

1945

ANNUAL
REPORTS

of the Town of

BARNSTEAD

New Hampshire

For the Year Ending
DECEMBER 31, 1945

ARTHUR H. McALLISTER

Center Barnstead, N. H.

Tel. North Barnstead, 8014-3

General Merchandise

Hatchet Brand Canned Goods

Delaware Feeds and Grain

Gulf Gas and Oil

Since 1928

Guaranteed Radio Service

RADIO SERVICE LABORATORY

OF

BARNSTEAD, N. H.

Carl F. Knirsch,
Radiotrician

Tel. Pitts. 133-12

Annual Reports

OF THE

Town Officers

OF THE

Town of Barnstead

NEW HAMPSHIRE

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE SELECTMEN,
TREASURER, COLLECTOR, ROAD AGENTS,
SCHOOL BOARD, TOWN CLERK, TRUS-
TEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY,
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
AND FIRE WARDEN

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31,

1945

C. F. JENKINS

CENTER BARNSTEAD, N. H.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

HERBERT M. THYNG

Selectmen

GEORGE G. FOSS ARTHUR H. McALLISTER
JOHN O. EMERSON

Town Clerk

CHARLES F. JENKINS

Collector of Taxes

RUTH B. VARNEY

Treasurer

HARRY E. LITTLE

Highway Agents

FLOYD CORSON FRED T. WELCH

Library Trustees

MARY G. LOCKE RUTH B. VARNEY
BEULAH TASKER

Supervisors

CHESTER W. CHANDLER GUY L. HARVILLE
HERBERT M. HILL

Trustees of Trust Funds

CORAN K. DAVIS FRANK J. HOLMES
ALBERT F. EMERSON

Police Officers

G. MALCOLM LOCKE CHARLES KELLEY

Auditors

HARRY F. SEWARD TIMOTHY B. STEVENS

Representative to General Court

JOSEPH H. COTTON

Health Officer

CARL A. FLAGG

Overseer of Poor

GEORGE G. FOSS

Fire Warden

ARCHIE CANFIELD

Budget Committee

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ARTHUR E. FELDMAN HERBERT C. FRENCH

1944

HARRY F. SEWARD RAY THOMPSON

1945

CHESTER W. CHANDLER DAVID M. PERKINS

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Barnstead in the County of Belknap in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

[L. s.]

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Barnstead on Tuesday, the 12th 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 year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount on property taxes paid on or before the first Saturday of July next.
4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to buy liability insurance on Town labor and pay for same out of the Highway Department.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$5,500.00 to build new bridge at Barnstead Parade. State estimate cost of bridge, \$16,000.00. State to pay all cost over and above \$5,500.00; the Town to pay \$1,500.00 in 1946, and authorize Selectmen to arrange balance in Serial Notes.

7. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$200.00 from Owen Tuttle and Ina Webster as a trust fund, the income only to be used for the care of the James C. Tuttle lot in River View Cemetery.

8. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 16th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-six.

GEORGE G. FOSS,
ARTHUR M. McALLISTER,
JOHN O. EMERSON,
Selectmen of Barnstead.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GEORGE G. FOSS,
ARTHUR M. McALLISTER,
JOHN O. EMERSON,
Selectmen of Barnstead.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual revenue previous year, 1945	Estimated revenue ensuing year, 1946	In- crease	De- crease
FROM STATE:				
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$172.28	\$172.28	.....	.....
Railroad Tax	47.76	47.76	.....	.....
Savings Bank Tax	243.94	243.94	.....	.....
For Fighting Forest Fires	5.73	.....	.....	5.73
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:				
Rent of Town Hall and Other				
Buildings	76.00	76.00	.....	.....
Income from Trust Funds	60.00	60.00	.....	.....
Income from Municipally owned				
Utilities:				
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	611.96	611.96	.....	.....
Sale of Town Property acquired by Tax Deeds	731.14	.....	.....	731.14
AMOUNT RAISED BY ISSUE OF BONDS OR NOTES:				
Bridge .....	.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	.....
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES				
	\$1,948.81	\$5,211.94	\$4,000.00	\$736.87
AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROP- ERTY TAXES				
	.....	29,007.10	.....	.....
TOTAL REVENUES				
	.....	\$34,219.04	.....	.....

BARNSTEAD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946 Compared with
Year January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual expenditures previous year, 1945	Estimated expenditures ensuing year, 1946	Increase	Decrease
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,150.00	\$1,150.00	.....	.....
Town Officers' Expenses	607.57	600.00	.....	7.57
Election and Registration Expenses	147.00	200.00	53.00	.....
Auto Permits	79.25	80.00	.75	.....
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	327.98	400.00	72.02	.....
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	95.00	125.00	30.00	.....
Fire Department	463.39	700.00	236.61	.....
Moth Extermination—Blister Rust Bounties	400.00	.....	.....	400.00
Bounties	60.00	.....	.....	60.00
Health:				
Health Department, including hospitals	410.00	125.00	.....	285.00
Vital Statistics	21.00	25.00	4.00	.....
Highways and Bridges:				
Tractor	1,876.04	} 5,000.00	.....	3,968.57
Town Maintenance—Summer	4,231.26			
Town Maintenance—Winter	2,861.27			
Street Lighting	293.37	320.04	26.67	.....
General Expenses of Highway Department	1,255.19	800.00	.....	455.19
Town Road Aid	857.84	.....	.....	857.84
Libraries:				
Libraries	200.00	200.00	.....	.....
Public Welfare:				
Town Poor	84.36	500.00	415.64	.....
Old Age Assistance	1,506.45	2,000.00	493.55	.....
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	40.00	1,000.00	960.00	.....
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	100.00	.....	.....	100.00
Unclassified:				
Damages and Legal Expenses	52.67	.....	.....	52.67
Interest:				
On Long Term Notes	112.50	112.50	.....	.....
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERM. IMPROVEMENTS				
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Construction .....	.....	5,500.00	5,500.00	.....
State Aid Construction — Town's Share	943.50	997.50	54.00	.....
New Equipment	403.52	.....	.....	403.52
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:				
County Taxes	2,433.70	2,400.00	.....	33.70
Payments to School Districts	10,962.30	11,984.00	1,021.70	.....
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$31,975.16	\$34,219.04	\$8,867.94	\$6,624.06

ARTHUR E. FELDMAN,
HERBERT C. FRENCH,
HARRY F. SEWARD,
RAYMOND C. THOMPSON,
CHESTER W. CHANDLER,
DAVID M. PERKINS,
Budget Committee.

INVENTORY OF TOWN

Land and Buildings (Resident)	\$276,655.00
Land and Buildings (Non-Resident)	221,299.00
Growing Wood and Timber	20,475.00
Electric Plants	43,140.00
62 Horses	6,735.00
145 Cows	9,330.45
45 Other Neat Stock	2,250.00
8 Sheep	60.00
6328 Fowl	5,128.00
4 Portable Mills	2,500.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	71,759.00
20 Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,465.00
Aqueducts	24,300.00
Stock in trade	5,300.00
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Total Valuation	\$690,396.45
Less Soldiers' Exemptions	25,285.00
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	\$665,111.45

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,150.00
Town Officers' Expenses	700.00
Election and Registration Expenses	150.00
Automobile Permits	60.00
Town Hall and Buildings	200.00
Police Department	125.00
Fire Department	700.00

Blister Rust—Moth Extermination	400.00
Health Department	230.00
Vital Statistics	25.00
State Aid Construction	943.50
Town Road Aid	857.84
Town Maintenance	4,000.00
Street Lighting	320.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	700.00
New Equipment	700.00
Libraries	200.00
Old Age Assistance	1,500.00
Town Poor	600.00
Memorial Day	40.00
Soldiers Aid	50.00
Interest	112.50
County Tax	2,433.70
School Tax	10,760.30

Total Town and School Appropriations \$26,957.84

Less Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest and Dividend Tax	\$135.80
Railroad Tax	40.00
Savings Bank Tax	275.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	500.00
Rent of Town Property	55.00
Cash Surplus	3,000.00

Total Revenues and Credits

\$4,005.80

Plus Overlay

\$22,952.04

1,046.86

Net Amount to be raised by Taxation

\$23,998.90

Less Regular Poll Taxes at \$2.00

\$720.00

Amount to be raised by property taxes

\$23,278.90

Taxes to be Committed to Collector :

Property Taxes, Town \$3.50	\$23,278.90
Regular Poll Taxes at \$2.00	720.00
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Total Taxes—Town and Precinct	\$23,998.90
Special Poll Taxes at \$3.00	1,152.00
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Total Taxes to be Committed	\$25,150.90

ASSETS

Cash in Treasury	\$8,053.14
Town purpose of Fund Snow Fence	200.00
Due from State Bounties	60.00
Join Highway Construction Amounts Un- expended Balance	4,518.69
Uncollected Taxes Levy of 1945	950.31
Uncollected Taxes Levy of 1944	7.72
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Total	\$13,789.86

LIABILITIES

Due School's Dog Tax	\$238.20
Uncollected due State when Collected 1945 ..	129.00
Collected Not remitted to State Treasury 1944 — \$3.00, 1945 — \$120.00	123.00
Unexpended Balance in State Treasury	4,518.69
Unexpended Balance in Town Treasury	2,998.67
Long Term Notes Outstanding :	
Pittsfield Savings Bank	1,000.00
South Barnstead Cemetery Association ...	2,000.00
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	\$11,007.56
Total Assets	\$13,789.86
Total Liability	11,007.56
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Surplus	\$2,782.30

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures Fiscal Year Ending Dec. 31, 1945

TITLE OF APPROPRIATIONS

	Appropriations	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' salaries	\$1,150.00		\$1,150.00	\$1,150.00		
Town Officers' expenses	700.00		700.00	607.57	\$92.43	
Election and Registration	150.00		150.00	147.00	3.00	
Auto Permits	60.00		60.00	79.25		\$19.25
Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	200.00		200.00	327.98		127.98
Police Department	125.00		125.00	95.00	30.00	
Fire Department	700.00		700.00	463.39	236.61	
Blister Rust, Moth Extermination	400.00		400.00	400.00		
Health Department	230.00		230.00	410.00		180.00
Vital Statistics	25.00		25.00	21.00	4.00	
State Aid Construction	943.50		943.50	943.50		
Town Road Aid	857.84		857.84	857.84		
Town Maintenance	4,000.00	2,451.90	6,751.90	8,968.57		2,216.67
Street Lighting	320.00		320.00	293.37	26.63	
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	700.00		700.00	1,255.19		555.19
New Equipment	700.00		700.00	403.52	296.48	
Libraries	200.00		200.00	200.00		
Old Age Assistance	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,506.45		6.45
Town Poor	600.00		600.00	84.36	515.64	
Memorial Day	40.00		40.00	40.00		
Soldiers' Aid	50.00		50.00		50.00	
Interest	112.50		112.50		112.50	
County Tax	2,433.70		2,433.70	2,433.70		
School Tax	10,769.30	202.00	10,971.30	10,962.30		
	<u>\$26,957.84</u>	<u>\$2,953.90</u>	<u>\$29,911.74</u>	<u>\$31,762.49</u>	<u>\$1,254.79</u>	<u>\$3,105.54</u>

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall and Buildings	\$3,000.00
Library—Land and Buildings	17,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	700.00
Highway Department	5,000.00
Fire Department	2,000.00
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	\$27,700.00
Property Acquired by Tax Deeds	\$3,670.00
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	\$31,370.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

From January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945

Receipts

Dog Tax	\$260.00
Automobile Registration Permits	611.96
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	\$871.96
Paid Treasurer	\$871.96

Respectfully submitted

CHARLES F. JENKINS,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Summary of Warrant

Levy of 1945

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$23,278.90
Poll Taxes, regular at \$2.00	720.00
Poll Taxes, special at \$3.00	1,152.00

Total Warrant

\$25,150.90

Added or Escaped Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$78.88
Poll Taxes, regular at \$2.00	18.00
Poll Taxes, special at \$3.00	30.00
Interest	4.72

\$131.60

Total Debits

\$25,282.50

Credit

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$22,136.18
National Bank Stock	1.00
Poll Taxes, regular at \$2.00	676.00
Poll Taxes, special at \$3.00	980.00
Interest Collected	4.72
Discount Allowed	282.04
Abatements	123.25

Uncollected Taxes as per Collectors' list:

Property Taxes	\$870.31
Poll Taxes, regular at \$2.00	80.00
Poll Taxes, special at \$3.00	129.00

Total Credits \$25,282.50

Summary of Warrant of 1944 Levy:

Uncollected Taxes, Jan. 1, 1945	\$857.08
Advanced Redemption Fees ...	3.50
Interest	13.39

Total Debit \$873.97

Credit

Paid Treasurer December 31, 1944	\$6.51
Total remittance to Treasurer ..	824.74
Abatements	35.00
Uncollected Taxes	7.72

Total Credit \$873.97

Taxes Redeemed

Levy 1944	\$101.74
Levy 1943	151.04
Levy 1942	288.20
Taxes collected on 1943 Levy	99.16

\$640.14

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH B. VARNEY,
Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance on hand December 31, 1944	\$10,090.57
Received from Town Clerk	871.96
Received from Tax Collector	25,262.78
Received from Selectmen	4,195 60
	\$40,420.91
Paid Orders from Selectmen	\$32,367.77
	\$8,053.14

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. LITTLE,

Treasurer.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

State of New Hampshire	\$3,364.01
Rent of Shop and Town Hall	76.00
Interest Received	60.00
Tractor	25.00
Sale of Property	731.14
Road Tar	39.45
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	\$4,295.60

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town Officers' Salary	\$1,150.00
Town Officers' Expenses	607.57
Election and Registrations	147.00
Automobile Permits	79.25
Town Hall and other Town Bldgs.	327.98
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\$2,311 80

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	\$95.00
Fire Department	463.39
Moth Extermination & Blister Rust	400.00
Bounties	60.00
Damage by dogs	21.80
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\$1,040.19

Interest :	
Interest	\$112.50
New Construction and Improvements :	
Grader	\$403.52
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions :	
County Tax	\$2,433.70
School District	10,962.30
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	\$13,396.00
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Total	\$32,367.77

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Received from State Gas Tax	\$2,751.90
Received from State Bounties	42.00
Received from State Forest Fires	5.73
Received from State Savings Bank Tax	243.94
Received from State Railroad Tax	47.76
Received from Interest and Dividend Tax ..	172.28
Received from State Forestry Dept.	
Overpaid .....	.40
Received from Agnes Herndon, Rent of Shop	60.00
Received from J. D. Adams, Rent of Shop...	1.00
Received from Charles F. Jenkins,	
Rent of Hall	15.00
Received from Ada Dowing Est., Interest ...	60.00
Received from Diamond Match Co.,	
Tractor	25.00
Received from G. H. Graham Property	620.00
Received from Forrest Jenkins Property	36.14
Received from Fred Hillsgrove Property	50.00
Received from State Property	25.00
Received from A. H. McAllister, Road Tar ..	6.57
Received from M. Lennon, Road Tar	31.56
Received from Henry Knirsch, Road Tar	1.32
Total	\$4,195.60

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1—Town Officers' Salaries

George G. Foss, Selectmen & Overseer of Poor	\$350.00
Arthur H. McAllister, Selectmen	200.00
John O. Emerson, Selectmen	200.00
Harry E. Little, Treasurer	175.00
Charles F. Jenkins, Town Clerk	50.00
Ruth B. Varney, Tax Collector	175.00
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	\$1,150.00

Detail 2—Town Officers' Expenses

Union Telephone Co.	\$27.70
Edson C. Eastman Co. Inc., Supplies	23.30
Belknap County Registry of Deeds	27.90
K. J. Robinson, Supplies	5.00
Carroll W. Stafford, Probate	1 10
H. M. Thyng, Bonds	53.00
The Clarke Press, Town Reports	188.44
Charles F. Jenkins, Expenses	53.18
Myrtie McAllister, Envelopes & Stamps	9.76
The Valley Times, Printing	5.10
Arthur E. Feldman, Deeds	20.00
Henry Davis, Labor	5 00
Ruth B. Varney, Postage	14.00
The Farmington News, Tax Bills	8.89
Tax Ass'n Dues	2 00
John O. Emerson, Expenses	57.00
Arthur H. McAllister, Expenses	49.65
George G. Foss, Expenses	53.75
Harry E. Little, Expenses	3.80
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	\$607.57

Detail 3—Election & Registration

Timothy B. Stevens, Auditor	\$24.00
Harry F. Seward	25.00
Charles F. Jenkins	3.00
Albert Emerson, Ballot Clerk	3.00
Chester W. Chandler, Supervisor	25.00
Harry E. Little, Ballot Clerk	3.00
H. M. Hill, Supervisor	25.00
Guy L. Harvill, Supervisor	25.00
Joseph Hillsgrove, Gate Keeper	3.00
I. B. Wade, Ballot Clerk	3.00
Walter J. Hillsgrove, Ballot Clerk	3.00
Herbert M. Thyng, Moderator	5.00
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	\$147.00

Detail 4—Auto Permits

Charles F. Jenkins, Auto Permits	\$79.25
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Detail 5—Town Hall and other Town Buildings

Albert F. Emerson, Janitor	\$12.00
H. P. Maxfield, Windows	14.50
Harold Haywood, Supplies	4.00
Grand Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	42.40
Antonia Sylvain, Labor	6.00
J. O. Emerson, Wood	10.00
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Coal	47.71
Arva Evans, Labor	5.00
John W. Shippie, Lumber & Labor	39.00
Glen Edwards, Lumber	27.33
O. B. Young, Labor	9.50
John Kidder, Labor	8.00
Issac Osgood, Janitor	5.00
W. R. Glover, Labor	24.00
Arthur H. McAllister, Supplies	12.54
John W. Shippie	61.00
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	\$327.98

Detail 6—Police

G. M. Locke	\$50.00
Charles Kelley	45 00
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	\$95.00

Detail 7—Fire Department

H. M. Thyng, Insurance	\$51.94
Charles F. Jenkins, Treas. Center Fire Dept.	200.00
Joseph Cotton, Treas. Barnstead Fire Dept.	200.00
Archie Canfield, Forest Fires	11.45
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	\$463.39

Detail 8

Moth Extermination & Blister Rust	\$400.00
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Detail 9—Bounties

John O. Emerson	\$9.50
George G. Foss	10.00
Arthur H. McAllister	40.50
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	\$60.00

Detail 10—Damage by Dogs

Charles F. Jenkins	\$21.80
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Detail 11—Health Department

Carl A. Flagg, Health Officer	\$10.00
Huggins Hospital 1944 & 1945	400.00
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	\$410.00

Detail 12—Vital Statistics

Charles F. Jenkins	\$21.00
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Detail 13—T. R. A.

Treas. State of N. H.	\$857.84
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Detail 14—Town Maintenance

Fred T. Welch, Summer Account	\$1,518.76
Floyd Carson, Summer Account	1,892.71
Harriaman & Paige, Ins.	180.00
Treas. State of N. H.	639.79
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	\$4,231.26

Detail 15—Winter Account

Fred T. Welch	\$1,440.95
Archie B. Carr	1,162.79
Floyd Carson	257.53
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	\$2,861.27

Detail 15—Tractor Account

F. W. Reed, Gas & Oil	\$333.85
Harold Haywood, Gas	108.58
Fred Carr, Labor	374.00
Maynard Perkins	90.00
Alfred Weeks	12.00
Archie B. Carr	3.00
Harold Emerson	44.75
Donald Jenkins	42.00
Albert L. Emerson	532.95
Ralph Emerson	68.00
Antonia Sulvain	8.25
John O. Emerson	14.00
John H. Herndon	9 75
Charles Herndon	12.00
George Foss	45.00
Arthur Pitman	3.75
Fred Pitman Jr.	11.25

Maynard Perkins	62.25
Pelissier's Garage	19.71
Page Belting Co.	5.82
G. J. Danis	2.90
Osborne's Service Station	15.65
Charles F. Jenkins	4.00
Collection of Internal Rev.	37.90
W. J. Garland	11.00
R. C. Hazelton, Parts	2.65
Perkins Eaton Machine Co., Supplies	1.03
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	\$1,876.04

Detail 16—Street Lighting

Public Service Co.	\$293.37
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Detail 17—General Expenses

John O. Emerson	\$31.00
George G. Foss	11.77
State Highway Garage, Snow Plowing	133.32
Osborn's Service Station	17.50
Sanel Auto Parts Co.	6.00
H. P. Maxfield, Supplies	14.55
Charles F. Jenkins	2.14
R. C. Hazelton Co.	98.43
N. H. Farm Tractor Parts	206.21
Perkins Eaton Machinery Co.	3.00
A. H. McAllister	5.79
N. H. Explosive Co.	282.24
C. L. Davis	5.50
Treas. State of N. H., Road Tar	395.14
Fred T. Welch, Cold Patch	21.60
H. E. Little, Cold Patch	8.00

William Welch, Cold Patch	8.00
Albert Emerson, Labor	2.50
A. B. Carr	2.50
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	\$1,255.19

Detail 18—Libraries

Mary G. Locke, Treasurer	\$200.00
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Detail 19—Public Welfare

Old Age Assistance	\$1,506.45
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Detail 20—Town Poor

A. H. McAllister	\$14.36
Smalley, Daverio Lyons Inc., Tablet	70.00
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	\$84.36

Detail 21—Patriotic Purposes

Memorial Day	\$40.00
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Detail 22

Coran K. Davis, Treas. of Trust Fund	\$100.00
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Detail 23—Damages

Wilbur J. Garland	\$16.10
Henry Grau	36.57
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	\$52.67

Detail 24—Unclassified

Taxes Bought by Town	\$344.43
Special Poll Tax	969.88
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	\$1,314.31

Detail 25—Interest

South Barnstead Cemetery Ass'n.	\$75.00
Pittsfield Savings Bank	37.50
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	\$112.50

Detail 26—New Equipment

N. H. Explosive, Road Grader	\$403.52
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Detail 27—Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

County Tax	\$2,433.70
School District	10,962.30
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	\$13,396.00
Total	\$32,367.77

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

ARCHIE B. CARR, *Road Agent*

From January 1, 1945 to March 13, 1945

Winter Account \$1,162.79

Detail of Payments

Archie B. Carr	\$65.38
Fred Carr	19.50
Ralph Collins	5.00
Ralph Emerson	123.00
George G. Foss	652.80
Joe Hillsgrove	4.50
Ernest Knox	2.50
George Pitman	14.25
Fred Pitman Sr.	11.25
Fred Pitman Jr.	12.75
Arthur Pitman	47.88
David Perkins	5.80
George Partridge	4.50
Russell Richardson	27.75
Thomas Sullivan	12.75
Burt Shaw	12.00
Antonio Sylvain	99.75
Ray Thompson	4.00
Fred Tarbox	6.00
John Varney	14.18
Alfred Weeks	17.25
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Total Expenditures	\$1,162.79
Received from Town	\$1,162.79

ARCHIE B. CARR

Road Agent.

John Brewster, truck and labor	\$82.90
William Carson, labor	39.75
Floyd Carson, Jr., labor	44.50
Floyd Carson, truck and labor	727.35
Donald Carr, labor	72.00
Kenneth Carr, labor	1.25
Robert Carr, tractor	13.40
Clyde Carson, labor	2.00
William Chapman, labor	8.00
Ralph Collins, labor	6.00
Perley Dame, labor	19.00
Coran Davis, labor	4.00
Edward Devey, labor	12.50
Albert F. Emerson, labor	80.50
John Emerson, bridge plank and stringers ..	380.36
Harold Emerson, labor	13.25
Ralph Emerson, labor	7.44
Arva Evans, labor	16.00
Albert Gilbert, labor	2.00
David Golden, labor B. S.	12.00
Charles Green	4.00
Haywood's Store, supplies	5.70
Frank Holmes, labor	72.04
Roger Kidder, labor	36.00
Wayland Locke, labor	8.00
Carlton Lakeman, labor	10.00
McAllister's Store, supplies	4.32
Maxfield's Store, supplies	2.65
Thomas Marcel, tractor	73.05
James Marcel, labor	4.50
Zeke Osgood, labor	4.00
Stewart Merrill, labor	20.00
David Perkins, gravel	8.60
Albert Shaw, bushes	49.50
Robert Stock, labor	1.25
Antonio Sylvain, labor	2.00
Charles Tuttle, truck	139.05

Ray Thompson	1.25
Ruth Varney, truck	13.59
John Varney, truck and labor	26.15
Jerald Venno, labor	22.50
Ira Wade, truck	17.90
Willis Young, labor	10.00
Orin B. Young, labor	70.00
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	\$2,150.24
Road Maintenance	\$1,260.38
Bridges and Culverts	580.36
Bushes	49.50
Snow Fence (Taking up and down)	75.00
Sanding	22.50
Snow	162.50
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	\$2,150.24

FLOYD O. CARSON *Account.*

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

FRED WELCH, *Road Agent*

Summary of Payments

From Jan. 1, 1945 to Jan. 1, 1946.

Snow Account	\$1,232.10
Sanding	56.55
Gravel	120.15
Machining Roads	895.95
Cutting Bushes	80.20
Repairs & Supplies	95.78
Snow Fence	61.00
Bridge and Culverts	417.98
Total	<u>\$2,959.71</u>

Detail of Payments

Fred Welch	\$1,558.95
Woodrow Emerson	296.60
John Emerson, Bridge planks	305.88
E. W. Carpentier	56.00
Maynard Perkins	5.25
Wilbur Garland	8.10
Osborne's Service Station, Repairs	28.90
Harry Little	121.50
Charles Greene	7.50
Albert Emerson	4.00
Charles Tuttle	86.40
Harold Heyward, Supplies	6.10
N. P. Cormier	4.00
Arva Evans	20.00

Antonio Sylvain	16.20
Ralph Emerson	6.00
Charles Welch	29.50
Albert Foss	4.50
H. P. Maxfields, Supplies	13.53
Lyman Merrill	22.50
Robert Stock	9.25
Sewall Clark	108.15
William Welch	131.75
Harold Smith	4.50
Harry Powell	28.00
Harold Emerson	5.00
Joan Foss	2.50
Leonard Smith	3.00
Arnold Stock	4.50
Raymond Macoux	2.00
Harry Corson	4.00
Jerry Veno	7.00
Santo's Garage, Repairs	17.25
Robert Cote, Salt	30.00
Internal Revenue	1.40
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Total Payments	\$2,959.71
Received from Selectmen	\$2,959.71

**REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF BARNSTEAD
PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Receipts

Jan. 1, 1945	Balance on hand	\$295.30	
Oct. 27, 1945	Trust Fund	75.00	
Dec. 5, 1945	Town Treasurer	200.00	
			\$570.30

Expenditures

Books Purchased for Library by			
	Ruth B. Varney	\$53.75	
	Librarian	81.00	
	Public Service Co. of N. H.	15.20	
	Janitor	30.00	
Labor:			
	Joan Carr 6.00		
	Kenneth Carr 1.00	7.00	
Merrimack Farmer's Exchange			
	(Coal & Fertilizer)	51.75	
	Albert F. Emerson $\frac{1}{2}$ cord slabs ..	4.00	
	H. P. Maxfield (Window Sash) ..	1.90	
	Percy A. Davis (Painting Fence, Window Trimmings, Screens, etc.)	30.65	
	E. N. Banks (Draining Pipes) ...	5.40	
	Mrs. Arva Evans (Cleaning library, Windows Screens etc.)	7.02	
			\$287.67
Cash on Hand, Jan. 1, 1946			\$282.63

MARY G. LOCKE,
Treasurer.

BARNSTEAD PARADE FIRE CO.

Receipts

Town of Barnstead \$200.00

Expenditures

F. W. Reed, Oil \$36.75
Parker's Furniture Co., pipe 3.00
H. P. Maxfield Co., parts 2.25
Henry Knirsch, gas 4.05
Santo's Cottage & Garage, gas & oil 5.71
Eureka Fire Hose, pings 3.57
A. Canfield, gas 1.20
A. S. Robinson, Insurance 26.00
H. Haywood, gas63
Light 12.60

\$95.76

Balance \$104.24

JOSEPH H. COTTON,

Treasurer.

CENTER BARNSTEAD FIRE CO.

Receipts

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1945	\$259.42
Town of Barnstead	200.00
Cash	3.33
Show and Dance	16.00
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	\$478.75

Expenditures

G. J. Davis, Oil	\$16.05
Public Service Co. of N.H.	12.00
Harry Kenison, Janitor	10.00
Wesley Green, Cleaning Burner ..	2.50
Hattie Seward, Red Cross	5.00
N. H. Firemen's Asso. Inc.	20.00
Hattie Seward, Cancer Control ...	2.00
Mrs. Geo. Cotton, Christmas Seals	2.00
Eureka Fire Hose Co.	308.31
American La France Foancite Cock.	43 73
Carl Knirsch	3 00
Huckins Oil Co.	12 60
Santo's Garage, work on truck & gas	19.08
A. H. McAllister, gas & oil	4.41
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	\$460.68
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Balance December 31, 1945	\$18.07

CHARLES F. JENKINS,
Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We the undersigned auditors of the Town of Barnstead certify that we have examined and audited the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Road Agents, Tax Collector, Trustees of the Trust Funds and Library Trustees for the year ending December 31, 1945 and find them correct, vouched, properly cast and balanced.

HARRY F. SEWARD,
TIMOTHY B. STEVENS,
Auditors.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Barnstead, N. H., on December 31, 1945

Date of Creation.	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED					Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year	
		Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year		
1866	School Fund, Support of Schools	Pittsfield Savings Bank	\$2,365.97	1.5	.....	\$35.47	\$35.47	.....
1891	Parsonage Fund, for Churches	Pittsfield Savings Bank	432.00	1.5	.....	6.56	6.56	.....
1904	Dr. George W. Emerson, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank	500.00	1.5	19.98	7.78	.....	.....
1904	Dr. George W. Emerson, Cemetery Fund	B. & M. R. R. Stock	500.00	7	.....	.....	7.00	20.76
1914	Oscar Foss, Cemetery Fund	B. & M. R. R. Stock	1,000.00	7	58.05	.87	.....	58.92
1915	Joseph D. Proctor Heirs, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank	450.00	1.5	211.90	9.94	5.00	216.84
1919	Barnstead Parade, Cemetery Fund, by Geo. Sturtevant	Pittsfield Savings Bank	300.00	1.5	55.79	5.54	6.80	54.53
1923-27-29	James Kaime & Alvin Place, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank	700.00	1.5	152.56	12.60	3.00	166.41
		U. S. Bond	100.00	4½	.....	4.25	.....	.....
1923	Dr. John Wheeler, Cemetery Fund	B. & M. R. R. Stock	180.00	7	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Dr. John Wheeler, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank	120.00	1.5	21.16	2.14	1.60	21.70

1924	Sarah U. Foss Library Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank Trustee.	5,000.00	1.5	75.00	75.00	.....
1927	Charles Hodgdon, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank.....	200.00	1.5	62.69	3.94	2.00 64.63
1927	Asa A. Clark Cemetery Fund, by Emma E. Doe	Pittsfield Savings Bank.....	150.00	1.5	32.60	2.72	..... 35.32
1927	John S. Rand, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank.....	300.00	1.5	66.11	5.54	2.00 69.65
1933	Julius Gardner, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank.....	150.00	1.5	24.00	2.63	1.50 25.13
1936	Henry W. Savage, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank.....	1,000.00	1.5	63.29	16.07	10.80 68.56
1936	Herbert Glidden, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank.....	200.00	1.5	20.50	3.32	1.50 22.32
1927	Mrs. P. P. Babcock, Cemetery Fund	Merrimaek County Savings Bank at Concord, N. H.	216.53	..	5.57	.....	..... 5.57
1942	Ada N. Downing, Fund for Aid of Poor	Amoskeag Savings Bank	3,000.00	..	.....	60.00	.....
1944	Geo. Fred Jenkins, Cemetery Fund	U. S. Bond \$300.00, Pittsfield S. B., \$100.00	400.00	1.5	.....	7.87	..... 7.87
1944	G. F. Clark, Cemetery Fund, by Addie H. Garland	U. S. Bond	100.00	..	1.27	2.50	..... 3.77
1944	Timothy Emerson, Cemetery Fund by C. B. Davis	Pittsfield Savings Bank	100.00	1.5	.....	.....	.....
1944	C. O. Emerson, Cemetery Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank	200.00	1.5	.....	.....	.....
1944	Eda Lang, Trust Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank	300.00	1.5	.....	.....	.....
1944	Annabell Hayes, Trust Fund	Pittsfield Savings Bank	100.00	1.5	.....	.....	.....
			TOTALS.....	\$18,064.50	\$795.47	\$264.74	\$218.23 \$841.98

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

December 31, 1945.

FRANK J. HOLMES,
COFAN K. DAVIS,
ALBERT F. EMERSON

Trustees.

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
SCHOOL DISTRICT
of
BARNSTEAD
NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the School Year Ending June 30, 1945

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FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING
June 30, 1945

PART I ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIATION
(a) Officers of the School District

Moderator

HARRY E. LITTLE

Clerk

HELEN H. MERRILL

School Board

CARL A. FLAGG	Term Expires 1946
H. C. GILLESPIE	Term Expires 1947
CORAN K. DAVIS, Chr.	Term Expires 1948

Treasurer

CHARLES F. JENKINS

Auditor

HARRY SEWARD

Superintendent of Schools

LESTER B. BADGER

Truant Officer

H. C. GILLESPIE

Census Taker

CORAN K. DAVIS

School Nurse

RUTH S. LANGILLE

(b) Administrative Problems

There are many administrative problems facing me as I resume my work here as your superintendent of schools, but the following six seem the most important right now: (1) the procurement of qualified teachers to fill vacancies, both during the school year and for next year, (2) the guidance of teachers lacking experience and/or training toward more efficient instructional procedures, (3) the development with a minimum of wasted time and as a cooperative effort of teachers, superintendent and school board of a more wisely planned educational program, (4) the procurement as needed of properly selected instructional materials, (5) the provision of better school transportation, and (6) the improvement of school equipment and buildings.

Probably my most important job as superintendent of schools is to procure for the schools teachers who are competent by reason of aptitude, training and experience. For the past few months an appreciable number of young men have returned to teaching positions from the Armed Services, and this has relieved noticeably the desperate lack of teachers in the high schools but for the elementary grades few of these young men are either qualified for teaching on that level or willing to accept the salaries offered. Another factor at work to make good teachers scarce is that many women teachers are leaving teaching positions because their husbands are returning and both husband and wife want the kind of a home it is not possible to have when the wife works. The prospects are that the teacher shortage will continue for several years and that in spite of our best efforts many boys and girls next year will be lacking the help of well qualified competent teachers. Increasing the attractiveness of teaching by offering reasonable salaries and more liberal sick leave and by providing suitable instructional equipment would go a long way in relieving the deplorable condition.

Probably my second most important duty is to keep headmasters, principals, and teachers properly guided and informed relative to the educational programs that have been

developed and accepted for the schools of this union. At the present time the number of teachers who are new in this union and even new to teaching is so great that each one of them can get only a small part of my time that she should have to make her work as effective as we all feel it really should be.

A third problem in this union urgently pressing for attention is the revision of our educational program in the light of the knowledge we have gained through our war experiences. This problem has various phases: (1) the social science program should be revamped to bring about a better understanding and appreciation of all classes, nationalities and groups of people all over the world; (2) the health and physical education program must be so changed as to develop in pupils habits of cleanliness, recreation, physical activity, sanitation, mental and emotional balance that will serve their needs throughout their lives rather than just while in school or for isolated periods, as *keeping* healthy and strong mentally and physically is more important than *getting* that way; (3) the programs for such subjects as shop, agriculture, commerce, home economics need to be rebuilt to insure that pupils grow in *understanding the why of things* as well as in manipulative skills; and (4) the whole program must incorporate our new thinking resulting from our new found ability to travel at the speed of sound, to radar the moon, to atomize whole cities with a handful of atomic energy, to record electromatic sound signals from the sun, and to comprehend that the whole world must be treated as a unit economically, socially and politically.

The fourth problem comes from the fact that good teachers, wisely led, and guided by well balanced, effective program need a continuing supply of properly designed instructional materials, and equipment such as textbooks, bulletins, study guides, hand tools, power tools, lumber, metal, typewriters and other office machines, musical instruments, sheet music, recorded music, educational films, and other visual aids including charts, globes and maps, cooking stoves, food preservers, sewing machines, duplicating

machines, colored crayons, pencils, chemicals, biological specimens, baseballs. The selection and procurement of these materials requires much careful study.

The fifth problem derives from the fact that those children living beyond walking distance from schools should have suitable transportation. By suitable transportation I mean that the vehicles must be safe, warm, and comfortable; that they are run on schedules that do not require children to start too early or get home too late, and that they are operated by careful, reliable, courteous drivers. The war has caused the continued use of many unsafe and uncomfortable vehicles, and due to the critical scarcity of all vehicles routes have been combined causing many children to leave home at an unreasonably early hour and get home at night so late there is no time for them to relax or rest before supper. Also the shortage of manpower has forced the employment of some drivers who are not conscientious about holding to schedule or competent in controlling the conduct of pupils. These conditions require careful study and correction as soon as possible.

As for the sixth problem a cursory view of buildings and equipment in this union is convincing that it was not possible during the war to make the repairs and replacements necessary to keep our educational facilities up to a standard that is safe, sanitary, and economical. Door latches and hinges are worn out, roofs leak, walls are cracked, desks are rickety and badly scratched, heating units are porous from rust, insulation has disappeared from pipes, shop tools are worn out, lighting fixtures are broken, toilets are clogged and cracked. Much work is needed in procuring suitable replacement units and repair parts and in hiring and supervising competent repairmen.

These six problems I have mentioned do not by any means exhaust the list of those things that must receive attention but they do indicate the most critical areas in which are needed intelligent plans painstakingly executed.

PART II. INSTRUCTION

(a) *Teachers as of February 1, 1946*

Teacher	Position	Sal- ary	Enroll- ment
Beulah Tasker	Parade Prin. & Grs. 5-8	\$1,300	25
Gertrude Merrill	Parade Grs. 1-4	1,200	20
Marguerite Alden	Center Prin. & Grs. 5-8	1,300	30
Dorothy Cotton	Center Grs. 1-4	1,200	23
Alice Sturtevant	Music Instructor	216	
		\$5,000	98

PART III. FINANCE

A. ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT
TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1945

Cash on hand June 30, 1944:

(Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$1,331.72
Received from Selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year ..	\$9,562.85
Dog Tax	422.72
Income from Trust Funds	35.47
Received from State Treasurer	4,819.30
Received from all other sources	1.00
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	\$14,841.34

Total Amount available for fiscal year	
(Balance and receipts)	\$16,173.05
Less School Board Orders paid	15,292.95
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1945	
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$880.11

CHARLES F. JENKINS,
District Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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

HARRY F. SEWARD,
Auditor.

July 11, 1945

**B. FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE
SCHOOL BOARD**

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1945

RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid:

Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state)	\$4,819.30
Income from Local Taxation	9,562.85

From sources other than taxation:

Dog Licenses	\$422.72
Income from local trust funds	35.47
Sale of property	1.00

Total	\$459.19
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Total receipts from all sources	\$14,841.34
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Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1944	1,331.72
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Grand Total	\$16,173.06
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PAYMENTS

Administration:

Salaries of district officers	\$226.50
Superintendent's excess salary	352.21
Truant officers and school census ..	25.00
Expenses of administration	219.09

Instruction:

Principals' and teachers' salaries	5,170.00
Text books	143.69
Scholars' supplies	201.71
Flags and appurtenances	7.29
Other expenses of instruction	19.73

Operation and maintenance of School Plant:

Janitor Service	358.25
Fuel	356.00
Water, light, janitor's supplies ..	118.17
Minor repairs and expenses	172.67

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:

Medical inspection	224.70
Transportation of pupils	3,819.28
High School and academy tuition	3,228.82
Elementary school tuition	252.15
Other special activities	28.85

Fixed Charges:

Tax for state wide supervision ..	324.00
Insurance and other fixed charges .	44.84

Total Payments for all purposes	\$15,292.95
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1945)	\$880.11
Grand Total	\$16,173.06

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash on hand:

Balance June 30, 1945	\$880.11
Total assets	\$880.11
Excess of liabilities over assets	0.00
Grand Total	\$880.11

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by district	0.00	
Total liabilities	\$0.00	
Excess of assets over liabilities	880.11	
Grand Total	\$880.11	

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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

HARRY F. SEWARD,
Auditor.

July 11, 1945

(c) *Return of District Revenues, 1945*

Support of Schools:

School Board budget of necessary expenses of Instruction, Operation and Special Activities	\$11,337.00
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Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of district officers	\$209.00	
Truant officers and census	25.00	
Superintendent's excess salary ..	360.00	
\$2.00 per capita tax	300.00	
High School tuition	3,690.00	
Other obligations imposed by law or established by district	291.00	
		\$4,875.00

Special Appropriations :

Painting Center School	\$100.00	
Providing water at Center School .	500.00	
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		\$600.00

Total Amount of School Board's Budget and special appropriations made by district	\$16,812.00	
Deduction for Estimated Income of district from sources other than current taxation	\$6,051.70	
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Amount to be raised by taxation	\$10,760.30	

CERTIFICATES

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized, and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriations made at the annual meeting of the Barnstead school district held March 25, 1945.

HELEN H. MERRILL.
Clerk of the School District.

March 24, 1945.

To the State Board of Education :

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the financial proceedings of the district for 1945, and that copies of this statement have been filed with the chairman of the board of selectmen and entered in the records of the school board.

CORAN K. DAVIS,
Chairman of the School Board.

March 24, 1945.

(d) *School Board's Estimate for 1946-1947*

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, 1946.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools:	Elem.	
Teachers' Salaries	\$5,750.00	
Textbooks	200 00	
Scholars' supplies	300.00	
Flags and appurtenances	10.00	
Other expenses of instruction	60.00	
Janitor service	360.00	
Fuel	408.00	
Water, light, janitors' supplies	150.00	
Minor repairs and expenses	250.00	
Health supervision	265.00	
Transportation of pupils	4,000.00	
Elementary tuition	360.00	
Other Special activities	50.00	
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		\$12,163.00
Othes statutory requirements:		
Salaries of District Officers	\$209.00	
Truant Officer and School Census	25.00	
High School tuition	4,000.00	
Superintendent's excess salary ..	420.00	
Per capita tax	292.00	
Other obligations	484.00	
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		\$5,430.00
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Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget	\$17,593.00	

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1946	\$600.00
State Aid, December, 1946	5,200.00
Dog Tax	200.00
Income from Trust Funds	35.00
Deduct total estimated income (above items)	\$6,035.00
	\$11,558.00

ASSESSMENT REQUIRED TO BALANCE SCHOOL
BOARD'S BUDGET

Special Appropriation Proposed (Articles in Warrant) :	
New Equipment	\$400.00
Retirement System	26.00
	\$426.00
Total Assessment Required to Cover Budget and Appropriations	\$11,984.00

PART IV. CHILD ACCOUNTING AND STATISTICS

(a) Promotions to High School

The following ten pupils were promoted to High School in June 1945: Joan Carr, Kenneth Carr, Richard Gwinn, John Kidder, James Marsal, Leone Perkins, Audrey Evans, Clinton Lank, Ruth Lank, Jackson Parkey.

(b) High School Pupils

Thirty-three Barnstead pupils enrolled in secondary schools last fall.

Pittsfield High School:

Joan Carr, Kenneth Carr, Floyd Carson, William Carson, William Clark, Joseph Cotton, Roberta Cotton, Marion Dodge, Claire Driscoll, John French, Barbara Gray, Ralph Gray, Robert Gwinn, Richard Gwinn, Charles Herndon, Agnes Herndon, Robert Johnson, John Kidder, Roger Kidder, Clinton Lank, Jr., Ruth Lank, Marjorie MacPherson, James Marsal, Donald Melvin, Isaac Osgood, Jackson Parkey, Leone Perkins, Robert Stock, Raymond Welch, Mary Wheat, Evelyn Zecha, Rowena Lank.

Alton High School: John Locke.

(c) Roll of Honor for Attendance

The following seven pupils, as compared with three in 1943-44, were neither absent nor tardy during the school year ending June 30, 1945: John Cotton, Evelyn Drake, Mary Jane Brien, Kenneth Carr, John Kidder, Kenneth Kidder and Flint Wells.

(d) Statistics for the Year Ending June 30, 1945

Average number of half days schools were in session	341.5
Average membership	92.75
Average attendance	86.72
Aggregate attendance in half-days	29,615

Per cent of attendance	93.49
Pupils not absent nor tardy	7
Per cent of all pupils not absent nor tardy	7.54
Cases of tardinesses	93
Average number of tardinesses per pupil	1.00
Non-resident pupils	0
Pupils transported at district expense	58
Visits by superintendent	97
Average number of visits by superintendent per teacher	24
Visits by citizens	87
Visits by board members	30
Meetings of school board	15
Number of pupils promoted	82
Number of pupils not promoted	7

(e) Census, September 30, 1945

Number of resident children 5-16 in local schools	95
Number of pupils 5-16 in high school outside the district	19
Number of pupils 5-16 in elementary schools out- side the district	11
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Total number of children 5 to 16 in some school	125
Number of pupils 5-8 not in school	12
Number of pupils 8-14 not in school	0
Number of pupils 14-16 not in school	1
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Total number 5-16 not in school	13
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Total number of resident children 5-16	138

PART V. AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL REPORTS

(a) *Report of School Health Work*

RUTH S. LANGILLE

The general health of the Barnstead pupils is good. The work done during the years of dental clinics is still in evidence but the teeth are gradually going to pieces again, only ten having any dental work done last year.

All routine work was done during the year but there were no very unusual cases. The regular hearing tests were given with the audiometer. Only ten hearing difficulties were found, none of them very serious.

A First Aid Film was shown to all pupils to help them see some simple things to do in case of accidents.

Eight were operated upon in tonsil and adenoid clinics in Concord and Wolfeboro.

Following will be found a statistical report of the health work:

Pupils examined	102	
Defects found	133	— 1.3 per pupil
Defects corrected	30	— 22% of defects
Without defect	27	— 26% of pupils

<i>Defects</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Corrections</i>
Vision	8	4 Glasses already worn 6
Hearing	10	
Deformity	1	
Teeth	55	10
Tonsils	41	8
Adenoids	18	8

Immunization records

Vaccinations	98	
Excused	3	
Unsuccessful	1	
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Total	102	— 100% of pupils
Diphtheria immunization	35	— 34% of pupils
Visits to schools	42	
Visits to homes	104	
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Total visits	146	
Days spent	27.1	
Days due	23	

PART VI. SCHOOL CALENDAR

1946—

- Sept. 3 Schools open
- Nov. 11 Armistice Day—All schools closed
- Nov. 27 Schools close at 12 O'clock noon
- Nov. 28-29 Thanksgiving Recess—All schools closed
- Dec. 20 All schools close for Christmas Vacation

1947—

- Jan. 6 All schools reopen
- Feb. 21 All schools close for Winter Vacation
- Mar. 3 All schools reopen
- Apr. 18 All schools close for Spring Vacation
- Apr. 28 All schools reopen
- May 30 Memorial Day—All schools closed
- June 13 Schools close for Summer Vacation (Days lost on account of bad weather will be made up beginning June 16.)

1. Teachers may attend State Teachers' Convention two days and appropriate county and rural institute.
2. No-school days: Labor Day, Armistice Day, 2½ days at Thanksgiving, and Memorial Day.

PART VII. WARRANT FOR SCHOOL
DISTRICT MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of
Barnstead, N. H. qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 23rd day of March 1946, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400) for the purchase of new equipment.

10. To see if the district will elect to approve of the inclusion of its officers and employees (other than those eligible under the Teachers' Retirement System) in the Employees Retirement System of the State of New Hampshire, which system is provided for by chapter 27-A of the Revised Laws, as inserted by chapter 193 of the Laws of 1945, and as provided by chapter 201 of the Laws of 1945 and any subsequent amendments thereto.

11. If the district votes in the affirmative on the preceding article, to see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-six dollars (\$26) for the purpose of providing funds for the district's contribution to said retirement system for the coming year.

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

Given under our hands at said Barnstead this 18th day of February, 1946.

CARL A. FLAGG,
H. C. GILLESPIE,
CORAN K. DAVIS,

School Board.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BARNSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1945

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father
Jan. 6, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Ralph Kenneth Collins	3	Ralph M. Collins	Flora I. Carson	Lathe Operator
Jan. 11, 1945	Pittsfield, N. H.	Elaine Cynthia Ward	1	Arnold P. Ward	Elizabeth Jenisch	Clerk
Jan. 13, 1945	Pittsfield, N. H.	Edna May King	1	John C. King	Julia A. McNulty	U. S. Army
Mar. 1, 1945	Pittsfield, N. H.	Elwood Gene Myers	3	William H. Myers	Priscilla E. Wells	Mechanical Engineer
Mar. 30, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Judith May Garland	2	Wilbur J. Garland	Lillian E. Brown	Farmer
May 15, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Ernest Russell Richardson	1	Russell P. Richardson	Martha Welch	Farmer
July 22, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Frieda Jean Tarbox	1	Fred O. Tarbox	Eleanor P. Chellis	Wood Chopper
Aug. 11, 1945	Pittsfield, N. H.	Ronald Lee Stockman	5	Everett L. Stockman	Marion E. Gray	U. S. Army
Aug. 26, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Sandra Lee Veno	2	Gerald A. Veno	Barbara R. Finlayson	Truck Driver

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES F. JENKINS, Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BARNSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1945

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at the Time of Marriage	Age	Color	Names of Parents	By Whom Married
Jan. 1, 1945	Chichester, N. H.	Wilbur J. Garland Lillian E. Brown	Barnstead, N. H. Barnstead, N. H.	56 W 29 W	W W	Oscar J. Garland Eliza V. McVean John A. Brown Alice M. Tibbetts	Rev. H. Franklin Parker, Clergyman, Chichester, N. H.
Feb. 28, 1945	Keene, N. H.	George R. Krause Emelyn F. Ayer	Barnstead, N. H. Sherburne, N. Y.	26 W 24 W	W W	George R. Krause Catherine Sullivan Andrew J. Ayer Mary W. Roundy	Rev. Rodney W. Roundy Minister of the Gospel, Cumberland, Me.
June 15, 1945	Laconia, N. H.	Alfred E. Moore Lucille E. Cass	Barnstead, N. H. Laconia, N. H.	29 W 25 W	W W	John H. Moore Lettie H. Harriman Frank H. Cass Eleanor N. Davis	Pierre Dupont Vuilleumier Cong'l Minister, Laconia, N. H.
July 25, 1945	Pittsfield, N. H.	Alfred F. Jenisch Margaret F. Green	Barnstead, N. H. Pittsfield, N. H.	24 W 24 W	W W	Alois F. Jenisch Mauida Paclie Charles E. Green	Rev. Henri A. Blanchard, R. C. Priest, Pittsfield, N. H.
July 29, 1945	Epsom, N. H.	Roland E. Bunker, Jr. Charlotte Cate	Barnstead, N. H. Concord, N. H.	23 W 20 W	W W	Florence M. Davis Roland Bunker Ruth Evans William Cate Lura French	Rev. Donald Macomber, Minister of the Gospel, Epsom, N. H.
Aug. 25, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Leonard H. Smith Earlene H. Merrill	Barnstead, N. H. Barnstead, N. H.	21 W 18 W	W W	Harold A. Smith Ella F. Clark Harvey S. Merrill Helen Hutchinson	Rev. Harry E. Little, Clergyman, Barnstead, N. H.
Sept. 24, 1945	Alton, N. H.	Harland P. Black Ruth E. Schaffer	Barnstead, N. H. Barnstead, N. H.	29 W 40 W	W W	Herbert Black Margaret Emerson William Leavitt Margaret McCahey	Frank M. Ayers, Justice of the Peace, Alton, N. H.

Sept. 30, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Charles A. Rowell	Manchester, N. H.	49 W	Fred A. Rowell Jennie Walsh Andrew Quandt Mary E. Kessler	Rev. Harry E. Little, Clergyman, Barnstead, N. H.
Oct. 6, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Henrietta A. Whittey Paul E. Tasker Barbara E. Robinson William C. Perkins	Barnstead, N. H. Barnstead, N. H. Pittsfield, N. H. Barnstead, N. H.	56 W 23 W 23 W 18 W	Arthur W. Tasker Helen L. Merrill Georgiana M. Robinson David M. Perkins Dora Foss Nathan Wade Hazel B. Edmunds Alton Herndon	Rev. Harry E. Little, Clergyman, Barnstead, N. H.
Nov. 17, 1945	Chichester, N. H.	Gloria H. Wade John A. Herndon Alma R. Heywood Edwin C. Kimball Reta B. Canfield Lloyd G. Hanson Natalie L. Hanson	Chichester, N. H. Barnstead, N. H. Barnstead, N. H. Barnstead, N. H. Epsom, N. H. Barnstead, N. H. Barnstead, N. H.	18 W 18 W 18 W 18 W 25 W 27 W 26 W 22 W	Agnes L. Galbreath Warren H. Heywood Rosie A. Leduc Myron B. Kimball Lizzie E. Clark Arlie M. Canfield Clara D. Meara George G. Hanson Alice M. Pickernell Ralph Wyatt Ellen Thompson	Rev. H. F. Parker, Clergyman, Chichester, N. H.
Dec. 7, 1945	Farmington, N. H.		Milton, N. H.			Rev. Harry E. Little, Clergyman, Barnstead, N. H. James B. Ford, Minister, Farmington, N. H.

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CHARLES F. JENKINS, Town Clerk

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BARNSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1945

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Ys. Ms. Ds.	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1945						
Jan. 21, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Harry D. Perkins	71 2 17	Lowell, Mass.	David M. Perkins	Clara Winkley
*Mar. 6, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Ruby E. Thayer	48 9 22	Barnstead, N. H.	Owen H. Tuttle	Nettie Foss
*April 17, 1945	Barrington, N. H.	George M. Drew	70 11 18	Pittsfield, N. H.	Albert R. Drew	Abbie Tilton
*May 28, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Glenn C. Wallace	32 2 11	Concord, N. H.	Norman M. Wallace	Ivy M. Palmer
June 10, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Charles W. Jenkins	76 3 1	Barnstead, N. H.	John B. Jenkins	Agusta Huntress
*July 30, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Lattie A. Lakeman	66 11 6	Clementsport, N. S.	William H. MacFadden	Minnie L. Fiendel
*July 31, 1945	Newmarket, N. H.	Addie S. Thyng	82 1 13	Gilmanton, N. H.	Charles Tibbetts	Unknown
*July 31, 1945	Rochester, N. H.	Nettie M. Sayward	78 3 1	Gilmanton, N. H.	J. H. F. Varney	Unknown
*Sept. 3, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Hattie Richardson	80 9 14	Barrington, N. H.	Lorenzo Brown	Mary Berry
Sept. 20, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Lewis E. French	81 5 19	Warren, N. H.	Alonzo French	Ruhama Fifeid
Nov. 9, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Millard H. Thompson	47 7 25	Barnstead, N. H.	Silas Thompson	Jane Babb
*Nov. 24, 1945	Wolfeboro, N. H.	Henry Zecha	72 4 4	Austria	Ferdinand Zecha	Anna Heger
*Nov. 25, 1945	Gilmanton, N. H.	Carleton H. Lakeman	61 9 2	Jonesport, Me.	Falmer Lakeman	Harrlett A. Glidden
*Nov. 29, 1945	Franklin, N. H.	Daniel Bunker	72 10 2	Barnstead, N. H.	Daniel Bunker	Hannah Tilton
*Nov. 29, 1945	Franklin, N. H.	Jennie B. Foss	93 2 24	Barnstead, N. H.	Nathaniel Hanson	Margery Evans
*Nov. 29, 1945	Franklin, N. H.	Nettie L. Tuttle	83 5 5	Rochester, N. H.	Mark Foss	Livonia Berry
*Dec. 3, 1945	Barnstead, N. H.	Charles G. Royal	81 13 13	Ellsworth, Me.	Sewell L. Royal	Martha Hooge
*Feb. 23, 1945	Concord, N. H.	Alton G. Herndon	56 1 21	McMeuville, Tenn.	Benjamin Herndon	America Whitlock
*June 4, 1945	Newington, N. H.	Albion A. Curtis	39 4 4	McMeuville, Tenn.	Asa Curtis	Jennie Foss
*Sept. 20, 1945	Somerville, Mass.	Hattie F. Watson	35 4 4	Barnstead, N. H.	Asa Curtis	Jennie Foss

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES F. JENKINS, Town Clerk

*Brought to Barnstead for Burial.

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