year tuition | 90 00 |
| American Book Co., text books | 3 90 |
| Geo. W. Hastings, wood, cleaning chimney | 38 50 |
| K. Churchill, M. D., medical inspection | 24 00 |
| Macmillan Co., text books | 6 48 |
| C. E. Varney, treas. Towle High School, tuitions | 375 00 |
| Alberta Hastings, cleaning schoolhouse | 4 70 |
| Alberta Hastings, salary | 15 00 |
| Gladys Walker, salary and truant officer | 15 00 |
| Bernice M. Howe, clerk and school board salary | 23 00 |
| Bernice M. Howe, exp. of graduation | 4 05 |
| Clyde Hudson, 60 loads gravel | 12 00 |
| Myrl Kidder, fixing seats | 2 50 |
| J. S. Wolfe, repairing clock | 1 50 |
| Little, Brown & Co., text books | 3 11 |
| Lebanon School District, expenses | 42 00 |
| Marjerie Kidder, transportation of pupils | 147 00 |
| Sunapee High School, $\frac{1}{2}$ year tuition | 25 00 |
| Reney Bros., 2 cords edgings | 9 57 |
| W. A. Reney, janitor's supplies | 8 85 |
| Stella Russell, school nurse | 65 00 |
| H. A. Howard, treasurer's salary and expenses | 23 00 |

| | |
|------------------------------------------|------------|
| Frank B. Clark, salary of Marjery Kidder | 77 00 |
| Marjery Kidder, salary teaching | 909 00 |
| Margaret Hazen, teaching one year | 975 00 |
| John Sargent, teaching Grammar room | 1,100 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total payments | \$4,941 46 |

H. A. HOWARD, Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board and the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the school district, of which the foregoing is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1931, and find them correct in all respects.

July 13, 1931.

MARGARET M. PILLSBURY,
JUNO B. HORTON,

Auditors.

BUDGET FOR 1932-1933

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools

| | | |
|-----------------------------------------|------------|----------|
| Teachers' salaries | \$2,610 00 | |
| Text books | 60 00 | |
| Scholars' supplies | 60 00 | |
| Janitor service | 65 00 | |
| Fuel | 100 00 | |
| Janitors' supplies | 10 00 | |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 50 00 | |
| Health supervision (medical inspection) | 90 00 | |
| | | 3,045 00 |

Other Statutory Requirements

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Salaries of district officers | 69 00 | |
| Truant officer and school census | 10 00 | |
| Payments of tuition in high schools | 500 00 | |
| Superintendent's excess salary | 230 00 | |
| Per capita tax | 132 00 | |
| | | 941 00 |

| | |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Total amount required | \$3,986 00 |
|-----------------------|------------|

ESTIMATED INCOME

| | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Balance June 30, 1932 (estimated) | 300 00 | |
| State aid (Dec. 1932 allotment) | 1,515 00 | |
| Dog tax (estimate) | 100 00 | |
| Income from trust fund | 25 00 | |
| | | 1,940 00 |
| Assessment required to balance school board's budget | | \$2,046 00 |

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Grantham:

I am pleased to submit herewith my seventh annual report as superintendent of Grantham schools. It is a pleasure to report that the enlargement of the playground at the North Grantham school which was voted at the last annual meeting has materialized and this section of land which was necessary to take by eminent domain has been fenced off and is a great addition to the welfare of the children at that school. In order to further protect the children from traffic by the building a door has been put into the end of the building opening directly into the playground which obviates the children going into the highway before or after their arrival at the school. The sanitary conditions about both buildings are commendable.

The registration in both schools is about the same as last year. The statistical summary which was sent to the State Department at the close of school last year is as follows: Total registration, 59; previously registered in other schools in the state, 4; leaving net total of 55. Of these, six are in the first grade, five in the second, ten in the third, seven in the fourth, thirteen in the fifth, four in the sixth, four in the seventh and six in the eighth. Forty-eight of this number were promoted; one was not promoted, and the other children withdrew to other schools. The average membership for the year was fifty-three with a percentage of attendance of 94.8. The tardinesses were less than one per pupil which is a good record. Two pupils were transported at district expense. This year no children are being transported. Tuition pupils: one pupil was registered in the Lebanon High School during the school year 1930-31 and seven entered Newport High School. The school board members made

thirteen visits to the schools, eighty-four visits were made by citizens and forty-two by the superintendent.

At the end of the school year Mr. Sargent who had done such good work in the Grantham school had resigned but we have been fortunate to secure for his place Mr. Norman Young, a graduate of Keene Normal School in the three year course, who has ably carried on the work begun by Mr. Sargent. Miss Hazen who was in the primary room last year is carrying on the work very successfully this year. Miss Hambleton, a graduate of Keene Normal School four years ago, is teaching the school at North Grantham and is meeting with usual success.

State Aid: For some reason the state aid which will be available for the superintendent of schools next year has decreased approximately \$300. This need not trouble us particularly for should it be found later that we have met with no due decrease, whatever is spent will no doubt be refunded by the state board of education in a final adjustment. The total appropriations for this year will be somewhat less than last year but cannot be much less unless there is a decrease in supplies and teachers' salaries.

In conclusion it is hoped that the graduation exercises which have been held at Grantham village for the last six years may be continued for it seems this is a fitting conclusion to school work with which every one is vitally concerned. The teachers appear to be interested in the pupils and the pupils are responding in what appears a very cooperative manner.

With appreciation for the cooperation of the teachers, pupils and school board as well as the other citizens of the community, I am glad to submit this report.

Respectfully yours,

WM. J. ENGLISH, Superintendent.

BIRTHS

Registered in the Town of Grantham for the Year ending December 31, 1931

| Date of birth | Place of Birth | Name of child if any | Sex | Lying or stillborn | No. of child. | Color | Name of father | Maiden name of mother | Residence of parents | Occupation of father | Birthplace of father | Birthplace of mother |
|---------------|----------------|----------------------|-----|--------------------|---------------|-------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Jan. 10 | Grantham | George E. | M | Living | 2 | White | F. A. Laughton | Grace M. Elliott | Grantham | Carpenter | Canan, Vt. | Concord |
| Jan. 24 | Bethel, Vt. | Elmer Lyman | M | Living | 1 | White | Wilfred O. Cobb | Hazel F. H. Stoddard | Grantham | Farmer | Bridgewater, Vt. | Bethel, Vt. |
| Apr. 8 | Grantham | Marion Emma | F | Living | 5 | White | Dora B. Hastings | Pearl H. Richardson | Grantham | Teamster | Newport | Springfield |
| Apr. 17 | Grantham | Ronald Alfred | M | Living | 1 | White | George W. Hastings | Alberta A. Flanders | Grantham | Farmer | Akron, Ohio | Enfield |
| June 6 | Unity | Norris Edward | M | Living | 11 | White | Herbert H. Thurston | Mary M. Sullivan | Grantham | Farmer | Grantham | Plymouth, Vt. |
| Aug. 4 | Grantham | Stanley Fay | M | Living | 14 | White | Claude L. Moulton | Jennie Smith | Grantham | Truck driver | Dover, Vt. | No. Grantham |
| Dec. 15 | Grantham | Frederick Frank | M | Living | 12 | White | Robert A. Evans | Annie Chandler | Grantham | Laborer | Manchester | Columbia |

MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Grantham for the Year ending December 31, 1931

| Date of marriage | Place of marriage | Name and Surname of groom and bride | Residence of each at time of marriage | Age | Color | Occupation of groom and bride | Place of birth of each | Names of parents | Birthplace of parents | No. Marriage | Name, residence and official station of person by whom married |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----|-------|-------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Apr. 4 | Lebanon | Ellie E. Laraway | Grantham | 35 | White | Mill worker | Newport, Vt. | Edward Laraway | | 2 | C. B. Hanson Clergyman Lebanon |
| | | Bertha A. George | Newport | 26 | White | Office work | Newport | Mary Lawson Albert W. George | Newport Croydon | 1 | |
| Aug. 6 | Grantham | Winfred C. Creighton | Grantham | 21 | White | Laborer | Mason | Hammond Creighton Georgianna Doch'm | Mason Mercedith Norfolk, N. Y. | 1 | Perley Walker Justice of the Peace Grantham |
| | | Beatrice S. Wheeler | Brookline | 18 | White | At home | Brookline | Silas F. Wheeler Margie I. Burns | Wiltford Andover | 1 | |
| Aug. 29 | Newport | Leroy M. Persons | Croydon | 29 | White | Shoemaker | Franklin | Marshall A. Persons May Porter | Portland, Me. Derry | 1 | T. J. Fanning R. Catholic Priest Newport |
| | | Doris M. Roney | Grantham | 26 | White | Teacher | Grantham | Donas J. Roney Margaret M. Burton | Derry Croydon | 1 | |

DEATHS

Registered in the Town of Grantham for the Year ending December 31, 1931

| Date of death | Place of death | Name and surname of deceased | Age | | | Place of birth | Sex and condition | Occupation | Place of birth | | Name of father | Maiden name of mother |
|---------------|----------------|------------------------------|-------|--------|------|-----------------|-------------------|------------|----------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | Years | Months | Days | | | | Father | Mother | | |
| Apr. 16 | Grantham | Marion E. Hastings | 8 | | | Grantham | F | | Newport | Springfield | Duna B. Hastings | Pearl H. Richardson |
| May 27 | Grantham | Burton A. Hayward | 59 | 3 | | Ellenburg N. Y. | M | | | | Ashton Hayward | Alecta Clark |
| Oct. 1 | Grantham | Nelson M. Tucker | 61 | | | Canaan | M | | Andover | Boston, Mass. | Jonathan K. Tucker | Abbygill Varnam |
| Dec. 30 | Newport | Ellen M. Thornton | 80 | 9 | 1 | Grantham | F | Housewife | | Grantham | | Susan Smith |

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

GLADYS D. WALKER, Town Clerk.

