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ENFIELD'S HONOR ROLL

The Roster of Young Men and Women who have Entered the Service of their Country from this Town

Cecil B. Ames	Roland E. Cotting	Ralph L. Kreitzer
George E. Austin, Jr.	Paul N. Currier	George H. Laramie
George O. Bailey	Arthur O. Dauphinais	Henry Laramie
Robert A. Bailey	Henry L. Durand	Philip Laramie
Fred Barry	Alfred J. Egner	Teppo Lehto
Rudolph Bayerle, Jr.	Robert A. Evans	Owen Lovejoy
Paul Beaulieu	Robert W. Evans	James C. Lovejoy
Eugene Belleveau	Edna P. Foley	Bernard Lowell
Conrad Blain	Allan Gardner	James Lowell
Girard Blain	Edwin Gardner	Chester Lower
Raymond Blain	George Gardner	William McCafferty
Robert Blain	Russell Gardner	Earl Masure
Elmer Bocash	William H. Gardner	Verne M. Merrill
Francis P. Bocash	Willard Garnhum	Glen R. Moody
Leonard G. Boisvert	Paul E. Giguere	Bradley T. Morse
Frank J. Brodzensky	Barbara A. Goodwin	George Morrison
Louis Brown	Helen E. Goodwin	Arthur Mulherin
Raymond Brown	Daniel Gosselin	Robert Nash
John R. Bruce	Gloria H. Gosselin	Ralph W. Newman
Robert Bruce	Gordon Hall	John H. Noonan, Jr.
Leland E. Butman	Richard Hall	Walter Palmer
Daniel N. Campbell	Douglas L. Haskins	Eugene L. Parker
Sheffield Campbell	Neil H. Haskins	Howard F. Parker
Henry Carley	William H. Hayes, Jr.	John E. Parker
Malcolm S. Carr	Richard E. Hazen	Milton E. Parker
Roger A. Cattabriga	Robert A. Hazen	Walter E. Parker
Gerard Chaloux	Donald Hazelton	Donald Patten
Peter A. Chaloux	David D. Hewitt	Robert Peck
Ted Chaloux	John W. Hewitt	George A. Pierce, Jr.
Wilfred Chaloux	Robert H. Hewitt	Kenneth F. Perkins
Roy W. Cilley	Reginald C. Hill	Philip A. Pierce
Richard E. Clement	Francis Ibey	Richard C. Pierce
Roger E. Clement	James E. Ibey	Lester N. Plummer
Roger M. Cochran	Thomas A. Ibey	Malcolm Plummer
Frank T. Cody, Jr.	Mason I. Ingram	George E. Potter
Frank T. Cody, Sr.	Frances Kelley, Jr.	Henry L. Provost
Fredk A. Columbia, Jr.	Leonard Kelly	Norman R. Provost
Donald L. Cooney	Frederick E. Kendall	Carroll Putnam
Ernest J. Cote	Robert Keough	Philip Putnam
George A. Cote	Allen P. Kidder	Alvin Quimby
Louis P. Cote	Allan Korpela	

Charles F. Quimby
 Edward Quimby
 Lawrence Quimby
 Thurland E. Quimby
 Oscar A. Randall
 William L. Record
 Edward H. Roberts
 Francis L. Ross
 Frederick Ross
 Carl C. Ryea
 Milton Sargent
 Katharine Schmanska
 Lyle K. Sinnott
 Chauncey A. Smith
 Don W. Smith
 Howard E. Smith
 Myrl A. Smith
 Robert Stewart
 Albert F. Straton
 David Stratton
 Raymond Sturviis
 Roswell Talbert
 George Talis
 Arthur Tenney
 Arthur J. Thibault
 Philip V. Tobin

Howard F. Towne
 Irving Tucker
 Clarence Tyrell
 Raymond Unger
 Edward Versailles
 Wallace A. Walbridge
 Gilbert F. Warren
 Marion Warren
 Roger K. Warren
 Donald F. Weld
 Clifton Wheeler
 Richard Wheeler
 Wilfred Wheeler
 David H. Willard
 Burton Williams
 Richard F. Williams
 Cameron Wilson
 Hilary Wilson
 Robert Wilson
 James Withington
 Olive Withington
Discharged
 Arthur Blain
 Wilfred Bocash
 Gerald Butman
 Richard Canfield

George E. Chaloux
 John Coleman
 Ernest T. Evans
 Varis Giguere
 Franklin P. Kidder
 William LaFontaine
 Earl W. Nichols
 Robert Niles, deceased
 Glendon Poland
 Herbert Rock
 James Rowell
 Stanley E. Sargent
 Malcolm Smith
 Wallace Wooster
Killed in Action
 David Foley
 Richard D. Hewitt
 William Ibey
Prisoners of War
 Richard E. Giguere
 E. Webster Martin
 Alfred Pillsbury
 George Stark
Missing in Action
 Charles W. Ibey
 W. Zenas Talbert

OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF ENFIELD

		Term Expires
Moderator	Melvin Dunbar	
First Selectman	B. Wayne Campbell	1944
2nd Selectman	E. H. King	1945
3rd Selectman	Harry B. Biathrow	1944
Town Clerk	Herbert E. Walbridge	
Town Treasurer	William K. Stratton	
Tax Collector	Percy L. Stevens	
Overseer of Poor	Forest L. Colby	
Highway Agent	Webster Hill	
Police Chief, Health Officer	Rufus Bruce	
Trustees Trust Funds	H. E. Walbridge	1947
	Val M. Hardy	1946
	Dr. Melvin Dunbar	1945
Library Trustees	W. K. Stratton	1947
	Mary Hewitt	1945
	Gertrude Stewart	1946
Librarian	Nellie L. Pierce	
Auditors	Louis Ramsay	
	Carrie Currier	
Supervisors of Check List	Clarence Arnold	
	Dorrance Walbridge	
	Tom Williams	
Representative to General Court	Emmitt Stewart	
Selectmen perform the duties of Assessors.		

TOWN WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

(L.S.)

To the inhabitants of the Town of Enfield, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Whitney Hall in said Town of Enfield on the thirteenth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose by ballot all necessary Town Officers required by law to be chosen for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To choose one Trustee for three years for the purpose of holding all Trust Funds of the Town.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to support United States membership in a general system of international cooperation, such as that proposed at the Dumbarton Oaks Conference, having police power to maintain the peace of the world.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, and the same so borrowed to be paid during the ensuing year.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of one hundred dollars in trust from the bequest of Florence M. Davis, the income therefrom to be used for the perpetual care of the William W. Currier lot in the George Hill Cemetery.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of one hundred dollars from Walter C. Morse and Bernice A. Morse as a trust fund, the income therefrom to be used for the perpetual care of the Walter C. Morse lot, so called, in the Mount Calm Cemetery at North End.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$762.08 for Town Road Aid Construction, the State to furnish \$3048.30, or act thereon.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1,900.00 and transfer the same from the unencumbered cash surplus to the existing capital reserve fund for a Community Building.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase a grader at a cost not to exceed \$7900.00 and raise and appropriate the sum of \$3283.00 to be used as part payment for the same, the balance to be paid on such terms as the Selectmen may arrange with the seller, or act thereon.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1983.00 as the Town's share of the State Aid Construction as the State may require, and add the same to the existing Capital Reserve Fund for State Aid Construction, or act thereon.

Article 11. Pursuant to a petition of ten legal voters, the Selectmen are instructed to insert the following: To see if the Town will vote to establish a street light in front of the Post Office at Enfield Center; also to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Budget Committee and vote to adopt their recommendations as posted, or act thereon.

Article 13. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote thereto.

Article 14. To take any vote or transact any further business that may legally come before said Meeting.

Polls will open at 9:30 A.M. and not close before 5:30 P.M.

Given under our hands and seals this 26th day of February, A.D. 1945.

B. Wayne Campbell,
Eugene H. King,
Harry B. Biathrow,
Selectmen of Enfield.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest

B. Wayne Campbell,
Eugene H. King,
Harry B. Biathrow,
Selectmen of Enfield.

BUDGET COMMITTEE'S REPORT

To the Citizens and Voters of Enfield :

In compiling the Budget for 1945 your committee has carefully considered all items of revenue and necessary expenditures.

There will be no increase in revenue items. Expenditures this year are based on the twelve month period from January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945.

Expenditures for General Government, Police, Fire and Health Departments will be approximately the same as for past years.

Under highways, \$3500 is recommended for Summer maintenance, the same as last year. For winter maintenance \$5500 is recommended, an increase of \$1025.16. This increase is in keeping with the average cost of a twelve month period.

The amount for street lighting, \$2228, is increased to include the cost of a street light in front of Enfield Center Post Office.

Town Road Aid. The increase in this appropriation is to take advantage of the increased amount contributed by the state of \$3048.30. This is double the amount received last year. Your committee recommend \$300 of this money be spent on the East Shore road of Mascoma Lake.

Bridges: The bridge appropriation was increased to \$1800.00 upon recommendations of the road agent to cover the increased cost of planking and allow for the installation of a few cement culverts .

The usual amount was recommended for cutting brush.

Town Poor and Old Age Assistance shows an increase due to hospitalization in several new cases.

The Budget Committee recommends the Selectmen continue to insure town employees the same as last year.

For Post War Planning the committee recommends the sum of \$1900.00 be appropriated from cash surplus

and transferred to the capital reserve fund for a community building.

At a well attended public hearing held Monday evening, February 19, 1945 at Whitney Hall the budget recommendations were presented and met with general approval except for the item of New Equipment.

Your Budgett Committee had recommended that the sum of \$1300 be raised and placed in a capital reserve fund to be added to and spent for equipment at a later date.

Discussion of the condition of the town roads in regard to plowing heavy snow and general maintenance brought out the urgent need for power equipment.

Road Agent Hill and Selectmen Biathrow and King stated more equipment was needed and that a power grader was the best machine obtainable for summer and winter road work.

We therefore recommend a power grader be purchased at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$7900 and we recommend the appropriation of \$3283 as a part payment for the same, the balance to be paid at a future date also other obsolete road equipment be traded or sold to reduce the cost of the above grader.

The Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Fuller presented the school budget and recommends the sum of \$21,852 be raised to maintain the schools. The increase in the school budget is due to increase in teachers salaries. The committee recommends that the sum of \$21,852 be raised for schools.

Your committee recommends that the selectmen be authorized to construct at the town yard a suitable building to house town equipment.

On the basis of the budget submitted with the usual overlay and last year assessed valuation we estimate the tax rate to be \$3.83 per hundred dollars of valuation. For every \$1000 added to the present Budget the tax rate will show an increase of .075 per \$100 of valuation.

We, the Budget Committee wish to thank the Selectmen, School Board and other Town Officers for their co-operation in furnishing data requested.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS WILLIAMS, Chairman.

W. K. STRATTON, Secretary.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF ENFIELD

**Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing
Year January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945 Compared
With Actual Revenue and expenditures of the Previous
Year February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944**

Source of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1944	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1945	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Interest & Dividends Tax	\$ 611.22	\$ 600.00	\$	\$
Railroad Tax	863.01	850.00		
Savings Bank Tax	513.18	500.00		
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Business Licenses and Permits	29.50	25.00		
Fines and Forfeits, Muni- cipal Court	19.50			
Income from Trust Funds	64.38	75.00		
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,112.57	1,000.00		
†Cash Surplus	1,941.86	1,941.86		
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:				
(a) Poll Taxes—				
Regular @ \$2.00	1,522.00	1,500.00		
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	34.00	34.00		
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Total Revenues from all Sources except Property Taxes		\$ 6,525.86		

†Cash Surplus equals Excess of actual Cash on Hand at close of fiscal year over Current Liabilities, i.e., Balance of Appropriation due School District, Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes and Accounts Payable.

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1944	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1945	Increase	Decrease
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,047.00	\$ 2,047.00	\$	\$
Town Officers' Expenses	764.39	750.00		14.39
Election and Registration Expenses	97.64	20.00		77.64
Municipal Court Expenses	107.50	135.00	27.50	
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	1,082.78	1,400.00	317.22	
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	268.08	300.00	31.92	
Fire Department	846.64	900.00	53.36	
Health:				
Health Department, in- cluding hospitals	266.03	300.00	33.97	
Vital Statistics	38.25	36.00		2.25
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Maintenance:				
Summer	3,882.15	3,500.00		382.15
Winter	4,474.84	5,500.00	1,025.16	
Street Lighting	2,018.32	2,228.00	209.68	
Oiling	1,772.34	1,800.00	27.66	
Town Road Aid	380.54	762.08	380.54	
Bridges	1,525.99	1,800.00	274.01	
Cutting Brush	558.25	600.00	41.75	
Libraries:	750.00	750.00		
Public Welfare:				
Town Poor	295.56	1,250.00	954.44	
Old Age Assistance	1,438.04	1,700.00	261.96	
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	100.00	100.00		
Miscellaneous	309.46	400.00		9.46
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	100.00	100.00		
Damages and Legal Expenses	134.15	50.00		84.13

Interest:

On Temporary Loans	50.00	50.00	
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Highways and Bridges:

State Aid Construction—			
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Town Share, Capital			
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Reserve	1,300.00		1,300.00
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Post War Community			
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Building	2,000.00	1,900.00	100.00
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Water Works Construction			
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Capital Reserve Truck	911.47		911.47
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New Equipment	915.00	3,283.00	2,368.00
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

County Taxes	2,928.54	2,500.00	428.54
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Payments to School			
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Districts	20,900.00	21,852.00	952.00
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Total Expenditures		\$56,013.08	
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SUMMARY OF TOWN INVENTORY **Assessed Valuation—April 1, 1944**

Real Estate	\$1,072,365.00
Wood and Lumber (Growing)	23,830.00
Electric Plants	28,090.00
93 Horses	10,400.00
2 Oxen	350.00
317 Cows	23,165.00
91 Neat Stock	3,785.00
18 Sheep	155.00
4 Hogs	50.00
730 Fowls	730.00
1 Portable Mills, Road Machinery	2,250.00
15 Boats and Launches	800.00
7 Tractors	3,800.00
Wood and Lumber	300.00
Gasoline pump and tanks	2,430.00
Stock in Trade	73,780.00
Mills and Machinery	75,925.00
Total	\$1,322,205.00
Exempted to Soldiers	32,825.00
Exempted to Blind	1,250.00
Town Tax Rate	3.48
Tax Rate Canaan-Enfield School Districts	1.58

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF ENFIELD

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer	\$ 6,941.86
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Capital Reserve Funds:

State Aid Road	1,300.00
Community Building	2,000.00
Purchase of Truck	911.47

Accounts Due to the Town:

Due from State:	
Bounties	66.50

Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1943	101.40
Levy of 1942	27.12

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1944	868.16
Levy of 1943	53.80
Levy of 1942	23.58

Total Assets	\$12,293.89
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Surplus, January 31, 1944	\$ 2,828.26
Surplus, December 31, 1944	3,082.42
Increase of Surplus	254.16

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to School Districts:	
Balance of Appropriation	\$ 5,000.00

Capital Reserve Funds:

4,211.47

Total Liabilities	9,211.47
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)	3,082.42

Grand Total	\$12,293.89
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RECEIPTS

Current Revenue, from Local Taxes:

Total taxes committed to collector, 1944	\$46,305.93	
Less discounts and abatements, 1944	25.23	
Less uncol., 1944	413.66	
Property taxes, Current Year, actually collected	\$45,867.04	
Poll taxes, Current Year, Regular @ \$2, actually collected	1,522.00	
Poll taxes, Current Year, Special @ \$3, actually collected	2,376.50	
National Bank Stock taxes	34.00	
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Total of Current Years' collections		\$49,799.54
Property and Poll taxes, Previous Years, actually collected		232.35
Tax sales redeemed		145.97

From State:

For Highways and Bridges:	
For Town Road Aid	\$ 1.36
Railroad and dividend tax	611.22
Railroad tax	863.01
Savings bank tax	513.18
Fighting forest fires	47.15
Bounties	41.40

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	607.84
Business licenses and permits	29.50
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	19.50
Rent of town property	139.96
Interest received on taxes	21.14
Rent of town truck	1,450.05

Income from trust funds	64.38	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1943-44 Permits	6.10	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1944-45 Permits	1,106.47	
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		5,516.26
Total Current Revenue Receipts		<hr/>
		\$55,694.12
Receipts other than Cur. Rev.:		
Temporary loans in anticipa- tion of taxes during year	\$10,000.00	
Filing fees	17.00	
Sale of tax title property	7.50	
Refunds, Oiling Drives	899.40	
Boston & Maine, refund, forest fire	5.50	
Police Refund, American Wool- en Co.	188.00	
Henry Laramie, refund forest fire	1.00	
School and Precinct, refund In- surance Liability	48.31	
Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Re- gion, printing refund	2.70	
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Total Receipts other than Current Revenue		11,169.41
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Total Receipts from all sources		\$66,863.53
Cash on hand February 1, 1944		5,708.04
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Grand Total		\$72,571.57

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$ 2,047.00
Town officers' expenses	767.09
Election and registration ex- penses	97.64
Municipal court expenses	127.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings, inc. Town Clock	1,222.74

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department, including care of tramps	456.08
Fire department, including for- est fires	900.29
Bounties	66.50
Damage by dogs	593.97

Health:

Health department, including hospitals	266.03
Vital statistics	38.25

Highways and Bridges:

Bridges	1,525.99
Town Road Aid	381.90
Town Maintenance:	
Summer	\$3,882.15
Winter	4,474.84
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	8,356.99
Street lighting and sprinkling	2,018.32
General Expenses of Highway Department: brush, oiling, tractor	3,308.45
Truck expense	1,190.99

Libraries:

Libraries	750.00
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Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	1,438.04
Town poor	295.56

Patriotic Purposes:

Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises	100.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	100.00
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Unclassified:

Expense tax title property	1.00
Damages and legal expenses	134.15
Miscellaneous	457.77
Defense	3.45

Total Current Maintenance
Expenses

\$26,645.20

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	50.00
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**Outlay for New Construction
and Permanent Improvements:**

New equipment, highway	915.00
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Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$10,000.00
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Payments to capital reserve funds	4,211.47
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Payments to trustees, trust funds	100.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	14,311.47
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Payments to other Gov. Divisions:

Special poll tax @ \$3 paid to State	\$ 2,379.50
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Taxes paid to County	2,928.54
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Payments to School Districts	18,400.00
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Total Payments to other Governmental Divisions	23,708.04
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$65,629.71
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Cash on hand December 31, 1944	6,941.86
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Grand Total	\$72,571.57
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SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 1,050.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings and Whitney Hall	12,200.00
Furniture and Equipment	850.00
Fire Department, truck pump, tractor, fire truck	2,300.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	270.00
Equipment: Road machine, steam roller, 2 steel plows, truck, tractor, cement mixer	1,500.00
A .H. Truell, Gove lot	50.00
Annie Goldberg, Mascoma Lake lot	50.00
Eric Carlson, 1 A part of Thurman Powell farm	50.00
George W. Dustin, Heirs of, 15 A Vadney lot, Methodist Hill	25.00
Fire Insurance in force:	
Whitney Hall—Building	\$12,000.00
Whitney Hall—Contents	850.00
Enfield Center—Hall	1,000.00
Total	<hr/> \$18,345.00

COMPARISON OF APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURES

	Appropriated Town Meeting March, 1944	Net Expenditures Year Ending Dec. 31, 1944	Increase	Decrease
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,047.00	\$ 2,047.00		
Town Officers' Expenses	750.00	764.39	14.39	2.36
Election and Registration	100.00	97.64		27.50
Municipal Court	135.00	107.50		
Town Hall and Whitney Hall Including Town Clock	1,400.00	1,082.78		317.22
Police Department	300.00	268.08		31.92
Fire Department	900.00	846.64		53.36
Health Department	300.00	266.03		33.97
Vital Statistics	36.00	38.25	2.25	
Town Road Aid	380.52	380.54	.02	
Town Maintenance—Summer	3,500.00	3,882.15	382.15	
Town Maintenance—Winter	4,400.00	4,474.84	74.84	
Bridges	1,300.00	1,525.99	255.99	
Brush	600.00	558.25		41.75
Oiling	1,700.00	1,772.34	72.34	
Street Lighting	2,021.00	2,018.32		2.68
New Equipment	1,400.00	915.00		485.00
Old Age Assistance	1,300.00	1,438.04	138.04	
Town Poor	600.00	295.56		304.44
Libraries	750.00	750.00		
Memorial Day	100.00	100.00		
Miscellaneous	400.00	409.46	9.45	

Cemeteries	100.00				
Damage and Legal Expense	50.00			84.15	
Interest	50.00			50.00	
County Tax	2,928.54			2,928.54	
School District	20,900.00			18,400.00	
Capital Reserve Fund--Raised	1,300.00			1,300.00	2,500.00
Capital Reserve Fund--Taken from balance			2,911.47	2,911.47	
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Less Estimated Revenue	\$49,748.06		\$49,862.96	\$ 3,915.10	\$ 3,800.20
	3,196.11		Taxes Committed to Collector		\$46,012.73
	<hr/>		Regular Polls @ \$2.00		1,724.00
Plus Overlay	\$46,551.95		National Bank Tax		34.00
	1,218.78				<hr/>
	<hr/>		Total Taxes--Town and Precinct		\$47,770.73
	\$47,770.73		Special Polls at \$3.00		2,700.00
	1,758.00				<hr/>
Less Polls and National Bank Tax	<hr/>		Total Taxes Committed		\$50,470.73
	\$46,012.73		Tax Rate		\$3.48

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Year Ending December 31, 1944

Filing fees for March Election	\$	11.00	
Filing fees for July Primary		6.00	
Paid Town Treasurer			\$ 17.00
Dog Licenses:			
1943			
2 males		.67	
Fees 2 licenses @ 20c		.40	
Paid Town Treasurer			.27
1944			
167 males @ \$2.00	\$	334.00	
3 males		4.83	
60 spayed females @ 2.00		120.00	
1 spayed female		1.34	
29 females @ 5.00		145.00	
2 Kennel Licenses @ \$12.00		24.00	
1 Kennel License		25.00	
	\$	654.17	
Fees 263 licenses @ 20c			\$ 52.60
Paid Town Treasurer			601.57
			\$ 654.17
Automobile Tax:			
1943			
Feb. 1st to Apr. 1st, 7 permits	\$	6.10	
1944			
Apr. 1st to Jan. 1st 514 permits		1,108.65	
	\$	1,114.75	
Refund on 1 permit			\$ 2.18
Paid Town Treasurer			1,112.57
			\$ 1,114.75

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT E. WALBRIDGE,
Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

December 31, 1944

Balance February 1, 1944	\$ 5,708.04	
Received from:		
Selectmen	14,913.62	
Town Clerk		
1943 Auto Tax	\$ 6.10	
1944 Auto Tax	1,106.47	
Filing fees	17.00	
1943 dog tax	.27	
1944 dog tax	601.57	
	<u>1,731.41</u>	
Municipal Court		19.50
Tax Collector:		
H. B. Biathrow	99.55	
Percy Stevens	50,099.45	
	<u>50,199.00</u>	
Total Received		\$72,571.57
Paid Out Selectmen's Orders	\$65,629.71	
Cash Bal. Nat'l Bank of Lebanon	6,941.86	
	<u></u>	\$72,571.57

DETAIL OF SELECTMEN'S RECEIPTS

Year Ending December 31, 1944

Rent of Whitney and Town Hall	\$	139.96
Interest from Trust Funds		64.38
State Treasurer:		
Refunds:		
Forest fires		47.15
Bounties		41.40
Interest and Dividend Tax		611.22
Savings Bank Tax		513.18
Railroad Tax		863.01
T. R. A.		1.36
Temporary Loans:		
Anticipation of Taxes		10,000.00
Refunds:		
Boston and Maine forest fire		5.50
Police work		188.00
Oiling drives		899.40
Henry Laramie, forest fire		1.00
Insurance—Liability		48.31
Printing for Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region		2.70
Licenses and Permits		29.50
Rent of Truck—Hill		1,230.60
Rent of Truck—State Treasurer		55.65
Rent of Truck—Town of Lyme		163.80
Sale of Tax Title Property		7.50
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		\$14,913.62

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail No. 1—Town Officers' Salaries

B. W. Campbell, Selectman	\$	425.00
E. H. King, Selectman		400.00
H. B. Biathrow		400.00
Forest L. Colby, Overseer		150.00
H. E. Walbridge, Town Clerk		100.00
W. K. Stratton, Treasurer		100.00
Percy L. Stevens, Tax Collector		350.00
Melvin B. Dunbar, Moderator		10.00
Dorrance Walbridge, Supervisor		20.00
Thomas Williams, Supervisor		20.00
Kenneth Lamott, Supervisor		20.00
Louis Ramsey, Auditor		20.00
Carrie Currier, Auditor		20.00
W. E. Laffee, Fire Warden		12.00
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	\$	2,047.00

Detail No. 2—Town Officers' Expenses

Telephone	\$	16.45
Printing and Supplies		346.36
Officers' Bonds		85.00
Auto Permits		133.17
Expense Trust Funds		9.50
Tax and Record Books		61.78
Mileage Expense		51.29
Searching Records		27.54
Typing Expense		8.50
Assessors' dues		2.00
Postage		19.00
Tax Collectors' Assn. dues		2.00
Rent of Deposit Box		4.50
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	\$	767.09

Detail No. 3—Town Hall and Whitney Hall and Town Clock

Lighting Hall	\$	70.16
Janitor Service		504.17
Insurance—Halls		171.40
Repairs and Supplies		9.53
Fuel and Water Rent		338.83
Rubbish Removal		1.50

Town Clock—Winding and Repairs	127.15
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	\$ 1,222.74
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Detail No. 4—Election and Registration

Ballot Clerks	\$ 48.00
Moderator	20.00
Printing	2.50
Supplies	1.89
Check Lists	25.25

	\$ 97.64
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Detail No. 5—Police Department

Police Chief Bruce	\$ 252.08
Special Police	16.00
Police work, Bruce at Mill*	188.00

	\$ 456.08
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* Refund of \$188.00 from American Woolen Co.

Detail No. 6—Fire Department

Treasurer Fire Department	\$ 611.00
Supplies and Repairs	35.40
Forest Fires	100.80
Insurance—Truck	34.30
Gas and Oil and Antifreeze	21.29
Fireman Enfield Center	20.00
Labor fire truck	77.50

	\$ 900.29
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Detail No. 7—Damage by Dogs

Dog Constable and Expense	\$ 30.00
Printing and supplies	15.60
Damage to hens	33.75
School Treasurer balance*	514.62

	\$ 593.97
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* Less \$7.87 overpayment last year

Detail No. 8—Health Department

Health Officer and Expense	\$ 139.72
Labor—Town Dump	123.91
Removal Rubbish—Knox Brook	2.40

	\$ 266.03
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Detail No. 9—Town Truck

Gas, Oil, Grease, etc.	\$ 431.23
Labor and Supplies	256.30
Insurance	43.85
Storage	38.00
Driver—Canaan-Lyme	74.80
Chains	346.81
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	\$ 1,190.99

Detail No. 10—Unclassified

Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region	\$ 50.00
Insurance—Liability	390.77
Painting flag pole	12.00
Refund—Poll tax	5.00
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	\$ 457.77

Detail No. 11—Tractor

Storage	\$ 31.32
Insurance	32.09
Repairs	15.05
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	\$ 78.46

Detail No. 12—Payments to Capital Reserve Fund

Trustee of Trust Funds—Community Building	\$ 2,000.00
Trustee of Trust Funds—State Aid Road	1,300.00
Trustee of Trust Funds—Truck Replacement fund	911.47
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	\$ 4,211.47

Detail No. 13—School District

1943-1944 Appropriation	\$ 2,500.00
1944-1945 Appropriation	15,900.00
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	\$18,400.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

	1943	1942
Unredeemed Taxes as of Jan. 31, 1944	\$ 247.37	\$ 27.12
1943 Levy Polls and Property		\$ 143.15
1943 Uncollected Taxes of Service men		137.30
1942 Uncollected Taxes of Feb. 1, 1944		27.50
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Total		\$ 307.95
Paid Town Treasurer		
1943 Levy Polls and Property		\$ 23.65
1943 Levy Service men		75.90
1942 Uncollected		27.50
1943 Uncollected Polls and Property		119.50
1943 Uncollected Service men		61.40
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		\$ 307.95

We have examined the above account of Tax Collector, Harry Biathrow and find them to be properly vouched and accounted for.

LOUIS L. RAMSAY,
CARRIE E. CURRIER,
Auditors.

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1944

DR.

Taxes committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$46,012.76
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	1,724.00
Poll Taxes—Special @ \$3.00	2,700.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	34.00

Total Warrant	\$50,470.76
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Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	293.17
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	32.00
Poll Taxes—Special @ \$3.00	48.00
Interest collected	1.67

Total Debits	\$50,845.60
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CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$45,867.04
Interest Collected	1.67
National Bank Stock Taxes	34.00
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	1,522.00
Poll Taxes—Special @ \$3.00	2,376.50
Abatements	176.23

Uncollected taxes as per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	413.66
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	176.00
Poll Taxes—Special @ \$3.00	278.50

Total Credits	\$50,845.60
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Uncollected Property Tax Levy 1944

Heirs of Elizabeth Elliott	\$ 29.58
Heirs of Anna Nelligan	13.92
Katherine Nute	31.32
Margaret Powers	52.20
Loris V. Perkins	1.04
Phillip Shannon	3.48
J. A. Yando	17.40
John L. Clarke	13.92
Ernest Greene	1.74
Edward V. and Clara D. Hunt	90.00
Soldier	10.44
Elsie May Stewart	74.65
Angelina Depalo	11.76
Walter B. Drawing	2.61
Patrick F. Mahoney	1.74
Ella Louise Morse	8.70
Stanley I. Russell	5.22
Paul Smith	2.61
Charles Yerrid	17.40
Vera Barnes	16.97
Elizabeth C. and Joseph LaPorte	3.48
Mrs. Fred Lovejoy	3.48
Total	\$ 413.66

Uncollected Poll Taxes Year Ending Dec. 31, 1944

Chester Beede	\$ 5.00	Effie Morrison	5.00
Rosella Beede	5.00	Ora McKinnon	5.00
Hubert Brown	5.00	Clara MacCabe	5.00
Mrs. Hubert Brown	5.00	Amelia McKinnon	5.00
William Barnes	5.00	Joe Nedo	5.00
Agnes Barnes	5.00	Frank Parker	5.00
William Bennett	5.00	Anna Parker	5.00
Mildred Brown	2.50	John Rogers	5.00
Donald Carr	5.00	Beulah Rogers	5.00
Rena Coutermarsh	5.00	Willie Seavey	5.00
William Dunham	5.00	Clayton Shovan	5.00
Helen Dunham	5.00	Florence Shovan	5.00
Mrs. Edgar Evans	5.00	Ethel Stewart	5.00
Edna Fligg	5.00	Edward Stevens	5.00
Lois Frye	5.00	Florence Swift	5.00
Harriet Graves	5.00	Frederick Webberson	5.00
Clayton Greenwood	5.00	Phyllis Webberson	5.00
Jack McFarland	\$ 5.00		

Lillian Greenwood	5.00	Marcel Tyrell	5.00
Odgen Gardner	5.00	Harland Tyrell	5.00
Arlene Gardner	5.00	Margaret Tyrell	5.00
Grace Gauthier	5.00	Dura Weymouth	5.00
Ruth Goular	5.00	Edith Weymouth	5.00
Leona Heaney	5.00	Monroe Abear	5.00
Wallace Hill	5.00	Harland Barnes	5.00
Helen Hathaway	5.00	Linden Bates	5.00
Nathaniel Lawrence	5.00	John L. Clarke	5.00
Rose Lawrence	5.00	Elizabeth Chase	5.00
Wesley Lewellyn	5.00	Alden Chase	5.00
Mary Lewellyn	5.00	Delvoe Dion	5.00
Etta Lovely	5.00	Aurore Dion	5.00
Richard Lower	5.00	Eleanor Cook	5.00
Gwendolwyn Lower	5.00	Ernest Greene	5.00
Homer Martin	5.00	Evelyn Greene	5.00
Mrs. Homer Martin	5.00	Florence Garnum	5.00
R. W. Marek	5.00	Harley Glidden	5.00
Clara Hunt	5.00	Mrs. Harley Glidden	5.00
Edward Hunt	5.00	Walter S. Moodey	5.00
Leslie Magoon	5.00	Barbara Magoon	5.00
Ethel Martel	5.00	James E. Stewart	5.00
Rankin Stewart	5.00	Cora Richardson	3.00
Elsie May Stewart	5.00	Raymond Sawyer	5.00
Clara Sawyer	5.00	Clyde Santor	5.00
Mrs. Clyde Santer	5.00	Morris Westcott	5.00
Mrs. Morris Wescott	5.00	Nelson Lawrence	5.00
Veterans	9.00		
		Total	\$454.50

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and the amount due from each delinquent taxpayer as of December 31, 1944, on account of the tax levy of 1944 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

PERCY L. STEVENS,
Tax Collector.

The following have paid since the Town Books were closed December 31, 1944: Richard Lower, Gwendolwyn Lower, Rena Coutermarsh, Edgar Evans, Mrs. Edgar Evans, William Dunham, Helen Dunham, Raymond Sawyer, Mrs. Clara Sawyer, Dura Weymouth, Mrs. Edith Weymouth, Harland Tyrell, Margaret Tyrell, Lois Frye, Chester Beede, Clayton Shovan, two veterans, Margaret

Powers, Mrs. Kathryn Nute ,Ella Loise Morse, Walter B. Drewing, Charles Yerrid, Angelina Depalo, Mrs. Vera L. Barnes, Stanley I. Russell, Edward V. and Clara D. Hunt.

Summary of Tax Sales Account as of Dec. 31, 1944

DR.

Tax Sales on account of Levy of:

	1943	1942
Taxes sold to Town	\$ 247.37	\$ 27.12
Interest collected after sale	19.47	
Total Debits	\$ 266.84	\$ 27.12

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer during year	\$ 165.44	
Unredeemed Taxes, at close of year	101.40	27.12
Total Credits	\$ 266.84	\$ 27.12

Summary of Warrant

Levy of 1943

DR.

Uncollected taxes as of Feb. 1, 1944	\$ 186.90
Interest collected during fiscal year ended December 31, 1944	5.35
Total Debits	\$ 194.25

CR.

Total remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year ended December 31, 1944	\$ 128.80
Abatements made during year	11.65
Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list	53.80
Total Credits	\$ 194.25

Levy of 1942

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1944	\$ 27.58
Total Debits	\$ 27.58

CR.

Total remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year ended December 31, 1944	\$	4.00
Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list		23.58
Total Credits	\$	27.58

Unredeemed Taxes

Levy 1943		Levy 1942	
Paul Smith	\$ 5.51	George A. Pierce, Jr	\$16.53
Philip Shannon	6.33	Loris V. Perkins	4.06
J. A. Yardo	19.70	C. Philip Shannon	6.53
Emma Wethey Heirs	69.86		

Uncollected Taxes

Levy 1943			
Donald Carr	\$ 2.00	William Bennett	\$ 2.00
Blanch Covill	2.00	Joe Nedo	2.00
Edna Fligg	2.00	Mary O'Connell	2.00
Etta Lovely	2.00	Percy Parker	2.00
Alta Parker	2.00	Catherine Johnson	9.90
John Schedeker	2.00	Willena Needham	2.00
T. E. Bushman	2.00	Mrs. Maurice Wescott	2.00
Goldie Bushman	2.00	George Pierce, Jr.	11.90
Alfred Bean	2.00	Levy 1942	
Elizabeth Bean	2.00	Ralph Kidder	21.58
		Annie Sanders	2.00

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and the amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1944, on account of the tax levy of 1943 and 1942 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PERCY, L. STEVENS,
Tax Collector.

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT FROM FEB. 1, 1944 TO DEC. 31, 1944

Labor:		Brush	Oiling	Bridges	Winter	Summer	Total
W. Hill, Agent	\$	24.75	\$ 120.75	\$ 173.63	\$ 624.75	\$ 588.38	\$ 1,532.26
General Labors		426.00	513.00	501.20	1,520.30	1,432.90	4,393.40
Truck Hire:							
Town Truck		3.00	119.40	92.00	513.00	476.20	1,203.60
Webster Hill		2.00	78.20	63.36	248.58	115.31	507.45
Harry Biathrow			98.40	15.85	297.60	103.30	515.15
Jim Henderson			33.30			20.70	54.00
Bill Ibey			25.20	27.20	44.20	224.50	321.10
George Smith				9.45	37.80	2.10	49.35
Forest Gardner					352.85		352.85
Henry Laramie					37.80	2.10	39.90
Joe Graham						27.30	27.30
Donald Smith						2.10	2.10
Fred Hammond & Son					20.00		20.00
Gravel					33.20	65.80	99.00
Supplies and Expenses			73.26	632.05	246.96	136.96	1,089.23
Independent Coal Tar Co.			1,565.23				1,565.23
Hired Equipment:							
Harry Biathrow, mowing		102.50					102.50
Harry Biathrow, shovel			45.00	11.25	27.00	124.50	207.75
Forest Gardner, tractor					232.50	217.50	450.00
Town of Lebanon					22.50	24.00	46.50
E. G. Hadley						272.50	272.50
Teams:							
Ralph Kidder					158.00	46.00	204.00
A. Chaloux					57.80		57.80
		\$ 558.25	\$2,671.74	\$1,525.99	\$4,474.84	\$3,882.15	\$13,112.97

WELFARE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Forest L. Colby, Overseer

To Received from Selectmen	\$1,733.60	
By Paid Old Age Assistance		\$1,438.04
By Paid Support of Dependent Children		346.90
By Paid Direct Relief		47.00
By Paid Office Expense		1.66
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	\$1,733.60	\$1,733.60

The above report is for eleven months of 1944—January 1st to December 1st.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF ENFIELD

Enfield, New Hampshire

Report for Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1944

Number of Hearings 10

Receipts

Fines and Costs Paid	\$ 95.63
Town of Enfield—Fees of Special Justice	27.00
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	\$122.63

Disbursements

Complaints and Warrants	\$ 4.50
Fines to Commissioner of Motor Vehicles	5.00
Fines and Costs to Fish and Game Department	13.40
Police Officers Costs	53.23
Town of Enfield	19.50
Special Justice—Fees	27.00
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	\$122.63

Respectfully submitted,

ISAAC H. SANBORN,
Clerk.

**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE ENFIELD
PUBLIC LIBRARY**

February 1, 1944—December 31, 1944

Receipts

Feb. 1, 1944	Balance on hand	\$ 41.78
May 20, 1944	Town of Enfield	250.00
Sept. 30, 1944	Town of Enfield	500.00
Dec. 30, 1944	Fines	22.69
	Books sold	14.89
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		\$829.36

Disbursements

Books	\$298.92
Supplies	22.16
Insurance	43.75
Bindery	87.45
Salaries:	
N. L. Pierce	\$ 75.00
G. Ibey	43.40
E. Tobin	117.90
P. Goodwin	66.30
A. Tarney	3.60
M. Follansbee	1.20
W. Williams	35.00
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	342.40

Balance on hand December 30, 1944	34.68
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	\$829.36

Respectfully submitted,

W. K. STRATTON,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

Circulation			7683
Borrowers	Adults	624	
	Juvenile	323	947

The above circulation and borrowers does not include the service given to Enfield Center School by the New Hampshire Library Commission Bookmobile.

Approximately 350 books have been purchased and cataloged during the past 11 months. The Librarian and Trustees wish to express their sincere thanks to Messers Thayer and Morris Nutter for their continued interest and gifts to the Library, to Mrs. Margaret Tyrell, Mr. Donald Henderson, Miss Clara McCabe, Mrs. Agnes Barnes and others who have contributed many recent books to our collection. It has been interesting to note a steady increase in the reading of non-fiction both among adults and young people and we are proud of their interest in good biography, current war books, postwar planning, economic and social problems. The annual Book-week display of new books was well attended by our local teachers and we wish to especially thank them for their fine cooperation in using the Library and in making suggestions as to new book purchases and other ways in which we can help their students. The Library staff has carried extra burdens during the past year with patience and a cheerful willingness that has been greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

NELLIE L. PIERCE,
Librarian.

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

William Laffee, Chief

Clarence Bailey, Treasurer

Year Ending Dec. 31, 1944

To	Received	Disbursed
From		
Selectmen	\$611.00	
Clarence Bailey		\$ 44.00
William Laffee		25.00
D. T. Ibey		27.00
Burt Follensbee		17.00
Charles Quimby		22.00
Burns Talbert		17.00
Henry Laramie		27.00
Irving Brown		14.00
Joe Chouinard		17.00
Emile Chouinard		21.00
W. J. Ibey		31.00
Chester Lower		15.00
Herbert Putman		17.00
William Stark		17.00
Calvin Skinner		13.00
Clint Skinner		5.00
John Stewart		18.00
William Stratton		17.00
George Clark		15.00
Harold Hayes		15.00
Rufas Bruce		13.00
Ernest Gosselin		18.00
D. W. Ibey		19.00
Melvin Lacey		41.00
Elmer Kidder		20.00
Donald Wheeler		24.00
Percy Stevens		19.00
Leon Cote		25.00
Webster Hill		15.00
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		\$588.00
Call Men		
Linden Bates		\$ 3.00
Wilfred Bocash		3.00
Ray Wescott		3.00

Edwin Nickols	6.00
Edwin Nichols	3.00
Harold Kingsbury for labor on fire truck pump	6.00
Total	<u>\$611.00</u>

FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT —1944

The possibility of expensive forest fires are not diminishing but are as great or greater than heretofor. This is due to the increasing slash from lumbering operations and the demand for more lumber as well as shortage of manpower.

The fact that 1944 did not see large areas burned over in this town, is due to no small extent to the fine cooperation given the Warden and Deputies by the townspeople. It is most important that everyone should continue to be on the alert in cautioning others against illegal burning and to report promptly, any fires or smokes observed.

Permits must be obtained for burning from the Warden and these can be issued only on rainy days and an effort by all should be made to have as little burning done during the fire season as possible.

Every effort is being made by the State Forestry Department and your local forest fire organization to keep the cost of forest fires at a minimum and this can be accomplished only with the cooperation of the public. Your help in promptly reporting any fires that may start will be of great assistance and better still, make a special effort to see to it that no fires are started.

I would again call your attention to the fact that fires started illegally, the responsible party is not only subject to court action but is also subject to the payment of all costs involved in investigating and extinguishing such fires.

During 1944, there were four fires, burning a total acreage of less than two acres with a total cost of \$93.80. Three of these fires were violations of the law and one was caused by lightning. There were also four investigations. All four being violations of the law which had a total cost of \$8.50.

Your attention is called to the fact that \$70.20 of this expense was caused through violations of the law and could have been prevented.

HENRY A. LARAMIE,
Forest Fire Warden.

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

Philip V. Tobin
Thayer Nutter

Clarence Bailey
Daniel T. Ibey

CEMETERY AGENT'S REPORT

Year Ending Dec. 31, 1944

Received from Selectmen		\$100.00
Paid Out Labor:		
M. S. Dunbar	\$ 51.30	
W. Blanchard	4.50	
P. McDonald	20.00	
Material	7.14	
Mileage	17.05	
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Total		99.99
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Balance on hand		\$.01

M. S. DUNBAR,
Cemetery Agent.

TOWN AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the records of the Town Clerk, Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Highway Agent, Trustees of Trust Funds, Trustees of Town Library, Enfield Fire Department and Cemetery Agent of the Town of Enfield for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1944, also the accounts of the Overseer of the Poor for the calendar year ending December 31st, 1944 and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CARRIE E. CURRIER,
LOUIS L. RAMSAY,
Town Auditors.

Enfield, N. H., January 23rd, 1945.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF ENFIELD, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1944

Date of Creation	Name of Donor	Cemetery Trust Funds	How Invested	Amt. of Prin.	Income on				Balance of	
					Hand	Inc.	Expended	Inc. on	Hand	
					Begin- ning Year	Year	During Year	Hand	End Year	
				\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
1930	Emma Andrews Fund (Cemetery)		Mascoma Savings Bank	100.00		1.50	1.50			
1914	Emmaline P. Barnes Fund (Oak Grove Asso.)		Mascoma Savings Bank	250.00		3.76	3.76			
1902	Mark P. Burnham Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Savings Bond	100.00	14.91	2.72		.60		17.03
1940	Bartlett W. Clough Fund (Cemetery)		New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	2.54	2.04		1.10		3.48
1891	Sally Clough Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Treasury Bonds	200.00	39.65	9.27		11.90		37.02
1944	Community Building Fund (Capital Reserve)		Sugar River Savings Bank	2,000.00		12.50				12.50
1924	Cox and Huse Fund (Library)		Amoskeag Savings Bank	700.00		15.83		15.83		
1943	Harry K. Davis Fund (Cemetery)		Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	3.82	2.34		4.80		1.36
1902	Mary A. Dennison Fund (Cemetery)		Mascoma Savings Bank	200.00	20.85	3.32		7.10		17.07
1920	Eben Dustin Fund (Cemetery)		New Hampshire Savings Bank	500.00	40.05	10.80		10.20		40.65
1896	Dorcas Emmerson Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Treasury Bond	100.00	74.88	6.12		42.00		39.00
1938	Flanders Fund (Library)		Dartmouth Savings Bank	500.00		11.31		11.31		
1944	Frank Follansbee Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Savings Bond	100.00		1.25		1.25		
1902	Maria Foster Fund (School)		Sugar River Savings Bank	1,000.00		27.69		27.69		
1899	Abigail Gage Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Treasury Bonds	200.00	125.61	11.33		18.60		118.34
1869	William Gage Fund (Town)		U. S. Treasury and Saving Bonds	2,500.00		64.38		64.38		
1918	Louisa Gove Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Treasury Bond	100.00	1.61	4.27		4.00		1.88
1924	Fanny G. Huntoon (Oak Grove Asso.)		Mascoma Savings Bank	100.00		1.50		1.50		
1917	Jackman Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Savings Bond	100.00		2.50		2.50		
1884	George W. Johnson Fund (Town Poor)		U. S. Treasury Bonds	300.00		12.75		12.75		
1924	George W. Johnson Fund (Cemetery)		New Hampshire Savings Bank	500.00	77.98	11.54		20.30		69.22
1922	Emma F. Kidder Fund (Cemetery)		Mascoma Savings Bank	200.00	14.33	3.22		3.60		13.95
1939	Ebenezer Little Fund (Cemetery)		Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	6.02	2.39		2.30		6.11
1916	Alice G. Martin Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Treasury Bond	100.00	80.86	6.06		7.00		79.92
1944	Frank B. Morse Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Savings Bond	100.00		1.25		1.25		
1916	Rebecca Noyes Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Treasury Bond	100.00	32.25	4.96		2.30		34.91
1933	Ella M. Pattee Fund (Library)		New Hampshire Savings Bank	1,000.00		20.00		20.00		
1901	Joseph F. Perley Fund (Cemetery)		U. S. Bond and Mascoma Bank	600.00	48.97	12.49		11.50		49.96

Date of Creation	Name of Donor	Cemetery Trust Funds	How Invested	Amt. of Prin.	Income on Hand Begin- ning Year	Income Expended During Year	Balance of Inc. on Hand End Year
1931	Mark Purmort Fund (Cemetery)		Mascoma Savings Bank	100.00	2.78	2.30	2.02
1902	Purmot, Day and Foster Fund (Cemetery)		Amoskeag Savings Bank	416.00	61.43	9.60	62.62
1931	George H. and Dolly Sargent Fund (Cemetery)		New Hampshire Savings Bank	50.00	5.31	1.10	5.31
1939	Louise Sinclair Fund (Cemetery)		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2.26	2.26	
1930	Frank W. Smith Fund (Cemetery)		Mascoma Savings Bank	100.00	8.45	1.70	8.38
944	State Aid Construction Fund (Capital Reserve)		Sugar River Savings Bank	1,300.00	8.13		8.13
1944	Truck Replacement Fund (Capital Reserve)		Sugar River Savings Bank	911.47	5.69	4.25	5.69
1918	Alice P. Webster Fund (Oak Grove Asso.)		U. S. Treasury Bond	100.00	4.25	1.50	
1936	Ella Willard Fund (Cemetery)		Mascoma Savings Bank	100.00	1.50	1.50	
1910	Abram S. Williams Fund (Oak Grove Asso.)		Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	6.78	6.78	
Totals				\$15,427.47	\$662.30	\$312.76	\$634.55

VITAL STATISTICS

Births

Births Registered in the Town of Enfield for the year ending December 31, 1944.

Date of Birth, Place of Birth, Name of Child,
Name of Father, Maiden Name of Mother.

Jan.	9	Enfield, Kathy Louise; Kenneth Hall and Pauline Beth Slack.
Jan.	22	Lebanon, John Alfred, Jr.; John Alfred Rogers and Beulah Grace Hathaway.
Feb.	14	Hanover, Diane Louise; Ulysses Ogden Gardner and Arlene Frances Boyd.
Feb.	21	Hanover, Marjorie Blaine; Donald Jackson Newhall and Mabel Verna Chadwick.
Feb.	29	Lebanon, Nancy Jane; Walter Sherman and Katherine Evelyn Green.
Mar.	2	Lebanon, Rita Marie; Vern Charles Merrihew and Violet Bernard.
Mar.	19	Lebanon, Richard Albion; Harland Stanley Barnes and Vera Luella Coville.
Mar.	23	Hanover, Judith Eileen; Rudolph Lawrence Dunn and Verna Louise Leach.
Mar.	27	Enfield, Bernice Eleanor; Joseph Arthur Guerin and Mary May Lawrence.
Apr.	8	Lebanon, Richard Keith; Clyde Alvin Santor and Kathryn Dell Charbono.
Apr.	21	Enfield, Robert Roy; Orra Martin McKinney and Elenor Amelia Lawrence.
May	3	Lebanon, Betty Jane; Dennis Cunningham Smith and Marguerite Elizabeth Billingham.
May	11	Lebanon, Philip Lee; Richard Johnson and Rachel Agnes Sanborn.
May	16	Lebanon, Thomas Andrew; George Webster Campbell and Anna Frances Laffee.
May	22	Canaan, Rita Louise; Philip Herbert Putnam and Louise Eleanor Wilson.
May	26	Lebanon, Jean Doris; Charles Willard Garnhum and Florence Alice Bailey.
June	28	Hanover, Linda Lee; Lester Hollis Hazelton and Avalee Marion Hill.
July	9	Hanover, Bernadelle Audrey; George Washington Bill and Marion Esther Lombard.

- Aug. 12 Lebanon, Donna Marie; Wallace Bernard Wooster and Mary Ellen Gallagher.
- Aug. 29 Lebanon, Dianne Mary; Arthur William Sainsbury and Hattie Mae Adams.
- Sept. 4 Lebanon, Donald Ernest; Melvin Albert Lacey and Dorothy Thorborg Lindfelt.
- Sept. 14 Lebanon, William Walker; Lawrence Walker Talbert and Ruth Marjorie Howe.
- Sept. 20 Hanover, David Arthur; Romeo Joseph Deneault and Rena Blanche Reney.
- Oct. 4 Lebanon, Wallace Clyde, Jr.; Wallace Clyde Hill and Agnes Estelle Frye.
- Oct. 20 Lebanon, Bonita Elece; Howard J. Rollman and Lois R. Frye.
- Dec. 2 Lebanon, Mary; Arthur Wolff and Toni Lauenger.
- Dec. 15 Lebanon, Linda Louise; Glen Moody and Virginia Sanborn.
- Dec. 16 Hanover, Bernadine Marie; Donald Richard Hazelton and Geraldine Marie Reney.
- Dec. 20 Hanover, Dorinda Jane; Roswell Raymond Reney and Blanche Etta Flanders.
- Dec. 23 Enfield, Clyde William; Austin Jason Farewell and Gretchen Pero.
- Dec. 31 Lebanon, Gloria Jean; Frank David Dyke and Pauline Evelyn Morse.

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

HERBERT E. WALBRIDGE,
Town Clerk.

Marriages

Marriage Registered in the Town of Enfield for the year ending December 31, 1944.

Date of Marriage, Place of Marriage, Name and Surname of Groom and Bride, Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married.

- Mar. 4 Enfield, Howard J. Rollman and Lois R. Frye, by J. Robert Treganza, Methodist Minister, Enfield, N. H.
- Mar. 30 Lebanon, John Lewis Clark and Maud Martha Follensbee, by George R. Wolverton, Minister, Lebanon, N. H.

- Apr. 20 Hanover, Frank J. Brodzensky and Marjorie Giguere, by Rev. Chester B. Fisk, Minister, Hanover, N. H.
- Apr. 29 Chichester, Perley Alfred Rogers and Janis Martha Chase, by Charles W. Kelley, Methodist Minister, Penacook, N. H.
- May 16 Enfield, Walter John Littlefield and Sarah Carlton, by J. Robert Treganza, Methodist Minister, Enfield, N. H.
- May 19 Hanover, Roswell Raymond Reney and Blanche Etta Flanders, by Rev. Chester B. Fisk, Minister, Hanover, N. H.
- May 20 Keene, Rankin Addison Stewart and Norma Adele Davis, by C. Barnard Chapman, Clergyman, Keene, N.H.
- June 10 Lebanon, George William Parkhurst and Ethel Annis Stewart, by Cornelius Fersch, Clergyman, Lebanon, N. H.
- June 26 Enfield, Thomas John Lorden and Margaret Frances Robinson, by J. F. E. Belanger, Catholic Priest, Enfield, N. H.
- Aug. 17 Enfield, Robert Andrew Brunelle and Hazel Evelyn Barnett, by J. F. E. Belanger, Catholic Priest, Enfield, N. H.
- Aug. 19 Monroe, Walter Stevens Coutermarsh, Jr., and Eva Frances Treganza. by J. Robert Treganza, Methodist Minister, Enfield, N. H.
- Aug. 26 Laconia, Boyd Hanley Jennings and Effie Azora Morrison, by Theo. S. Jewett, Justice of the Peace, Laconia, N. H.
- Oct. 7 Enfield, Arthur George Graves and Cedra Mondoruza, by J. F. E. Belanger, Catholic Priest, Enfield, N. H.
- Dec. 25 Lebanon, Ray Leston Wescott and Helen Elmay Clark, by George R. Wolverton, Minister, Lebanon, N. H.

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

HERBERT E. WALBRIDGE,

Town Clerk.

Deaths

Deaths Registered in the Town of Enfield for the year ending December 31, 1944.

Date of Death, Place of Death, Name, Surname and
Age of Deceased

Jan.	2	Hanover, Robert Chabot, 3 years, 2 months, 16 days.
Jan.	27	Hanover, Oner Francis Rayno, 52 years, 11 months, 25 days.
Jan.	28	Canaan, Melvin Ernest Cross, 77 years, 8 months, 6 days.
Feb.	3	Enfield, Delia M. Seavey, 64 years, 11 months, 8 days.
Feb.	11	Hanover, Edyth Colby, 67 years, 3 months, 15 days.
Feb.	27	Hanover, John Jed Marcotte, 43 years, 1 month, 16. days.
Mar.	9	Enfield, Frank Lyman Carter, 72 years, 6 months.
Mar.	20	Enfield Center, Lillia R. Heath, 80 years, 6 months, 1 day.
Apr.	2	Enfield, Frank Bradeen Arnold, 70 years, 5 months, 1 day.
Apr.	14	Hanover, Bernice Putnam, 49 years, 6 months, 12 days.
Apr.	18	Concord, Sophie Curren, 90 years, 5 months, ? days.
May	14	San Pedro, Calif., Alexander McFadden, 58 years, 10 days.
May	27	Enfield, Clarassia A. Eastman, 75 years 4 months, 7 days.
June	15	Somerville, Mass., Mildred Follansbee, 75 years.
July	3	Nahant, Mass., Robert Niles, 32 years, 11 months, 5 days.
July	15	Hanover, Hazel Belle Sanderson, 51 years, 2 months, 23 days.
Sept.	3	Holyoke, Mass., George A. Freeman, 81 years, 7 months, 26 days.
Sept.	14	Hanover, Reverend Father Alpherie Chartier, 57 years, 9 months, 26 days.

- Oct. 2 Laconia, Clarence Schedler, 52 years, 10 months, 19 days.
Nov. 27 Enfield, James T. Wallace, 59 years, 3 months, 27 days.
Dec. 1 Lebanon, May H. Huntley, 68 years, 21 days.
Dec. 7 Burlington, Vt., George Ellis Whitney, 80 years, 10 months, 7 days.
Dec. 13 Enfield, Harriet Taft, 87 years, 10 months, 1 day.
Dec. 19 Concord, Wayland F. Dorothy, 68 years, 6 months, 14 days.
Dec. 23 Lebanon, Peter Columbia, 79 years, 11 months, 21 days.
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Dec. 15 Middleboro, Mass., Ellen F. Nourse, 76 years, 2 months.

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

HERBERT E. WALBRIDGE,
Town Clerk.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ENFIELD SCHOOL
DISTRICT, ENFIELD, N. H.**

1945

The School Board of the School District of Enfield is continuing the policy of presenting to the School District each year the financial report of the receipts and expenditures of the department and an estimated budget for the operation of the schools for the succeeding year. These documents, together with the report of the Superintendent of Schools, constitute the School Report to the Enfield School District.

Mrs. Louisa E. Stratton 1945
Mr. Phillip V. Tobin 1946
Mr. Thomas Williams 1947

WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

Grafton ss.

Town of Enfield

To the Inhabitants of the School District of Enfield
qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Whitney Hall in Enfield on the seventeenth day of March, 1945, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing 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 hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or other officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors, Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
7. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$21,752.00, plus any additional receipts of the department, for the salaries of District Officers, Administration, Tuition, Transportation, Per Capita Tax, etc., and the \$5 tax on a thousand of equalized valuation, for the support of the schools as set forth in the budget.
8. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at said Enfield this
16th day of February, 1945 .

Mrs. Louisa E. Stratton,
Mr. Phillip V. Tobin,
Mr. Thomas Williams,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant Attest:

Mrs. Louisa E. Stratton,
Mr. Phillip V. Tobin,
Mr. Thomas Williams,
School Board.

TREASURER'S REPORT

July 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944

Balance on hand, June 30, 1943 \$ 519.54

Received from :

Selectmen	\$20,892.13	
Dog Tax	516.24	
Income from Trust Funds	30.23	
State Treasurer (State Aid)	5,439.95	
Received from all other sources	257.68	
	<hr/>	27,136.23

Total amount available for
fiscal year \$27,655.77

Less School Board Orders Paid	\$23,321.32	
Balance on hand, June 30, 1944	4,334.45	
	<hr/>	\$27,655.77

William N. Hayes,
District Treasurer.

AUDITORS' 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 which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944 and find them correct in all respects

Herbert E. Walbridge

Ernest S. Woodwell

July 21, 1944

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE ENFIELD
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

For the year July 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944

RECEIPTS

Raised by Taxation:

(From Selectmen)		\$20,892.13
From Sources other than Taxation:		
State Equalization Fund		5,439.95
Dog Licenses (from Selectmen) \$	516.24	
High School Tuition	90.00	
Income from Local Trust Funds	30.23	
Sale of Property	160.00	
Other receipts	7.68	
		<hr/> 804.15
Total Receipts ,all sources		\$27,136.23
Cash on hand, July 1, 1943		519.54
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Grand Total		\$27,655.77

AUDITORS' REPORT

(Required by the state Board of education from all State Aid districts).

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Enfield, N. H., of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1943, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

Herbert E. Walbridge,
Ernest S. Woodwell,
Auditors.

July 18, 1944

PAYMENTS

Administration :

Salaries of district officers	\$	208.00	
Superintendent's excess salary		555.00	
Truant officers and school census		70.00	
Expenses of administration		203.50	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,036.50

Instruction :

Principals' and teachers salaries		13,044.12	
Textbooks		642.58	
Scholars' supplies		332.40	
Flags and appurtenances			
Other expenses of instruction		147.83	
		<hr/>	14,166.93

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:

Janitor service	\$	1,135.47	
Fuel		1,099.84	
Water, light, janitor's supplies		307.74	
Minor repairs and expenses		166.66	
		<hr/>	2,709.71

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:

Medical inspection	\$	570.09	
Transportation of pupils		3,698.53	
High School and Academy tuition			
Elementary school tuition		80.00	
Other special activities		225.76	
		<hr/>	4,574.38

Fixed Charges:

Tax for state wide supervision		634.00	
Insurance and other fixed charges		199.80	
		<hr/>	833.80

Total cash payments for all purposes	\$23,321.32
Cash on hand at end of year	4,334.45

Grand Total	<hr/> \$27,655.77
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SCHOOL DISTRICT BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash on hand:	
Balance, June 30, 1944	\$ 4,334.45
Accounts due to district	00.00
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	\$ 4,334.45
Excess of liabilities over assets	00.00
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	\$ 4,334.45

Liabilities

Amounts reserved for special purposes:	
Teachers' salaries	\$ 2,284.00
Janitors' salaries	192.00
Grading	600.00
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Total Liabilities	\$ 3,076.00
Excess of assets over liabilities	1,258.45
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	\$ 4,334.45

ENFIELD SCHOOL BUDGET

1945-1946

	Budget 1944-45	Budget 1945-46
Administration:		
Salaries of Officers	\$ 206.00	\$ 206.00
Superintendent's excess salary	600.00	600.00
Truant Officer and School Census	50.00	50.00
Administration Expense	200.00	175.00
Instruction:		
Teachers' salaries	16,600.00	17,875.00
Textbooks	600.00	600.00
Scholars' Supplies	600.00	600.00
Flags	15.00	15.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	250.00	250.00
Operation and Maintenance of Plant:		
Janitor Service	1,250.00	1,300.00
Fuel	700.00	800.00
Water, light, and janitor supplies	250.00	250.00
Minor Repairs	200.00	200.00
Auxiliary Agencies, etc.:		
Medical Inspection	575.00	575.00
Transportation of Pupils	3,720.00	3,750.00
Tuition, High School		
Tuition, Elementary School		
Special Activities	500.00	500.00
Fixed Charges, Debt, etc.:		
Insurance	148.00	148.00
Bonds		
Interest		
New Equipment	100.00	100.00
Land, Bldg., Improvements	600.00	600.00
Per Capita Tax	634.00	628.00
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	\$27,798.00	\$29,222.00

ESTIMATED INCOME

Balance June 20, 1945	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,300.00
State Aid	5,000.00	5,200.00
Dog Tax	250.00	350.00
Income from Trust Funds	35.00	35.00
High School Tuition	60.00	60.00
Elementary School Tuition	200.00	200.00
Other Receipts	225.00	225.00
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Budget Total	\$ 6,770.00	\$ 7,370.00
Estimated Income	\$27,798.00	\$29,222.00
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Amount to be raised by taxation	\$21,028.00	\$21,852.00

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Enfield:

It is my privilege to present this my eleventh annual report. It is made a part of an extended series of such reports by School Boards to the School District.

Survey:

The work of the schools has been carried on with the usual efficiency. The annual tests reveal the customary normal progress of the majority of the pupils. The teachers are all making their work worth while and sustaining the interest of their classes both in the High School and the grades. The pupils have continued to participate in the war drives, milkweed pods were collected for life saving purposes, newspapers collected by the boy scouts, other activities by the girl scouts, war stamps and bonds have been sold so that a jeep designated as paid for by the Enfield schools might be purchased by the Army, the moving picture machine has been purchased. Altogether the pupils have made their personal sacrifices and contributions to the war effort. The teachers seem to have made their lives in the community helpful and cooperative. It is not too much to say that all of these activities have helped to make a wholesome and well rounded school atmosphere.

Buildings:

The village school will need attention in the very near future. The need for an adequate auditorium and gymnasium is ever apparent, The heating plant never too adequate will soon need a thorough overhauling, perhaps to the extent of a new steam boiler. The roof requires attention, new shades are needed at nearly all windows, an opportunity for darkening a room for the visual education programs are all items which cannot be too long overlooked.

The East Hill School has now been disposed of. This means that only the two buildings remaining are the village and Enfield Center School. The latter building was re-decorated during the past summer and provided with a modern heater. That building is so constructed that it is practically impossible to plan any major improvement for the one class room in use.

Health:

The School nurse has made her regular visits to the schools during the year. All pupils have been examined and parents notified of any condition requiring medical attention. It would be very helpful to the school nurse and teachers if all parents would take pains to follow up the directions of the school nurse as soon as possible after they are received. It is not possible to eradicate contagious diseases unless we receive full cooperation from the home. This is particularly true of the simple difficulty of pediculosis. The treatment for this disease is simple, but needs to be followed carefully in order to rid the children of the danger of spreading. Many of the defects found have been corrected. These include certain cases of eye defects and others of teeth. It is important that every child should have proper dental care as well as medical care and the nearby dentists have been very willing to cooperate even to the extent of reducing the costs to a limited degree. It is hoped that the services of the present school nurse may be continued, so that the work which has been so well done up to this point this year may be continued and so that the general health and defective conditions of the children may be followed up and corrective measures taken without the necessity of still further investigations.

Transportation:

The work of bringing in the pupils from the districts where schools have been closed has continued this year in a very satisfactory manner. The busses that have been used have been in fairly good condition and no complaints of any magnitude have reached the school Officials. It will be true that the busses now in use may not be adequate in years to come and it may not be easily possible to secure persons who wish to undertake the work. The plan in operation at present should be continued so long as it can be without increasing costs to the district, but the time may come when the district may feel that it can save some expense by owning its own busses and employing drivers where necessary. In that case it might be possible to eliminate the use of one bus and thus reduce the amount required for this particular item in the budget.

School Budget:

It has been possible to operate the schools during the past year on a budget which was set up and acted upon at the last school meeting. There have been some increases in certain cases but they have been met because the receipts were slightly greater than expected. The outstanding item in which there was an increase is that for teachers salaries. For effective work it is necessary to have good teachers and it has been found by actual experience that good teachers are demanding higher salaries than those before the war. It is probable that the only way to maintain an adequate staff is to pay salaries more nearly equal to those which might be received in other occupations. The costs for fuel have also increased and this may continue for some time. The fund of \$600 which was raised for land and building improvement has been continued in the budget to be used as soon as manpower is available for the grading of the village school lot which is now serving as the playground. After considering all of these items the net amount asked of the tax payers more than last year is only a little over \$800. It is hoped that the citizens will grant this amount to the school department for the purpose of maintaining present standards.

Budget:

Year	Expenditures	Tax Levy	State Aid	Yearly Balances
1930-31	\$25,328.99	\$23,000.00	\$2,543.52	\$3,376.93
1931-32	24,424.83	20,500.00	3,253.34	3,055.11
1932-33	22,841.13	19,000.00	2,899.20	218.97
1933-34	21,809.53	15,000.00	4,674.59	586.50
1934-35	22,020.84	16,000.00	4,041.79	266.06
1935-36	23,353.70	17,750.00	4,882.55	295.14
1936-37	21,026.02	18,000.00	4,932.36	2,585.01
1937-38	24,201.56	17,201.00	3,355.70	236.43
1938-39	24,016.46	19,500.00	3,685.49	966.86
1939-40	25,132.84	18,500.00	4,128.26	9.31
1940-41	24,300.86	19,400.00	3,993.04	301.37
1941-42	24,095.87	19,500.00	4,482.83	481.37
1942-43	24,994.24	20,500.00	4,585.85	519.54
1943-44	23,321.32	20,900.00	5,439.95	1,858.45
1944-45		20,900.00	5,262.62	

The State Aid continues to be slightly more than \$5000. It is possible that State Aided towns may be fur-

ther subsidized in connection with the operation of the High School. Legislative action is the only feature which can determine whether or not this is to be done. It is expected that the present legislature will allow the demand of a given school district for State Aid.

Pupil Enrollment and Distribution:

School	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Village	35	22	26	34	35	17	25	31	225
High School	9	10	11	12					
	21	17	12	10					60
	1	2	3	4					
Center	2	7	1	2					12
Grand Total									297

The number of pupils attending schools shows a slight increase over that of the preceeding year. It appears from the above figures that with the increasing number of pupils in the middle and lower grades that the attendance will be much larger in the near future. The enrollment will also increase as soon as the war emergency becomes a little less strenuous. The enrollment at the Center School has again reached a low level. This means that the costs of operating that school on a per pupil basis is unusually large. It might be better to have the pupils in that school transferred to the Village School thereby giving them the experience of a school with separate grades. The pupils who came to the fifth grade this year have been readily adjusted and are effectively prospering by the experience.

Post War Planning:

This is a period of thoughtful concern of what will need to be done in the education field following the war. The needs of each community will be peculiar to itself. Our studies have brought out the fact that most people believe we must continue a strong program at the elementary school level. They are also sure that the value to be derived from culture must not be lost. In a community such as Enfield, there will be the need for continuance of manual arts training. Another study has been made of the needs in the field of textile manufacture. It may be possi-

ble and advisable for Enfield to consider whether or not there is any value in a program of pre-vocational education leading to definite occupations in this field. It is apparent that there will be a tendency to have the boys and girls remain longer in High School due to labor restrictions. All of these considerations point to the fact that there will be a need in Enfield for improving building facilities. The recreational program of the school will need to be enlarged and provision made for this part of the educational program. All of this and more may need to be done to insure the better teaching of the tools of learning. No plan in this newer period will be complete unless in the earliest years of the pupils life we begin to lay a foundation for a full understanding of the American way of life, economic, political and social. Character and ethical training will need to be stressed. All to the end that the fine traditions of our fathers may be perpetuated and built upon in order to develop a more broadly trained citizenry ready to meet changing conditions and avoid the pitfalls of the many "isms", which have plunged the world into chaos and confusion. The adjustments made by the millions of our young men and women in these times of stress is abundant proof that our schools have not failed. They but point the way for us to buttress our ideals with still more intensive practical methods of making the teaching and learning more realistic. Citizens, as parents and friends of the schools can make their contribution not only in support of the schools, but also in providing a wholesome home atmosphere where helpfulness, cooperation and tolerance are woven into the everyday experiences of the boys and girls.

It is again a pleasure to express to the Board and Citizens of Enfield the appreciation of the pupils, the teachers, and the Superintendent for the cooperation and friendly interest which have characterized the relationship between the schools and the public.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert J. Fuller,

Superintendent of Schools.

Name	First Year Employed	School	Graduate From	Home Address
Louise L. Ramsay	1941	High	Keene '32, B. Ed.; B. U. '33, '35, '36, '38, '41, '42 A. M.	Enfield, N. H.
Ralph Linton	1943	High	Oberlin '26 A. B.; Keene '28	Hillsboro, N. H.
Mary A. Finn	1942	High	Salem '42 B. Ed.; B. U. School of Ed. '43 M. F. D.	Dorchester, Mass.
Catherine DeCassio	1944	High	Eastern Nazarene College '44 A. B.	Springfield, Mass.
Dorothy E. Hoitt	1940	High	N.H.U. '28, B. S., N.H.U. '41	Manchester, N. H.
Barbara J. Manning	1944	Grade VI	Keene '45 B. Ed.	Hancock, N. H.
Ann Tarney	1941	Grade V	Plymouth '23; N.H.U. '37	Enfield, N. H.
Susie E. Eastman	1918	Grade IV	Keene and Plymouth	Enfield, N. H.
Dorothy B. Webster	1944	Grade III	Keene '44 B. Ed.; Plymouth and Keene summer schools	West Canaan, N. H.
Ruth Dennis	1943	Grade II	Plymouth '42 B. Ed.	Lebanon, N. H.
Barbara J. Kendrigan	1944	Grade I	Keen '45 B. E.; Plymouth and Keen summer schools	Newmarket, N. H.
Sylvia T. Bailey	1944	Grades I-IV (Center)	Plymouth summer school	Enfield, N. H.

HONOR ROLL

1943 - 1944

Names of pupils who have not been absent or tardy
for the entire year.

High School

William Avery

Grade VI

Claire Coutermarsh

Grade IV

Dorothy M. Bailey

Alice Bill
William Shurtleff

Grade II

John Stewart

Center

Marian Evans

COPELAND BLOCK TRUSTEES FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1944

Cash on hand January 1st, 1944	\$ 34.42
Rent Helping Hand Lodge as per lease	1.00
Heating same 28 nights	14.00
Rent of apartments and stores	1,368.00
	<hr/> \$ 1,417.42
Disbursements	
Water rent	\$ 24.00
Electric lights	116.96
Fuel, wood 17 cords and trucking	147.30
Fuel, coal 31½ tons	365.25
Insurance	70.00
Repairs, labor and material	89.43
Janitor service	414.50
William K. Stratton, trustee salary	15.00
Eugene H. King, trustee salary	15.00
George W. Fogg, trustee salary	15.00
Cash on hand January 1, 1945	144.98
	<hr/> \$ 1,417.42

An itemized report of receipts and expenses has been filed in the Selectmen's office and can be examined by interested people.

George W. Fogg,
E. H. King,
W. K. Stratton,
Trustees.

Enfield, N. H., February 5, 1945

We have this day examined the accounts of the Trustees of the Copeland Block and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1944 and ending January 1, 1945.

Herbert E. Walbridge,
Ernest S. Woodwell,
Auditors.



