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FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1943

*with Report of*

*School District*

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## Town Officers for 1942-1943

### TOWN CLERK

Forace R. Hall Term expires 1943

### SELECTMEN

Nason W. Fessenden Term expires 1945

Lawrence E. Corey Term expires 1943

Burns H. Marshall (~~Resigned~~) Term expires 1944

### TOWN TREASURER

Pearl E. Wilkins Term expires 1943

### TAX COLLECTOR

Mrs. William P. Lathe Term expires 1943

### OVERSEER OF POOR

Lawrence E. Corey (Acting) Term expires 1943

### MODERATOR

George M. Rockwood Term expires 1944

### CHIEF OF POLICE

Chester A. Barnaby Term expires 1943

### FIRE STEWARD

Wilfred J. Soucy Term expires 1943

### ENGINEERS

George M. Rockwood Term expires 1943

Eldorous C. Fessenden Term expires 1943

Robert E. Wright Term expires 1943

### SUPERVISORS

Edith Whitney Term expires 1944

George Davis Term expires 1944

Etta Hezlitt Term expires 1944

## AUDITORS

Walter B. Fessenden	Term expires 1943
Miriam Jepson	Term expires 1943

## ROAD AGENT

Grover C. Farwell	Term expires 1943
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## HEALTH OFFICER

Alton C. Jensen	Term expires 1943
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## FINANCE COMMITTEE

George M. Rockwood	Term expires 1943
Arthur A. Goss	Term expires 1943
Arvo C. Bedders	Term expires 1943

## DOG CONSTABLE

George Proctor	Term expires 1943
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## TOWN TRUSTEES

Etta Hezlitt	Term expires 1945
Richard E. Wright	Term expires 1943
Delbert W. Porter	Term expires 1944

## TREE WARDEN

Delbert W. Porter	Term expires 1943
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## SEXTON

George Davis	Term expires 1943
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## SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER

Harry K. Wilkins	Term expires 1943
Norman Spencer	Term expires 1943

## LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Clara Charait	Term expires 1945
Charlotte Wright	Term expires 1943
Edith Whitney	Term expires 1944

## MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

Wilfred J. Soucy	Term expires 1943
Norman Spencer	Term expires 1943
Forace R. Hall	Term expires 1943

## JANITOR

Arnold F. Wright	Term expires 1943
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## WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

E. C. Fessenden	Term expires 1943
Forace R. Hall	Term expires 1943
Llewellyn S. Powers	Term expires 1943
Richard E. Wright	Term expires 1943

## Town Warrant

*To the inhabitants of the Town of Brookline, County of Hillsborough, and State of N. H., qualified to vote in Town and State Affairs;*

You are hereby notified to meet in Daniels Academy Hall, in said town on Tuesday, March 9, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects, and any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

1. To choose all town officers for the ensuing year.
2. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray town charges for the ensuing year.
3. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and all other officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relative to same.
4. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Highways and Bridges.
5. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day.
6. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Public Library.
7. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
8. To see if the town will vote to allow any discount on taxes.
9. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Cemeteries.
10. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to distribute inventory blanks when assessing, instead of mailing.
11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum necessary to secure State Aid for permanent improvement of highways or take any action relative thereto.
12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for fire hose and other necessary equipment.
13. To see if the town will vote to pay Firemen attending chimney fires fifty cents an hour for time spent at same.
14. To see if the town will vote to authorize clerk hire



for the Board of Selectmen and raise and appropriate money necessary for same.

15. To see if the town will vote to authorize Selectmen to enter into contract with Brookline Grange No. 211 for the leasing of Daniels Academy Building or take any action thereof.

16. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property acquired by tax deeds.

17. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into contract of Snow Removal, or take any action relative thereto.

18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the control of White Pine Blister rust.

19. To see if the town will vote to accept the following legacies: \$500.00 from the Estate of Mrs. Ellen Swett for the perpetual care of the Needham - Hunter - Swett Lot in the South Cemetery, with a request that the stones are kept cleaned and repaired whenever needed; \$100.00 from the Estate of Samuel A. W. Ball for the perpetual care of the Jonas Kendall Lot in Lake-side Cemetery; \$100.00 from George H. Kendall for the perpetual care of the Daniel Kendall Lot in South Cemetery; \$200.00 from William M. Murphy for the perpetual care of the Caroline A. Murphy Lot in Pine Grove Cemetery.

20. To see if the town will vote to rescind the Australin Ballot System and adopt the Non-partisan Ballot System. Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened 1943.

21. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum necessary to insure fire station, trucks and equipment or take any action relative thereto.

23. To see if the town will vote to increase the pay of labor employed on town roads.

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

HOURS OF VOTING 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

## Town Budget

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year,  
February 1, 1943 to January 31, 1944. - Compared with Actual  
Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, February 1,  
1942 to January 31, 1943

<i>Sources of Revenue</i>	<i>Actual Revenue Previous Year 1942</i>	<i>Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1943</i>	<i>Decrease</i>
<i>From State:</i>			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$333.63	\$300.00	\$32.63
Savings Bank Tax	131.60	131.60	
For Fighting Forest Fires	43.05		43.05
<i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i>			
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	958.00	800.00	158.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	334.25	334.25	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	519.04	400.00	119.04
Sale of Town Property acquired by Tax Deeds	290.00	100.00	190.00
<i>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</i>			
(a) Poll Taxes	518.00	450.00	68.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	15.00	15.00	
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TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$3,141.57	\$2,530.85	\$610.72
*AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES		16,697.67	
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TOTAL REVENUES	\$3,141.57	\$19,228.52	\$610.72

<i>Purposes of Expenditures</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Estimated</i>	<i>Increase</i>	<i>Decrease</i>
	<i>Revenue</i>	<i>Revenue</i>		
	<i>Previous</i>	<i>Ensuing</i>		
	<i>Year</i>	<i>Year</i>		
	<i>1942</i>	<i>1943</i>		
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses: General Government:</i>				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$906.54	\$1,000.00	\$93.46	
Town Officers' Expenses	320.16	350.00	29.84	
Election and Registration Expenses	124.62	15.00		109.62
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	1,119.11	1,290.00	80.89	
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>				
Police Department	68.62	60.00		8.62
Fire Department	995.70	1,000.00	4.30	
<i>Health:</i>				
Health Department including hospitals	42.60			42.60
Vital Statistics	19.60	15.00		4.60
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>				
Town Maintenance	1,376.02	1,500.00	123.98	
Street Lighting	758.33	700.00		58.33
Town Road Aid T. R. A.	342.24	350.00	7.75	
Snow Plowing	1,200.00	1,200.00		
<i>Libraries:</i>				
Libraries	75.00	75.00		
<i>Public Welfare:</i>				
Town Poor	292.00	300.00	8.00	
Old Age Assistance	1,379.94	1,400.00	20.06	
<i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>				
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	60.00	60.00		
<i>Public Service Enterprises:</i>				
Cemeteries	100.00	100.00		
<i>Interest:</i>				
On Bonded Debt	96.25	61.25		35.00
On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town	372.00	372.00		
<i>Indebtedness: Payment on Principal of Debt:</i>				
(a) Bonds	1,000.00	1,000.00		
<i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>				
County Taxes	2,770.27	2,770.27		
Payments to School Districts	5,589.64	5,700.00	110.36	
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$19,008.65</b>	<b>\$19,228.52</b>	<b>\$478.64</b>	<b>\$258.77</b>

### Summary Inventory

Real Estate	\$449,645.00
Electric Plants	38,000.00
Horses, 8	560.00
Oxen, 7	625.00
Cows, 32	2,265.00
Sheep, 5	70.00
Neat Stock	25.00
Hogs	20.00
Fowls, 7,885	7,520.00
Portable Mills	4,925.00
Wood and Lumber	2,200.00
Gas Pumps	325.00
Stock in Trade	5,200.00
Mills and Machinery	1,950.00
	\$513,330.00
Rate	• \$34.00
Committed to Collector	16,990.82
Soldiers Exemption	12,600.00
Blind Exemption	1,800.00

### Statement of Appropriations and Taxes Assessed

Town Charges	\$8,842.71
Highways and Bridges	1,149.45
Memorial Day	60.00
Library	75.00
Town Hall	1,200.00
Cemeteries	100.00
Town Road Aid	350.55
Fire Department	1,000.00
New Valuation	100.00
Health	50.00
Police and Observation Post	100.00
	\$13,027.71

## Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures

	<i>Appr.</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Bal. Overdraft</i>
Town Charges	\$8,842.71	\$9,188.68	\$345.97
Highways and Bridges	1,149.45	1,376.02	226.57
Memorial Day	60.00	57.05	2.95
Libraries	75.00	75.00	
Cemeteries	100.00	100.00	
Town Road Aid	350.55	342.25	8.30
Fire Hose	300.00	300.00	
Fire Dept. Defense	50.00		50.00
Police Dept. Defense	50.00	13.62	36.38
Observation Post, Defense	50.00	37.56	12.44
Health Dept. Defense	50.00	37.60	12.40
Restoring Trust Funds	422.97	422.97	
New Valuation	100.00	91.00	9.00
County Tax	2,770.27	2,770.27	
Bonds	1,000.00	1,000.00	
	\$15,370.95	\$15,812.02	\$131.47 \$572.54

### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

<i>Description</i>	<i>Value</i>
1. Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$15,650.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,600.00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	
Furniture and equipment	700.00
3. Police Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	40.00
4. Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	1,500.00
Equipment	6,500.00
5. Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	300.00
Equipment	400.00
Materials and Supplies	50.00
6. Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	100.00
10. All Lands and buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds	16,100.00
11. All other Property and Equipment: Town Forest	2,500.00
Total	\$46,440.00

## Financial Report

### OF THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE IN HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

For the Fiscal Year Ended January 31, 1943

#### CERTIFICATE

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

Date, February 4, 1943

LAWRENCE E. COREY,  
BURNS H. MARSHALL,  
*Selectmen.*

PEARL WILKINS,  
*Treasurer.*

#### ASSETS

Cash	\$8,568.52	
In hands of treasurer	201.10	
Unredeemed Taxes:		
(a) Levy of 1941	380.34	
(b) Levy of 1940	514.23	
(c) Previous Years	4,786.95	
Uncollected Taxes:		
(a) Levy of 1942	3,175.34	
(b) Levy of 1941	42.07	
Total Assets		\$17,668.55
Grand Total		17,668.55
Surplus, January 31, 1942	\$5,707.08	
Surplus, January 31, 1943	2,592.40	
Decrease of Surplus	3,114.68	

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 LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Due to School Districts:	
(a) Dog licenses	\$201.10
(b) Balance of Appropriation	3,575.05
Bonds Outstanding:	
Refunding Town Debt	2,000.00
Trust Funds, Amount of Principal	
Used by Town:	9,300.00
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Total Liabilities	\$15,076.15
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	2,592.40
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Grand Total	\$17,668.55

## RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:	
From Local Taxes:	
Total taxes committed	
to collector, 1942	\$17,527.42
Less discounts	
and abatements, 1942	246.35
Less uncollected, 1942	3,237.80
1. Property taxes, current year,	
actually collected	\$13,666.27
2. Poll taxes, current year,	
actually collected	362.00
3. National Bank Stock taxes	15.00
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4. Total of current year's collections	\$14,043.27
5. Property and poll taxes, previous years,	
actually collected	4,234.94
6. Tax sales redeemed	425.43
From State:	
8. Interest and dividend tax	332.63
10. Savings Bank tax	131.60
13. Fighting forest fires	43.05

## From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

20. Rent of town property	1,058.00
23. Income from trust funds	289.64
25. Income from departments	1,502.75
27. Registration of motor vehicles, 1941-42 Permits	2.10
Registration of motor vehicles, 1942-43 Permits	516.94
Total Current Revenue Receipts	<u>\$22,580.35</u>

## PAYMENTS

## Current Maintenance Expenses:

## General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$881.54
2. Town officers' expenses	320.16
3. Election and registration expenses	124.62
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	1,119.11

## Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police Department, including care of tramps	68.62
7. Fire Department, including forest fires	995.70
9. Bounties	2.60

## Health:

11. Health department, including hospitals	42.60
12. Vital Statistics	19.60

## Highways and Bridges:

14. Town Road Aid	342.25
15. Town Maintenance (Summer, \$1,157.45) (Winter, \$1,418.57)	2,576.02
16. Street lighting and sprinkling	758.33

## Libraries:

18. Libraries	75.00
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## Public Welfare:

19. Old age assistance	1,379.94
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20. Town poor	292.00	
Patriotic Purposes:		
22. Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises	60.00	
Public Service Enterprises:		
27. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	100.00	
Unclassified:		
29. Taxes bought by town	478.17	
30. Miscellaneous	2,088.22	
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses		\$11,724.48
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
39. Miscellaneous		269.97
Total Receipts		
Other Than Current Revenue		22,850.32
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Total Receipts From All Sources		22,850.32
Cash on hand February 1, 1942		7,270.84
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Grand Total		\$30,121.16
Interest:		
33. Paid on bonded debt	\$96.25	
34. Paid on principal of trust funds used by towns	372.00	
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Total Interest Payments		468.25
Indebtedness:		
46. Payments on bonded debt	1,000.00	
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Total indebtedness Payments		1,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
50. Taxes paid to County	2,770.27	
52. Payments to School Districts	5,589.64	
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		8,359.91
Cash on hand January 31, 1943		8,568.52
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Grand Total		\$30,121.16

## Town Clerk's Report

### MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS

DR.	
Cash Received for 3 Permits (1941-42)	\$2.10
Cash Received for 199 Permits (1942-43)	522.96
Cash Received for 1 Permit (1943-44)	1.77
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Total amount received	\$526.83
CR.	
Cash paid Town Treasurer	\$526.83
FORACE R. HALL, <i>Town Clerk</i>	

Audited, Feb. 1, 1943.  
 W. B. Fessenden  
 M. S. Jepson  
*Auditors*

### DOG LICENSES

DR.	
Received for:	
66 Male Dog Licenses @ 2.00	\$132.00
20 Female Dog Licenses @ 5.00	100.00
1 Male Dog License, 8 mos. @ 1.50	1.50
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	\$233.50
CR.	
Paid for issuing 87 Licenses @ .20	\$17.40
Paid Town Treasurer	216.10
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	\$233.50
FORACE R. HALL <i>Town Clerk</i>	

Audited, Feb. 1, 1943  
 W. B. Fessenden  
 M. S. Jepson  
*Auditors*

## Treasurer's Report

### TREASURER'S REPORT OF DOG MONEY

Cash on hand, February 1, 1942	\$202.17	
Received from Town Clerk	216.10	
	_____	\$418.27
Less Selectmen's orders paid		217.17
		_____
Balance January 31, 1943		\$201.10

PEARL E. WILKINS,  
*Town Treasurer.*

### TREASURER'S REPORT OF OUTSTANDING BONDS AND NOTES

Bonds at  $3\frac{1}{2}\%$  Interest

R14 George P. Bradford	\$500.00	July 15, 1943
R15 Ellen S. Swett	500.00	Jan. 15, 1944
R16 George P. Bradford	500.00	July 15, 1944
R18 Fred A. Holt Estate	500.00	Jan. 15, 1945

Demand notes held by Town Trustees to the amount of \$9,300.00. Rate of interest 4%.

A true copy of records.

Attest:

PEARL E. WILKINS,  
*Town Treasurer.*

Audited Feb. 4, 1943

W. B. Fessenden

M. S. Jepson

*Auditors*

## Report of Chief of Police

In compliance with the request of the State Council of Defense, the personnel of this department has been enlarged to cover war-time needs.

In appointing extra officers we have endeavored to cover each part of the town.

The department now consists of seven officers with full police powers as follows:

Center	Chester A. Barnaby	Elmer Corey
North	Willard W. Cummings	
South	Walter B. Fessenden	William B. Quigley
East	Charles P. Kegy	
West	Forace R. Hall	

With the exception of the Chief, these men serve without pay, the only cost to the town being \$13.62 for badges.

We ask your continued co-operation in our work and request that any major disturbance be reported to your Chief who has been instructed what procedure to follow.

CHESTER A. BARNABY,  
*Chief of Police.*

## Detail Statement of Payments

### TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

Walter B. Fessenden, Auditor	\$15.00	
Darrell F. Wilkins, Auditor	15.00	
Burns H. Marshall, Selectman	100.00	
Nason W. Fessenden, Selectman	125.00	
Lawrence E. Corey, Selectman	200.00	
Lavinia Lathe, Tax Collector	185.54	
Lavinia Lathe, Overseer of Poor, ½ Year	50.00	
Lawrence E. Corey, Overseer of Poor, ½ Year	50.00	
George M. Rockwood, Engineer	10.00	
Eldorus C. Fessenden, Engineer	10.00	
Charlotte Wright, (For engineer Robert Wright now in Armed Services)	10.00	
Pearl M. Wilkins, Treasurer	60.00	
Forace R. Hall, Clerk	50.00	
	\$881.54	

### TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

N. E. Telephone & Tel. Co., Telephone	\$87.05	
C. A. Morse, Postage	23.39	
Arnold Wright, Delivering Town Reports	3.00	
Lawrence E. Corey, Tax Meeting and use of Car	7.00	
Burns H. Marshall, Tax Meeting	4.00	
Nason W. Fessenden, Tax Meeting	4.00	
Bessie Klein, Town Officers Bonds	89.45	
Cole Printing Co., Supplies	36.50	
Grover C. Farwell, Road Meeting	7.00	
Nason W. Fessenden, Postage	1.60	
Donat Corriveau, Recording and Abstracts	55.36	
Branham Printing Co., Auto Reference Book	1.00	
Brown & Saltmarshe, Supplies	.81	
	\$320.16	

### ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Hazel Davis, Ballot Clerk	\$9.00
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Rodney Wright, Ballot Inspector	9.00	
Mable Popple, Ballot Inspector	6.00	
James Melzer Estate, Ballots	4.50	
Cole Printing Co., Checklists	16.12	
Edith Whitney, Supervisor	20.00	
George Davis, Supervisor	20.00	
Etta Hezlett, Supervisor	20.00	
George M. Rockwood, Moderator	20.00	
		\$124.62

## TOWN HALL

Robert Wright, Janitor	\$168.00	
Public Service Co., of N. H., Lights	63.04	
Gault Plumbing Co., Installing Hot Water Tank	20.39	
Lawrence E. Corey, Door Lock	4.41	
Burns Marshall, Sheep Manure	10.00	
Wm. Kelman, Tuning Piano	4.00	
W. E. Aubuchon Co., Lawn Mower	11.95	
Arnold Wright, Janitor	336.00	
John Treddenick Co., Coal	376.92	
Burns Marshall, Garden Hose	4.00	
A. A. Hall Co., Supplies	13.79	
William Bedders, Trucking Coal	99.61	
Arnold Wright, Sharpening Mower	1.00	
Richard Wright, Repairing damage to lawn	6.00	
		\$1,119.11

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

Allen Bros. Corp., 6 Police Badges	\$13.62	
Chester A. Barnaby, Salary	50.00	
William Quigley, Services	5.00	
		\$68.62

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Public Service Co. of N. H., Lights	\$12.00
Harry Graves, Saf-dry Gas	16.50
Brookline Engine Co., Salaries	152.50
Hope Rubber Co., Hose	319.61
Farrar Co., New Pump Head and Nozzles	109.00
George M. Rockwood, Forest Fire Bills	83.88

George Shattuck, Coal	14.50	
George M. Rockwood, Wardens Meeting	10.10	
A. A. Hall Co., Supplies	.43	
N. H. Firemen's Insurance Fund, Insurance	21.00	
Firemen's Retirement Fund, Dues	57.00	
James Dunn, Coal	16.37	
Eldorous C. Fessenden, Supplies and Repairs.	77.81	
Harry D. Corey, Transportation	5.00	
Wilfred J. Soucy, Steward	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$995.70

## BOUNTIES

Arthur A. Goss, 2 Hedgehogs	.40	
Frank D. Taylor, 1 Hedgehog	.20	
Raymond Dickie, 3 Hedgehogs	.60	
Harry Gilson, 2 Hedgehogs	.40	
Levi Gould, 1 Hedgehog	.20	
George Davis, 1 Hedgehog	.20	
David Durrell, 2 Hedgehogs	.40	
Foster Wendell, 1 Hedgehog	.20	
	<hr/>	\$2.60

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Raymond A. Dyer, First Aid Supplies (Defense)	\$16.47	
Surgeons and Physicians Supply Co., Supplies (Defense)	21.13	
Alton C. Jensen, Removing dead deer from Lake	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$42.60

## VITAL STATISTICS

Dr. H. H. Dearborn, Birth and Death Returns	\$1.00	
Forace R. Hall, 37 Returns	18.50	
Wilfred Boisclair, 1 Return	.10	
	<hr/>	\$19.60

## ROADS

Grover C. Farwell, Maintenance	\$1,157.45	
Grover C. Farwell, Sanding	218.57	
Arvo C. Bedders, Plowing	\$1,200.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,576.02

STREET LIGHTING		
Public Service Co. of N. H., Street Lights	\$758.33	
	—————	\$758.33
PUBLIC LIBRARY		
Treasurer, Public Library, 1942 Appropriation	\$75.00	
	—————	\$75.00
OLD AGE ASSISTANCE		
Treasurer, State of N. H., Town's Share	\$1,379.94	
	—————	\$1,379.94
TOWN POOR		
Welfare Bills	\$292.00	
	—————	\$292.00
MEMORIAL DAY		
Forace R. Hall, Treasurer, 1942 Appropriation	\$60.00	
	—————	\$60.00
CEMETERIES		
1942 Appropriation	\$100.00	
	—————	\$100.00
TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN		
Lavinia Lathe, 1941 Levy	\$478.17	
	—————	\$478.17
MISCELLANEOUS		
Food Stamps	\$571.00	
Banner Press, Town Reports	105.00	
Bessie Klein, Insurance	545.80	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Observation Post	21.20	
Public Service Co. of N. H. Observation Post	16.36	
Treasurer, Town Trustees, Refunding Trust Funds	422.97	
Rollins Engine Co., Repairs	239.24	
Lawrence E. Corey, New Valuation	25.00	
Burns H. Marshall, New Valuation	25.00	
Nason W. Fessenden, New Valuation	25.00	
Lawrence E. Corey, Refund on Tax Penalties	3.40	



Congregational Church Society,		
Care of Town Clock	15.99	
O. D. Fessenden Co., Water Trough	5.00	
Lawrence E. Corey, Use of Car on New Valuation	16.00	
Forace R. Hall, Issuing M. V. Permits	50.75	
Forace R. Hall Justice of Peace	1.50	
	<u>          </u>	\$2,088.22
INTEREST		
Forace R. Hall, Interest on Bonds	\$26.25	
George Bradford, Interest on Bonds	35.00	
Ellen Swett, Interest on Bonds	17.50	
Fred Holt Estate, Interest on Bonds	17.50	
Cemetery Trustees, Interest on Trust Funds	372.00	
	<u>          </u>	468.25
TOWN CONSTRUCTION		
T. R. A. Town's Share	\$342.25	
	<u>          </u>	342.25
BONDS		
Forace R. Hall, Payment of Bonds		
Nos. R-12 and R-13	\$1,000.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$1,000.00
COUNTY TAX		
County Treasurer, 1942 Tax	\$2,770.27	
	<u>          </u>	\$2,770.27
SCHOOLS		
1941-42 Appropriation	\$3,105.05	
1942-43 Appropriation	2,194.95	
Dodge Fund	289.64	
	<u>          </u>	\$5,589.64

## Report of Highway Agent

G. C. Farwell, foreman	\$121.00
G. C. Farwell, truck	338.62
C. Ingraham, truck	27.00
D. W. Porter, truck	63.00
S. Gravelle, labor	94.00
L. Meloy, labor	115.00
Leo Ouellette, labor	22.40
A. Popple, labor	35.20
A. F. Wright, labor	4.80
B. Farwell, labor	7.60
A. Knuutti, labor	3.20
F. Farwell, labor	11.60
G. W. Farwell, labor	32.00
J. Elliott, labor	70.40
M. Ring, labor	67.60
G. C. Farwell, Jr., labor	1.60
G. C. Farwell, lumber	102.75
A. A. Goss, use of battery	3.00
G. C. Farwell, gravel	2.50
O. D. Fessenden Co., gravel	6.30
Town of Amherst, grader operator	3.20
W. A. Hughes, pick	1.00
L. Gravelle, blacksmith	2.50
A. Bedders, blacksmith	3.00
A. A. Hall Co., supplies	16.48
E. C. Fessenden, garage bill	1.50
	\$1,157.45

Audited Feb. 4, 1943.

W. B. Fessenden,

M. S. Jepson,

*Auditors.*

### SANDING

G. C. Farwell, foreman	\$4.00
G. C. Farwell, truck	92.25

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D. W. Porter, truck	22.50	
B. H. Marshall, truck	5.62	
John Mathews, labor	2.00	
L. Meloy, labor	11.60	
S. Gravelle, labor	12.80	
F. Farwell, labor	16.00	
G. C. Farwell, Jr., labor	13.60	
G. Porter, labor	8.00	
R. Hall, labor	3.20	
R. Wilkins, labor	4.80	
G. W. Farwell, labor	9.60	
O. D. Fessenden Co., sand	8.60	
B. K. Farwell, labor	4.00	
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		\$218.57

Audited Feb. 4, 1943.

W. B. Fessenden,

M. S. Jepson,

*Auditors.*

## Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

### RECEIPTS

1942		
Feb. 1	Balance	\$436.50
*May 7	Town Appropriation - To restore losses due to failure of Merrimack River Savings Bank	422.97
May 11	Sale of fertilizer	1.92
May 12	Manchester Savings Bank, Interest	1.50
May 12	Indian Head National Bank, Int. 4-1-42	2.32
Sept. 29	Nashua Bldg. & Loan Association, Dividend 7-1-42	6.30
1943		
Jan. 28	6th and Final Liquidating Dividend Merrimack River Savings Bank	12.00
Jan. 28	Nashua Bldg. & Loan Association, Dividend 1-1-43	6.30
Jan. 28	Indian Head Nat. Bank, Int. 10-1-42	3.83
Jan. 28	From Selectmen:	
	Town Appropriation 1942	100.00
	Interest on Town Notes	372.00
Total		\$1,365.64

### EXPENDITURES

1942		
May 9	Milo Porter, labor	P.C. \$13.80
May 11	Richard Wright, labor	P.C. 5.00
*May 12	Gerrish Fund, Manchester Savings Bank	100.00
May 30	Rodney C. Woodman, flowers	P.C. 3.00
June 8	A. Hansen Knudsen, fertilizer	P.C. 38.83
May 25	D. Milo Porter, labor	P.C. 25.20
June 12	D. Milo Porter, labor	P.C. 6.70

June 12	A. L. Popple, labor	P.C.	3.00
July 6	Ivan D. Hiltz, sharpening lawn mower		1.00
July 9	Richard Wright, labor		15.00
Aug. 22	Richard Wright, labor		12.00
Aug. 22	Richard Wright, labor	P.C.	11.50
Aug. 27	Silas Wheeler, mowing		17.00
Sept. 2	Richard Wright, labor		6.50
Sept. 2	George Davis, labor (burial)		2.00
Oct. 1	Treasurer, Brookline Public Library		40.00
Oct. 5	Richard Wright, labor	P.C.	10.00
Nov. 12	George Davis, labor	P.C.	22.60
Nov. 12	George Davis, labor		7.20
1943			
Jan. 12	Treasurer, Brookline Public Library		12.00
Jan. 22	Grover C. Farwell, load of loam and drawing same	P.C.	2.50
Jan. 27	Warren C. Barnaby, Treas. Salary		5.00
Jan. 28	Town Treasurer, Amount of 6th and Final Liquidating Dividend Merrimack River Savings Bank		12.00
Jan. 30	O. D. Fessenden Company, water		10.00
Jan. 30	Etta M. Hezlitt, Treas. Salary		10.00
Jan. 30	Etta M. Hezlitt, stamps and stamped envelopes		.70
Total			\$392.53
Balance, January 30, 1943			\$973.11
* See Town Loan Account and Edward P. Gerrish Account.			
‡ Resigned.			

TOWN LOAN ACCOUNT  
LOANED

May 12	To restore losses to Funds loaned to Town (Town Appropriation)	\$396.53
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 WITHDRAWN

May 12	Accrued Interest	\$322.97	
	Edward P. Gerrish Fund	73.56	
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			\$396.53

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 EDWARD P. GERRISH FUND

May 12	Town Note, Brookline, N. H.		
	Withdrawn	\$73.56	
May 12	To restore Fund		
	(Town Appropriation)	26.44	
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	Total		\$100.00
May 12	Deposited in Manchester Savings Bank		\$100.00

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 TRUST FUNDS AND ACCUMULATED  
INTEREST DEPOSITED

Loaned to Town on Town Notes	\$9,300.00
Nashua Building & Loan Association	420.00
Manchester Savings Bank	1,709.09
Indian Head National Bank, Nashua	1,001.48

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Following is a list of legacies held by Town Trustees:

William H. French, For benefit of Town of Brookline	\$600.00
Clarence R. Russell, For improvement of 2 Acre Common	40.00
B. M. Hutchinson, For reading material for Public Library	1,000.00
Ellen Sawtelle, Income for use of Public Library	300.00
For Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lots:	
George W. Ball	200.00
George E. Betterley	100.00
Charles A. Blodgett	100.00
Clinton Bohanon	100.00
Mary J. Bosworth	100.00
Carrie Brooks	288.36
Burge & Pierce	100.00

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H. S. Corey & W. W. Corey	100.00
Jessie M. Corey	100.00
Nancy Daniels	100.00
Thomas H. Dodge	100.00
M. B. French (French & Kendall)	100.00
William H. French	100.00
Edward P. Gerrish	100.00
Russell Gilson	100.00
Harriet Gilson	100.00
Harris L. Gilson	200.00
Sarah R. Haines	100.00
Edward T. Hall	100.00
William H. Hall	100.00
Hall & Swallow	100.00
David Hobart	100.00
Joshua Hobart	100.00
James A. Horton	100.00
Bertha Hutchinson	100.00
John Hutchinson	100.00
Levi Franklin Lowell	200.00
Franklin McDonald	150.00
Edward E. Parker	100.00
Eliza J. Parker	100.00
J. C. Parker	300.00
Peacock, Melendy & Chase	100.00
Martha E. Perkins	100.00
Ossian Ray	100.00
J. N. Tucker	500.00
Patenaude Swett	100.00
Emily M. Peterson	300.00
Peterson & Hutchinson	100.00
Ella M. Rockwood Emerson (Brooks Rockwood Fund)	100.00
George Ed. Rockwood	100.00
W. B. Rockwood	100.00
Anne Sanborn	300.00
C. S. Sanborn	100.00
Ellen C. Sawtelle	100.00
Cora B. Sayles	150.00

Cora F. Seaver	100.00
Josephine Seaver	100.00
Caroline A. Shattuck & Joseph C. Shattuck	100.00
Charles D. Shattuck	100.00
Elsie C. Shattuck	100.00
E. C. Shattuck & T. A. Ross	150.00
H. V. Shattuck	100.00
Edwin W. Smith	100.00
Joseph Smith	100.00
Thomas W. Storer	100.00
Walter A. Taylor	100.00
William G. Taylor	100.00
William Wallace & Pierce adjoining	300.00
Carrie Whitcomb	100.00
Imla M. Williams	200.00
Emily L. Willoby	100.00
Charles S. Dunbar	100.00
Dorcas Foster	150.00
Green & Hall	100.00
Alpha A. Hall	100.00
Forace R. Hall	200.00
Mrs. J. A. Hall	100.00
J. A. Hall Heirs	100.00
Daniel W. Hayden	100.00
Clarence R. Russell	100.00
Clarence R. Russell	200.00

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\*Total \$11,228.36

\*(This total has formerly shown \$11,233.36. \$5.00 heretofore recorded in the Principal Account of Edward T. Hall Fund was actually for "Care first season". The amount (\$5.00) has been transferred to Income Account, Edward T. Hall Fund).



## DISTRIBUTION OF TRUST FUNDS

Principals of Trust Funds Loaned to Town	\$9,288.36
Manchester Savings Bank	1,640.00
Nashua Building & Loan Association	300.00

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Total \$11,228.36

RICHARD F. WRIGHT,  
DELBERT W. PORTER,  
ETTA M. HEZLITT,  
*Town Trustees.*

Audited, Feb. 1, 1943  
W. B. Fessenden  
M. S. Jepson  
*Auditors*

## REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

1942

Received from Selectmen	
Appropriation	\$60.00
Paid out for:	
Band	\$35.00
Speaker	10.00
Flags	11.75
Telephone	.30
Refund to Town	2.95
	<hr/> \$60.00

WILFRED J. SOUCY,  
NORMAN SPENCER,  
FORACE R. HALL,  
*Memorial Day Committee.*

REPORT OF TREASURER OF BROOKLINE, N. H.  
PUBLIC LIBRARY

DR.

1942 Balance	\$30.91
Hutchinson Fund	40.00
Sawtelle Legacy	12.00
Appropriation by Town	75.00

Fines for books	3.65	
Sale of 2 books	2.00	
		\$163.56
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Librarians Salary - Appro.	\$75.00	
Goodman's Bookstore	19.68	
McLellan Stores	5.62	
Children's Magazines	5.50	
National Geographic Magazine	3.50	
Follett Book Co.	8.38	
Phillip Morris Co.	2.44	
F. H. Faxon Co. Magazines	14.75	
Graylord Co., Supplies	.85	
Supplies and 2 books from fine money	5.65	
		\$131.37
Cash on hand		\$22.19

CHARLOTTE A. WRIGHT,  
*Treasurer.*

Audited, Feb. 1, 1943  
W. B. Fessenden  
M. S. Jepson  
*Auditors*

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN  
January 31, 1943

Received from Town Treasurer	\$76.58
Paid Fire Bills	\$76.58
Refunded to Town Treasurer	\$2.80
<i>(Money Unexpended Last Year)</i>	

GEORGE M. ROCKWOOD,  
*Forest Fire Warden.*

Audited, Feb. 1, 1943  
W. B. Fessenden  
M. S. Jepson  
*Auditors*

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*Annual Reports of the Officers  
of the  
School District  
for the year ending June 30, '42*

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## Report of School District

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### SCHOOL OFFICERS

<i>School Board</i>	<i>Term Expires</i>
Grover C. Farwell, <i>Chairman</i>	1943
Etta M. Hezlitt	1944
Jennie S. Fessenden, <i>Secretary</i>	1945
Harold C. Bowley, Milford N. H.	<i>Superintendent of Schools</i>
Edith M. Whitney	<i>Treasurer</i>
George M. Rockwood	<i>Moderator</i>
Edna A. Hall	<i>Clerk</i>
Marjory Durrell	<i>Census Enumerator</i>
Arnold Wright	<i>Truant Officer</i>
Abbott L. Winograd, M. D., Nashua, N. H.	<i>School Physician</i>
Helen House, Hudson, N. H.	<i>School Nurse</i>

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### WARRANT FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT

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#### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School district in the town of Brookline qualified to vote in district affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Daniels Academy Building in said district on the ninth day of March 1943, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, 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 agent 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 see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for insurance on the Primary Building.

10. To see if the District will vote to change the School District Meeting from the second Tuesday in March to the preceding Saturday, or make any other motion relating thereto.

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

Given under our hands at said Brookline this 28th day of January, 1943.

GROVER C. FARWELL,  
ETTA M. HEZLITT,  
JENNIE S. FESSENDEN,

*School Board.*

## BUDGET

July 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944

## A. AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS:

Teachers' Salaries	\$3,100.00	
Textbooks	100.00	
Scholars' Supplies	150.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	10.00	
Other expenses of instruction	15.00	
Janitor Service	275.00	
Fuel	300.00	
Water, Light and Janitors' supplies	75.00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	75.00	
Health Supervision	175.00	
Transportation of Pupils	680.00	
Other special activities	15.00	
		\$4,970.00

## B. PAYMENT OF STATUTORY AND OTHER OBLIGATIONS:

Salaries of District Officers	\$130.00	
Truant Officer and School Census	20.00	
Payment of High School Tuition	2,325.00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary	136.00	
\$2 per capita tax	270.00	
Expenses of Administration	75.00	
		\$2,956.00

Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget \$7,926.00

## ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT:

Balance June 30, 1943	\$500.00	
State Aid	1,500.00	
Dog Tax	100.00	
Income from Trust Funds	250.00	
		\$2,350.00
Less Estimated Income		\$2,350.00
Assessment required to balance Budget		\$5,576.00

Special Appropriations Proposed:		
Insurance, ( <i>Article 9 in Warrant</i> )	\$50.00	
		\$50.00
Total Assessment Required to Cover School Board's Budget	\$5,626.00	
		\$5,626.00

GROVER C. FARWELL,  
 ETTA M. HEZLITT,  
 JENNIE S. FESSENDEN,

January 28, 1943

*School Board.*

FINANCIAL REPORT  
 July 1, 1941 to June 30, 1942

Total receipts	\$7,424.23
Total payments	7,140.52
Cash Balance, June 30, 1942	\$283.71

RECEIPTS IN DETAIL

From State:		
Equalization		\$1,606.27
From Selectmen by Taxation:		
Balance of 1940-1941 Appropriation		415.00
Account of 1941-1942 Appropriation	*	4,835.00
From Sources Other Than Taxation:		
Dog Tax		191.87
Income from Dodge Trust Funds		302.23
October 1941 payment	\$129.26	
April 1942 payment	172.97	
Class of 1941 (For gift to School) (Bookcase)		5.00
Sears, Roebuck Co. (check for goods not delivered)		8.72
Total receipts from all sources		\$7,414.09

Cash on hand July 1, 1941	10.14
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Grand Total	\$7,424.23
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\* (\$665.00 due from Selectmen on  
1941-1942 appropriation)

### PAYMENTS

(Classification and numbering conform to State Accounting  
requirements for districts which receive State Aid.)

#### ADMINISTRATION

1. Salaries of District Officers	\$130.00	
2. Superintendent's Salary Account	136.00	
3. Truant Officer and School Census	20.00	
4. Expenses of Administration	61.54	
		\$347.54

#### INSTRUCTION

5. Teachers' Salaries	\$2,775.00	
6. Text Books	102.33	
7. Scholars' Supplies	162.09	
8. Flags and Appurtenances	10.17	
9. Other Expenses of Instruction	16.93	
		\$3,066.52

#### OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

10. Janitor Service	\$275.00	
11. Fuel	279.00	
12. Water, Light and Janitor's Supplies	72.86	
13. Minor Repairs and Expenses	153.03	
		\$779.89

#### AUXILIARY AGENCIES AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

14. Medical Inspection	\$150.00	
15. Transportation of Pupils	524.75	
16. High School and Academy Tuition	1,993.25	
17. Elementary School Tuition		
18. Other Special Activities	14.57	
		\$2,682.57



## FIXED CHARGES

19. Tax for State Wide Supervision	\$244.00	
20. Insurance	20.00	
		\$264.00
Total Payments for All Purposes		\$7,140.52

## DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENSES

High School Tuition	\$1,993.25	
Support of Elementary Schools	4,535.73	
General Expenses	611.54	
		\$7,140.52

## PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

July 1, 1941 to June 30, 1942

## 1. SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Jennie S. Fessenden, School Board	\$33.34	
Grover C. Farwell, School Board	33.33	
Etta M. Hezlitt, School Board	33.33	
Edith M. Whitney, Treasurer	20.00	
Edna A. Hall, Clerk	4.00	
Walter B. Fessenden, Auditor	3.00	
Willard I. Shattuck, Jr., Auditor *	3.00	
		\$130.00

\*(Mr. Shattuck did not serve. The amount of this check will be found under revenue for the year 1942-1943).

## 2. SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY ACCOUNT

Raymond A. Dyer, Treas. Union No. 40		
Account of Harold C. Bowley		\$136.00

## 3. TRUANT OFFICER AND SCHOOL CENSUS

Robert Wright, Truant Officer *	\$8.39	
Arnold Wright, Truant Officer	1.61	
Marjory Durrell, Census Enumerator	10.00	
		\$20.00

\* Resigned

## 4. EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Bessie M. Klein, Treasurer's Bond	\$5.00	
Estate of James P. Melzer, Enumeration Cards	1.15	
Edith M. Whitney, Stamped envelopes & Stamps	3.86	
Milford School District, Telephone charges and postage	1.53	
Etta M. Hezlitt, Bookkeeper	50.00	
		\$61.54

## 5. TEACHERS' SALARIES

Mrs. O. Elizabeth Scully, Primary Grades 1-2	\$856.00	
*Helen Barrett, Inter Grades 3-4-5	577.50	
Mrs. Marguerite O'Neil, Inter Grades 3-4-5	247.50	
Elsie Wheeler, Music	150.00	
Francis Walter LeMieux, Grammar Grades 6-7-8	900.00	
Mrs. Marguerite O'Neil, Substitute	44.00	
		\$2,775.00

\*Resigned

## 6. TEXTBOOKS

Laidlow Bros.	\$5.44	
Ginn & Co.	7.84	
Silver Burdett Co.	15.62	
Scott Foresman & Co.	20.66	
MacMillan Co.	18.21	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	20.86	
Edward E. Babb & Co. Inc.	11.47	
Allyn & Bacon	1.68	
George N. Bosworth	.55	
		\$102.33

## 7. SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

Milton Bradley Co.	\$7.77	
Edward E. Babb & Co. Inc.	109.65	
J. L. Hammett	20.60	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	10.80	
Webster Publishing Co.	2.61	
Dr. John F. Holmes	.75	
Raymond A. Dyer	.47	
Milford School District	9.44	
		\$162.09

## 8. FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

The County Stores, Inc.	\$10.17	\$10.17
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## 9. OTHER EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

J. L. Hammett	\$1.44	
World Book Company	4.18	
Lorenz Publishing Co.	1.69	
Milford School District	9.62	
	<u>          </u>	\$16.93

## 10. JANITOR SERVICE

*Robert Wright, Grammar Room and Primary Bldg.	\$230.70	
Arnold Wright, Grammar Room and Primary Bldg.	44.30	
	<u>          </u>	\$275.00
*Resigned		

## 11. FUEL

Town of Brookline, Heat at Grammar Room	\$125.00	
Forace R. Hall, 14 cords wood	154.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$279.00

## 12. WATER, LIGHT AND JANITOR'S SUPPLIES

Town of Brookline, Light at Grammar Room	\$10.00	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	18.88	
Emerson & Son	15.63	
Milford Products Co.	27.75	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	.60	
	<u>          </u>	\$72.86

## 13. MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

Leo Ouellette, Painting Grammar Room and Hall	\$110.00	
William D. Kelman, Tuning Piano	3.00	
J. Santti, Repairing Clock	4.00	
Grover C. Farwell, Repairs at Primary School	5.16	
The County Stores, Inc., Rubber Tacks and 1 Pair Brass Knobs	2.25	
*Sears, Roebuck & Co., 1 Elgin Door Closer	8.72	

Nashua Hardware and Plumbing Supply Co.	
Front Door Lock Set	8.95
1 Door Closer	9.95
David L. Charait, Installing Lock	1.00
	\$153.03

\*Door Closer was not delivered. Check received  
will be found under RECEIPTS IN DETAIL.

#### 14. MEDICAL INSPECTION

Dr. Abbott Winograd, Medical Inspection	\$50.00
Mrs. Helen House, Nurse Service	100.00
	\$150.00

#### 15. TRANSPORTATION

Alton Jensen	\$500.00
Arthur Tasker	24.75
	\$524.75

#### 16. HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Milford School District, 25 full time pupils	\$1,875.00
1 pupil, 1st and 2nd quarters and 5 days	39.75
2 pupils, 1st quarter and 23 days	54.20
1 pupil, 54 days	24.30
	\$1,993.25

#### 18. OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Milford School District, 1 Bookcase and repairs	\$4.18
The MacMillan Co., Books for School Library	1.98
Laidlow Bros., Book for School Library	1.16
Amherst School District, Books for School Library	7.25
	\$14.57

#### 19. TAX FOR STATE-WIDE SUPERVISION

State Treasurer, \$2.00 per capita tax	\$244.00
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#### 20. INSURANCE

Bessie M. Klein, Insurance on Primary Building	\$20.00
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TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$7,140.52
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 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 Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire (Commissioners' Report 1941), and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

GROVER C. FARWELL,  
 ETTA M. HEZLITT,  
 JENNIE S. FESSENDEN,

*School Board*

HAROLD C. BOWLEY, *Superintendent*

July 8, 1942

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 REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1941 to June 30, 1942

DR.

Cash on hand June 30, 1942		\$10.14
From Selectmen		
On appropriation for 1941-1942	\$4,885.00	
Balance of appropriation for 1940-1941	415.00	
Dog Tax	191.87	
Income from Dodge Funds: October	129.26	
April	172.97	
	—————	\$5,794.10
From State Treasurer, State Aid		1,606.27
From all other sources:		
Sears, Roebuck & Co. rebate	\$8.72	
Gift for 1941 Class for School	5.00	
	—————	\$13.72
		—————
		\$7,424.23

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Paid School Board's Orders	\$7,140.52
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1942	283.71
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	\$7,424.23

EDITH M. WHITNEY,  
*District Treasurer.*

July 8, 1942

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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Brookline, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1942 and find them correct in all respects.

WALTER B. FESSENDEN,  
*Auditor.*

July 10, 1942

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 ABSTRACT OF REPORT OF CLERK
 

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Made to the State Board of Education, School Board, and Selectmen. District Revenue Voted March 1942 for the Fiscal Year, July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943.

Amount Appropriated for:

Support of Elementary Schools	\$4,530.00
Salaries of District Officers	130.00
Truant Officer and School Census	20.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary	136.00
\$2 Per Capita Tax for Supervision	254.00
High School Tuition	3,000.00
Administration Expenses	50.00
Special: Fence at Grammar School	125.00
Total amount of School Board's Budget and Special Appropriation	<hr/> \$8,245.00
Less Estimated Income	2,350.00
Net assessment required for School Board's Budget for school year July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943	<hr/> \$5,895.00

EDNA A. HALL,  
*Clerk of School District.*

March 15, 1942

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## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Brookline:

I herewith present my fourth annual report, the twenty-fourth in the series. I propose to present only two topics, besides the usual statistical tables which follow.

### SCHOOLS MUST GO ON

During such difficult times, it is with some hesitation that we attempt to interpret the schools to the public. The demands are so heavy in this and that respect that one hardly knows which to put into effect and which to eliminate for so many appear to be worthy. I notice the people of experience find themselves in a similar predicament. Therefore, it seems to me that we should have a great deal of sympathy for the young people who experience difficulty in adjusting themselves to the war conditions.

The growth of children cannot be stopped until this struggle is over. Their growth is continuous and schools must go on with their development. British leaders have learned that the war only intensifies the need for good schools. The future strength and leadership of America is now in school.

I trust each and everyone is following the evolution of the school from peace-time to war-time preparation. Accelerated programs in higher institutions cause changes in our high schools and grades. Scrap collections, sale of war stamps, participation in various drives, rationing programs affect the school's former program. Through it all, I find a wonderful spirit of loyalty and a desire to do one's part.

### PERSONNEL

I could devote my complete discourse on this subject. As suggested before, these are no ordinary times and the need for competent teachers was never greater. Teachers are entitled to a wage consistent with their importance and comparable to that received in other walks of life. There is enough unrest in the world and there will be enough after the war without having a group of dissatisfied



and underpaid people in charge of our schools and children. We shall need those who can hold their heads up and be proud of the treatment given them by their communities. Appreciation may even be a partial substitute for monetary consideration.

We have had plenty of difficulties with the retention of recruiting of a teaching staff. I urge you to be just as generous in the matter of teachers' salaries as you can. I well remember my statement of last year regarding adequate salaries. No sooner had I made that statement than was it out-of-date. Conditions in the teacher market grew steadily worse and we were confronted with serious problems. We have been fortunate to make the changes as effective as they have been.

You are extremely fortunate to have the staff as now constituted. The work proceeds with a minimum of interruption. Mrs. Marguerite O'Neil was moved from the Intermediate to the Grammar room and Miss Helen Underwood, Keene Teachers' College '42, was employed for the Intermediate Grades. Mrs. Elizabeth Scully continues in the Primary Room.

I express my appreciation for the faithful work of the teachers, for the considerate attention the School Board has given to the work, and for the support of the entire citizenry.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD C. BOWLEY,

*Superintendent of Schools.*

February 2, 1943

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PUPILS WHO ATTENDED MILFORD HIGH SCHOOL 1941-1942

Grover Farwell (XII), Olga Homoleski (XII), Delbert Porter (XII), Florence Soucy (XII), Bernice Corey (XI), Anders Hansen (XI), Edwin Homoleski (XI), Luella Hughes (XI), Agnes Ouellette (XI), Rogene Reynolds (XI), \*Pearl Southwich (XI), Richard Beals (X), Phyllis Cummings (X), George Farwell (X), Winston Hall (X), \*Richard Montgomery (X), Clayton Perkins (X), Evelyn Wilkins (X), William Beals (IX), Helen Corey (IX), Bentley Farwell (IX), Russell Hall (IX), Kenneth O'Brien

(IX), Mary Ouellette (IX), Margaret Porter (IX), \*Mary Homoleski (IX), \*Stanley Southwick (IX), Robert Wendell (IX) Evelyn Whitcomb (IX).

\*Attended only part of year.

#### GENERAL STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1941-42

Number of Schools Maintained	3
Number of different pupils registered during year	104
Boys 56; Girls 48	
Enrollment by Grades: 1—18; 2—13; 3—12; 4—12; 5—11; 6—10; 7—9; 8—19, Total	104
Number who attended secondary school, 1941-42	29
Average Elementary Membership	93.13
Per Cent of Attendance for Year	95.30
Number of days schools were in session	176
Number of cases of tardiness (last year 133)	34
Number not absent nor tardy during school year	8
Visits by School Board members	10
Visits by Superintendent	54
Visits by Citizens	75
Number of School Board meetings held	12

#### SOME PER PUPIL INSTRUCTION COSTS OF HIGH SCHOOLS 1941-42

(These figures are the only state figures at hand.)

Amherst	\$75.28	Jaffrey	\$ 88.24
Hollis	99.38	Peterboro	119.14
Milford	76.31	Wilton	89.70
Marlboro	81.47	State Average	89.79

#### RETURN OF SCHOOL CENSUS

October, 1942

Mrs. Marjorie Durrell, Enumerator

Number enumerated 5 to 16 years of age	
Boys 64; Girls 59. Total	123
Number of children 5 to 16 in local schools	87
Number of children 5 to 8 not in school	10
Number of children 8 to 14 not in school	1

Number of children 14 to 16 not in school	1
Number attending high school out of town:	
Under sixteen—24, over sixteen—8	32

### REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Superintendent, School Board Members  
and Citizens of Brookline.

I submit a report of the school health program from February 1942 to February 1943.

Children physically examined		88
		Corrections
Children having Enlarged or Defective Tonsils	11	
Children having Defective Teeth	42	37
Children having Defective Vision	4	2
Children having Defective Speech	2	
Children having Defective Hearing	2	
Orthopedic Defects	2	

At the opening of school many of the pupils were infected with Impetigo.

On examining the children in the fall Dr. Winograd, the school physician, noted a nutritional improvement in them. With the continued hot lunch and additional milk in school I am sure the health and vigor of the children will prove most gratifying.

The dental clinic held in May was very well patronized. Thirty-seven pupils had their work completed. Here I want to thank the committee of women who so untiringly worked on the clinic and the various organizations who loaned funds to financially sponsor it.

All pupils from the second grade up were recently given the audiometer test. Only two pupils showed a very slight hearing impairment.

The fine cooperation of teachers and parents greatly help to promote a good health program and is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN J. HOUSE, R. N.

*School Nurse.*

## Vital Statistics

### MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1942

Date, Name, Age, By Whom Married

1942

- January 24—Donald P. Daniels, 21; Mildred E. Hedberg, 18;  
Forace R. Hall.
- February 5—Leon A. Kurasowicz, 23; Mary A. Palermo, 20;  
Forace R. Hall.
- April 30—John F. McCall, 57; Evangeline Banks Scannell, 49;  
Forace R. Hall.
- May 10—Alfred J. Hummes, 35; Iva P. Haulman Buckley, 46;  
Forace R. Hall.
- May 28—§Henry Glenn Powning, 43; Tekla Potter, 38;  
Bertrand Crist.
- June 6—†Theodore William Sironen, 27; Eunice Frances Sibley, 23;  
Walter S. McDaniel.
- July 18—Biagio J. Bonina, 24; Jennie Colecchi, 21;  
Forace R. Hall.
- July 18—Edward J. Mattie, 26; Elisabeth Lewis Grim, 23;  
Philip Gordon Scott.
- July 18—Roger Fessenden Morse, 21; Bequita Anne Barnaby, 21;  
R. Russell Denison.
- October 31—‡George Leonard Rippon, 34; Jeanne Raymond Gay,  
32; John Bosa.
- December 14—‡Einer H. Knudsen, Jr., 20; Olga T. Homoliski, 19.  
Donald H. McAninch.

Note:

§Married in Providence, R. I.

†Married in Dover, N. H.

‡Married in Milford, N. H.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF  
BROOKLINE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1942

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

1942

- January 12—Ralph Stuart Austin; Ellsworth A. Austin, Elizabeth C. Jensen.\*
- February 8—William Eugene Pinkham, Jr.; William Eugene Pinkham, Florence P. Cadiero.†
- April 17—Edith Dorothy Clara Davis; George E. Davis, Alberta E. Dietier.\*
- June 22—Catherine Joan Homoleski; Norman J. Homoleski, Arlene C. Sanford.‡
- June 25—Parker; Charles H. Parker, Lena L. Frost.\*
- July 12—Eleonora Caroline Knudsen; Albert Knudsen, Astrid Hansen.§
- July 20—Leonard Earl Bent, Jr.; Leonard E. Bent, Clara Creighton.§
- September 5—Chester Herbert Stewart; Clyde L. Stewart, Gertrude M. Wilkins.‡
- October 30—Louise Reynolds; Thomas N. Reynolds, Esther A. Harris.
- November 8—Roland Edward Kimball; Edward F. Kimball, Mary A. Smith.\*

Note:

\*Place of Birth, Goffstown, N. H.

†Place of Birth, Malden, Mass.

‡Place of Birth, Nashua, N. H.

§Place of Birth, Fitchburg, Mass.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF  
BROOKLINE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1942

- 1942      Date of Death, Name, Age, Name of Parents
- January 5—Albert L. Jefts, 74. Died in Boston, Mass.
- January 17—Emogene Chamberlin Armstrong, 69; Hatch Chamberlin, Sarah Morey.
- January 17—Joseph Laderbauche, 59. Died in Pepperell, Mass.
- January 20—Willard Hayden Batchelder, Jr., 1 day; Willard H. Batchelder, Gertrude Frost. Died in Goffstown, N. H.
- February 26—Annie Lydia Meloy, 68; Francis Coyle, Lizzie Foster. Died in Nashua, N. H.
- March 4—Everett Simonds, 70; Charles J. Simonds, Lucy ———. Died in Goffstown, N. H.
- March 18—James R. Wells, 62. Died Fitchburg, Mass.
- June 13—Fannie E. Hall, 75; John B. Pierce, Fannie Gorham. Died in Concord, N. H.
- June 23—Clara Joan Homoleski; Norman Homoleski, Arlene Sanford. Died in Nashua, N. H.
- June 25—Parker; Charles H. Parker, Lena L. Frost. Died in Goffstown, N. H.
- July 1—William Parker Lathe, 62; William E. Lathe, Carrie E. Jenkins.
- July 3—Esther May Farnsworth, 47; Edward J. Farnsworth, Virginia Simonton. Died in Brattleboro, Vt.
- August 2—Julia Lamb Hauerwas, 63; Desmond Lamb, Julia Seymour.
- August 17—Rebecca Alice Parker, 83; William A. Johnson, Lucy A. Hutchins. Died in Lowell, Mass.
- August 28—Ellen Susan Swett, 91. Died in Milford, N. H.
- September 12—Cora F. Seaver, 71; Eli S. Cleveland, Addie Klein. Died in Henniker, N. H.

The foregoing is a transcript of all the Births, Marriages and Deaths that have been reported to the Town Clerk, of the Town of Brookline, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1942.

FORACE R. HALL, *Town Clerk.*



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