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TOWN OFFICERS,

Selectmen	Ernest J. Ellsworth Ernest S. Underhill Frederick Morrill
Town Clerk	Orlo B. Stanley
Treasurer	Admon C. Drury
Tax Collector	Orlo B. Stanley
Road Agent	Freeman A. Robie
Police	Wm. R. Stevens
Dog Officer	Wm. R. Stevens
Moderator	Wm. E. Ford
Supervisors	John F. Simpson Charles O. Fellows Harrison Hodsdon
Auditors	Wm. E. Ford Mrs. Louise S. Horton

Trustees of Trust Funds

O. B. Stanley	Term expires Mar. 1927
John F. Simpson	Term expires Mar. 1928
Earl V. Howard	Term expires Mar. 1929
Board of Health	H. E. Morrison and the Selectmen

Library Trustees

Secretary, Mrs Abbie Drury	Term expires Mar. 1927
Treasurer, Mrs. Nita P. Howard	Term expires Mar. 1927
Librarian, Mrs. Josephine Evans	Term expires Mar. 1928
Mrs. Ludelle Ames	Term expires Mar. 1928
Mrs. Louise S. Horton	Term expires Mar. 1929
Mrs. Mona L. Carpenter	Term expires Mar. 1929

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Piermont in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Piermont on Tuesday, the 8th 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 appropriation for same.
3. To raise and appropriate money to maintain Highways and bridges.
4. To raise and appropriate money to maintain Trunk Line with State Aid.
5. To raise and appropriate money to maintain State road other than Trunk Line.
6. To raise and appropriate money to construct State road with State Aid.
7. To raise and appropriate money for the support of Library.
8. To raise and appropriate money for observance of Memorial Day.
9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for White Pine Blister Rust control with State Aid.
10. To raise and appropriate money to pay part of Pier note.
11. To raise and appropriate money to construct new road on Brook road.

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

Given under our hands and seal this twelfth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

E. J. ELLSWORTH,
E. S. UNDERHILL,
FREDERICK MORRILL,
Selectmen of Piermont.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

E. J. ELLSWORTH,
E. S. UNDERHILL,
FREDERICK MORRILL,
Selectmen of Piermont.

Budget for 1927, Estimated.

Town Charges	\$4,000 00
Highways and Bridges,	
Town Maintenance by law	1,993 00
Highways and Bridges	
Town Maintenance by vote	3,000 00
State Aid Maintenance by law	2,100 00
Trunk Line Maintenance by law	2,700 00
State Aid Construction by law	1,200 00
Support of Library by law	32 70
Support of Library by vote	150 00
For Observance of Memorial Day by vote	40 00
For State Tax by Law	1,740 00
For County Tax by law	1,511 00
For Interest on Serial notes by law	168 15
Payt. of Serial note by law	1,000 00
Payt. of part of Bridge Pier loan by vote	500 00
For continuing the improvement of brook road	1,000 00
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	\$21,134 85
For Support of Schools	6,419 58
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	27,554 43
Overlay not to exceed 5% of Appropriations by law	826 57
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	28,381 00

E. J. ELLSWORTH,
E. S. UNDERHILL,
FREDERICK MORRILL,
Selectmen of Piermont.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Valuation April 1st, 1926.

	No.	Value
268 Polls		
Resident Real Estate	\$385,535 00	
Non Resident Real Estate	294,240 00	679,775 90
	No.	
Horses	211	16,920 00
Mules	2	150 00
Cows	803	57,670 00
Other Neat Stock	98	6,235 00
Sheep	52	503 00
Fowls	405	495 00
Portable Mills		1,000 00
Boats and Launches		1,100 00
Wood and Lumber		4,300 00
Gasoline Tanks		800 00
Stock in trade		14,750 00
Mills and Machinery		16,300 00
Total Valuation April 1st, 1926		\$799,998 00
Less Soldiers Exemption		2,765 00
Taxable value, April 1st, 1929		\$797,233 00
Rate \$29 50 per \$1000 00		

E. J. ELLSWORTH,
E. S. UNDERHILL,
FREDERICK MORRILL,
 Selectmen of Piermont.

APPROPRIATIONS, MARCH 9, 1926.

Town Charges by vote	\$1,600	00
Highways and Bridges Town Maintenance by vote	1,000	00
Highways and Bridges, Town Maintenance by law	1,950	00
Highways State Aid Maintenance by law	1,250	00
Highways Trunk line Construction by law	2,315	00
Highway State Aid Construction by law	1,180	50
Library, by law	34	80
Library, by vote	160	00
Observance of Memorial Day by vote	40	00
State Tax by law	1,740	00
County Tax by law	1,511	53
Interest on Serial Notes by law	213	14
Partial payt. on Pier loan, by vote	500	00
Payt. of Serial Note No. 7-A by law	1,000	00
Special appropriation for tractor, by vote	1,000	00
Special appropriation for Brook Road, by vote	2,000	00
Overlay, by law	658	61
	\$18,153	68

For Support of Schools

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1% of Equi. Valuation	\$4,068	79
Tuition	1,600	00
District Officers' Salaries	210	00
Supts Salary and Administration expenses	300	00
Per Capita Tax	222	00
For Chemical Closet	400	00
	\$6,800	79
Total Appropriations	\$24,954	47
Less Poll Tax	536	00
	\$24,418	47
Property Tax	24,418	47
Less Estimated receipts from motor fees, saving bank tax, etc.,	900	00
	\$23,518	47
Gained on fractions		15
Non Resident Tax assessed	\$9,067	31
	\$23,518	62

Resident Tax assessed	14,451 31
Polls assessed	536 00
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	\$24,054 62
Additional tax 3 Polls	6 00
Real Estate	29 50
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Amount Submitted to collector	\$24,090 12
Rate \$2 95	

E. J. ELLSWORTH,
 E. S. UNDERHILL,
 FREDERICK MORRILL,
 Selectmen.

BALANCE

Jan. 31st.

Assets

Cash in Treasury	\$2,341 52	
Due from Tax Collector	894 52	
Due from joint fund, trunk line main.	16 65	
Due from State Aid Main.	26 91	
Due from State Aid Construction	8 81	
Due from State highway dept.		
Snow bill	59 21	
Due from Joint fund trunk line maintenance		
orders paid since Dec. 1st, 1926	391 26	
Due from Town of Orford Snow bill	10 50	
Due from Ray Bonett note	50 00	
Due from State Treas. Bounties	26 40	
Due from Unredeemed Tax Sales	231 57	
Interest will be charged on above at 12%		
from time of sale to date of redemption		
Due from Orlando B Hill burial lot	16 55	
Harley C Hackett burial lot	15 44	
Estate of Louise French burial lot	12 00	
Materials for use on roads 2000 ft.		
bridge plank	60 00	
Due from town of Bradford, Snow bill	1 50	
Due from F A Robie, overpaid	5 60	
Total Assets		\$4,168 41
Net debt. Feb. 1st, 1927		6,664 14
Grand Total		<u>\$10,832 58</u>

SHEET

1927

Liabilities.

Serial notes outstanding

No. of Note	Date of Issue	To Whom Given	Amount	Rate of Int.	Due
8	Jan. 31, 1918	Ellen Lawrence	1000 00	4½	Jan. 31, 1928
9	" "	Horace Clough	400 00	4½	" 1929
9 A	" "	Eva J. Metcalf	600 00	4½	" 1929
10	" "	J. N. Leonard	1000 00	4½	" 1930
11	" "	Trustees of Trust Funds	947 25	3½	" 1931

 \$3,947 25

Due to Joint fund trunk line maint.	16 65
Due to Joint fund State Aid Maint.	26 91
Due to Joint fund State Aid Const.	8 81
Due to Bfd. Natl Bank, Pier loan	1,500 00
Due Bfd. Nat'l Bank Temp. loan	2,500 00
Due School Dist., bal. appro.	2,800 79
Due School Dis., bal Dog license	32 17
Gross debt.	

This Grand total (Gross Debt.

 \$10,832 58

Gross debt, Feb. 1st, 1925 was \$17,539 38

Gross debt Feb. 1st, 1927 is 10,832 58

 Gross debt reduced \$6,706 80

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Town Hall and land	\$4,000 00	
Furniture and equipment	300 00	
Library building and land	1,200 00	
Books and equipment	2,000 00	
		\$7,500 00
Police department, building, land and equipment	200 00	\$200 00
Highway department		
Town barn	200 00	
Large road machine	275 00	
Small road machine	100 00	
2 snow rollers	225 00	
3 road hones	20 00	
1 stone dray on wheels	15 00	
6 wheelbarrows	25 00	
1 stone crusher	700 00	
1 road plow	50 00	
1 scraper	10 00	
1 cement mixer	150 00	
1 tractor	1,000 00	
1 snow plow	500 00	
Small tools	25 00	
Bridge plank 2-M	60 00	
		\$3,355 00
Public Service Department		
Town Scales	375 00	
Cedar Grove Cemetery	500 00	
South Lawn Cemetery	1,000 00	
Hearse	150 00	
2 Lawn Mowers	15 00	
Rake	75	
		2,040 75
		\$13,095 75
	E. J. ELLSWORTH, E. S. UNDERHILL FREDERICK MORRILL, Selectmen.	

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Considerable water has run under the bridge since my last report; but no extraordinary thing has happened in the conduct of town affairs that I know of; that calls for any extended report from me.

I am not familiar enough with the final summing up of the financial affairs of the town to make any comment thereon, so will leave it to others under the Jurisdiction of whom it belongs.

Physical conditions throughout the town as regards growth and development. Sanitation Health and etc. have been generally good, there has been a Normal healthy growth at Lake Tarleton thus insuring an added tax receipt from that section of the town, several farms have been sold to supposedly wealthy people from outside the State and through their influence no doubt others will come looking for summer homes.

Auto Rest Inn, Piermonts' summer hotel near the Village under the efficient and skillful management of Mr. A. C. Leard has had a very successful growth in business and popularity. Mr. Leard built 3 Bungalows at the close of last year's season and is contemplating other extended improvements in the early spring.

We have had no fires causing property loss. No destructive storms to cause damage to crops, highways or bridges and if we could find some way to reduce our tax burden to quite an extent we would be as healthy, happy and prosperous as the people in general throughout Rural New England.

I Licensed 76 Dogs, 67 males and 9 females. Total amount received \$179.00. Issued 142 Auto Permits for which the town received \$537.37.

Report of Vital Statistics will be found in tables in the back of this book.

Respectfully Submitted,

ORLO B. STANLEY, Town Clerk.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT.

For year ending Jan. 31st, 1927.

Rec'd of O. B. Stanley, bal of		
1925 tax	\$3,502	86
Rec'd of O. B. Stanley, interest		
on same	78	87
Rec'd of O. B. Stanley, bal of 1924 tax		
and interest	74	86
Rec'd of O. B. Stanley on tax		
of 1926	23,195	60
Rec'd of O. B. Stanley, Interest on		
1926 tax	32	41
		\$26,884 60
Rec'd of State Treasurer for Trunk line		
Maintenance	\$1,762	48
Trunk line Snow bill	115	75
State Aid Maintenance	213	09
State Aid Construction	1,101	64
Bounty on Wild Cat	20	00
Bounty on Hedge Hogs	20	20
Savings Bank Tax	134	84
Interest and Dividend Tax	11	93
		3,379 93
From all other Sources		12,169 65
Total receipts to Feb. 1st, 1927.		\$42,434 18
Cash in treasury Feb. 1st, 1926		2,004 75
Grand Total		\$44,438 93
	Disbursements	
Current Maintenance	\$16,798	82
New Construction State Aid	2,277	74
New Construction Brook road	2,002	58
Indebtedness	9,000	00
Other governmental divisions	12,018	27
Total		42,097 41
Cash in treasury Feb. 1st, 1927		2,341 52
Grand Total		\$44,438 93

ADMON C. DRURY, Treasurer.

This certifies that we have carefully examined the accounts of Admon C. Drury as town treasurer and found them correctly kept and vouchers for all disbursements.

LOUISE S. HORTON,

W. E. FORD,

Auditors

DETAILS OF RECEIPTS

FROM FEB. 1ST. 1926 TO FEB. 1ST. 1927.

Rec'd of Tax Collector, bal. of 1925 tax	\$3,502 86	
Rec'd of Tax Collector Interest on same	78 87	
Rec'd of Tax Collector bal. and Interest on 1924 Tax	74 86	
Rec'd of Tax Collector on 1926 Tax	23,195 60	
Rec'd of Tax Collector Interest on Tax of 1926	32 41	
		<hr/>
		\$26,884 60

State Treasurer		
For Trunk line maintenance	1,762 48	
For State Aid maintenance	213 09	
For State Aid Construction	1,101 64	
For part of snow bill (trunk line)	115 75	
Bounties, 1 Wild Cat, 101 H. Hogs	40 20	
Savings bank tax	134 84	
Interest and dividend tax	11 93	
		<hr/>
		3,379 93

Rec'd Town Clerk		
Dog licenses	179 00	
Motor permits	537 37	
Nomination fee (E. S. Underhill)	2 00	
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Miscellaneous items		
Rent of tenements	77 00	
Geo. N Smith, burial lot	12 52	
Geo. B. Corliss (Sarah Moore lease)	10 00	

E. V. Howard, refund of overcharge Postage on town reports	3 21
Frank W. Hall for care of Wm. Hall	14 00
Ray Bonette, part payt. of note and interest	14 45
Town of Orford, use of tractor and plow (Snow bill)	60 00
O. B. Stanley, use of town hall	1 00
Earl C. Swain, grass on town lot	127 00
H. W. Swain, grass on town lot	119 00
B'fd Nat'l Bank on 2 notes	10,000 00
Warren M'fg Co., crushed rock	4 00
Camp Aloha, work on private road	6 00
C. W. Jewell, use of tractor and crusher	96 40
A. C. Drury, old lumber	6 30
J. F. Simpson, old lumber	1 12
C. H. Thomas, burial lot for N. R. Celley	12 00
H. H. Nutt, use of cement mixer	2 10
J. P. Metcalf, old plank from Brook Road	2 00
Frank Wright, part of tax on property sold for taxes	90 00
Jesse Rix, redemption of tax sale of Martin Day, place taxed to E. Reed	104 08
H. A. Darling, Scale book	1 00
E. S. Underhill, use of cement mixer	35 55
C. W. Jewell, use of cement mixer	86 00
C. W. Jewell, use of Tractor	156 00
C. W. Jewell, use of Crusher	107 50
C. W. Jewell, use of Tractor	8 22
Earl Ramsey, use of tractor and plow	1 00
Federal land bank on Frank Wright tax sale	137 68
C. W. Jewell, use of Tractor and plow	74 52
O. B. Stanley, grass on South Lawn Cemetery	7 00
E. V. Howard, use of Cement mixer	11 60
C. W. Jewell, use of tractor	15 17
Pasquale Genovese Shovel	1 25
John Lee, burial lot	18 00

R. E. Curtis, redemption of tax sale	28 61	
		11,451 28
Total receipts		<u>\$42,434 18</u>
Cash in treasury, Feb. 1st, 1926		2,004 75
Grand Total		<u>\$44,438 93</u>

**STATEMENT OF ORDERS DRAWN ON THE
TREASURER BY THE SELECTMEN.**

General Government

Salaries

Selectmen

Ernest J. Ellsworth	\$102 00	
Ernest S. Underhill	85 50	
Frederick Morrill	112 00	
		<u>\$299 50</u>

Town Clerk

Orlo B. Stanley, salary	50 00	
Auto fees	35 50	
Dog license fees	15 20	
		<u>100 70</u>

Treasurer

Admon C. Drury, salary	100 00	
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Tax Collector

Orlo B. Stanley	149 00	
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Police

William R. Stevens, police work	18 00	
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Auditors

Wm. E. Ford	4 00	
Mrs. Louise S. Horton	4 00	
		<u>275 00</u>

Total Salaries, \$675 20

Town Officers' Expenses

E. J. Ellsworth	11 00
E. S. Underhill	1 00
Frederick Morrill	7 44
O. B. Stanley	2 40
A. C. Drury	7 47

Total Officers Expenses, \$29 31

29 31

General Government Expenses

Opinion Press, 400 town reports	83 40
A. C. Drury, clerical work on reports of all kinds required by law and expense on same	68 63
Ray Howard, Auto to Barre, Vt.	6 00
Expenses of town officers to Woodsville to meet Tax Commissioners	6 00
200 Stamped Envelopes for inventory blanks	4 35
Treas. bond	15 00
Tax Collectors' Bond	15 00
Town Clerk's Bond	5 00
Library Treasurer's Bond	3 00
W. J. Randolph, copies of transfer	3 20
E. C. Eastman Co., supplies	10 93
James P. Melzer, supplies	2 05
E. C. Eastman, dog license tags	6 63
N. H. Assessors Association dues	2 00
W. J. Randolph Searching records	1 25
F. S. Wright, legal services	2 50
Mr Hosford, legal services	2 00
F. Morrill, clerical work	78 00
Postage Tel. ac.	1 00

Total General Gov't expenses

315 94

Elections and Registrations

William E. Ford, moderator	15 00
Supervisors	
John F. Simpson	40 00
Charles O. Fellows	35 00
Harrison Hodsdon	40 00
Ballot Clerks	
E. J. Ellsworth	8 00

Frederick Morrill	6 00
E. S. Underhill	4 00
A. M. Evans	4 00
H. Stebbins	8 00
J. P. Metcalf	8 00
E. D. Day	8 00
E. C. Eastman Co., check lists, Warrants, &c.,	6 62

182 62

Town Hall

O. B. Stanley, janitor	44 38
Eaton In's Agency, insurance for 3 yr.	50 08
Lumber for tables, and repairs on oil stove	3 40
John F. Simpson, labor and materials for new floor	269 32
W. E. Ford, labor	21 00
H. E. Stebbins, labor	17 50
C. O. Fellows, labor	31 75

437 43

Library Building

H. E. Stebbins, labor	1 50
W. E. Ford, labor	5 25
H. R. Gould, Mdse.	4 80
E. S. Underhill, repairs	6 47

18 02

Police Department

W. R. Stevens, Dog officer	4 00
Care of tramps	5 00
	9 00

9 00

Fire Department

No bills rendered	
Bounties	
132 Hedgehogs, at 20c.	26 40

26 40

Damages by Dogs
Fred St. Cyr, Turkeys killed 125 00

125 00

Health and Sanitation

H. E. Morrison 46 00
Dr. Russell 4 00

50 00

Vital Statistics

Dr. Weaver 75
Dr. Ladd 25
O. B. Stanley 5 30

6 30

Highways and Bridges

State Aid Maintenance

Appro. by Town 1,250 00
Appro. by State 1,250 00

Total amt. avail. 2,500 00

Paid C. W. Jewell Jr., 1,449 64

Cash Payment 60 75

1,388 89

Paid by State 1,023 45

Total \$2,473 09

Bal. 26 91

2,500 00

State to Town 213 09

Trunk Line Maintenance

Appro. by Town 2,315 00

Appro. by State 4,630 00

Bal. from last year 3 06

Total amt. avail. 6,948 06

Paid C. W. Jewell Jr., 4,364 11

4,364 11

Paid by State 2,858 46

7,222 57

274 51

7,222 57

State to town 1,762 48, maint. acct.
 Rec'd from State part of snow bill 115 75

Town Maintenance Acct.

	Dr.	Cr.
Appropriations by law	1,950 00	
Appropriations by vote	1,000 00	
From general fund, (Motor fees and other items of 1925) by vote	1,000 00	
This year the following items have been added directly to this account as they were received.		
Formerly it has been the custom to put them into the general fund.		
From State, part of snow bill (trunk line)	115 75	
From Town of Orford, use of tractor and plow	60 00	
From C. W. Jewell, use of tractor crusher and plow	726 64	
From Earl Ramsey, use of tractor and plow	1 00	
From H. H. Nutt, use of cement mixer	2 10	
From E. S. Underhill, use of cement mixer	35 55	
From E. V. Howard, use of cement mixer	11 60	
From C. W. Jewell, use of cement mixer	86 00	
From H. A. Darling, scale book	1 00	
From Warren Mfg. Co., crushed rock	4 00	
From Camp Aloha, work on road	6 00	
From A. C. Drury, old lumber	6 30	
From J. F. Simpson, old lumber	1 12	
Amount available	4,707 06	
F. A. Robie (road agent)	2,932 44	
Bfd. Elt. Co., snow bills	259 50	
C. W. Jewell, snow bills	240 13	
W. R. Stevens, snow bills	16 00	

H. W. Underhill, snow bills	3 50
Cost of tractor (above appro.)	249 50
Cost of snow plow	500 00
H. R. Gould, oil, gas, batteries, and other items	74 26
Board for 2 men, setting up tractor	6 00
Berger Mfg. Co., metal culverts	233 84
E. V. Howard, 3820 ft. plank at 3c.	114 60
Howard Bros., oil, gas and mdse.	26 92
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts	51 75
New p'ates and other repairs on Stone crusher	99 18
Repairs on Stone dray	4 50
Repairs, freight, etc., on tractor	88 74
Lumber for housing tractor	20 58
Geo. W. Eaton, replacing St. sign	1 00
F. P. Winn, land damage	3 00
Fay Emory, water supply	2 00
Milo Sawyer, water supply	2 00
E. L. Stevens, water supply	3 00
Sylvester Lougee, water supply	3 00
H. H. Nutt, water supply	3 00
Mrs Ella Flint, land rent	3 00
Bfd. Elt. Co. street lights	330 00
Bridge insurance	49 50
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	5,320 94

Special Appro. for tractor	1,000 00
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1,000 00

Pd. for tractor 1,249 50, overdraft of
249 50, charged to town maint. acc. also
cost of snow plow, \$500 00 pd. from town
maint. acct.

Special Appro for improvement of Brook road	2,000 00
Plank sold to J. P. Metcalf	2 00

Amt. available	<hr/> 2,002 00
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Pd. F. A. Robie overdraft, .58 cents	2,002 58
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2,002 58

	Library	
Nita P. Howard, treas.		194 80

194 80

Charity

Town poor		
Wm. Gould's family		
Dr. Woodman, operation, Mrs. Gould	75 00	
Dr. McKinlay, medical services	269 00	
Dr. Spear, medical services	30 00	
Cottage hospital, Mrs Gould	313 00	
Cottage hospital, Mr. Gould	32 50	
Mary F. Adams, nurse	77 00	
A'drich and Aldrich Groceries	30 98	
W. B. Titus, wood	17 50	
N Haverhill, Water Co. water bill	12 00	
Arthur Coats, wood	11 50	

868 98

A. E. Hale, burial expenses,		
Louis French	83 00	
H. E. Stebbins, expenses		
Louis French	10 00	
Frederick Morrill, expenses (2 boys)	4 00	
N. H. Childrens Aid and Protective Society		
board and clothing for two boys	191 90	
John F. Simpson, expense Mary French	32 60	

321 50

Dr. Mil'er, care of Mrs James Thayer	10 00	
Dr. Weaver, care of Mrs. James		
Thayer	22 75	
Mrs. Mabel Blanchard, nurse	62 50	
Mrs. Merritt, nurse	9 00	
F. S. Underhill, wood	10 00	
H. E. Morrison services	8 00	

122 25

Total of Charity bills, \$1,312 23

Patriotic

Appropriations for Memorial Day,	40 00	
Pd. Mrs. Goodwin for Memorial day	40 00	
Pd. W. R. Stevens, care of green	4 50	
Pd. W. R. Stevens, Lawn mower	9 00	
Pd. W. R. Stevens, fertilizer	2 50	

56 00

Pd. W. R. Stevens, fertilizer	2 50	
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56 00

Cemeteries

Howard Bros., labor and supplies	15 20	
G. LaMontangue, labor	5 00	
H. E. Stebbins, labor	42 79	
John F. Simpson, labor and supplies	25 00	
O. B. Stanley, labor	8 00	

95 99

Taxes bought by Town

Eugene Reed, on Martin Day place	100 17	
Frank R. Wright Home place, Wing farm and P. K. Day wood lot and part of lots 3 and 4	227 68	
A. A. Straw, part of Sam Bartlett farm	48 82	
Henry Judd, Humphrey land	5 84	
Hazel Stevens Cottage at Tarleton	28 61	
Error on costs	1 00	

412 12

Abatements and Refunds

C. C. Stanford, soldiers exemption	29 50	
Federal land bank refund	33 48	
O. B. Stanley, taxes abated	82 25	

145 23

New Construction, State Aid River Road

Appro. by town	1,180 50	
Appro. by State	1,180 00	

Total Amt. available	2,360 50	
Paid C. W. Jewell	2,277 74	2,277 74
Paid by State	73 95	

Total cost	2,351 69	
Bal.	8 81	

2,360 50

State to town, \$1,101 64

Interest	
Interest on Serial notes	213 15
Bfd. Nat'l. bank int. on temporary loans	320 14
Bfd. Nat'l. bank int. on Pier loan	100 00

633 29

Indebtedness	
Serial note No. 7 A	1,000 00
Bfd. Nat'l. Bank $\frac{1}{4}$ of Pier loan	500 00
Bfd. Nat'l bank three-fourth temporary loan	7,500 00

9,000 00

Payments to other Divisions	
State tax	17 40
County tax	1,511 63
School District Treasurers	
Mrs Nita P Howard	2,866 64
Mrs L. M. Simpson	4,000 00
Town Maintenance Account	1,000 00
Town Charges Account	900 00

12,018 27

Grand Total 42,097 41

E. J. ELLSWORTH
E. S. UNDERHILL,
FREDERICK MORRILL,
Selectmen.

DETAILS OF TOWN CHARGES ACCT

	Dr.	Cr.
To Appropriation	\$1,600 00	
Grass sold, Bal. of map fund and other items by vote	900 00	
	<hr style="width: 100%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>	
Total amt. available	\$2,500 00	
By Town Officers, salaries and expenses		704 00
General government expenses		317 34

Election and Registration expenses	182	62
Town Hall expenses	437	43
Library building expenses	18	02
Police department expenses	9	00
Fire department expenses		
Bounties	26	40
Health department	50	00
Vital Statistics	6	30
Charities	1,312	23
Care of Memorial Green	16	00
Cemeteries	95	99
Taxes bought by town	412	12
Abatements	145	23
Interest on temporary loans	420	14
Overdrafts on Brook road Construction		58
Overdrafts on town maintenance account	613	98
This account overdrawn	2,267	28
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	\$4,767	28
	\$4,767	28

REPORT OF F. A. ROBIE, ROAD AGENT.

Side Walk	
F. A. Robie, 13½ days	\$54 00
Robie Team, 10½ days	36 75
Geo Webster, 11 days	38 50
J. F. Simpson, 14 days, 2½ hours	85 66
L. E. Robie, 2½ days	17 50
Daniel Metcalf, 1 day	3 50
Harry Stebbins, 10 days	35 00
Ed. Smith, 1½ days	5 25
L. E. Robie, Gravel	1 80
H. R. Gould, Gravel	15
Harry Deal, Posts,	5 00
F. A. Robie, Posts	5 00
Mert French, irons for posts	1 00
Bert French, 1 day	3 50
Howard Bros. spike and cement	56 09
J. O. Evans, 70 load stone	7 00
John Lufkin, lumber	44 80
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	\$400 50
Lumber transferred to Town Road, \$10 64	\$389 86

Brook Road Special Appropriation

F. A. Robie, 37 days	\$148 00
Robie team, 22½ days	78 75
Two culverts	217 18
H. H. Nutt, man and team, 2 days	14 00
Mabel Blanchard, 1032 load gravel	103 20
H. R. Gould, gas and oil	16 34
Howard Bros., nails and cement	26 90
Telephone	40
Harley Hackett	92 50
George Webster, 36 days	126 00
D. Metcalf, 3½ days	12 50
E. Day and team, ½ day	3 50
F. N. Stetson, 30 load gravel	3 00
Jesse Rix, 4 days	14 00
F. Howland, 12½ days	43 75
Ed Smith, 1 day	3 50
Berger Mfg. Co., 24 ft. 24 inch culvert	68 21
L. E. Robie and team, 19 days	133 00
F. C. Robinson and team, 21 days	147 00
C. W. Stetson and team, 19 days	133 00
George Smith and team, 18 days	126 90
E. B. Bedford and team, 23 days	161 90
Ray Blanchard, 22 days	77 00
Floyd Smith, 21 days	73 50
Allen Webster, 24 days	84 00
Herman Blanchard, 1 day	2 00
George Stevens, 25 days	87 50
H. R. Gould, land damage	2 00
H. R. Gould, 51 load gravel	5 10

Received of Town Treasurer, 2,002 58 \$2,002 58

Snow Bills

F. A. Robie, 15½ days	62 90
Frank Howland, 10½ days	31 50
Ed Smith, breaking road over hill	24 00
Pasquale Genovese on East Piermont road	46 50
Harley Hackett, 1 day	3 00
H. H. Nutt, team on roller	130 50
Harry Swain, labor	5 50
Lee Howland, 1 day	1 75
L. E. Robie and team, 3 days	20 00
Walter Mack, on road to his house	13 50

George Smith and team, 1 day	6 00
Charles Johnson and team	56 00
Arthur Evans and team	17 50
Clinton Stetson and team	63 00
F. H. Dunbar, labor	6 33
E. C. Reed, labor	4 15
H. Stebbins, plowing walks,	21 50
Fay Emery, labor	29 50
Gideon LaMontague	27 63
Charles Currie, land damage and snow bill	5 70
M. J. Batchelder, land damage	4 00
Walter Gamsby, snowing bridge	16 00
E. D. Day and team, 2 days	13 00
W. J. Arnold, breaking road over hill	42 00
J. P. Metcalf and team 3 days	17 50
Fay Emery, land damage	5 00
	\$673 06

Other Roads

F. A. Robie, 92 days	\$368 30
F. Howland, 50½ days	169 00
John B. Simpson and team, 10½ days	73 50
Robie's team, 39½ days	137 75
Jessie Rix, 5½ days	19 25
H. R. Gould, 2 shove's	2 80
Ed Smith, 3 days	10 50
Express	2 61
Hiram Winn, labor	1 50
Jim White, labor	3 00
P. Dearth, labor	2 00
Ira Ricker, labor	1 00
H. R. Gould, gas and oil	17 02
F. C. Robinson and team, 3 days	21 00
Pasquale Genovese, labor	12 00
Earl Swain, labor	11 00
To Side Walk Account	10 64
Bert French, lumber and work on dray	2 00
Nels Nelson, stringers	2 00
Harley Hackett, 39½ days	147 25
Three culverts	118 48
Geo. Webster, 63½ days	221 85
W. F. Rutledge, 100 cedar posts	20 00
Clayburn Bros., plank	2 25
H. H. Nott and team, 11½ days	77 75
Harry Swain	31 90

Daniel Metcalf, 1½ day	5 25
Lee Howland, 25 days	87 50
Gideon LaMontange, 3 loads gravel	30
George Stevens, 12½ days	43 75
Frank Wright, care of road to Stone house, 1 year	20 00
Lake Tarleton Club, gas	9 10
McClure, lineing brakes	13 63
L. E. Robie and team, 6 days	38 00
H. B. Foote, 3 days	10 50
H. B. Foote, Jr., 3 days	10 50
J. H. Patten, labor	2 00
H. A. Darling, parts tractor	1 65
Walter Mack, care of road to his house	15 00
Howard Bros., gas and oil	13 90
George F. Smith and team, 5 days	30 00
Floyd Smith, 1 day	3 00
Mabel Blanchard, gravel	1 20
H. R. Gould, spike	54
F. H. Webster, labor	5 20
F. H. Stetson, ½ day	1 75
B. C. French, labor	4 60
H. A. Darling, grease	75
E. D. Bedford, ½ day	1 50
Howard Bros., 9 shovels	11 40
Clinton Stetson, 1 day	6 50
C. Perkins, 1 day	3 00
W. Clark, 1 day	3 00
Frank Winn, labor	9 75
Frank Day, 1 day	7 00
E. D. Day, 1 day	6 00
H. R. Gould, rake and pick handle	1 85
B. French, storing tractor and oil	2 25
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	\$1,856 42
F. A. Robie, 1925 account	8 50
Total	<hr/>
	\$4,929 42
1926 State Aid Construction.	
H. C. Hackett, labor	\$92 00
Fred Jones, labor	91 00
L. N. Bailey, labor	89 25
Carl Brock, labor	82 25
F. D. Cutting, labor	71 75
Elmer Moulton, labor	42 00
Arthur Ellsworth, labor	38 50

A. M. Wright, labor	31 50
W. B. Brown, labor	26 25
W. R. Stevens, labor	5 25
Walter Gamsby, labor	3 50
I. O. Ricker, man and team	144 00
E. F. Brock, man and team	132 00
H. W. Swain, man and team	84 00
F. F. Davis, man and team	69 00
Alfred Musty, man and team	64 67
G. N. Smith, man and team	51 00
Wm. Lathe, man and team	6 00
E. D. Day, man and team	6 00
Chas. W. Jewell, man and truck	287 00
H. E. Morrison, man and truck	217 00
E. S. Underhill, man and truck	130 20
Town of Piermont, use of tractor and crusher	96 40
H. R. Gould, gas and oil	46 97
H. R. Gould, 448 loads of gravel at 10c.	44 80
W. B. Brown, 303 loads of rock at 10c.	30 30
W. H. B'aisde'll, 229 loads of sand at 10c.	22 90
I. O. Ricker, 225 loads of rock at 10c.	22 50
John B. Varrick Co., dynamite	15 26
F. F. Davis, land damage	10 00
H. F. Stetson, land damage	5 00
F. F. Davis, 66 loads of rock at 10c.	6 60
Chas. W. Jewell, use of auto, 87 mi. at 10c.	8 70
Walter Gamsby, use of auto, 7 mi. at 10c.	70
W. S. Davis, repairing tools	5 80
Howard Bros., bill	6 79
H. W. Swain, 29 loads of gravel	2 90
B. & M. R. R. Co., freight	2 00
Chas. W. Jewell, Jr., Foreman	186 00

\$2,277 74

1300 loads cost \$1,190 67.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This certifies that we have examined the accounts of the officers of the Town of Piermont for the year ending Jan. 31 1927, and find the same correctly kept with vouches for all payments.

LOUISE S. HORTON,
W. E. FORD,

Auditors

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF PIERMONT ON JANUARY 31, 1927.

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation All trust funds should be reported separately giving name of fund and donor	How Invested State character and rate of return for each investment	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on hand at End of Year
1902	Fletcher Fund	Town Note	47 25	03½		1 65	1 65	
July 11 1906	Mrs. Mary Fletcher Chandler Fund	Town Note	50 00	03½		2 92	2 22	
Feb. 14 1926	George Chandler Chandler Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	50 00	04		3 50	3 15	6 74
July 1 1908	Estate of George Casmiller Simpson Fund	Town Note	100 00	03½	6 39	1 75	1 00	7 75
Nov. 3 1907	Charles A. Simpson Talman Fund	Town Note	50 00	03½	7 00	1 75	1 75	
Sept. 12 1909	Emily Talman Quinn Fund	Town Note	50 00	03½		1 75	1 75	
April 29 1912	Roses Quint Mattoon Fund	Town Note	50 00	03½		1 75	1 75	
June 4 1910	Mrs. E. O. Mattoon Drown Fund	Town Note	400 00	03½		18 25	6 30	52 37
Mar. 10 1920	Stephen Drown Unexpanded Interest of Drown Fund	U. S. G. Bond	50 00	04½	40 42			
Feb. 4 1923			50 00					
Feb. 26 1915	Hunt Fund	Town Note	100 00	03½	7 48	3 50	3 15	7 83
Jan. 6 1902	Mary Hunt Platt Fund	Town Note	100 00	03½	7 74	3 50	3 16	8 08
May 3 1918	James Platt Baldwin Fund	U. S. G. Bond	100 00	04½	11 11	4 25	3 15	12 24
Aug. 1 1919	Hattie P. Baldwin Spaulding Fund	U. S. G. Bond	100 00	04½	17 35	4 59	3 15	18 79
Sept. 1 1920	Pearl D. Spaulding Balance of the Spaulding Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04		4 59	3 15	17 71
Feb. 15 1919	Muchmore Fund	U. S. G. Bond	8 65	04½	16 27	4 59	3 15	
Oct. 4 1920	Mrs. Henry S. Muchmore Balance of the Muchmore Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04		4 26	3 15	
Feb. 15 1922	Page Fund	U. S. G. Bond	8 65	04	7 40	4 25	3 15	8 51
Jan. 27 1922	Charles P. and Fred W. Page Balance of Page Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04½		4 00	3 15	4 52
Feb. 3 1923	Lawrence Fund	U. S. G. Bond	25	04	3 00	4 00	3 15	3 85
July 1 1923	Mrs. Ellen Chanler Lawrence Kimball Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04½	4 29	4 00	3 15	1 52
Oct. 19 1924	Catherine L. Kimball Learned Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04	3 67	4 00	3 15	1 52
Mar. 17 1925	Sarah Learned Felch Butson Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04	3 00	4 00	3 15	1 33
Nov. 17 1925	James M. and Luvia A. Butson Stiekney Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04	67	4 00	3 15	50
Dec. 1 1926	Mrs. Emma V. Stiekney Colby Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04	67	4 00	3 15	
Sept. 9 1926	Sarah E. Hammond Clark Fund	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100 00	04		1 33		
Oct. 13	Judson E. Clark	Dartmouth Savings Bank	50 00	04		50		

The above Funds were created for the care of Burial Lots in Cemeteries. Notes have been used as required by Chapter 162 Laws of 1915 as amended by Chapter 171 Laws of 1917.

Trustees.
ORLO B. STANLEY,
JOHN F. SIMPSON,
EARL V. HOWARD,

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Miss Frances Hobart, of the State Library Commission, visited our Library in the Spring and pronounced conditions up to the standard and complimented our Librarian on her efficient work.

On her advice we sent some of the old books to the County Farm and Hospital, thus leaving more needed shelf room.

The Librarian and part of the trustees attended two Library meetings this year, from which they received some helpful suggestions.

An entertainment given in the Spring by the trustees netted us nearly twenty-five dollars. We hoped to send a member to Durham to attend the Summer School for Librarians, but as no one could go, we are holding this money for future use.

A new ceiling and tier of shelves adds much to the appearance of the room. Ninety-three books have been purchased and fifty-eight books given this year. Nine magazines are in constant circulation. 2914 books have been loaned this year.

Visitors always welcome.

Open Tuesday and Saturday afternoons from 2 to 4

ABBIE DRURY, Secretary.

LIBRARY REPORT

1926		
Feb.	1 Cash on hand	\$23 30
Mar.	27 Rec'd Town check	100 00
May	10 Rec'd Library Social	24 85
Sept.	25 Rec'd Town check	94 80
Jan	31 1927, Rec'd Library dues	7 25
		\$250 20

Paid

1926		
Feb.	2 Lee Howland, janitor	\$3 00
Feb.	8 The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc. Books	1 86
Feb.	27 A. C. Drury Magazines	2 25
Mar.	17 The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc. Books	5 35
Mar.	31 Mrs. J. O. Evans, Librarian 8½ weeks	8 50

Apr.	21	The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc. Books	10 59
		Howard Brothers Postage	50
May	8	Lee Howland, janitor	5 50
May	10	The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc. Books	15 08
May	12	The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc. Books	14 39
May	14	Mrs. J. O. Evans, Librarian, 12 weeks	12 00
Aug.	3	Mrs. J. O. Evans Librarian, 10 weeks	10 00
Oct.	4	S. F. Claffin, Magazines	2 90
Oct.	11	Mrs. J. O. Evans, Librarian, 6 weeks	6 00
Oct.	14	The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc Books	9 59
Oct.	21	The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc. Books	12 09
Nov.	8	Standard Book Co Inc. Books	2 40
Nov.	15	The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc. Books	2 60
Nov.	17	The H. R. Hunting Co. Inc. Books	14 22
Nov.	24	Mrs. J. O. Evans, Librarian 6 weeks	6 00
Nov.	30	A. C. Drury, Magazines	4 75
Dec.	14	E. S. Underhill, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood	5 00
Dec.	22	Mrs. J. O. Evans, Librarian 3 weeks	3 00
Dec.	28	Lee Howland, janitor	6 00
Jan.	17	1927. Gavlord Bro's Mending Mat'l	6 75
		Peoples Home Journal Magazine	1 35
Jan.	31	The R. H. Hunting Co., Inc. Books	20 02
		Howard Bros. Postage	50
		Mrs. J. O. Evans, Librarian 6 weeks	6 00
		Paid out during year for paper, ink, blank book, mucilage, maps, framing picture, stove po'ish, postage, etc.	5 88
Feb.	1	Cash on hand	46 13

 \$250 20

NITA P. HOWARD, Treas.

SCHOOL WARRANT.

The State of New Hampshire.

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Piermont, qualified to vote in district affairs;

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 8th day of March, 1927, at 1 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 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 transact any business that may properly come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Piermont, this 10th day of February, 1927.

MABLE F. BROWN,
JOHN F. SIMPSON,
CHRISTIE E. GOODWIN,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest.

MABLE F. BROWN,
JOHN F. SIMPSON,
CHRISTIE E. GOODWIN,
School Board.

BUDGET FOR YEAR JULY 1, 1927 TO JUNE 30, 1928.

(As required by laws of 1919, 1923: 106-21.)

Amounts Required for Support of Schools.

Teachers Salaries	\$5,242 00
Text Books and scholar supplies	250 90
Flags and appurtenances	10 00
Janitor service	324 00
Fuel	300 00
Medical inspection and School Nurse	143 00
Transportation	1200 00
Minor repairs and expenses	150 00

Total estimate for elementary schools from town and state	\$7,619 06
From town (one-half of one per cent of the equalized valuation	\$4,087 58
Amount expected from state aid	3,531 48

Amounts to be Raised and Appropriated for Support of Schools and Payment of Other Obligations.

One half of one per cent of equalized valuation	\$4,087 58
High School and Academy tuition	1,600 90
Salaries of district officers and school census	210 00
Superintendents's salary	250 00
Administration expenses	50 00
Per capita tax	222 00

Total amount to be assessed for fiscal year July 1, 1927 to June 30, 1928,	\$6,419 58
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MABLE F. BROWN,
JOHN F. SIMPSON,
CHRISTIE E. GOODWIN,
School Board of Piermont.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Board and Citizens of Piermont:

I am pleased to submit my fifth annual report as Superintendent of Schools. The accompanying statistical table should be of interest to every citizen. It

brings out some significant facts concerning our schools.

The total registration for the current year is practically the same as for last year, 102. The average attendance for all schools was 93.7 per cent of the membership. The average for the state for this period was 94.6. There were four more school days due to holidays and institutes out of a total of 180 days. The attitude on the part of children and parents to attend school regularly when convinced that children in general enjoy attending school and that it is a pleasure and not a duty.

The teachers for the present year are as follows: Village Grammar, Dorothy Marshall; Primary, Loleta Moore; River Road, Lillian Swain; Brook Road, Estelle Holden; Clay Hollow, Jean Bickford; Rodimon, Velma Campbell. The work of these schools is being done efficiently as is shown by standard test results given both by teachers and superintendent.

Miss Underhill, our school nurse, reports for last year 51 school visits, 24 home visits and 18 cases of treatment of various defects. 14 children had work done at the dental clinic held at Piermont last Fall. The teachers are putting across a good program of health training through the checking up of health habits, talks on personal hygiene, various health contests and health posters.

"The parent, guardian or other person having the custody of a child who is infected with or who has been exposed to a communicable disease, shall not permit him to attend either a public or private school." The above is a copy of the state law. Itch is a communicable disease. Instead of venting ill-humor on the teacher or school nurse who protect the school by sending infected children home, parents should thank them.

The new chemical toilets at the Village School are proving very satisfactory and have remedied a condition which was detrimental both to the children's health and morals.

It is my belief that the Piermont schools are in a good condition. This condition should not suggest a passive satisfaction in our accomplishment but give us hope for future advancement. There is in sight new and broader educational aims and objectives which will train our children for the present and future rather than the past.

In closing I wish to express my gratitude to the School Board for making my work so pleasant. And to the public, I am thankful for the cooperative attitude manifested in so many ways.

Respectfully Submitted,
 WILLIAM J. NELSON.
 Superintendent.

HONOR ROLL FOR ATTENDANCE,

High Honors. Perfect Attendance for Three Terms

Walter Johnson	Edward St. Cyr
Harold Simpson	Charlotte Gould
Minnie Fern Cookman	Clarence Hackett
Alice St. Cyr	Robert Fadden

Honors. Perfect Attendance for Two Terms.

Harry Simpson	Raymond Burns
Herbert Martin	Donald Fadden
Mildred Hill	Dora St. Cyr
Elizabeth Horton	

Honorable mention. Perfect Attendance for One Term.

Herbert Clarke	Ruth Jewell
Kathleen Norcross	Frances Hartwell
Floyd Goodwin	Elis Davis
Dor's Goodwin	Nelson Webster
Leroy Smith	Marjorie Webster
Geneva Stevens	Claude Foote
Charles Morrill	Maynard Sawyer
Edward Fadden	Helen Stevens
Gertrude Gillman	Virginia Pataki
Lillian Bresse	

	Grammar	Primary	River Road	Brook Road	Clay Hollow	Rodimon
Enrolment	17	22	20	18	11	14
Average Attendance	12 8	20	18	14 6	9 3	9 8
Average Membership	13 7	20 8	18 7	16 3	9 7	10 7
Percent of Attendance	93 2	94 1	96 5	89 6	96	92 1
Visits by Supt.		31	35	27	19	18
Visits by Others	18	21	66	22	55	11

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE PIERMONT SCHOOL
DISTRICT**

For the Fiscal year beginning July 1, 1925, and ending
June 30, 1926.

Certificate.

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

MABLE F. BROWN,
JOHN F. SIMPSON,
CHRISTIE E. GOODWIN,

School Board.

W. J. NELSON,

Superintendent.

Dated July 10, 1926.

Receipts.

State and Federal Aid.

(a) Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state)	\$2,576 51	
Total		\$2,576 51
Income from Local Taxation (raised by Selectmen)		
(a) For the support of elementary schools	\$4,118 79	
(c) For the payment of high school and academy tuition	1,200 00	
(d) For the salaries of district officers	210 00	
(g) For the payment of per capita tax	162 00	
(h) Special appro. Supt. excess salary	250 00	
Expense of Administration	25 00	
Total		\$5,965 79

From Sources other than Taxation.

(a) Dog license (from Selectmen)	\$142 00	
(b) Elementary school tuitions	10 00	
Total		\$152 00
Total receipts from all sources		8,694 30
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1925	317 69	
Grand Total		\$9,011 99

Auditor's Certificate.

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State Aided Districts.)

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Piermont, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

RAY W. HOWARD,
LOUISE S. HORTON,

Auditors.

Dated July 12, 1926.

Payments.

Distribution of Expenditures.

	Total Amount General Expenses	Support of High School	Support of Elementary Schools
Administration.			
1. Salaries of district officers (1,3)	\$194 00	194 00	
2. Superintendent's excess salary (5)	250 00	250 00	
3. Truant officers and school census (6)	8 00	8 00	
4. Expenses of administration (2,7)	33 52	33 52	

Instruction

5. Principals' and teachers' salaries (8,9)	4,737 96		4,737 96
6. Text books (10)	132 97		132 97
7. Scholars' supplies (12)	139 98		139 98
8. Flags and appurtenances (13)	10 75		10 75
9. Other expenses of instruction (11, 14, 15)	25 41		25 41

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant

10. Janitor service (16, 17)	278 25		278 25
11. Fuel (18)	284 17		284 17
12. Water, light, janitors' supplies (19, 20, 21, 22)	42 01		42 01
13. Minor repairs and expenses (23, 24, 25)	132 97		132 97

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities

14. Medical inspection (27) Health supervision	136 53		136 53
15. Transportation of pupils (28)	1,113 58		1,113 58
16. High school and school tuition (30)	1,184 00	1,184 00	
17. Elementary school tuition (31)	18 00		18 00
26. Tax for state wide supervision (\$2 per capita)	162 00	162 00	
Total Payments for all purposes	8,883 80	647 52	1,184 80 7,052 28
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1926)	128 19		
Grand Total	\$9,011 99		

Balance Sheet.**Assets June 30, 1926**

Balance June 30, 1926	128 19
Total Assets	<u>\$128 19</u>
Grand Total	<u>\$128 19</u>

Liabilities June 30, 1926.

Equalization Fund (unexpended)	\$181 10
Total Liabilities	<u>\$181 10</u>

DIVISION OF STATISTICS AND ACCOUNTS

Annual Reports of District Treasurer,
Fiscal year ending June 30, 1926.

Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1925	\$58 84
Received from selectmen, raised by taxation	\$6,366 64
Received from State Treasurer	2,576 51
Received from all other sources	10 00
Total	<u>\$8,953 15</u>
Less school board orders paid	8,883 80
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1926	128 19

NITA P. HOWARD,

District Treasurer.

Dated June 30, 1926.

Auditor's Certificate.

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State
Aided Districts.)

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 Piermont, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal

year ending June 30, 1926, and find them correct in all respects.

RAY W. HOWARD
LOUISE S. HORTON

Auditors.

Dated July 9, 1926.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

Date	From Whom	Source	Amount
Sept. 8	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		\$500 00
Sept. 22	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		200 00
Oct. 19	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		800 00
Oct. 31	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		500 00
Nov. 18	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		1,000 00
Dec. 14	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		500 00
Dec. 19	State of N. H. Equalization		2,576 51
April 16	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		800 00
May 21	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		600 00
June 14	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		300 00
June 19	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		700 00
June 30	A. C. Drury, Town Treasurer		466 64
June 30	John Simpson, Orford School Dist.		10 00
Total Receipts during year			\$8,953 15

DISBURSEMENTS OF SCHOOL BOARD, JULY 1ST, 1925, TO JUNE 30TH, 1926.

Administration.

District Officers Salaries.

Superintendent	
William J. Nelson	\$250 00
District Clerk	
A. Ludelle Ames	5 00
Treasurer	
Christie E. Goodwin	5 21
Treasurer	
Nita P. Howard	19 79

Moderator		
Fred A. Horton	3 00	
Auditor		
Ray W. Howard	3 00	
Auditor		
Orlo B. Stanley	3 00	
School Board		
Earl V. Howard	45 00	
School Board		
A. Marden Simons	33 75	
School Board		
Anne M. Dearth	11 25	
School Board		
John F. Simpson	65 00	
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	\$444 00	
School Census		
Ray W. Howard	8 00	
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	\$452 00	\$452 00
Expense of Administration	\$33 52	\$33 52

Instruction.

Teachers Salaries.

Mary T. Underhill	\$900 00	
Alice M. Hickey	864 00	
Mildred K. Kimball	849 96	
Lillian M. Swain	720 00	
Marjorie A. Brown	684 00	
Rena K. Morris	720 00	
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	\$4,737 96	\$4,737 96

Text Books, Scholar Supplies, Flags, and other Expense of Instruction.		
	\$308 81	\$308 81

Operation of School Plant.

Janitor Service.

David Hackett	\$134 25
Kenneth Smith	13 00
Charles Webster	23 00
Maynard Sawyer	36 00

Rena K. Morris	36 00
Marjorie A. Brown	36 00

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Janitor Supplies	\$42 01	\$42 01

Fuel and Expense

George F. Smith	\$44 75
Earl R. Cookman	30 00
Gideon Lamontagne	21 00
Fay S. Emery	4 00
Howard Bros.	137 67
John B. Simpson	4 50
Clayburn Bros.	9 75
John F. Simpson	2 50
River Road school children	2 00
Ernest D. Day	12 00
Edward Fitzpatrick	5 00
David Hackett	3 00
Nelson Webster	3 00
Milo B. Sawyer	4 00
Rena W. Morris	1 00

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Minor Repairs and Expenses.

Howard Bros, supplies	\$37 21
George F. Smith, cleaning houses	30 28
Harry E. Stebbins, labor	9 25
Charles O. Fellows, labor	1 75
William J. Nelson, bolts and screws	63
John F. Simpson, labor and material	37 85
Edward E. Babb and Co., oil	16 00

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Medical Inspection.

Miss L. M. B. Underhill	\$136 53	\$136 53
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Transportation of Pupils.

Alfred Musty	\$477 00
Earl C. Swain	282 00
Alice Montgomery	103 33
Edd H. Smith	134 25

George Hall	63 00	
Rena K. Morris	54 00	
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	\$1,113 58	\$1,113 58

High School Tuition.

Montpelier Seminary	\$60 00	
Bradford Academy	260 00	
Haverhill Academy	864 00	
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	\$1,184 00	\$1,184 00
Elementary School Tuition	\$18 00	18 00
Per Capita Tax	162 00	162 00
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Total Payments		\$8,883 80

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PIERMONT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each in yrs.	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. Mar.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married
1926 Feb. 6	Orford, N. H.	Ray E. Bennett Gladys K. Webster	Piermont, N. H. Piermont, N. H.	34 27	Mail Carrier Clerk	Monroe, N. H. Piermont, N. H.	Daniel Bonett Ethna Funt Freeman Webster	Kirby, Vt. Monroe, N. H. Haverhill, N. H.	Deceased Deceased Farmer	2 D	W. J. McNeil Clergyman Orford, N. H.
Mar. 6	Orford, N. H.	Henry M. Webster Willow Jenkins	Piermont, N. H. Thetford, Vt.	25 18	Laborer Domestic	Orford, N. H. New York	Mabel Mann Fernald Mann Will Jenkins Leta Merrill	Haverhill, N. H. Orford, N. H. New York New York	Housewife Housewife Housewife Laborer	1st 1st	W. J. McNeil Clergyman Orford, N. H.
May 29	Piermont, N. H.	Clyde G. Paronto Violet M. French	Danville, Vt. Piermont, N. H.	24 17	Truck Driv Domestic	Montgomery, Vt. Piermont, N. H.	Levi Paronto E. Stella Duso Louis French	Washing, Vt. Orford, N. H. Orford, N. H.	Farmer Housewife Laborer	1st S	Orlo B. Stanley Justice of the Peace Piermont, N. H.
June 30	Haverhill, N. H.	Parker C. Winn Esther B. Hood	Piermont, N. H. Piermont, N. H.	28 24	Farmer Waitress	Piermont, N. H. Newbury, Vt.	Frank Winn Verna J. Quinn Morris Hood	Switz, N. H. Haverhill, N. H. Newbury, Vt.	Housewife Deceased Deceased	1st 1st	I. Moller, Clergyman East Haverhill, N. H.
Aug. 21	Orford, N. H.	Jesse M. Hunt Hazel E. Newton	East Corinth, Vt. Starksboro, Vt.	26 20	Butter Maker Waitress	Chelsea, Vt. Peru, Vt.	Ida May Smith Charles Hunt Timothy Newton	Topsdam, Vt. Tunbridge, Vt. Starksboro, Vt.	Domestic Domestic Farmer	1st 1st	W. J. McNeil Clergyman Orford, N. H.
Aug. 23	Piermont, N. H.	Cham-t T. Kinghorn Medy L. Stanley	Bradford, Vt. Piermont, N. H.	21 21	Plumber Teacher	Hardwick, Vt. Piermont, N. H.	Lyman J. Kinghorn Carrle Crowley Althea Wilson	Starksboro, Vt. Barton, Vt. Piermont, N. H.	Housewife Housewife Farmer	1st 1st	Francis P. Thayer Clergyman Piermont, N. H.
Aug. 30	Piermont, N. H.	Herbert A. Darling Marion A. Corliss	Piermont, N. H. Piermont, N. H.	55 61	Harness M'kr Domestic	Keene, N. H. Pembroke, Me.	William Darling Eleanor Hill George E. Williams	Groton, Vt. Ches. Fild, N. H. Ches. Fild, N. H.	Deceased Deceased Deceased	2 W 2 W	Orlo B. Stanley Justice of Peace Piermont, N. H.
Nov. 4	Orford, N. H.	Bradley H. Baker Clara B. Webster	Orford, N. H. Piermont, N. H.	24 17	Laborer Domestic	Orford, N. H. Piermont, N. H.	Hanna McLaughlin Henry G. Baker Ira Smith Walter Webster	Eastport, Me. Orford, N. H. Orford, N. H. Piermont, N. H.	Deceased Housewife Housewife Laborer	1st 1st	F. H. Perkins Clergyman Orford, N. H.

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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PIERMONT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex, Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male or Female	Living or Stillborn						
1926				No. Child						
Jan. 18	Piermont	Jean E. Hodson	F	Living	Harrison Hodson	Erlth E. Childs	Piermont	Farmer	Piermont, N. H.	Piermont, N. H.
Jan. 28	"	Jean May Davis	F	Living	Floyd F. Davis	Ida M. Moulton	"	Farmer	Charleston, Vt.	New York City
Mar. 20	"	Jean A. Smith	M	Living	Edwin H. Smith	Beatrice Eastman	"	Farmer	Melndoe, Vt.	Landaff, N. H.
Mar. 20	"	Vera C. Webster	F	Living	Walter Webster	Lizzie Howland	"	Farmer	Piermont, N. H.	Piermont, N. H.
July 26	"	Robert E. Stannett	M	Living	Charles C. Stanford	Beatrice Page	"	Electrician	Henniker, N. H.	Concord, N. H.
July 26	"	Edward K. Bonnett	M	Living	Raymond E. Bonnett	Gladys K. Webster	"	Mail Carrier	Monroe, N. H.	Piermont, N. H.
Oct. 10	"	Fred M. Jones	M	Living	Frederick Jones	Lucy Sawyer	"	Laborer	Denville, Conn.	Piermont, N. H.
Oct. 31	Woodbury	Don E. Cookman	M	Living	Carl Cookman	Nellie Heath	"	Farmer	Lyme Ridge, Conn.	Piermont, N. H.
Nov. 18	Han. Hpl.	Jasper E. Putnam	M	Living	George W. Putnam, Jr.	Marion Corliss	"	Farmer	Newbury, Vt.	Bradford, Vt.

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PIERMONT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926.

Date of Death]	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex and Condition		Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Days		Male or Female	Single Married or Widowed					
1926												
Jan. 18	Wentworth, N. H.	Henry Chase	85	7	Piermont, N. H.	M	M	Farmer	Meddith, N. H.	Warren, N. H.	Daniel Chase	Lavinia Clement
Jan. 29	Los Angeles, Cal	George W. Chandler	87	10	Piermont, N. H.	M	W	Retired	N. H.	N. H.	Hill Chandler	Mary Filley
Mar. 22	Piermont, N. H.	Louis G. French	37	9	Orford, N. H.	M	M	Laborer	Piermont, N. H.	Lemington, Vt.	William French	Martha Drown
April 8	Piermont, N. H.	Ellen Lawrence	86	10	Piermont, N. H.	F	W	Retired	Haverhill, N. H.	Benton, N. H.	Uri Chandler	Mary A. Rogers
April 8	Piermont, N. H.	Mary Ella M. Braynard	73	3	Haverhill, N. H.	F	W	Housewife				Lucy Frary
April 4	Camb. Co., Mass.	Sarah E. Bean	85	9	Piermont, N. H.	F	W	Retired				
April 6	Bradford, Vt.	Isabelle C. Tarbox	62	9		F	M	Housewife				
April 9	Haverhill, N. H.	Lillian Ona Lee	69	4	Stratford, N. H.	F	M	Housewife				
April 17	Bradford, Vt.	Mabel R. Tarbox	32	2		F	W	Domestic				
April 22	Piermont, N. H.	Sally M. Muehmore	88	4	Warren, N. H.	F	S	Retired	Orford, N. H.	N. H.	Wallace Johnson	Jane Curtis
April 27	Bradford, Vt.	Charles A. Tarbox	58	30	Orford, N. H.	M	W	Farmer	Meridith, N. H.	Warren, N. H.	Charles Tarbox	Martha L. Horton
May 8	Piermont, N. H.	Horace L. Willey	78	4	Topsham, Vt.	M	W	Retired	Piermont, N. H.	Hyde Park, Vt.	Charles Tarbox	Lavinia Clement
May 23	Piermont, N. H.	Franklin Morse	51	0	Sutton, P. Q.	M	W	Farmer	Sheffield, Vt.	Newbury, Vt.	Horace Willey	Mary A. Welch
July 21	Haverhill, N. H.	William E. Kimball	60	1	Sutton, P. Q.	M	M	Farmer	Lunenburg, Vt.	Franklin, Vt.	Romaner Morse	Susan French
Nov. 16	Rock'd., Mass.	Phillips G. Bickford	62	3	Lunenburg, Vt.	M	W	Carpenter	Lunenburg, Vt.	England	Daniel Kimball	Annie D. Coons
												Martha Hutton

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