

Annual Reports

of the

Town Officers

of

HINSDALE

NEW HAMPSHIRE

for the year ending

DECEMBER 31

1947

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

RAYMOND HILDRETH

Selectmen and Assessors

CLIFFORD STEARNS	Term expires 1948
FRANCIS E. MASON	Term expires 1949
J. DAVID DUGGAN	Term expires 1950

Town Clerk

ELEANOR S. SMITH

Town Treasurer

ROGER F. HOLLAND

Collector of Taxes

HOMER WORDEN

Highway Agent

WALTER H. BARRETT

Water and Sewer Commissioners

ROBERT A. WEEKS	Term expires 1948
WILLIAM S. KIMBALL	Term expires 1949
EDWARD McCORMICK	Term expires 1950

Supervisors of Check List

RAY L. FLETCHER	WILLIAM E. WATSON
ROBERT CUNNINGHAM	

Overseer of Charities

HOWARD I. STREETER
RAYMOND C. HILDRETH

Representative

ABBIE H. ROBERTSON

Board of Education

ROLAND O'NEAL	Term expires 1948
MARGARET STREETER	Term expires 1949
PAUL CHAMBERLIN	Term expires 1950

Auditors

CHESTER LEES

MARION WELCH

Chief of Fire Department

DEXTER K. ROYCE

Municipal Court

JESSE W. FIELD, Justice

HAROLD R. WEEKS, Special Justice

Health Officer

RAYMOND C. HILDRETH

Forest Fire Warden

DEXTER K. ROYCE

Deputy Wardens

PETER ZAVOROTNY

WINFIELD BROOKS

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS

LEON THOMAS

JOSEPH DOUCETTE

Police

FRANK W. WALKER, Chief

LLOYD PICKETT

Special Police

CHARLES ROY

RAYMOND C. HILDRETH

C. EDWARD MAYNARD

HARVEY LAVASSEUR

WILLIAM BOOTH

Trustees of Trust Funds

RAY L. FLETCHER

Term expires 1948

ROBERT A. WEEKS

Term expires 1949

MAUD TAYLOR

Term expires 1950

Library Trustees

DORIS GARFIELD

Term expires 1948

REGINALD GOVE

Term expires 1949

SUSAN HOLLAND

Term expires 1950

Budget Committee

HAROLD C. HOLLAND

ROBERT A. WEEKS

HAROLD S. GARFIELD

ALBERT KRUMENAKER

FRANK W. JEFFORDS

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

HENRY SPAULDING

GLENN HIGGINS

Fence Viewers

ARTHUR ROUILLARD

HERBERT NEWELL

Sexton

ROY D. TAYLOR

Constable and Deputy Sheriff

FRANK WALKER

Playground Committee

HAROLD HOLLAND

Term expires 1948

ORSON SMITH

Term expires 1948

ROBERT F. MARSHALL

Term expires 1949

ROLAND O'NEAL

Term expires 1950

ROBERT BRANDL

Term expires 1950

Planning Board

PRENTISS W. TAYLOR

CLARENCE B. O'NEAL

FRANK W. JEFFORDS

HAROLD C. HOLLAND

ORSON G. SMITH

Community Room Committee

MRS. CLARENCE O'NEAL

MRS. WILLIAM POWERS

MRS. THOMAS GOLDEN

War Service Records

MRS. HAROLD S. GARFIELD

WILLIAM H. BOOTH

JAMES G. SNOW

G. A. R. Hall Trustees

ROBERT A. WEEKS

HAROLD S. GARFIELD

RAYMOND C. HILDRETH

WILLIAM H. BOOTH

Veteran's Advisory Committee

PRENTISS W. TAYLOR

RAYMOND C. HILDRETH

HAROLD S. GARFIELD

PRESCOTT BUCKLEY

Aviation Committee

RAYMOND C. HILDRETH

CLARENCE B. O'NEAL

HAROLD R. WEEKS

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hinsdale qualified to vote in town affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall, on Tuesday the 9th day of March, 1948, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, polls not to close before 7 P. M., to act on the following subjects :

Article 1. To elect all necessary town officers.

Article 2. To elect a delegate from Hinsdale to a State Convention to consider revising the Constitution of the State of New Hampshire.

Article 3. To elect delegates at large, alternate delegates at large, delegates and alternate delegates to the national conventions of the various political parties to be held to nominate party candidates for President and Vice President of the United States.

Article 4. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of ordinary town charges, for the maintenance of the fire department, for highways, for schools and for all other necessary expenses arising within the town.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to adopt the non-partisan ballot system for the election of town officers as provided for under Chapter 22, Laws of 1943 and amendments in place of the Australian ballot system.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to extend the sewer from Northfield Road up Snow Avenue to Stanley Dubriske's house and borrow on the credit of the town the sum of Ten Thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) (Engineers' estimate) for installing the extension or act in any manner thereon.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to extend the sewer from the Pelech farm to the Fostyck place on Northfield road and borrow on the credit of the town \$24,841.00 (Engineers' estimate) to install the extension or act in any manner thereon.

Article 8. To see what action the town will take in regard to supplying water for fire protection and domestic use for property on Brattleboro road.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$200.00 to install a fire hydrant near the bend in Highland Avenue opposite the house of Lizzie Fisher, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise or appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$300.00 to straighten the road and lower the grade at the corner north of the residence of Glenn Covey on the ox-bow road, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to keep and maintain a road to Mountainside Farm.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise or borrow Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) (Engineers' estimate) to extend the water line on Cottage street 700 feet to the Plain road and then north 300 feet on the Plain road or act in any manner thereon.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to extend the sewer to include the Langille corner lot property on the westerly end of Highland Avenue and borrow on the credit of the town \$14,640.00 (Engineers' estimate) to extend the same or act in any manner thereon.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 to purchase a new lowering device and grass mat to replace those at present in use at the cemetery or act in any manner thereon.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to continue the collection of rubbish and garbage for the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of \$1,320.00 for this purpose, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or borrow the sum of \$1,000.00 to purchase a new automobile for the use of the Public Health nurse, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the payment of the sum of \$2,773.33, the balance between the purchase price of the new truck, sand spreader and snow plow and the amount received by the sale of the old truck and plow.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to sell the spring that formerly supplied the town hall with water, on land now owned by Mary Bolden, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to erect a permanent War Memorial on Jackwood Park, consisting of a field stone, with a bronze tablet thereon, bearing all the names of World War 2 veterans, also to remove the tablet of World War 1 from the town hall and place it with the new memorial on Jackwood Park. Also to take the present temporary honor roll and place it in Veterans' Hall and appoint a committee to carry out these projects or act in any manner thereon.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken under article one of the warrant at the Special Town Meeting held September 2nd, 1947 relative to deeding part of the playground to the School District, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to place a street light on the pole next to the Boston and Maine Railroad crossing on Depot Hill.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise, appropriate or borrow a sum not exceeding \$5,000.00 for the purchase of a new fire truck, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$433.05 to which the State will contribute \$1,732.21 to be expended on Class 5 roads.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to allow the High School and Youth Organizations the use of the Town Hall Auditorium for basketball games and practice under supervision of the Playground Committee.

Article 25. Contingent on the passage of Article 24, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for necessary alterations and equipment to prepare the Auditorium for basketball use, to the approval of the Playground Committee, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to make a sewer charge of ten per cent of the water bill, to each sewer connection, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 27. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal in said Hinsdale the 16th day of February, 1948.

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS,
FRANCIS E. MASON,
J. DAVID DUGGAN,
Selectmen of Hinsdale.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS,
FRANCIS E. MASON,
J. DAVID DUGGAN,
Selectmen of Hinsdale.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Inventory

The selectmen of the town submit the following report of the financial affairs of the town for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1947.

The valuation of the town as appraised April 1st, 1947 was as follows :

Land and buildings	\$1,000,835 00
Growing wood and timber	3,750 00
Electric plants, water power, etc.	2,122,250 00
41 horses	4,710 00
226 cows	18,740 00
26 sheep and goats	130 00
33 neat stock	1,720 00
Fowls	400 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	2,250 00
Stock in trade	109,850 00
Mills and machinery	271,100 00
1 portable mill	500 00
Wood and lumber	6,800 00
Total	\$3,543,035 00
872 polls	1,744 00
Exempted to soldiers	35,050 00
Tax rate	\$3 80
Poll tax	2 00

Assets

1947 taxes estimated collectable	\$6,516 77
Cash on hand	20,156 23
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	\$26,673 00

Liabilities

Due Board of Education	\$18,336 00
Due on Sewer Bonds	14,500 00
Due on Water Bonds	36,000 00
Due on Glen St. notes	1,500 00
Due on Brattleboro and Highland Avenue notes	23,000 00
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	\$93,336 00
Less assets	26,673 00
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Net debt of town	\$66,663 00

Total appropriation		\$137,522 65
Less estimated revenues and credits:		
Interest and dividend tax	\$2,416 00	
Railroad tax	1,000 00	
Savings bank tax	350 00	
Motor vehicle permit fees	1,500 00	
Water department	1,500 00	
Rent on town hall	100 00	
Interest on taxes	50 00	
Municipal court	50 00	
Business licenses	10 00	
Reimbursement on federal lands	25 00	
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		\$7,001 00
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		\$130,521 65
Plus overlay		5,887 68
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Net amount to be raised by taxation		\$136,409 33
Less poll taxes	\$1,744 00	
National bank tax	30 00	
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		1,774 00
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Amount tax rate figured on		\$134,635 33
Plus poll taxes		1,774 00
National bank stock tax		30 00
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Total taxes committed to collector		\$136,409 33

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H.

Estimated Expenditures for the Ensuing Year

January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948

Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1947	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1947
From state :		
Interest and dividends tax	\$2,416 00	\$2,079 64
Railroad tax	1,000 00	1,258 54
Savings bank tax	350 00	435 45
Reimbursement a/c state and federal forest lands	25 00	40 54
For Fighting forest fires		96 23
Reimbursement a/c old age assistance		15 50
From local sources except taxes :		
Business licenses and permits	10 00	10 00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	50 00	143 09
Rent of town hall and other buildings	100 00	212 00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	50 00	116 93
Income from municipally owned utilities :		
(a) Water departments	1,500 00	2,000 00
Motor vehicle permit fees	1,500 00	2,846 76
Sale of town property, truck		850 00

Purposes of Expenditures

	Appropriations Previous Year 1947	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1947	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1948
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Ordinary	\$700 00	\$685 43	\$700 00
Town officers' salaries	2,750 00	2,625 00	2,625 00
Town officers' expenses	300 00	486 09	500 00
Election and registration expenses	275 00	85 00	450 00
Municipal court expenses	100 00	100 00	100 00
Expenses town hall and other town bldgs.	3,000 00	2,700 00	4,000 00
Protection of persons and property:			
Police department	1,200 00	1,291 65	1,500 00
Fire department	4,500 00	5,926 64	6,000 00
Moth extermination— blister rust	400 00		
Health:			
Health department, includ- ing hospitals	60 00	50 00	60 00
Vital statistics	50 00	48 00	50 00
Public health nurse	1,800 00	1,975 00	1,800 00
Highways and bridges:			
Oil	2,000 00	1,600 50	2,500 00
Town maintenance:			
Summer	6,000 00	5,274 48	7,000 00
Winter	4,500 00	5,605 91	5,000 00
Street lighting	2,300 00	2,200 50	2,300 00
Monument road	6,000 00	7,241 90	
Town road aid	431 62	720 72	
Duggan road	1,000 00	1,204 48	
Libraries	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,500 00

	Appropriations Previous Year 1947	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1947	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1948
Public welfare :			
Town poor	1,200 00	629 01	1,200 00
Old age assistance	1,500 00	1,247 44	1,500 00
Patriotic purposes :			
Service records	100 00		
Memorial day and veterans' association	200 00	161 47	200 00
Aid to soldiers and their families	200 00	62 00	200 00
Recreation :			
Playground toilets		1,009 66	
Playgrounds	600 00	1,147 55	1,000 00
Public service enterprises :			
Garbage collection	1,500 00	561 60	
Cemeteries	1,000 00	1,188 93	1,000 00
G. A. R. hall	1,053 46	968 64	
Fireworks	500 00	500 00	
Unclassified :			
Damage by dogs		127 50	
Damages and legal expenses	50 00	126 45	50 00
Advertising and Regional associations	100 00	100 00	50 00
Interest :			
On temporary loans	50 00	89 81	75 00
On bonded debt	1,745 00	1,775 00	1,520 00
On long term notes	282 14	239 47	227 64
Motor permits		238 25	
Special polls		48 00	
Collector of internal revenue		703 30	
Bulldozer blade	1,500 00		1,500 00
Street signs	200 00		200 00
Sewer and water estimate	1,000 00		1,000 00
New equipment		3,623 33	
Taxes bought by town		22 72	

	Appropriations Previous Year 1947	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1947	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1948
Payments on principal of debt:			
(a) Bonds	8,500 00	8,500 00	8,500 00
(b) Long term notes	5,000 00	5,000 00	4,500 00
(c) Payment to Capital Reserve funds	17,000	17,000 00	
(d) Temporary loan		40,000 00	
Bounties		33 00	
County taxes	8,307 43	8,307 43	8,307 43
Payments to school districts	46 568	47,500 00	49,221 00
Total expenditures	\$137,522 65	\$182,731 86	\$117,336 07

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand	\$20,368 13
Bicycle registration	13 25
Bounty on hedgehogs	17 50
County Commissioners, aid to dependent soldiers	67 00
Dog licenses	476 80
Dog damage	18 00
Forest fire aid	96 23
Loan, temporary, Winchester National Bank	20,000 00
Loan, temporary, Vermont-Peoples National Bank	20,000 00
Motor vehicle permits	2,846 76
Police court, proportion of fines	143 09
Pool license	10 00
Redeemed property and interest	69 68
Refund, Boston & Maine R. R., freight	1 98
Refund, gasoline tax	9 73
Refund, Second National Bank of Boston	1,000 00
Reimbursement, loss of taxes on public forest lands	40 54
Rent, town hall	212 00
Sale of Mack truck, New Hampshire Metals Co.	850 00
State of New Hampshire, Old Age Assistance	15 50
State treasurer, interest and dividend tax	2,079 64
State treasurer, railroad tax	1,258 54
State treasurer, savings bank tax	435 45
Tarring driveways	513 82
Town maintenance, summer	219 80
Town maintenance, winter	78 23
T. R. A. special	49 45
Monument road	15 47
Taxes, George H. Jones, collector, property	1,496 66
Taxes, George H. Jones, collector, polls	234 00
Taxes, George H. Jones, collector, special polls	6 00
Taxes, George H. Jones, collector, interest	34 63
Taxes, Homer C. Worden, collector, property	125,777 01
Taxes, Homer C. Worden, collector, polls	1,486 00

Taxes, Homer C. Worden, collector, special polls	42 00
Taxes, Homer C. Worden, collector, National Bank, stock tax	67 90
Taxes, Homer C. Worden, collector, interest	80 30
Water and sewer department, income from	2,000 00
Withholding tax, Walter H. Barrett, highway dept.	706 00
Withholding tax, Frank W. Walker	24 60
Withholding tax, Henry Barrett	26 40
Total	<u>\$202,888 09</u>
Less selectmen's orders	182,731 86
	<u>\$20,156 23</u>

ROGER F. HOLLAND,
Town Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the cash books of the Town Treasurer showing a balance as of Dec. 31, 1947 of \$20,156.23 which balance we have reconciled with the Treasurer's books and bank statements.

MARION P. WELCH, }
CHESTER C. LEES, } Town Auditors.

Jan. 17, 1947.

Cemetery Lot Fund

Cash on hand January 1st, 1947	\$1,572 31
Clarence Howe	25 00
Mrs. Laviana Marshall	25 00
Elmer F. Coons	25 00
William S. Kimball	25 00
July 1st, interest	11 79
December 31st, interest	12 53
Cash on hand December 31st, 1947	<u>\$1,696 63</u>

ROGER F. HOLLAND,
Town Treasurer.

Audited Jan. 24, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH, }
CHESTER C. LEES, } Town Auditors.

BONDED DEBT

Annual Maturities Water and Sewer Bonds

	Water Bonds at 2¾ %	Water Bonds at 4%
Original Amount of Issue	\$114,000.00	\$55,000.00
Principal Maturing	October 1st each year	May 1st each year
Interest payable	April and October	May and November
Payable at	Second National Bank of Boston	Town Treasurer's Office

Yearly Maturities	Bonds	Interest	Bonds	Interest
1948	\$6,000 00	\$990 00	\$2,500 00	\$530 00
1949	5,000 00	825 00	2,500 00	430 00
1950	5,000 00	687 00	2,500 00	330 00
1951	5,000 00	550 00	2,500 00	230 00
1952	5,000 00	412 50	2,500 00	130 00
1953	5,000 00	275 00	2,000 00	40 00
1954	5,000 00	137 50		

Glen Street Water Extension Notes

Notes dated June 10, 1941 at 1½ % per annum.

Original amount of issue, \$14,000.00.

Principal maturing, September 1st each year.

Interest payable, March 1st and September 1st each year.

Payable at Winchester National Bank, Winchester, N. H.

Yearly Maturities	Note	Interest
1948	\$1,500 00	\$20 64

Brattleboro Road Water and Sewer Highway Avenue Water Notes

Notes dated November 25, 1946 at 9/10 of one per cent per annum.

Original amount of issue, \$26,000.00.

Principal maturing November 21st each year.

Interest payable March 1st and September 1st each year.

Payable at Vermont Peoples National Bank, Brattleboro, Vt.

Yearly Maturities	Note	Interest
1948	\$3,000 00	\$207 00
1949	5,000 00	180 00
1950	5,000 00	135 00
1951	5,000 00	90 00
1952	5,000 00	45 00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Town Officers' Salaries

Marion Welch, auditor	\$25 00	
Chester Lees, auditor	25 00	
Maud Taylor, clerk of trust funds	100 00	
Robert Weeks, water and sewer comm.	100 00	
William Kimball, water and sewer comm.	100 00	
Edward McCormick, water and sewer comm.	100 00	
Homer C. Worden, tax collector	500 00	
Roger F. Holland, town treasurer	300 00	
Raymond Hildreth, overseer of charities	75 00	
Howard Streeter, overseer of old age	50 00	
Clifford D. Stearns, selectman	525 00	
Francis E. Mason, selectman	300 00	
J. David Duggan, selectman	300 00	
Eleanor S. Smith, town clerk	125 00	
	\$2,625 00	
Appropriation		\$2,750 00
Balance	125 00	
	\$2,750 00	

Ordinary Town Charges

Zion's Hill Press, printing	\$469 00	
Temple Ins. Agency, liab. public health		
car	31 00	
	45 32	
Winfield Chaplin, records	36 80	
Brattleboro Reformer, advertising	70	
Esther Bennett, records	60	
B. & M. Railroad, rent of a dump	1 33	
Dr. H. L. Brown, Gladys Latham	45 00	
Henry Northup, refund on taxes	18 62	
Jubal Higgins, refund on taxes	36 86	
W. H. Barrett, refund	20	
	\$685 43	

Appropriation		\$700 00
Balance	14 57	
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		\$700 00

Town Officers' Expenses

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$147 47
Chase's Book Store, supplies	67 30
Auto & Truck Guide	4 50
Homer Worden, postage	10 00
James Snow, postage	3 66
F. J. Young, postage	3 66
Marion Welch, postage	2 49
Hinsdale Press, printing	25 00
Carl Larsen, supplies	2 10
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	1 56
N. H. Assessors, dues	2 00
Brattleboro Reformer, adv.	5 00
Eleanor S. Smith	3 50
Ruth Avery, clerk assoc., dues	2 00
Richard Tyler, meals	2 90
Ida Horner, tax collectors dues	4 00
Selectmen's, expenses	11 45
Colton Insurance Agency	
Tax collector bond, back taxes	15 00
Tax collector bond	65 00
Town treasurer's bond	50 00
Cemetery trustee's bond	15 00
Town clerk's bond	5 00
Treas. water board bond	5 00
Supt. water dept. bond	5 00
Public health bond	5 00
Constable bond	5 00
Red Cross	2 50
Temple Insurance Agency	
Library treas. bond, Gove	5 00
Library treas. bond, Adams	5 00
Road agent bond	5 00
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	\$486 09

Appropriation	\$300 00
Overdrawn	186 09
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	\$486 09

Election and Registration

Ray L. Fletcher	\$15 00	
William Watson	15 00	
Robert Cunningham	15 00	
Raymond C. Hildreth	20 00	
Eleanor S. Smith	20 00	
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	\$85 00	
Appropriation		\$275 00
Balance	190 00	
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	\$275 00	

Town Hall

Frank W. Walker, salary	\$738 00	
Henry Barrett, salary	198 00	
John W. Royce, fuel	986 36	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	153 08	
Hinsdale Water Works	25 00	
Granite State M. M. Co., repairs	2 20	
Warren Refining Co., supplies	29 50	
M. G. W. , Inc., repairs	3 25	
Colton Ins. Agency	448 75	
Frank Amarosa	20 30	
Leon Campbell, labor	24 00	
Avery Mach. Co., supplies	4 00	
C. W. Harris, labor	16 72	
George Hilliard, labor	5 00	
J. W. Field, supplies	1 62	
H. W. Taylor, supplies	42 38	
H. C. Holland, supplies	1 84	
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	\$2,700 00	
Appropriation		\$3,000 00
Credits		212 00
Balance	512 00	
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	\$3,212 00	\$3,212 00

Police

Frank W. Walker, salary	\$884 00	
Henry Barrett, salary	187 00	
Lloyd Pickett, salary	140 00	
Levi Howard, special police	10 00	
Los Angeles St. & St. Co., supplies	4 89	
S. G. Adams, bicycle plates	30 71	
H. W. Taylor, supplies	35 05	
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	\$1,291 65	
Appropriation		\$1,200 00
Bicycle registrations		13 25
Overdrawn		78 40
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		\$1,291 65

Fire Department

Public Service of N. H.	\$28 64
Peter Zavorotny, salaries	1,325 17
Hinsdale water works	1,810 00
H. J. Delphy, salary	412 00
John Royce, fuel	315 81
Am. LaFrance & Foamite Corp. supplies	160 27
Richard Chambers, supplies	19 50
Hartford Acc. & Ind. Co.	137 50
James A. Coffin, hose	249 30
James R. Shea, hose	297 50
Arthur Houle, labor	14 00
Colton Ins. Agency, insurance	63 05
A. J. Farnham, labor	33 25
Blanchard Assoc., repairs	49 75
C. A. Holland & Son, supplies	4 75
F. M. Fuller, labor	1 50
Temple Ins. Agency, insurance	61 08
Spencer Bros., repairs	182 60
O. B. Maxwell Co., supplies	19 30
Town of Brattleboro, grapple	30 00
A. C. Roberts, labor	3 50
American Fire Equip. Co., supplies	37 76
H. W. Taylor, supplies	49 63

Royce's Garage, gas and tires	301 98
Hinsdale Press, printing	2 00
Dexter Royce, forest fire payroll	316 80

\$5,926 64

Appropriation	\$4,500 00
Credits	96 23
Overdrawn	1,330 41

\$5,926 64

Damage by Dogs

Robert Marshall, ducks	\$26 00
William Oski, turkeys	101 50

\$127 50

Refund	\$18 00
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Public Health Nurse

Katherine Hammond, treas., nurses salary	\$1,975 00
Appropriation	\$1,800 00
Overdrawn	175 00

\$1,975 00

Health Department

Raymond Hildreth, health officer	\$50 00
Appropriation	\$60 00
Balance	10 00

\$60 00

Vital Statistics

Eleanor S. Smith, recording	\$45 50
Dr. Lachaine, reporting	2 50

\$48 00

Appropriation	\$50 00
Balance	2 00

\$50 00

Street Lights

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$2,142 00	
Public Service Corp. of Vt., lights on island	58 50	
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	\$2,200 50	
Appropriation		\$2,300 00
Balance	99 50	
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	\$2,300 00	

Special Poll Taxes

State of New Hampshire	\$48 00
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Taxes Bought by Town

Homer C. Worden	\$22 72
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Damages and Legal Expenses

Roy M. Pickard	\$53 00
Maurice Waterman, damage by sewer	73 45
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	\$126 45

Appropriation		\$50 00
Overdrawn		76 45
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		\$126 45

T. R. A.

Appropriation	\$431 62	
Paid State of New Hampshire		\$720 72
Refund	49 45	
Overdrawn	239 65	
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	\$720 72	

ROADS**Winter Maintenance**

W. H. Barrett, orders	\$5,605 91	
Appropriation		\$4,500 00
Credits		78 23
Overdrawn		1,027 68
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		\$5,605 91

Summer Maintenance

W. H. Barrett, orders	\$5,274 48	
Appropriation		\$6,000 00
Credits		219 80
Balance	945 32	
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	\$6,219 80	\$6,219 80

Duggan Road

W. H. Barrett, orders	\$1,204 48	
Appropriation		\$1,000 00
Overdrawn		204 48
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		\$1,204 48

Oiling Roads

W. H. Barrett, orders	\$1,600 50	
Appropriation		\$2,000 00
Credits		513 82
Balance	913 32	
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	\$2,513 82	\$2,513 82

Monument Road

W. H. Barrett, orders	\$7,146 90	
Chester Thomas, land damage	25 00	
Eva Thomas, land damage	50 00	
Wesley Sprague, land damage	20 00	
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	\$7,241 90	
Appropriation		\$6,000 00
Credit		15 47
Overdrawn		1,226 43
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		\$7,241 90

Municipal Court

J. W. Field, salary	\$100 00	
Appropriation		\$100 00
J. W. Field, fines		143 00
Balance	143 00	
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	\$243 00	\$243 00

C. W. Harris, labor	8 35	
J. W. Field, supplies	2 37	
Roland H. O'Neal, supplies	15 60	
H. W. Taylor, supplies	59 95	
John W. Royce, roofing	41 25	
Andrew Farnham, labor and material	162 40	
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	\$1,147 55	
Appropriation		\$600 00
Overdrawn		547 55
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		\$1,147 55
Old Age Assistance		
Town's share	\$1,247 44	
Appropriation		\$1,500 00
Balance	252 56	
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	\$1,500 00	
Town Poor		
Case No. 1		
Hospital and care	\$478 01	
Case No. 2		
Hospital and care	151 00	
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	\$629 01	
Appropriation		\$1,200 00
Balance	570 99	
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	\$1,200 00	
Soldiers' Aid		
Case No. 1	\$62 00	
Appropriation		\$200 00
Credit		62 00
Balance	200 00	
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	\$262 00	\$262 00
County Tax		
County of Cheshire	\$8,307 43	
Appropriation		\$8,307 43

Monadnock Region

Treasurer	\$100 00	
Appropriation		\$100 00

Internal Revenue

Withholding taxes	\$703 30	
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Motor Registration

Eleanor S. Smith, permits	\$238 25	
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Bounties

Robert Owen	\$4 50	
Clifford Stearns	5 50	
Francis Mason	5 00	
J. David Duggan	18 00	

\$33 00

Due from State of N. H.		\$33 00
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Library

Treasurer	\$2,000 00	
Appropriation		\$2,000 00

G. A. R. Hall

Freeman Plumbing Co.	\$148 45	
Frank Amarosa	379 33	
Prescott Buckley	300 00	
Tropical Paint & Oil Co.	70 50	
C. W. Harris	7 15	
H. W. Taylor	40 35	
Temple Insurance Agency	20 88	
R. A. Weeks	1 98	

\$968 64

Appropriation		\$1,053 46
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Balance	84 82	
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\$1,053 46

Fireworks

Pearl Fireworks Co.	\$500 00	
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Appropriation		\$500 00
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Garbage

Dorr Hudson	\$550 00	
Brattleboro Reformer	8 10	
Hinsdale Press	2 00	
J. David Duggan, postage	1 50	
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	\$561 60	
Appropriation		\$1,500 00
Balance	938 40	
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	\$1,500 00	

Cemeteries

Roy Taylor	\$720 00	
Charles Roy Jr.	300 01	
William Snow	30 00	
Edward Smith	58 80	
Ed Matuszewski	13 88	
Ed Houle	48 05	
Tony Bolden	4 00	
H. W. Taylor	4 80	
Hinsdale Water Works	5 39	
Richard Lowe	4 00	
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	\$1,188 93	
Appropriation		\$1,000 00
Overdrawn		188 93
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		\$1,188 93

New Equipment

Dexter Royce, 2 ton Chev. dump truck	\$2,871 52	
State highway garage, sand spreader	110 96	
Walsh Boiler Works, snow plow	640 85	
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	\$3,623 33	
Credit, N. H. Metal Co., Mack truck and snow plow	850 00	
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	\$2,773 33	

Temporary Loan

Winchester National Bank	\$20,000 00
Vermont Peoples National Bank	20,000 00

Paid on Indebtedness

Winchester National Bank,		
sewer bonds	\$2,500 00	
Glen St. water notes	2,000 00	
Vermont Peoples National Bank		
Brattleboro road, sewer and water,		
Highland Ave. water notes	3,000 00	
Second National Bank of Boston,		
water bonds	6,000 00	
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	\$13,500 00	
Appropriation		\$13,500 00

Interest

Second National Bank of Boston,		
water bonds interest	\$1,155 00	
Winchester National Bank		
sewer bonds interest	620 00	
Glen St. water notes	48 14	
Temporary loan	27 09	
Vermont Peoples National Bank,		
Brattleboro road and Highland		
Ave. sewer and water notes	191 33	
Temporary loan note	62 72	
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	\$2,104 28	
Appropriation		\$2,077 14
Overdrawn		27 14
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		\$2,104 28

Schools

J. W. Field, treasurer	\$47,500 00
Maude Taylor Trustee, capital reserve	
fund	17,000 00
Balance due Board of Education	18,336 00
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	\$82,836 00

Appropriation, 1947 schools	\$46,568 00
Appropriation, 1947 capital reserve	17,000 00
Balance 1946 appropriation	19,268 00
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	\$82,836 00

Hinsdale, N. H.

January 17th, 1948.

This is to certify that we have examined the Selectmen's receipts and payments together with vouchers and supporting invoices and payrolls and find them to be properly signed and classified. We also find that the Town Treasurer has received the sum of \$202,888.09 and the Selectmen have drawn orders for \$182,731.86 leaving a balance of \$20,156.23 as of December 31st, 1947.

MARION WELCH,
CHESTER C. LEES,

Town Auditors.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
Town Maintenance, Summer

Walter H. Barrett	\$940 45
Walter H. Barrett, use of pick-up	150 00
Walter H. Barrett, envelopes	68
Floyd Sprague	816 70
William McAuliffe	796 60
Clayton Gamash	915 25
Treas.town of Hinsdale, withholding tax	332 80
Mack Motor Truck Co., truck parts	60 11
Robert E. Dunklee, labor on door handle	45
Streeter's Machine Shop, materials	1 68
Gulf Oil Corp., fuel oil	20 07
Perkins-Eaton Machinery Co., lens for tractor	1 66
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity, town shed	8 00
Herman Hudson, truck	12 00
H. W. Taylor, supplies	86 03

Spencer Bros., labor and materials	121 20
Royce's Garage, gas, labor, supplies	169 03
John W. Royce, broom	1 50
Northfield Washed Sand & Gravel Co., washed gravel	25 46
Spencer Hardware Co., brooms, cable	4 76
Eastern States Farmers Exchange, tractor paint	3 39
Hayes' Garage, Quaker State oil	14 40
Hinsdale Water Works, town shed	4 17
Northeastern Petroleum Co., track roller lube.	19 50
M. G. W. Inc., labor, welding, materials	88 97
Robert C. Marden, posts	27 00
Temple Insurance Agency, insurance	47 60
Frank J. Amarosa, labor and materials	37 06
The Morgan Garage, labor and supplies	46 95
Arthur Butler, truck	10 00
Arthur Butler, gravel	21 60
Arthur Butler, labor	9 60
F. M. Fuller, sharpening tools	2 85
Leon Campbell, filing saws	2 25
Walter Hale	189 50
Anthony Bolden, truck	3 75
Holden & Martin Lumber Co., lumber and tile	51 58
Marshall Hudson, mowing	3 00
Arthur Whitecomb Inc., Durfee Mix	45 23
Treas. Town of Winchester, Hodgman's time on tractor and points	10 35
Raymond Walker, truck	20 00
Thomas Auto Supply Inc., grease gun	3 98
E. M. Dodge, posts	29 00
New England Box Co., lumber	73 32
R. H. Brown & Co., nails	2 50
Andrew Farnham, truck	42 50
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	\$5,274 48

Appropriation

\$6,000 00

Credits:

Received after books were closed Dec. 31, 1946:

Joseph Pelech, water tub	10 00
Henry Durnford, scraping road	4 70

Credits, 1947:

Allen Pelto, scraping road	10 00
Boston & Maine R. R. tractor, scraping yard	12 00
Town of Winchester, use of truck	173 50
Refund Walter H. Barrett	2 00
Refund Floyd Sprague	2 00
Henry Durnford, scraping road	4 70
Refund, Perkins & Eaton Machinery Co.	90

 \$6,219 80

Balance	945 32
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 \$6,219 80

Unpaid, 1946:

Richard Rouillard, scraping road	\$20 58
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Audited Jan. 27, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,
 CHESTER C. LEES,
 Town Auditors.

Town Maintenance, Winter

Walter H. Barrett	\$533 00
Walter H. Barrett, use of pick-up	150 00
Walter H. Barrett, toll calls	2 84
Floyd Sprague	508 00
William McAuliffe	502 20
Clayton Gamash	578 65
Treas. town of Hinsdale, withholding tax	243 40
Marcellus Howe	6 40
Hayes' Garage, Quaker State oil	14 40
Willard's Garage, labor on tractor	20 25
John W. Royce, Coal	28 80

Royces Garage, gas, battery, chains, zerex	308 06
Streeter's Machine Shop, bolts	34
Wilfred Major, team, plowing walks	113 50
The Orcott Works, ice machinery oil	11 50
Andrew Farnham, truck	640 00
Cecil Butler Jr., truck plowing	66 00
Cecil Butler Jr., tractor plowing	12 00
Arthur Butler	15 20
Arthur Butler, truck	33 75
Ralph Tobey	15 50
Glenn Corey	5 50
Raymond Walker	249 60
Stephen Bouchie	197 30
Railway express Agency	5 54
Harold Reddin	19 20
Charles Roy Jr.	5 60
Spencer Hardware Co.	2 47
Clyde Coombs, shoes and cutting edges	62 40
Herman Hudson, truck	106 55
Edward Young	59 30
Mack Motor Truck Co., parts for truck	40 23
Checker Feed Store, salt	35 88
Raymond S. Roberts, Inc., cross chains	6 48
Spencer Bros., labor and truck parts	126 27
Northfield Washed Sand & Gravel Co., sand	279 97
Streeter Farm, plowing	4 00
Anthony Bolden, truck	29 20
Joseph Pelech, truck	7 50
Campbell's Hardware & Auto Supply, tire chains	25 90
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity, town shed	4 28
Joseph Doucette, tractor, plowing	80 00
Gage's Garage, welding	12 00
Maine Steel Inc., hose	34 99
International Salt Co. Inc., salt	129 60
M. G. W. Inc., labor and materials	135 30
Perkins-Eaton Machinery Co., grouser group	106 00

W. N. Potter Grain Stores, Inc., coal	29 44	
H. P. Welch Co., express	1 62	
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	\$5,605 91	
Appropriation		\$4,500 00
Credits, received after books were closed		
Dec. 31, 1946:		
John Royce, plowing mill yard	6 00	
John Norton, plowing road	1 50	
William Young, plowing road	3 00	
Wasył Klowan, plowing drive way	1 50	
Henry Durnford, plowing road	3 00	
Richard Butler, plowing road	2 00	
Credits, 1947:		
D. P. Welch, plowing road	6 00	
Mrs. Siquid Engleson, plowing road	15 00	
John Norton, plowing road	8 00	
Mrs. Rosetta Lowe, plowing driveway	2 00	
Fred Nees, plowing driveway	2 00	
William Young, plowing road	11 00	
Henry Durnford, plowing road	2 00	
John Royce, plowing mill yard	6 00	
Joseph Pelech, calcium chloride	3 23	
Raymond Bolden, plowing driveway	3 00	
Edward Kondart, plowing driveway	3 00	
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	\$4,578 23	
Overdrawn		1,027 68
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	\$5,605 91	
Unpaid, 1946:		
Richard Rouillard, plowing road	\$15 00	
Unpaid, 1947:		
Clifford Hastings, plowing road	8 00	
Richard Butler, plowing road	6 00	
Richard Rouillard, plowing road	3 00	

Audited Jan. 27, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,
 CHESTER C. LEES,
 Town Auditors.

Town Tarring

Walter H. Barrett	\$32 30	
Floyd Sprague	39 95	
Clayton Gamash	39 10	
William McAuliffe	26 40	
Russell Farnham	4 90	
Wasył Klowan	12 80	
Arthur Butler	4 00	
Andrew Farnham	67 50	
Raymond Walker	40 00	
Anthony Bolden	24 80	
Fred Field, gravel	13 80	
Neil Atkins, shovel	72 00	
Independent Coal Tar Co., Taric No. 5	1,160 02	
Northfield Washed Sand & Gravel Co., sand	24 48	
Treas. Town of Winchester, truck and 2 men	38 45	
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	\$1,650 50	
Appropriation		\$2,000 00

Credits:

Received after books were closed,
 Dec. 31, 1946:

Tarring driveways:

Wasył Klowan	32 15
H. A. Mead	5 87
David Meany, cold patch	3 00

Tarring driveways, 1947:

Alcide Jarvis	15 15
Orlando Owen	25 19
E. J. Phippin	45 33
Burton Holman	82 34

Joseph Kowal	10 07
Harry Bell	92 36
Mrs. David Bell	3 47
Mabel Temple	5 76
Wasył Klowan	15 14
Louis Cherwa	13 78
Mike Wasyluk	8 75
Elmer Coombs	1 11
Harlow Mead	2 76
Frank Sikoski	8 27
William Zavarotny	5 38
John Kerylow	4 84
John Beruk	38 17
Theodore Beruk	7 37
Frank Mosher	5 68
Fred Nees	25 91
William Watson	4 22
Andrew Farnham	3 22
Alice Provost	6 18
Percy Stewart	3 70
Robert Weeks	5 70
Treas. Town of Winchester, use of men and trucks	32 90
Refund, error, Oct. 18, time sheet	05
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	\$2,513 82
Balance	\$913 32
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	\$2,513 82

Audited Jan. 27, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,
CHESTER C. LEES,
Town Auditors.

Monument Road

Walter H. Barrett	\$201 53
Floyd Sprague	253 65
William McAuliffe	298 00
Sidney Smith	491 69

Clayton Gamash	333 85
Ralph Tobey	41 40
Arthur Butler	72 20
Clayton Owen	8 00
Arthur Whitcomb Inc., road machinery	2,926 55
Maurice Starkey, bulldozer	160 00
Treas. Town of Hinsdale, withholding tax	119 10
E. M. Dodge	25 00
Town of Winchester, bulldozer, truck	114 80
Louis Grenier, truck	64 00
Anthony Bolden, truck	268 05
Raymond Buckley, bulldozer	410 00
Griffin's Service Station, oil	70
New England Box Co., oak plank	361 25
Raymond Walker, truck	113 75
Arthur Butler, gravel	178 70
Royce's Garage	151 23
Perley Harvey	34 60
Carlo Bucossi, bulldozer	204 00
William Cushman & Son, Inc., air compressor	7 85
C. A. Butler Jr., truck	55 50
Kauko Walkonen, truck	54 40
D. H. Harling, truck	3 10
Octave Bernier, truck	4 30
Cecil Butler, lumber	35 85
Holden & Martin Lumber Co., tile and steel	16 00
Herman Hudson, truck	5 00
M. G. M. Inc., welding steel	10 90
John Royce, posts	15 00
H. W. Taylor, tile, cement, pipe	97 95
Brattleboro Sand & Gravel Co., screened gravel	9 00
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	\$7,146 90

Credits:

Clifford Stearns, gravelling driveway	\$12 50
William Duggan, oak plank	2 97
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	\$15 47

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT OF THE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

February 10, 1948.

To the Water and Sewer Commissioners and citizens of
Hinsdale:

I herewith submit the following report:

I have attended several Water Works meetings, both with the New England and N. H. Water Works Associations, and have found them very interesting and instructive—especially the Water Works School held in Boston, Mass. every month. The N. H. Water Works Association will meet in Hinsdale sometimes in March.

Last July we started to meter the manufacturing places for water and at present have seven meters in use.

Anyone wishing to visit the Purification Plant is cordially invited to do so.

In closing my report, I wish to thank the commissioners, selectmen and fire chief for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. HARRIS,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF WATER AND SEWER WORKS

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1947		\$210 96
Received from all sources		7,946 51
		\$8,157 47
Total expenditures	\$7,790 99	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1948	366 48	
	\$8,157 47	

ROBERT A. WEEKS,
EDWARD J. McCORMICK,
WILLIAM S. KIMBALL,

Audited Jan. 12, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,
 CHESTER C. LEES,
 Town Auditors.

General Expenses

Freight, express, telephone and postage and insurance	\$164 60
Taxes, town of Winchester	120 34
Refund, town of Hinsdale	2,000 00
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	\$2,284 94

Repairs to Mains, Hydrants and Services

Repairs to hydrants	\$19 00
Repairs to services	6 20
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	\$25 20

Purification Plant

Labor	\$1,164 05
Power and lights	125 20
Fuel and supplies	1,112 08
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	\$2,401 33

Distribution Expense

Charles W. Harris, salary	\$2,048 08
Charles W. Harris, withholding tax	201 92
Charles W. Harris, truck	260 00
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	\$2,510 00

Stationery and Printing

Stationery and printing	\$24 25
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Job Work

Job work	\$405 97
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Sewer Expense

Sewer Expense	\$139 30
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Report to
 SPECIAL COMMITTEE
 HINSDALE, NEW HAMPSHIRE
 upon
 EXTENSION OF WATER
 AND SEWER SYSTEMS

Metcalf & Eddy
 Engineers
 Boston, Massachusetts
 December 11, 1947

December 11, 1947

Mr. Albert Krumenaker
 Chairman
 Special Committee on
 Water and Sewer Extensions
 Hinsdale, New Hampshire

Dear Sir :

As requested, we have studied the problems (1) of extension of the water distribution system and (2) of the extension of certain sewers, and submit our report herewith.

WATER SYSTEM EXTENSIONS

The water distribution problem relates (1) to supplying the northwesterly part of Hinsdale along Brattleboro Road, Plain Street and certain connecting streets, and, (2) to extensions beyond the southerly end of the existing system.

NORTHWESTERLY EXTENSION. The area in question is bounded by Brattleboro Road and Plain Street. It is limited on the north by the street on which Oak Grove Church is located, and extends about 4,000 ft. on Brattleboro Road beyond the Monument. It is believed to be advantageous to proceed first out Plain Street, to Plains School and Oak Grove Church, thence to the Monument and finally on Brattleboro Road.

Three methods of supply suggest themselves, as follows :

I (a) A booster pumping station on Plain Street not far from Brattleboro Road, and a tank or standpipe at

a suitable location midway or further along the length of pipe in Plain Street.

- I (b) A similar pump at the filter plant, pumping over the intervening ridge to a similar storage tank.
- II Utilization of the head now available in the supply main from the filter plant just above the pressure reducing valve by carrying a new pipe from Chesterfield Road up the slope to the road running parallel to Chesterfield Road and thence to Highland Avenue where by a suitable revision of gates the 8-in. Highland Avenue pipe could be used as a high-service line, and then extended to and along Plain Street. A storage tank would be necessary out Plain Street as in the other alternatives.

BOOSTER PUMPING PROJECTS I (a) and I (b). The pump of Project I (a) would require a smaller motor and would involve less operating cost than that of Project I (b) because of the high ridge over which the latter must force the water. Furthermore, about a mile of the pipe involved in Project I (b) would be across country and therefore unproductive, whereas the pipe of Project I (a) would be available to prospective customers throughout its length. It is concluded that Project I (a) is the better of the two booster pumping plans.

It is estimated that the construction cost of a booster pumping station would be about \$12,000. The cost of pipe and stand-pipe are discussed in a later section.

GRAVITY PROJECT II. This plan would avoid pumping; would make water available along the easterly extension of Highland Avenue which is a very sightly location for development; and would utilize about 2,000 ft. of existing pipe on Highland Avenue incidentally raising the pressure along this street. The estimated construction cost of modification of existing gating of the Highland Avenue pipe and of new pipe from Chesterfield Road to Highland Avenue is about \$19,000.

This is comparable with the estimate for Project I (a). Pipe to and beyond Plain Street, and storage tank, are common to both projects.

PIPE AND STORAGE. Pipe lines to serve the north-westerly part of town are long and, because of the high elevation of much of the area, must be relatively large in order to provide adequate fire flow without undue friction loss. Basing the system on the head available by gravity under Project II, which is also about what would be used for the booster pumping scheme, it is found that the top of the Plain Street storage tank would be at about El. 540, and that the pipe in Plain Street and on the cross streets as far as the corner by the Monument should be 10 inches in order to assure a reasonable fire-flow with not less than 20 lb. residual pressure (Underwriters' criterion). The ordinary static pressure along Plain Street would be on the order of 50 lb. The pipe in Brattleboro Road could be reduced to 8 in. because of its lower elevation. From two to three fire streams would be available everywhere along the proposed mains.

The standpipe should have a capacity of at least 200,000 gal. to satisfy fire requirements. The diameter and height of the tank would depend upon the elevation of the site which can presumably be selected advantageously on the hillside rising to the east along Plain Street. A tentative location has been assumed near the highest point on Plain Street about 8,000 ft. from Brattleboro road. The estimated cost of the tank and appurtenances is \$18,000.

The estimated cost of the distribution pipe to serve the area in question under either project is tabulated below in sections arranged in a suggested order of construction.

1) Extension of Highland Avenue 8-in. pipe 700 ft. to Plain Street and 7,000 ft. of 10-in. in Plain Street to standpipe	\$ 63,900
2) Continuation of 10-in. to Plains School and across to Oak Grove Church, 12,000 ft.	100,800
3) Continuation of 10-in. to Monument 7,000 ft.	58,800
4) 8-in. in Brattleboro Road, 4,000 ft. north, 6,000 ft. south of Monument	72,000
	\$295,500

There would remain about 11,500 ft. in Brattleboro Road between the end of the existing pipe and the last section of pipe proposed in the above schedule. Since extensive housing development along the bottom-land traversed by this section of road seems unlikely in the near future, this stretch has not been included in the present program. If built, it would involve an additional expenditure on the order of \$86,400.

In all pipe estimates, cast iron pipe has been used. Some saving would result from the use of cement-asbestos pipe, but current uncertainty about delivery of this type of pipe leads to the conclusion that it is not practicable for any sections planned for early construction.

SUMMARY OF COSTS OF NORTHWESTERLY PROJECTS. The two most advantageous plans are summarized as to cost in the following tabulation. All estimates in this report include allowances for contingencies and engineering.

	Gravity from Chesterfield Road	Booster pumping
Pipe, Chesterfield Road to High- land Avenue	\$ 19,000	
Pumping station		\$ 12 000
Standpipe	18,000	18,000
Distribution mains	295,000	295,000
Total estimated cost	\$332,000	\$325,000

The difference in cost lies in the method of supply. The booster pumping plan is less in first cost, but involves certain costs for power and maintenance which depend upon the extent to which pumping is required. As has already been pointed out, the gravity plan would make water available along the easterly extension of Highland Avenue and might stimulate development there.

The choice lies with your committee as a matter of policy.

SOUTHERLY EXTENSIONS. From the outset, it has been planned that eventually a loop would be provided out Depot Street and down to join the Northfield Road main, with a storage tank on the hillside southeast of the end of Depot

Street. This calls for 8-in. pipe and involves about 700 ft. extension in Depot Street, about 1,900 ft. from Northfield Road to meet it, and about 600 ft. to a point on the hillside where the ground is at El. 420, the same as that of the present standpipe. The total length of pipe involved is about 3,200 ft., the estimated cost of which is \$23,000.

A 200,000-gal. standpipe, with foundation and appurtenances is estimated to cost \$18,000, bringing the total for the proposed southerly extensions to \$41,000.

SEWER EXTENSIONS

The extensions of sewers which have been proposed have been studied on the basis of our recent surveys and are shown in detail on the accompanying drawings. These include plans and profiles for an extension of the Northfield Road sewer about 2,000 ft. to the foot of the road which leads up to Depot Street; for a sewer in Cottage Street about 890 ft. long; and in Stebbins Street about 300 ft. long.

Estimates of cost, including allowances for contingencies and engineering are:

Northfield Road	\$20,700
Cottage Street	9,300
Stebbins Street	2,900
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Total	\$32,900

We trust you will find in the foregoing pages the information which your committee requires in considering the feasibility of extensions of water and sewerage facilities which have been proposed.

Very truly yours,
METCALF & EDDY

By

Arthur L. Shaw

ALS/P

December 31, 1947

Mr. Albert Krumenaker
Chairman
Special Committee on
Water and Sewer Extensions
Hinsdale, New Hampshire

Dear Sir :

We have your letter of December 26, 1947 relative to the feasibility of carrying a pipe westerly from the filter plant across the ridge to Plain Rd., locating a standpipe on top of the ridge and supplying a so-called "high service" area on both sides of the ridge, including about 30 houses along Chesterfield Rd. as well as the 70 or more on Plain Rd., Brattleboro Rd., and intervening streets.

BASIC DATA. The scaled distance on the U.S.G.S. map in a "bee-line" from the filter plant to Plain Rd. is about 4,400 ft., crossing the ridge at the saddle which is at about el. 770.

A standpipe in the saddle of the ridge would have its high water level at about el. 800. Pumps installed near the filter plant would lift the water about 250 ft.

The ordinary pressure along Plain Rd. would be about 170 lb., and that along Brattleboro Rd. well over 200 lb. If the system were operated without pressure reducing valves on the main pipe coming down the hill from the tank, 8-in. pipe could be used throughout and still give fire flows comparable with those available under the plan suggested in our report of December 11, 1947.

Pressures much in excess of 100 lb. are unsuitable for most domestic fixtures. If reducing valves were used on the mains, the advantage of smaller mains during fire flow would be lost. It may be practicable, however, to leave it to each user to install a small pressure reducing valve on his own service, putting upon him the responsibility of maintaining it to protect his fixtures.

COST ESTIMATES. The higher pressure requires heavier pipe,—Class 250 instead of Class 150, with consequent increase in cost. The net difference or saving in cost, in place, between 8-in. Class 250 and 10-in. Class 150 is estimated to be about

\$0.80 per ft. For estimating purposes, including all allowances, it would be reasonable to use \$7.60 per ft. for 8-in. Class 250 pipe in place, and \$8.40 per foot for 10-in. Class 150 pipe. These unit prices would apply where pipes are in streets or other accessible locations.

In the rough country over the ridge from the filter plant to Plain Rd. costs will be much increased because of difficulties in transporting pipe and handling construction equipment. It is suggested that at least \$15 per ft. be used for 8-in. pipe in this stretch of about 4,400 ft.

The cost of the standpipe would be affected by the difficulties of hauling materials and equipment to the top of the ridge. It would be prudent to increase the former estimate of \$18,000 to \$20,000 for this reason.

Pumping station construction cost would not be much affected. The motors would be about twice the capacity of those required for Project I (a). This would be reflected mainly in power cost which, as you suggest, could be figured into the water rate.

RISING PRICES. The Engineering News-Record Construction Cost Index shows a continuing tendency to rise, and indications of further wage demands and rises in the cost of iron point to the wisdom of making generous allowances for cost increases during 1948 when setting up amounts for appropriations in the Town Meeting Warrant. Some evidence points to an allowance of from 15 to 20 percent on the prices being bid by contractors for work which will run into next summer.

EFFECT ON FILTER PLANT. The addition of 30 houses east of the ridge and 73 houses west of it, a total of 103 houses or perhaps 400 persons may increase total water consumption by from 20,000 to 40,000 gal. per day. We have no figures as to present consumption as indicated by the master meter at the filter plant, nor data as to the number of hours per day it is necessary to operate the plant to supply present demand. However, it is not unlikely that the added proposed load will bring the total demand close to the nominal capacity of the plant. This should be looked into with a view to the possible need for

increasing plant capacity as was anticipated in the original design.

We believe we have answered the various questions raised in your letter. We have used punched paper so that you may bind this letter in the back of our report. Wishing you the compliments of the season, we remain

Yours truly,
METCALF & EDDY

By

Arthur L. Shaw

ALS/mh

TO THE CITIZENS OF HINSDALE

Your Committee, after studying the three proposed methods submitted by the engineers Metcalf and Eddy, for supplying North Hinsdale with water, recommend method 1 (B), with one exception: that the standpipe be placed on the ridge between the Plain Road and the Chesterfield Road, thereby being able to supply the houses on Chesterfield Road as well as the houses of North Hinsdale. In doing so, we have eliminated from the North Part System the extension of the Highland Avenue 8-inch pipe of 700 feet to Plain Road and the 7,000 feet of 10-inch pipe on the Plain Road to the Pritz farm. In place of it, we have substituted 4,400 feet from the filter house across the ridge to the Plain Road. This would bring the cost of the North Hinsdale extension to \$329,600 instead of the \$325,000 submitted by the engineers. This will make North Hinsdale and the houses on Chesterfield Road a separate distribution system. This will call for slightly higher water rates due to operational expenses.

The 11,500 feet left on the Brattleboro Road will cost \$86,400. This section could be extended from our present system at the top of Sand Hill over as far as Dodge's at the top of Liscolm Hill.

The standpipe and extensions to the south of the town \$41,000.

The extension of 528 feet on Stebbins Street to the Plain Road and 2,900 feet on the Plain Road to Donzey's would cost \$24,681.

Due to changes the entire cost of everything estimated by the engineers will increase about \$30,000.

There are no figures submitted for the distribution system on the Chesterfield Road or any extensions on the Northfield Road.

The Committee recommends consideration of the following:

1. The extensions of 528 feet on Stebbins Street and 2,900 feet on Plain Road to Donzey's at a total cost of \$24,681.
2. Sewer on Northfield Road, Cottage Street and Stebbins Street at a cost of \$32,900.

Further, the Committee recommends that, due to the high cost of labor and material that all other extensions not be considered at this time.

The Committee also recommends that anyone connected with the sewer pay a sewer charge of 10 per cent of their water rate.

ALBERT KRUMENAKER, Chairman of the Board

FRANK MASHER
 CLARENCE O'NEAL
 FRANK AMAROSA
 JOHN BORDNER
 EDWARD McCORMICK
 ROBERT WEEKS
 SIDNEY STEARNS
 HERMAN HUDSON
 CLESSON McDONALD
 WALTER WATERBURY
 WILLIAM KIMBALL

HINSDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Board of Engineers Submit the Following Report:

11 general alarms and 8 stills.

Jan.	20	Chimney fire at Brooks, North Hinsdale, no damage.
Mar.	19	Huryñ place, \$200.00 damage.
Apr.	11	Stacks place, Winchester, \$2000.00 damage.
Apr.	26	Grass fire, Wesley Sprague. No damage.
June	1	Meany block. No damage.
June	18	Pike house. No damage.
Sept.	7	Graham's residence. No damage.
Sept.	29	Waterbury house, \$1,000 damage.
Oct.	17	Amarosa block, \$3,000 damage.
Oct.	17	Butler's house. \$200.00 damage.
Nov.	22	Dodge's residence. Total loss.

We recommend the purchase of 250 ft. of 2½" hose, 300 ft. of 1½" hose, also more helmets and raincoats.

Respectfully submitted,

DEXTER K. ROYCE, Chief.

FRANK W. WALKER, 1st Ass't. Engineer.

PETER ZAVOROTNY, 2nd Ass't. Engineer.

MARK CHAMBERLAIN, 3rd Ass't. Engineer.

JOHN W. ROYCE, 4th Ass't. Engineer.

TREASURER'S REPORT, HINSDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

	Salary	Ex. Time	Total
Dexter Royce, chief	\$112 50	\$66 67	\$179 17
Frank Walker, 1st Ass't.	30 00	7 00	37 00
Peter Zavorotny, 2nd Ass't.	30 00	22 00	52 00
Mark Chamberlain, 3rd Ass't.	30 00	9 00	39 00
John Royce, 4th Ass't.	30 00	28 00	58 00
Kenneth Brooks	18 00	13 00	31 00
Walter Baranowski	13 50	18 00	31 50
Ray Fletcher	18 00	24 00	42 00
Arthur Houle	12 00	57 00	69 00

Dan LaChance Sr.	12 00	5 00	17 00
Thomas O'Connell	16 50	11 00	27 50
Verne Varno	6 00	6 00	12 00
Steve Kolodziej	10 50	5 00	15 50
William Butynski	18 00	20 00	38 00
Bernard O'Connor	4 50	4 00	8 50
Robert Marshall	9 00	17 00	26 00
Harold Podmore	18 00	5 00	23 00
Homer Worden	13 50	33 00	46 50
Richard Merrill	7 50	13 00	20 50
Leonard Waters	18 00	30 00	48 00
William Bevis	13 50	43 00	56 50
Gilbert Vever	12 00	4 00	16 00
Harold Stevens	16 50	22 00	38 50
Chester Waterman	18 00	22 00	40 00
Arthur C. Roberts Jr.	12 00	24 00	36 00
Raymond Gamash	13 50	6 00	19 50
Cedric Bevis	7 50	8 00	15 50
Joseph Graveline	7 50	22 00	29 50
Edmund Bousquet	4 50	8 00	12 50
Charles Blossom	68 50	46 00	114 50
Frank Cousins	10 50	8 00	18 50
George Podmore	16 50	38 00	54 50
Sidney Smith	16 50	16 00	32 50
Peter Zavorotny, clerk	10 00		10 00
Siren operator	10 00		10 00
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Totals	\$612 50	\$712 67	\$1,325 17

Received from the town treasurer the sum of \$1,325.17.

Respectfully submitted,
PETER ZAVOROTNY,
Treasurer.

Dec. 26, 1947.

Audited Jan. 21, 1948.

CHESTER C. LEES,
MARION P. WELCH,
Town Auditors.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Levy of 1947

—DR.—

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes	\$134,635 33
Poll taxes—Reg. @ \$2.00	1,744 00
National bank stock taxes	30 00

Total warrant	\$136,409 33
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Added taxes:

Property taxes	19 00
National bank stock tax	40 00
Poll taxes	30 00

89 00

Interest collected:

3 14

Total debits

\$136,501 47

—CR.—

Remittances to treasurer:

Property tax	\$124,512 19
Poll taxes	1,286 00
National bank stock tax	67 90
Interest collected	3 14

\$125,869 23

Discount allowed	\$3,644 97
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Discount allowed—National Bank stock tax	2 10
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Abatements—property	180 50
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Abatements—polls	36 00
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Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Property taxes	6,316 67
Poll taxes—Reg. @ \$2.00	452 00

Total credits

\$136,501 47

Audited Jan. 17, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,
CHESTER C. LEES,
Town Auditors.

Levy of 1946

—DR.—

Uncollected taxes as of Dec. 31, 1946:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	\$462 00
Property taxes	2,761 48
Interest collected during fiscal year ended December 31, 1947	99 23
Added taxes	20 00

Total debits

 \$3,342 71

—CR.—

Remittances to treasurer during fiscal
year ended December 31, 1947:

Property taxes	\$2,761 48
Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	398 00
Interest collected during year	99 23
Abatements made during year	28 00

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	56 00
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Total credits

 \$3,342 71
1945 Redeemed Taxes

Redeemed taxes	\$65 87
Interest collected	3 81

1946 Taxes Uncollected

Baronski, Dorothy	\$2 00
Bonnett, Fannie	2 00
Branum, Mrs. Samuel	2 00
Delano, Phylis	2 00
Dexter, Frank	2 00
Dexter, Gladys	2 00
Deome, Blanche	2 00

Fabisak, Florence	2 00
Fabisak, Shirley	2 00
Ferron, Albert	2 00
Fletcher, Margaret	2 00
Garland, Pauline	2 00
Kerylow, Katherine	2 00
Martell, Elmer	2 00
Mecheski, Mrs. Richard	2 00
O'Conner, Barbara	2 00
Packard, Mrs. Stephen	2 00
Packard, Mrs. Carl	2 00
Preston, Josephine	2 00
Reddin, Joseph	2 00
Seredynski, Mae	2 00
Stancift, Shirley	2 00
Starkey, Christine	2 00
Stephens, Mrs. Howard	2 00
Thomson, Andrew	2 00
Thomson, Irene	2 00
Wellington, Doris	2 00
Wilder, Lillian	2 00

Levy of 1945

—DR.—

Uncollected taxes as of Dec. 31, 1946:

Poll taxes—Reg. @ \$2.00	\$76 00
Poll taxes—Special @ \$3.00	117 00

Interest collected during fiscal year
ended December 31, 1947

5 68

Total debits

\$198 68

—CR.—

Remittances to treasurer during fiscal
year ended December 31, 1947:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	\$20 00
Poll taxes—Special @ \$3.00	30 00

Interest collected during year

5 68

Abatements made during year

90 00

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	20 00
Poll taxes—Special @ \$3.00	33 00

Total credits

\$198 68

1945 Taxes Uncollected

Baronski, Dorothy	\$5 00
Bergeron, Edward	3 00
Bonnett, Fannie	5 00
Fecto, Edward	5 00
Ferron, Albert	5 00
Hardwick, Joseph	5 00
Hardwick, Mabel	5 00
Packard, Mrs. Stephen	5 00
Preston, Josephine	5 00
Redding, Joseph	5 00
Tompson, Andrew	5 00

Levy of 1944

—DR.—

Uncollected taxes as of Dec. 31, 1946:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	\$26 00
Poll taxes—Special @ \$3.00	45 00

Interest collected during fiscal year
ended December 31, 1947

5 76

Total debits

\$76 76

—CR.—

Remittances to treasurer during fiscal
year ended December 31, 1947:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	\$12 00
Poll taxes—Special @ \$3.00	18 00
Interest collected during year	5 76

Abatements made during year

30 00

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	2 00
Poll taxes—Special @ \$3.00	9 00

Total credits

\$76 76

1944 Taxes Uncollected

Bergeron, Edward	\$3 00
Reddin, Jean	3 00
Tompson, Andrew	5 00

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1947 on account of the tax levies of 1944-1945-1946-1947 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOMER C. WORDEN,
Tax Collector.

Levy of 1943

—DR.—

Uncollected taxes as of Dec. 31, 1946:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	\$4 00	
Interest collected during fiscal year ended December 31, 1947	1 12	
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Total debits		\$5 12

—CR.—

Remittances to treasurer during fiscal
year ended December 31, 1947:

Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2.00	\$4 00	
Interest collected during year	1 12	
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Total credits		\$5 12

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT**Motor Vehicle Permits Issued**

1946-47 permits issued, 30	\$51 46	
1947-48 permits issued, 716	2,795 30	
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Paid town treasurer		\$2,846 76

Audited January 19, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,
CHESTER C. LEES,
Town Auditors.

DOGS LICENSED FOR 1947

Amarosa, Frank J.	\$2 00
Amarosa, Frank J.	2 00
Arial, Charles W.	2 00
Bordner, John	2 00
Bombay, Julia	2 00
Butler, Arthur	2 00
Butler, Arthur	2 00
Barrett, Mrs. Marvin	2 00
Butler, Ernest	2 00
Buckley, Prescott	2 00
Bouchie, Stephen	2 00
Bomba, Chester	2 00
Butler, Eugene	2 00
Burdo, Alton	2 00
Burbeck, Harold	2 00
Bennett, Annie	2 00
Boseley, C. & M.	2 00
Bokum, Peter	2 00
Bednarski, Antoni	2 00
Bouchie, Guy X. Sr.	2 00
Brown, H. L.	2 00
Bevis, Audrey	2 00
Boyle, Mrs. Minnie	5 00
Bishop, Helen	2 00
Bishop, Richard	2 00
Bernier, Robert	2 00
Buraczynski, Mary	2 00
Bombay, Michael	2 00
Barrett, Florence E.	2 00
Bell, Harry E.	2 00
Brown, M. Louise	2 00
Cherwa, Louis	2 00
Cotey, Philip	2 00
Cotey, Philip	2 00
Collis, Margaret	2 00
Chalfant, Billy & Peter	2 00
Coons, Bessie	2 00
Chamberlin, Paul V.	2 00

Dodge, Richard S.	2 00
Dube, Joseph	5 00
Dodge, E. M.	2 00
Doucette Joseph, Jr.	2 00
Daniels, Ernest	12 00
Duso, Albert	2 00
Dubriske, Stanley	2 00
Dascomb, Walter E.	5 00
Durnford, Henry	2 00
Dodge, Raymond	2 00
Dodge, Carl	2 00
Doolittle, Miles	2 00
Doucet, Joseph	2 00
Dwyer, Victor	2 00
Ethridge, Lewis Jr.	2 00
Ebbighausen, Herman	2 00
Emighty, Harry	2 00
Ebbighausen, Robert	2 00
Engelsen, Lilly	2 00
Enright, John	2 00
Fostyck, Joseph	2 00
Fecto, Forrest	2 00
Fales, Linda	2 00
Field, Edith	2 00
Field, John D.	2 00
Fuller, Robert L.	2 00
Fletcher, Raymond	2 00
Gamash, Mahlon	2 00
Gragen, Katherine	2 00
Gamash, Barbara	2 00
Gauthier, Diane	2 00
Graham, Donald Jr.	2 00
Grover, Lois	2 00
Garfield, Jeanne E.	2 00
Garfield, Russell	2 00
Gove, Lorraine	2 00
Golden, Agnes	2 00
Golden, Mary Elizabeth	2 00
Garland, William	2 00

Hastings, Clifford	2 00
Howe, William	2 00
Hammond, Katherine	5 00
Huryn, Mary	2 00
Hastings, George	2 00
Haile, Oliver	2 00
Howe, Marcellus	2 00
Heckman, Corneilia	2 00
Higgins, Glen	12 00
Hood, Rev. Howard	2 00
Higgins, Ronald	2 00
Holman, W. Dana	2 00
Hale, Walter	2 00
Hale, Walter	2 00
Holbrook, Richard	2 00
Holbrook, Fred	2 00
Jasienowski, Julia	2 00
Kosnoski, Felica	2 00
Kosnoski, Felica	2 00
Kozyra, Teddy	2 00
Knapp, Velma	2 00
Kowal, Walter	2 00
Kendrick, Fred D. Sr.	2 00
Krumenacker, Albert G.	2 00
LaValley, Richard	2 00
Lamy, Lucien	2 00
Lee, Robert	2 00
LaChance, Blanche	2 00
Larabee, Charles Jr.	2 00
Larabee, Charles Jr.	2 00
Ledeux, Rev. G. E.	2 00
Madigan, M. J.	2 00
Madigan, M. J.	2 00
Madigan, M. J.	2 00
Mead, Beatrice	2 00
Major, Wilfred N.	2 00
Miner, Shirley	2 00
Merrifield, Alice B.	2 00
Moore, Edward	2 00

Maddocks, Edgar	2 00
Maynard, Edward	2 00
Major, Francis	2 00
Mecheski, Mary	2 00
Morse, Cecil H.	2 00
Mannarino, Domenico	2 00
Merrifield, Alice T.	2 00
McDonald, Mrs. Clesson	2 00
McDonald, Ada	2 00
McAuliffe, John R.	2 00
McAuliffe, Robert	2 00
McCormick, Edward J.	2 00
McCormick, James N.	2 00
McCormick, Owen N.	2 00
Newell, Herbert K.	5 00
Newell, Herbert K.	5 00
Nickerson, Thelma	2 00
Oski, Esther	5 00
O'Neal, Lena H.	2 00
O'Neal, Lena H.	2 00
O'Connor, Florence	2 00
O'Connell, Gloria	2 00
Pelto, Allen	2 00
Pelto, Allen	5 00
Pelis, Joseph C.	2 00
Packard, Stephen O.	5 00
Paduchak, Mary	2 00
Pelech, Bernard	2 00
Parenchuck, Stephen	2 00
Parenchuck, Stephen	5 00
Pawelczyk, Anthony	2 00
Patterson, Viola A.	2 00
Pelis, John A.	2 00
Pelis, John A.	2 00
Pritz, Mary	2 00
Pritz, Mary	5 00
Provost, Alice	2 00
Perham, Annie	2 00
Perham, Annie	2 00

Perham, Annie	2 00
Rouillard, Carl	2 00
Royce, Dexter	2 00
Royce, Mary	2 00
Royce, John	2 00
Rubeor, George	2 00
Reid, James	2 00
Roberts, Elizabeth M.	5 00
Roberts, Elizabeth V.	2 00
Rash, James	2 00
Rash, Lilla	2 00
Rash, Lilla	2 00
Rouillard, Arthur	2 00
Rice, Raymond	2 00
Stetson, Wendell	2 00
Sikoski, John	2 00
Shatney, Clarence	2 00
Shatney, Clarence	2 00
Stanclift, Edna	5 00
Stearns, Sidney W.	2 00
Stearns, Clifford D.	12 00
Santaw, Raymond	2 00
Streeter, Mrs. Howard I.	2 00
Stephens, George Jr.	2 00
Sprague, Floyd G.	2 00
Stanclift, Walter	2 00
Schorling, Gretchen A.	2 00
Smith, Doris B.	2 00
Stanclift, Elwin	2 00
Schlattner, Martin	2 00
Stoddard, Edward	2 00
Snow, Rae	2 00
Spring, Mrs. Eleanor	2 00
Smith, Ralph	2 00
Stewart, Percy C.	2 00
Thomas, Leon C.	2 00
Thomas, Leon C.	2 00
Thereault, Victory	2 00
Tuovinen, Abel	2 00

Taylor, Maud	12 00
Thomson, Skipper & Harry	2 00
Tuttle, Harold	2 00
Tkaczyk, Russell	2 00
Varney, George	2 00
Varno, Marion	2 00
Waters, Leonard	2 00
Whitney, Hazel	2 00
Whitney, Guy	2 00
Welch, D. P.	2 00
Welch, D. P.	2 00
Waterman, Maurice	2 00
Waterbury, Walter	5 00
Wilson, Edward	5 00
Waite, Ronald	2 00
Waterman, Chester	2 00
Welch, Marion	2 00
Welch, Calvin	2 00
Wallace, Dorothy E.	2 00
Walker, Frank W.	2 00
Zywna, John	5 00
Zaiko, Mary	2 00

DOGS LICENSED FOR 1947

196 males @ \$2.00 each	\$392 00
16 females @ \$5.00 each	80 00
4 kennels @ \$12.00 each	48 00
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	\$520 00
Less fees	43 20
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Paid town treasurer	\$476 80

Audited January 19, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,
CHESTER C. LEES,
Town Auditors.

REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF HINSDALE

Year Ending December 31, 1947

Motor Vehicle Violations:

- Case No. 441 Costs paid.
- Case No. 444 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 448 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 453 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 454 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 455 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 456 Fine and costs paid.

Drunks:

- Case No. 442 Costs time allowed.
- Case No. 445 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 447 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 449 Committed to Westmoreland.
- Case No. 451 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 457 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 459 Fine and costs paid.

Assault:

- Case No. 446 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 450 Committed to Westmoreland.
- Case No. 458 Fine and costs paid.
- Case No. 460 Fine and costs paid.

Unlawful Destruction:

- Case No. 461 Fine and costs paid.

Fugitive From Justice:

- Case No. 443 Returned party to State of Massachusetts.

Civil Cases—Writs, Attachments, Repossession of Property, etc.:

- Case No. 462 Verdict in favor of respondent.
- Case No. 463 Verdict in favor of plaintiff.
- Case No. 464 Bound over to Superior Court.
- Case No. 465 Verdict in favor of plaintiff.

Paid to Motor Vehicle Dep't. Concord N. H.:

Case No. 444	\$9 81	
Case No. 448	4 50	
Case No. 453	9 00	
Case No. 454	9 00	
Case No. 455	9 00	
Case No. 456	9 00	\$50 31

Paid Town of Hinsdale Treasurer:

	Costs	Fine	
Case No. 444	\$1 50	\$1 09	
Case No. 445	1 50	10 00	
Case No. 446	1 50	10 00	
Case No. 447	1 50	5 00	
Case. No. 448	1 50	50	
Case No. 451	1 50	10 00	
Case No. 453	1 50	1 00	
Case No. 454	1 50	1 00	
Case No. 455	1 50	1 00	
Case No. 456	1 50	1 00	
Case No. 457	1 50	10 00	
Case No. 458	1 50	25 00	
Case No. 459	1 50	10 00	
Case No. 460	1 50	25 00	
Case No. 461	1 50	10 00	
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	\$22 50	\$120 59	143 09
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			\$193 40

Respectfully submitted,

JESSE W. FIELD, Justice.

HAROLD R. WEEKS, Associate Justice.

Audited Jan. 15, 1948.

CHESTER C. LEES,
 MARION P. WELCH,
 Town Auditors.

HINSDALE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING ASSOCIATION Nursing Report for 1947

I hereby submit my 5th annual report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1947.

Prenatal	15
Deliveries	5
Postpartum	42
Newborn	59
Non-communicable	438
Communicable	48

Health supervision:

Infants	60
Pre-school	52
Tuberculosis	12
Adult welfare	24
School	350

The annual physical examination of school children was started soon after the reopening of school in the fall by Dr. Edmond Lachaine, school physician, assisted by the school nurse. Dental caries remain the outstanding defect, parents are urged to have these defects corrected as teeth play a major role in improving the general health of the child.

During the month of March there was an epidemic of chicken pox in the three lower grades of the Bridge Street School.

The nursing service has been comparatively quiet this past year.

I have attended the following meetings: N. H. State Nursing meeting, Concord, N. H., March 12; Sectional Public Health Nurses meeting, April 18, in Winchester, N. H., and October 9th in Keene, N. H.

School Health Work Shop at Keene Teachers College from Aug. 5-8 inclusive.

Nurses Section, State Teachers Convention, Manchester, N. H., Oct. 16.

Superintendents of School and School Nurses meeting
at Keene, N. H., Dec. 3.

At this time I wish to thank the members of the local
Nursing Committee, Physicians, Teachers and the community
as a whole for their cooperation and assistance given me in
promoting the work of this nursing service during the six years
I have been with this association.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES (SIKOSKI) INGRAHAM, R. N.

HINSDALE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING ASSOCIATION

Katherine Hammond, Treasurer
Report for Year Ending Dec. 31, 1947

Receipts

Jan. 1, 1947, balance on hand	\$3 69
Received from town for nurse's salary	1,800 00
Received from town, extra money	175 00
Received from nursing service	378 10
Total	<u>\$2,356 79</u>

Expenditures

F. M. Sikoski, salary	\$1,800 00
Dorothy Brandl, substitute	150 00
Rent	90 00
Telephone	18 42
Lights	6 62
Auto expenses	238 06
Supplies	29 62
Total	<u>\$2,332 72</u>

Total receipts	\$2,356 79
Total expenditures	<u>2,332 72</u>
Balance on hand	\$24 07
Jan 1, 1948.	

Audited Jan. 27, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,
CHESTER C. LEES,
Town Auditors.

LIBRARY REPORT

Hours open per week	21
Total circulation	20,683
Adult fiction	10,732
Adult non-fiction	1,895
Juvenile fiction	3,394
Juvenile non-fiction	2,346
Magazines	2,316
Average daily	76
Percent of fiction	67

There is a slight increase in circulation this year, as well as a lowering in the percent of fiction read. This, no doubt, is caused, to some extent, by the increased use of the library by the schools. By opening at 2:30 on Thursday afternoon, the first bus load of children from the Grade School are able to borrow books for themselves and members of their families. The High School students are allowed to come into the library at 2:45 to obtain their books and return to the school before closing time.

Each year the library is used more by the schools and the children of today read better and more mature books than those of the same age read twenty or more years ago.

We have more adult readers each year but, with a few exceptions, they borrow fewer books. The reading room is used primarily by students at present. We hope to purchase more of the reference books which have been out of print during the war years. These books are very expensive and not all can be purchased in one year, but with the rental funds to take care of light fiction we hope to obtain some of those most in demand.

We were deeply saddened by the untimely death of Mr. Ernest Adams. He had served faithfully on the board of trustees for fifteen years, giving of his time and helpful advice whenever called upon to do so. Mr. Reginald Gove was appointed to complete his term.

LUELLE C. STREETER,
Librarian.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE FOR 1947

	Keene Bank	Petty Cash	Amidon Trust Fund	Stearns-Bowker-Jones Fund	Town Approp.	Int. & Defence Bond
Amount on hand						
Jan. 1, 1947	\$5 19	\$40 00	\$51 50	\$27 04	\$406 60	\$125 08
Received during 1947		241 00	237 75	30 11	2,000 00	2 50
Totals	\$5 19	\$281 00	\$289 25	\$57 15	\$2,406 60	\$127 58
Expenditures, 1947		274 00	288 10	52 74	2,136 87	
Balance on hand						
Jan. 1, 1948	\$5 19	\$7 00	\$1 15	\$4,41	\$269 73	\$127 58

Expenditures during the year are itemized as follows:

	Town Appro.	Amidon Fund	Stearns- Bowker- Jones Fund
Librarian's salary	\$1,300 00		
Baker's News Shop	524 10		
R. H. Huntting Co.	228 27	\$239 25	
J. S. Wesby & Sons	25 42		\$52 74
Colton Ins. Agency	56 00		
Moore Cottrell Co.		48 85	
Bank service charges	3 08		

\$2,136 87	\$288 10	\$52 74
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REGINALD G. GOVE,

Treasurer.

Audited Jan. 17, 1948.

MARION P. WELCH,

CHESTER C. LEES,

Town Auditors.

PLAYGROUND REPORT

The use of our new children's pool added a great attraction to the playground this year. The pool was constructed last year, but was not used until this year because the water was not connected until after the swimming season was over. The pool was inspected by the Director of Sanitary Engineering of the state of N. H. and found to be satisfactory in every respect.

A supervised daily program was carried on for nine weeks during the summer by Mrs. Rosetta Lowe. Arts and Crafts, all types of outdoor games, and swimming twice during the day were scheduled. The children would meet at the High School in the morning and march to the playground in "The Rope Brigade" along with their supervisor. Many children would bring their lunch and stay all day. At the close of the day they marched back to the school and then dismissed to go to their respective homes. An attendance record was kept, 1,566 children attended during the A. M., and 2,224 in the P. M. dur-

ing the nine weeks supervised period. At the close of the summer the children were given a party by the playground.

Our new toilets were put in this year which added a great deal to the sanitary conditions at the playground. Repairs were made to the field house roof and underpinning this summer.

Labor Day Festival was a success even if the weather man gave us a cool day. We showed a profit of \$358.45 which is deposited in the bank along with \$46.00 that was received for the use of the playground. This money will be used next season for new equipment.

Financial conditions did not allow us to carry on a supervised winter program. We hope that in years to come such a program may be carried out.

We invite all you people to come up and bring your lunch, use the picnic tables and fireplace, relax and enjoy yourselves. You will find plenty of recreation at the playground. We are very proud to have such a wonderful playground; developments and improvements are being made each year. We also wish to thank all of you for helping us to make our playground a success.

Playground Committee,
ROLAND H. O'NEAL,
ORSON G. SMITH,
HAROLD C. HOLLAND,
ROBERT F. MARSHALL,
ROBERT A. BRANDL.

Feb. 2, 1948.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL BOARD
OF
Hinsdale School District
FOR
FISCAL YEAR
JULY 1, 1946 — JUNE 30, 1947

**OFFICERS, TEACHERS AND EMPLOYEES
OF HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT**

RAYMOND C. HILDRETH, Moderator
HAZEL NEES, Clerk
JESSE W. FIELD, Treasurer
MARION P. WELCH, Auditor
CHESTER C. LEES, Auditor

School Board

ROLAND H O'NEAL	Term expires 1948
MRS. ROGER STREETER	Term expires 1949
PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN, Chairman	Term expires 1950

Superintendent of Schools

CHESTER C. LEES

Teachers

Hinsdale High School:

Leon D. Doyer, Headmaster, (Mechanic Arts)
Doris B. Smith (Mrs.) Sub-master, (Social Science and English)
Angelo V. Montrone (Mechanic Arts, Mathematics and Science)
Anthony A. Abruzzese (Science and Mathematics)
Chester E. Minkler (Music)
Gertrude B. Stearns (Mrs.) (English, French and Latin)
Ann Kenneally (Commerce)
J. Jeannette Steele (Home Economics and Social Science)
Mary Coll (Grade 6)

Bridge Street School:

Ismay Campbell (Mrs.), (Grade 5)
Rosetta B. Lowe (Mrs.), (Grade 4)
Mabel E. Temple, Principal, (Grade 3)
Margaret Coll, (Grade 2)
Gladys Lees (Mrs.), (Grade 1)
Mary D. Kerylow (Mrs.), (Grades 1-2)

Truant Officer

WILLIAM KILHART

Janitor

WILLIAM KILHART

Transporters

DEXTER ROYCE

ROBERT BRANDL

School Nurse

FRANCES SIKOSKI INGRAHAM (To Jan. 1, 1948)

BERTHA CURRIER (From Jan. 1, 1948)

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**SCHOOL WARRANT**

To the inhabitants of the School District in the town of Hinsdale qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the ninth day of March 1948, 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 Officers 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 make any alterations in the report of the School Board recommending the amount of money required for the support of schools and payments of statutory obligations.
8. To see if the district will elect to approve of the inclusion of its officers and employees (other than those eligible under the Teachers' Retirement System) in the Employees' Retirement System of the State of New Hampshire, which system is provided for by Chapter 27-A of the Revised Laws, as inserted by Chapter 183 of the Laws of 1945, and as provided by Chapter 201 of the Laws of 1945 and subsequent amendments thereto.
9. If the district votes in the affirmative on the preceding article, to see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and seventy dollars (\$170.00) for the purpose of providing funds for the district's contribution to said retirement system for the coming year.

10. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to sell the Plains School.

11. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) for fire-proofing the boiler rooms at the Bridge Street School and the High School as recommended by the state inspector.

12. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate funds to the limit allowed by state law to be held in reserve for the construction of a new school building.

Given under our hands at said Hinsdale, this nineteenth day of January, 1948

PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN,
MARGARET G. STREETER,
ROLAND H. O'NEAL,
School Board.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN,
MARGARET G. STREETER,
ROLAND H. O'NEAL,
School Board.

HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Budget for 1948-1949

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1948.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Support of Schools:

	High	Elementary	Total
Teachers' salaries	\$17,000 00	\$19,000 00	\$36,000 00
Text books	350 00	650 00	1,000 00
Scholars' supplies	1,200 00	1,300 00	2,500 00
Other expenses of instruction	180 00	35 00	215 00
Janitors' salaries	1,100 00	1,100 00	2,200 00
Fuel	900 00	800 00	1,700 00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	650 00	650 00	1,300 00
Repairs and replacements	500 00	500 00	1,000 00
Health supervision	75 00	125 00	200 00
Transportation of pupils	2,000 00	3,000 00	5,000 00
Other special activities	400 00	100 00	500 00
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Totals	\$24,355 00	\$27,260 00	\$51,615 00

Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of district officers (fixed by district)	\$600 00
Superintendent's salary (fixed by supervisory union)	900 00
Per capita tax (reported by state treasurer)	726 00
Insurance	1,500 00
Teachers' retirement fund (reported by state teachers' retirement board)	1,650 00
New equipment	1,000 00

Expenses of administration	1,200 00
Total	<u>7,576 00</u>
Total amount required to meet school board's budget	\$59,191 00
Estimated income of district:	
State aid	\$9,220 00
George-Deen fund	750 00
Total	<u>9,970 00</u>
Total assessment required to balance school board's budget	\$49,221 00

PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN,
MARGARET G. STREETER,
ROLAND H. O'NEAL,
School Board.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

REVENUE

Federal Aid:

(a) George-Deen fund \$884 82

Local Taxation:

(a) Support of schools, tuition, salaries,
debt and interest and other
statutory obligations \$39,268 00

(b) Special appropriation 3,600 00

(c) Advance from 1947-1948 appro-
priation 1,132 00

Total	<u>\$44,000 00</u>
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From Sources Other Than Taxation:

(a) Secondary school tuitions	\$123 79	
(b) Sale of property	1,500 00	
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Total		1,623 79
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Total receipts from all sources		\$46,508 61
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1946		92 43
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Grand total		\$46,601 04

PAYMENTS**Administration:**

	Total Amount	General Expenses	Support of High School	Support of Elementary School
Salaries of district officers	\$560 00	\$560 00		
Superintendent's salary	750 00	750 00		
Tax for state-wide supervision	656 00	656 00		
Expenses of admin- istration:				
(a) Clerical assistants	450 00	450 00		
(b) Supplies and expenses	548 80	548 80		

Instruction:

Principals' and teachers' salaries	28,745 32		\$13,928 47	\$14,816 85
Text books	586 19		149 11	437 08
Scholars' supplies	1,861 99		1,047 14	814 85

Other expenses of
instruction :(a) Supplies (&
flags), other
expenses

199 25

159 31

39 94

**Operation of School
Plant:**

Janitors' salaries 1,851 00

925 47

925 53

Fuel 1,315 12

790 64

524 48

Water, light, janitors'
supplies 863 33

469 78

393 55

Repairs and replace-
ments 1,225 88

910 50

315 38

**Auxiliary Activi-
ties:**

Health supervision :

(a) Salaries 150 00

50 00

100 00

Transportation :

(a) Contract
services 3,673 30

918 18

2,755 12

Other special activi-
ties 466 17

462 53

3 64

Fixed Charges:

Insurance 554 91 554 91

State retirement
and other 575 54 575 54**Capital Outlay:**Lands and new
buildings 229 00 229 00

New equipment 582 00 582 00

**Debt, Interest and
Other Charges:**

Payment of bills from previous year	400 00	400 00		
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Total payments for all purposes	\$46,243 80	\$5,306 25	\$19,811 13	\$21,126 42
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1947)	357 24			
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Grand total	\$46,601 04			

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Hinsdale, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHESTER C. LEES,
MARION P. WELCH,
Auditors.

July 28, 1947.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER
Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1947**

Cash on hand, June 30, 1946	\$92 43
Received from selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year	\$42,868 00
Advance from 1947-1948 appro- priation	1,132 00
Received from state treasurer:	
George-Deen fund	884 82

Received from all other sources	1,623 79
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	46,508 61
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Total amount available for fiscal year	\$46,601 04
Less school board orders paid	46,243 80
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1947	\$357 24

JESSE W. FIELD,
District Treasurer.

July 28, 1947.

AUDITORS' 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 Hinsdale, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correct in all respects.

CHESTER C. LEES,
MARION P. WELCH,
Auditors.

July 28, 1947.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my first annual report as headmaster of the high school.

Several changes occurred in our faculty due to the resignations of Mrs. Isabel Belluscio, Miss Pauleta Hinchey, Miss Margaret Newman, and Mr. Carl Richmond; and the advancement of Mr. Chester C. Lees from headmaster to the superintendency of the school union.

The position held by Miss Newman who is now in Framingham, Massachusetts, has been filled by Miss J. Jeannette Steele. Miss Ann Kenneally replaced Miss Hinchey who is

teaching at Weylister Jr. College, Milford, Connecticut. Mr. Chester Minkler is now the music supervisor in place of Mr. Richmond who has a similar position in Watertown, Connecticut. Mr. Angelo Montrone and Mr. Anthony Abruzzese are teaching subjects previously taught by Mr. Lees, Mrs. Belluscio and myself. Mrs. Gertrude Stearns has been granted a leave of absence, effective January 23, 1948. Mrs. Stearns is to secure her master's degree at the University of Nebraska, and will finish writing a textbook on the teaching of English in small high schools. Mrs. Stearns will be replaced by Mrs. H. E. Russell of Keene, New Hampshire.

The border league sports are continuing with sustained interest and competition. Last spring the softball team placed second in the league, and the baseball season ended with our school tied for second place with Winchester. The volleyball team this fall finished in second place and the football team took border league honors. The need for paid impartial officials became apparent this fall when it became necessary for one of the border league football games to be cancelled because of unsportmanlike attitude of out-of-school youths. This condition probably developed because of conflicting decisions of officiating school coaches. We are hoping this situation is only temporary, and efforts are being made to alleviate this condition. Due to the lack of facilities for basketball, the boys played only a few basketball games. Interest is very high in this sport and efforts should be concentrated to secure a court in our town.

Special efforts are also being made to arouse enthusiasm to increase student attendance to school sport contests. Cheer leaders and the school band parading and playing contributed greatly to student participation in our extra curricular activities.

New and used war assets supplies and equipment are being secured for immediate and future use in our school. The supplies and equipment are procured mostly by donations. The only cost of these items is to defray transportation charges.

The Junior and Senior dances were held in the town hall. The Christmas concert was presented and plans are in progress

for the spring concert. The band and chorus will be represented at the New England Music Festival, Hampton Beach, New Hampshire, New Hampshire All State Festival, Berlin, New Hampshire, and The New Hampshire State Music Festival at Plymouth, New Hampshire.

The Senior class will present a three-act play entitled "The Man Who Came to Dinner." Mrs. Gertrude Stearns is coaching the play. The Freshmen and Juniors are going to present three one-act plays in April. Mrs. Doris Smith and Miss Kenneally will coach the three plays. The Freshman social was held in the town hall. This party was open to students only. Similar class parties will be encouraged. The eighth grade is sponsoring a class social next month.

The Seniors are going on a class trip during the April vacation. The students will leave on Saturday morning and arrive in New York City at noon. During the afternoon they will visit the Statue of Liberty. At night they will attend a play. Sunday morning students will attend one of New York City's famous churches, Sunday afternoon these students will visit the R.C.A. building and at night will view the city from the Observation Tower. The following morning they will depart via buses for Washington. Special buses will take the students to visit the Capital building, the House and Senate chamber, Statuary Hall, Library of Congress, Arlington National Cemetery, and continue to Tidal Basin, Potomac Park, and will stop at beautiful Jefferson Memorial. A morning tour into Virginia will bring them into old Alexandria, to Mount Vernon, and the National Airport. Another stop will be at the magnificent Lincoln Memorial and to the Washington Monument. A visit will also be made at the Federal Bureau of Investigation and to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. Students will go to the White House and see the famous East Room, State Dining room, and the Red and Blue rooms. The Smithsonian Museum and the Mellon Art Institute will also be visited. The trip will last six days.

Pupils were given a physical examination by Dr. Edmond Lachaine and Frances Sikoski.

Mr. William Kilhart, our school custodian, is to be commended for the efficient maintenance of our school buildings.

Parents and interested citizens are invited to visit our school at any time.

Graduates of the class of 1947 are as follows:

Edward Charles Boroski	Charles Roy Jr.
Elizabeth Gertrude Chamberlin	Viola Antoinett Sikoski
Florence Ada Derry	Mary Elizabeth Smith
Waldon Albert Haskell	Doris May Stanclift
Merle Louise Marshall	Harold Kenneth Stephens Jr.
William Edward Miner	Gordon Walker
Paul Mannis Pelkey	Elizabeth Jean Weeks
Doris Elizabeth Worden	

Our school is a servant to our boys and girls, and we realize what a responsibility is ours providing the training and service to our students. The success of our school program is dependent on the active participation, stimulation, cooperation and interest of our students, parents, school board and superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

LEON D. DOYER,

Headmaster.

January 20, 1948.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Hinsdale:

I have the honor to submit my first annual report.

Teachers: The opening of schools in September saw a 75% turnover in the faculty of Hinsdale High School, there being six changes in the eight positions. Mr. Leon D. Doyer was elected to the Headmastership of the school, filling the vacancy created by the resignation of Chester C. Lees who accepted the Superintendency of Union No. 25. Miss Ann F. Kenneally, a graduate of Boston University, is the new Commercial Teacher taking the place of Miss Pauleta Hinchey, who left to accept a position in Weylister Junior College, Milford,

Connecticut. Miss J. Jeannette Steele was elected to the Home Economics position replacing Miss Margaret Newman who is now teaching in Framingham, Massachusetts. Miss Steele is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire. Mr. Anthony A. Abruzzese, a graduate of Boston College, was elected as teacher of Science and Mathematics to fill the position caused by the resignation of Mrs. Isabel Belluscio, who is now teaching at Keene Teachers College. Mr. Chester E. Minkler, our new Music Supervisor, replaced Mr. Carl Richmond who accepted a position in Watertown, Connecticut. Mr. Minkler is a graduate of Boston University. The position in the school shop, partially vacated by the promotion of Mr. Doyer, was filled by the election of Mr. Angelo V. Montrone, a graduate of Keene Teachers College. Besides teaching shop, Mr. Montrone also teaches Mathematics and Science.

One additional member was added to the faculty of the Bridge Street School. Mrs. Mary D. Kerylow was elected to alleviate the situation caused by large enrollments in grades one and two. By teaching part of the first grade, and part of the second grade, Mrs. Kerylow has relieved the first and second grade teachers so that they may now give more individual attention to the pupils in their classes.

Buildings and Grounds: The usual summer repairs and painting in both schools were done during the vacation period. The fire escape at the rear of the Bridge Street School has been reinforced and strengthened as a safety precaution. Old tile in a blocked drain at the high school building was dug up and replaced to prevent surface water from running into the school shop. An immediate improvement was the result.

A partition was built in the first grade room dividing it roughly in a two to one ratio. The new smaller room is used by Mrs. Kerylow for her class of first and second graders. The arrangement is not ideal, but is the best that could be done with the accommodations which are available to us.

The School Board is to be commended for keeping the Hinsdale School Buildings in as good physical condition as is humanly possible, and Mr. Kilhart keeps up their maintenance efficiently.

The townspeople of Hinsdale should continue to give considerable thought about the possibility of constructing a new grade school building. Our present facilities are entirely inadequate and will become increasingly more so as the enrollments continue to grow.

Instructional Activities: There has been, perhaps, less emphasis placed upon the tool subjects in our schools during the past fifteen or twenty years than there should have been. The curricula has expanded to an extent not known in a former generation. Progressive education has been in the forefront, and too often this has been at the expense of the fundamental tool subjects. However, the pendulum has at last begun to swing back and renewed attention is being given to the fundamentals.

Arithmetic tests have been given to all pupils in Union No. 25 in grades 3-8, to ascertain how we compare with other sections of the country. Some results were good, others not so gratifying. At least the pupils and teachers are arithmetic conscious and an immediate improvement should be the result.

Spelling, reading, and handwriting will be attacked in much the same way. It is highly essential that our pupils go forth from our schools able to figure, spell, read, and write respectably and effectively.

Health: In his address to the teachers of New Hampshire at the annual convention at Manchester, Superintendent of Schools Alexander Stoddard of Philadelphia reiterated over and over again the importance of a health program. In Hinsdale we have a rudimentary program which works satisfactorily as far as it goes. It is impossible to do much with physical education in our present school plant. When our present buildings are replaced by more modern structures, provision should be made for a full fledged physical education program.

In Hinsdale the annual physical examination of every pupil in the school system is carried on each fall by the school physician. Follow-up work throughout the year is done by the school nurse. More thorough inspection in most school systems is recommended by the health division of the State Department of Education.

A recommended purchase would be an individual audiometer with which to test the hearing of the children. The old watch test, or even the more improved group audiometer test, are not as reliable as the individual audiometer. It might be possible to buy one instrument for Union No. 25 and have all four towns contribute to the expense.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to the teachers, pupils, and parents, to the School Board, and to the patrons of our schools for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
CHESTER C. LEES,
 Superintendent of Schools.

January, 19, 1947,
 Hinsdale, New Hampshire.

TABLE OF SALARIES

1946-1947

Chester C. Lees	\$3,250 00
Doris B. Smith	2,150 00
Leon D. Doyer	2,550 00
Carl Richmond	2,550 00
Isabel Belluscio	2,100 00
Gertrude Stearns	2,100 00
Pauleta Hinchey	2,250 00
Margaret Newman	2,350 00
Mary Coll	1,550 00
Ismay Campbell	1,550 00
Rosetta B. Lowe	1,550 00
Mabel E. Temple	1,650 00
Margaret Coll	1,550 00
Gladys Lees	1,550 00

The salaries indicated are the contract figures before deductions of any kind were made.

Substitute teachers paid at rate of \$6.00 per day.

ENROLLMENT TABLE

January 1, 1947

School:	Grade												Total	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
Bridge Street	43	40	34	29	31									177
Hinsdale High						30	35	18	32	17	21	21		174
Grand total														351

ROLL OF HONOR
(Perfect Attendance)

HINSDALE HIGH SCHOOL

Doris Stanclift	Grade 12
Doris Worden	Grade 12
Helen Bokum	Grade 10
Donald Reid	Grade 9
James Hayes	Grade 8
Corrine Rouillard	Grade 8
John Field	Grade 7
Janet McAuliffe	Grade 7
Audrey Bevis	Grade 6
Irene Bokum	Grade 6
Loretta Brooks	Grade 6
Edna Gratton	Grade 6
Richard Jarvis	Grade 6

BRIDGE STREET SCHOOL

Mary Buraczynski	Grade 4
Anne Bordner	Grade 3
Norma Emmons	Grade 3
Ruth Gratton	Grade 3
Evelyn Bordner	Grade 1
Walter Richardson	Grade 1

STATISTICAL TABLE OF HINSDALE SCHOOLS
1946-1947

School	Enrollment	Average Attendance	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	Tardiness	Visits by Citizens	Not absent or tardy
High: Grades 9-12	89	77.41	81.08	95.47	135	0	4
Grades 7-8	58	52.73	54.85	96.13	74	0	4
Grade 6	37	33.87	35.06	96.61	17	0	5
Bridge St., Grade 5	30	26.19	27.38	95.65	80	7	0
Grade 4	38	33.10	34.70	95.38	10	25	1
Grade 3	32	28.61	29.79	96.03	4	9	3
Grade 2	37	31.36	33.47	93.70	9	8	0
Grade 1	44	38.81	41.11	94.41	10	33	2
Totals	365	322.08	337.44	95.45	339	82	19

**REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PHYSICIAN
1947**

Defects Found:	Total
Nutrition	3
Vision	20
Hearing	6
Nervous system	1
Heart	6
Orthopedic	2
Posture	1
Teeth, temporary	58
Teeth, permanent	30
Tonsils	31
Rapid pulse	18
Totals	<hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> 176

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HINSDALE ON DECEMBER, 31, 1947

Date of Creation	Name of Cemetery Trust Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Dec. 16, 1920	Frederick A. Adams	U. S. Bond	\$100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 4, 1929	Oliver Adams	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	\$2.14	5.00	6.00	\$1.14
Dec. 11, 1916	William B. Adams	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	10.31	7.50	10.00	7.81
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Mechanics Savings Bank	2,500.00	2½		63.28	63.28	
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Manchester Savings Bank	2,269.50*					
Apr. 5, 1916	Mary A. Arnold	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2	2.93	2.01	4.50	.44
Mar. 16, 1913	Lucretia Atwood	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 24, 1943	Atwood & Butler	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	2.00	5.00	5.00	2.00
Apr. 22, 1935	Bailey & Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
July 1, 1916	Emma F. Barrett	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	9.97	7.50	8.00	9.47
Nov. 17, 1937	Katherine J. Barrett	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	9.85	5.00	8.00	6.85
Sept. 6, 1908	Martha A. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
July 20, 1943	Walter H. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	.25	2.50	2.75	
Feb. 4, 1919	Wm. B. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 3, 1921	Agelia M. Barrows	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	79.44	7.50	2.50	86.94
Sept. 25, 1945	Edgar Bartlett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
July 8, 1946	John Beniek	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Mar. 26, 1934	Barrows & Bolton	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2		2.01	2.01	
May 24, 1906	Edward Blanchard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Aug. 16, 1945	Day & Boldt	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	1.00	5.00	4.00	2.00
Nov. 12, 1921	Bowker & Stratton	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	3.67	7.50	8.50	2.67
July 1, 1927	Delia H. Boyden	U. S. Bond	500.00	2½	6.75	12.50	13.00	6.25
Feb. 1, 1929	Bradford Britton	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Aug. 8, 1928	Fred A. Buckley	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 11, 1916	J. H. Burns	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 9, 1924	Eva Burnham	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.51	2.51	
Jan. 10, 1936	Foster Butler	U. S. Bond	600.00	2½	26.03	2.50	2.50	24.04
Jan. 19, 1936	Butler & Blanchard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 9, 1932	A. W. Cady	Manchester Savings Bank	190.00	2½	8.33	4.78	6.00	7.11

*The Annie E. Amidon Cemetery Fund has now accumulated to \$2,269.50. This fund was originally \$2,500.00 and deposited in the Merrimack River Savings Bank, which defaulted in 1930. It finally paid off 72%, or \$1,845.00. On recommendation of the State Tax Commission in 1940, no interest is being used on this account, until it accumulates to its original amount of \$2,500.00.

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Date of Creation	Name of Cemetery Trust Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
May 10, 1937	Carey & Howe	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	8.66	5.00	7.00	6.66
July 16, 1916	Sophira A. Clark	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2		2.01	2.01	
July 29, 1929	Abbie S. Cook	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 1, 1947	Elmer Coons	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½				
Dec. 30, 1940	Charles Cooper	U. S. Bond	150.00	2½	.74	3.75	4.49	
Apr. 8, 1946	Edgar Currier	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 15, 1947	Frank L. Cutler	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½				
Aug. 8, 1945	Horace & Harriet Darling	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
May 19, 1923	Louie Davenport	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 15, 1936	Sylvester Davenport	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	4.18	5.00	5.00	
Nov. 9, 1945	Amasa A. Davis	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	2½	1.25	2.50	2.50	4.18
Feb. 7, 1946	Charles Dickerman	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	5.98	5.00	6.00	4.98
Aug. 29, 1923	William Dickinson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 30, 1921	Addie E. Dix	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	.75	2.50	3.00	.25
Mar. 1, 1945	Miles Doolittle	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Nov. 1, 1911	Eliza N. Dunham	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	7.28	6.25	7.00	6.53
Jan. 22, 1941	Ira Leroy Dunham	U. S. Bond	250.00	2½	1.59	3.75	5.34	
Sept. 20, 1923	Elmore & Cooper	U. S. Bond	150.00	2½				
Mar. 27, 1926	Frank Elliott	U. S. Bond	200.00	2	16.30	4.02	8.17	12.15
Dec. 29, 1943	Sanford A. Emerson	Walpole Savings Bank	200.00	2½	3.50	5.00	5.00	3.50
Aug. 22, 1930	Delia D. Estey	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
July 27, 1914	George E. Estey	U. S. Bond	450.00	2½		11.25	11.00	16.92
Oct. 25, 1919	Lemuel A. Fales	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Sept. 4, 1929	Alexander Ferguson	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	3.09	2.50	3.50	2.09
Nov. 26, 1930	E. D. Fisk	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 2, 1942	Charles A. Fletcher	Cheshire County Savings Bank	125.00	2½	12.04	3.14	3.00	15.18
Jan. 5, 1927	Lonnie A. Frazier	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	1.90	2.50	3.00	1.40
June 1, 1936	Geo. Goodwin & Frank Thomas	U. S. Bond	900.00	2½	48.00	22.50	6.50	64.00
May 27, 1931	Lorenzo Goss	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Aug. 24, 1937	Haile & Stebbins	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½		7.50	7.50	
Apr. 4, 1938	Albert L. Hall	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	1.92	2.50	3.00	1.42
Nov. 11, 1943	Clifton B. Hall	U. S. Bond	150.00	2½	2.75	3.75	3.00	3.50

Sept. 18, 1946	Warren M. Hall	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.00	.75
July 6, 1931	Doolittle Hancock	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		7.00	3.90
Mar. 10, 1944	E. A. Hardy	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.75	
June 14, 1927	Henry Higginson	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	3.85
Aug. 10, 1939	Edwin Hildreth	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
July 26, 1946	R. C. & R. S. Hildreth	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		3.09	4.00
Aug. 10, 1945	Lilla B. Hillard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
July 25, 1927	Holland & Holton	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	
Nov. 12, 1920	Jason K. Holman	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2		5.94	
Feb. 23, 1917	Holton & Nims	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2		12.50	3.12
Sept. 28, 1927	George C. Hopkins	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.77	
Aug. 10, 1922	James & Elbridge Horton	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2		4.20	
May 24, 1916	Hezekiah Horton	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		7.50	5.75
Dec. 4, 1928	F. W. Hosford	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		5.00	1.86
May 1, 1947	Clarence Howe	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		3.75	
Aug. 7, 1932	Junietta B. Howe	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		1.25	
Nov. 25, 1922	George E. Howe	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.15
Apr. 17, 1930	Cabert J. Hubbard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Aug. 6, 1926	Charles Hubbard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Oct. 9, 1920	Joseph A. Hyatt	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	3.30
Mar. 22, 1922	George H. & Sophira S. Ide	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2		2.51	
June 22, 1912	E. D. Jeffords	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2		7.50	2.50
May 28, 1923	John Jeffords	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	3.07
Apr. 25, 1935	Fred Hooker Jones	U. S. Bond and Cheshire County Savings Bank	2,128.50	2 1/2		53.23	54.88
June 10, 1914	Iulia W. Jones	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2		2.01	8.38
July 1, 1947	Wm. S. Kimball	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		1.25	
July 1, 1929	Willie King	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Sept. 4, 1929	Charles H. H. Langille	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
June 17, 1944	Phillip G. Langille	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.75
Apr. 21, 1931	Rufus Langworthy	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Jan. 25, 1929	Mary Lebert	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	7.87
Sept. 18, 1917	George W. Lewis	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2		2.51	
Jan. 14, 1931	Samuel Liscom	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	.38
May 5, 1928	Forrest S. Lowell	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
May 19, 1920	Elizabeth W. Markey	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	4.94
July 18, 1931	Anna Marsh	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Sept. 18, 1946	Francis & Blanche Mason	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		2.50	.75
July 1, 1941	Muzey & Bardwell	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	1.10
Feb. 22, 1930	Margaret C. Myers	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	
Apr. 18, 1918	Amos J. Newstead	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.19	2.95
July 7, 1927	Dennis C. Nims	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		3.75	6.50
Mar. 4, 1929	O'Neal & Stearns	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		2.50	10.33
Nov. 19, 1914	Charles Owen	Walpole Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2		3.75	5.45
Feb. 5, 1945	Edwin Pearson	U. S. Bond	600.00	2 1/2		4.02	10.20

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Mar. 25, 1943	Fred M. Perkins	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
July 16, 1929	Emma Peterson	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.84	2.50	2.50	2.84
Nov. 10, 1933	Augusta H. Pike	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2		2.01	2.01	
Aug. 6, 1923	G. H. & C. M. Pike	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	4.92	5.00	4.50	5.42
Jan. 7, 1932	Charles and Fred Polley	U. S. Bond	150.00			3.75	3.75	
Jan. 11, 1907	Emma Rice	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Mar. 8, 1919	Henry A. Richardson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	9.20	5.00	5.00	9.20
July 2, 1930	Gilbert Richmond	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	5.28	5.00	5.00	5.28
May 23, 1925	Edwin C. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	4.04	5.00	5.00	4.04
Dec. 18, 1918	George A. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	58.25	5.00	12.00	51.28
Feb. 10, 1917	Orren C. Robertson	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	27.00	12.50	12.00	27.50
Oct. 1, 1929	Winifred F. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Oct. 11, 1945	Charles Roy	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	2.50
Apr. 15, 1938	Henry A. Royce	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	9.85	5.00	5.00	9.85
Sept. 25, 1925	Sarah H. Saben	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Dec. 24, 1920	D. L. Sanderson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	8.46	5.00	6.00	7.46
June 22, 1926	Sargeant & Pifer	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	9.55	5.00	6.00	8.55
Jan. 14, 1927	Harriette A. Savage	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
May 22, 1925	John E. Scott	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	9.19	2.50	4.00	7.69
Nov. 2, 1915	Mary B. Searl	Walpole Savings Bank	200.00	2	6.94	4.02	6.00	4.96
Nov. 6, 1929	George E. Shattuck	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	5.00	
Dec. 21, 1914	Louise N. Shepard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Nov. 4, 1920	Sheridan Post No. 14, G. A. R.	Keene Savings Bank	272.72	2		5.47	5.47	
Aug. 5, 1929	George P. Slate	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	6.92	5.00	6.00	5.92
July 31, 1919	Cora A. Smith	Mechanics Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	8.32	5.06	6.00	7.38
May 1, 1944	Ervin Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	10.00	5.00	5.00	15.00
June 7, 1923	Daniel H. Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Oct. 19, 1916	Mary Hooker Smith	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2		2.51	2.51	
Dec. 11, 1933	Orson G. Smith	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2		2.01	2.01	
Oct. 27, 1926	Pardon Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
July 12, 1946	Pauline Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Apr. 30, 1929	Thomas Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	

LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Date of Creation	Name of Library Trust Fund Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	U. S. Bonds	1,000.00	2½		\$250.00	\$250.00	
Nov. 12, 1921	Harrison M. Bowker	U. S. Bond	500.00	2½		12.50	12.50	
July 12, 1916	Henry A. Jones	U. S. Bond	500.00	2½		12.50	12.50	
Apr. 30, 1910	Althea M. Stearns	Walpole Savings Bank	203.61	2		4.08	4.08	
			\$11,203.61			\$279.08	\$279.08	
Dec. 28, 1947	CAPITAL RESERVE FUND For School Building Purposes	Peterboro Savings Bank	4,250.00					
Dec. 28, 1947	For School Building Purposes	Amoskeag Savings Bank	4,250.00					
Dec. 28, 1947	For School Building Purposes	Mascoma Savings Bank	4,250.00					
Dec. 28, 1947	For School Building Purposes	Merrimack Co. Savings Bank	4,250.00					
			\$17,000.00					

STATEMENT January 1, 1948

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1, 1947
Income, Cemetery
Income Library

\$753.31
839.53
279.08

DISBURSEMENTS

R. D. Taylor, care
Orson Smith, care
Mrs. Rouillard, care
Library Committee
Flowers
Miscellaneous Expense
Balance January 1, 1948

\$743.87
27.01
2.01
279.08
83.00
5.44
731.51

\$1,871.92

\$1,871.92

CERTIFICATE

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

MAUDE E. TAYLOR,
ROBERT A. WEEKS,
RAY L. FLETCHER,
Trustees of Trust Funds.

January 1, 1948

The foregoing report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Hinsdale, audited and found correct.

MARION P. WELCH,
CHESTER C. LEES,
Town Auditors.

January 27, 1948

VITAL STATISTICS

At the request of the Selectmen, there is submitted herewith a transcript of births, marriages and deaths as recorded in the Office of the Town Clerk for the year ending December 31, 1947.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1947

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.					
*1946								
Oct. 27	Norma Jean	F	2	Arnold E. Dixon	Mary A. Walker	Machinist	Hinsdale	Swanton, Vt.
" 30	John David	M	2	Weikko V. Lindholm	Olga B. Beruk	Machinist	New Haven, Conn.	Rindge
Nov. 8	Dorothy Anne	F	1	Harris O. Higgins	Dorothy M. Smith	Gen'l. contractor	Boston, Mass.	Hinsdale
" 25	Mary Teresa	F	6	Frank J. Amarosa	Mary T. Abbondola	Plumber	Hampstead, L. I.	Chicago, Ill.
" 30	Richard Anthony	M	3	Richard Mecheski	Marg't N. Monmany	Machine operator	Williamansett, Mass.	Ashuelot
Dec. 20	Ronald Kenneth	M	1	Kenneth K. Colson	Briton Chickering	Paper maker	W. Dummerston, Vt.	Springfield, Mass.
1947								
Jan. 5	Heidi	F	3	Fred D. Kendrick, Jr.	L. Beryl Streeter	Machine tender	Brattleboro, Vt.	Hinsdale
" 6	Beverly Blanche	F	2	Edward R. Devo	Edna M. Stephens	Mason	Ashuelot	Hinsdale
" 9	Robert Lee	M	1	Walter C. Stancifft	Helena M. Emmons	Carpenter	Hinsdale	Hinsdale
" 21	Edward Channing	M	3	Carlton R. Rouillard	Bertha E. Jones	Farmer	Brattleboro, Vt.	Chelsea, Mass.
" 25	George Raymond	M	4	Delmour E. Brooks	Alice M. Rader	Carpenter	Brattleboro, Vt.	Wolfeboro
Feb. 12	Alexander Richard	M	1	Alexander E. Oski	Helen M. Urko	Organ worker	Brattleboro, Vt.	Belows Falls, Vt.
" 19	Gloria Jean	F	2	Cecil G. Butler	Lena R. Dodge	Truck driver	Brattleboro, Vt.	Hinsdale
" 3	Edwin Obed, 3rd	M	1	Ed'n O. Truesdell, Jr.	Roselyn I. Major	Mechanic	Hinsdale	Rowe, Mass.
Mar. 6	Alfred Eugene	M	2	Edwin E. Patenaude	Elizabeth M. LeClair	Paper maker	Loudon	Winchester
" 6	James Curtis	M	2	Lewis F. Ethridge	Helen Place	Foundry emp.	Hinsdale	Norway, Me.
" 15	James Bonnewell	M	7	Edward J. Phippin	Esther B. Duffus	Salesman	Grinnell, Iowa	Spirit Lake, Iowa
" 22	Mary Catherine	F	1	Edward J. M'Cormick	Eleanor M. Streeter	Engineer	Hinsdale	Hinsdale
" 29	Dixie Lee	F	2	Merritt W. Howard	Helen E. Danforth	Meat cutter	E. Rupert, Vt.	Jamaica, Vt.

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Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn					
Apr. 14	Thomas Walter	M	L	Edw'd M. Bennett, Jr	Helen M. Schlattner	Foreman	Brattleboro, Vt.	Jacksonville, Vt.
" 16	Andrea Ann	F	L	Frank J. Kolnacki	Barbara A. Bennett	Fireman	Brattleboro, Vt.	Holyoke, Mass.
" 16	Gerald Dennis	M	L	John J. Zywna	Mildred P. Pelech	Farmer	Hinsdale	Hatfield, Mass.
" 24	Jean Marie	F	L	Reginald A. Martell	Gladya L. Sprague	Navy	Kcene	West Swanzey
May 5	Brenda Joyce	F	L	Clifford E. Hastings	Clayda M. Burdo	Generator opr.	Brattleboro, Vt.	Brattleboro, Vt.
" 6	Stephen Lloyd	M	S	Leon L. Pickett	Dolly B. Reed	Machinist	Erving, Mass.	Kcene
June 2	Norma Anne	F	L	Joseph J. Principe	Geraldine M. Deyo	Painter	Brattleboro, Vt.	Hinsdale
" 30	Constance Marie	F	L	Samuel L. Branum	Frances Dubriska	Truck driver	New Haven, Conn.	Brooklyn, N. Y.
July 1	Linda Marie	F	L	Walter F. Baronoski	Margaret M. Burdo	Plumber	Moore's Forks, N. Y.	Knoxville, Tenn.
" 22	William Paul	M	L	Howard S. McDonald	Dorothy A. Fowler	Painter	Greenfield, Mass.	Winchester
" 25	Malcolm Harold	M	L	Richard S. Hildreth	Hulda L. Best	Grinder	Canada	Hinsdale
" 27	Vicki Ann	F	L	Raymond D. Santaw	Viola E. Perkins	Engineer	So. Berwick, Me.	No. Chelmsford, Mass.
" 29	Edward Ray	M	L	Dexter K. Royce	Madeline J. Eskew	Truck driver	Warsaw, Missouri	Winooski, Vt.
Aug. 4	Michele Denise	F	L	George D. Merton	Lucienne A. Bisson	Garage owner	Rumford, Me.	Hinsdale
" 18	Gloria Jean	F	L	Joseph E. Martell, Jr.	Frances T. Boroski	Grinder	Ashuelot	Mechanicsville, Ct.
" 19	Mary Margaret	F	L	George N. Rubecor	Kathleen A. Thericau	Electrician	Harmony Mills, N. S.	Swanzey
Sept. 12	Roger Frank	M	L	Albert A. Boudreau	Hazel V. Lombard	Paper maker	Kcene	Cohoes, N. Y.
" 18	Cora Marion	F	L	Nathan S. Taft	Alice L. Besaw	Roofor	Kcene	Webster, Mass.
" 19	Colleen Effie	F	L	Frank Bonnett	Dorothy E. Fredette	Maintenance man	Brattleboro, Vt.	W. Dummerston, Vt.
" 20	James Francis	M	L	Harold E. Whittle	Allene Middleton	Foundry	Atta Bena, Mississippi	Hinsdale
" 25	Mary Ann Elizabeth	F	L	Mich'l E. Jasienowski	Elizabeth G. Howe	Paper maker	Hinsdale	Exeter
Oct. 19	Michael Martin	M	S	Frank A. V'n Wormer	Carolina M. Wrobel	Stock clerk	Brattleboro, Vt.	Holyoke, Mass.
" 20	John Matthew	M	L	Paul J. Sikoski	Alma H. Paine	Picker	Abington, Conn.	Vassar, Mich.
" 23	Elizabeth Ann	F	L	Wm. M. Garland	Virginia Pinksee	Plumber's helper	Greenfield, Mass.	Hinsdale
" 21	Timothy Arthur	M	L	Thos. W. Golden	Gertrude J. Pond	Machinist	Guilford, Vt.	Dummerston, Vt.
" 21	Thos. William, Jr.	M	L		Elizabeth S. Kimball	Store clerk	Roxbury, Mass.	Hinsdale

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Jan. 18	Brattleb'o, Vt.	Joseph E. Martell, Jr.	Hinsdale	26	Moulder	West Swanzey	JOS. E. Martell Abbie Packard	Canada	1st	R P Bartlett
		Kathleen Therieau	Hinsdale	20	Housekeeper	Canada	John Therieau	Canada	1st	Brattleboro, Vt.
Feb. 20	Hinsdale	Earle L. Williams	Hinsdale	38	Core maker	Hinsdale	Gertrude Weagle Frank L. Williams	Westhamton, Ms. Hinsdale	1st	Rv H Hood
Mar. 5	Hinsdale	Hortense A. Cutler	Hinsdale	40	Dress maker	Hinsdale	Alta L. Martin Frank E. Cutler	Chesterfield	1st	Hinsdale
		Frederick Gibbs	So. Deerfield, Ms.	40	Motion picture operator	New Bedford, Ms.	Emma L. Barrett Wm. L. Gibbs	New Bedford, Ms.	2d	O G Smith, J P
Mar. 27	Hinsdale	Iona R. Carbonneau	Fitchburg, Ms.	28	Paper maker	E. Andover	Sarah A. Booker Clarence Roberts	England Enfield Center	2d	Hinsdale
		Clair F. Varno	Hinsdale	28	Foundry emp	Hinsdale	Carrie Felch Fred D. Varno	Winchendon, Ms. Plattsburg, N. Y.	1st	Rv H Hood
Mar. 29	Hinsdale	Leah M. Thomas	Hinsdale	28	Waitress	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Eva L. Brooks Harry A. Rumrill	Hinsdale Weathersfield, Vt.	2d	Hinsdale
		Conrad C. Holden	Brattleboro, Vt.	25	Shoe salesman	Brattleboro, Vt.	Lottie Kimball Chas. G. Holden	Rutland, Vt. Brattleboro, Vt.	1st	Rv H Hood
Apr. 19	Hinsdale	Beulah A. Howard	Hinsdale	20	Laboratory Tech	Hinsdale	Olga Frederickson Levi J. Howard	Brattleboro, Vt. Winhall, Vt.	1st	Hinsdale
		Addison Pond	Hinsdale	28	Magazine District	Burlington, Vt.	Ruth A. Streeter Earl L. LaSelle	Hinsdale Weston, Vt.	2d	O G Smith, J P
Apr. 29	Hinsdale	Alberta Lynch	Hinsdale	21	At home	Brattleboro, Vt.	Eunice Pond Albert Lynch	Connecticut	1st	Hinsdale
		Lawrence E. Stiles	Amherst, Ms.	53	Service sta opr	West Holly, Ms.	Helen Lawrence Charles E. Stiles	Grafton, Vt. W. Holley, Ms.	2d	Rv H Hood
May 3	Keene	Clara M. Riggott	Amherst, Ms.	45	At home	Westbrook, Me.	Bertha Peffers Carl Jensen	Connecticut Denmark	2d	Hinsdale
		Clayton L. Hastings	Hinsdale	27	Laborer	Brattleboro, Vt.	Elizabeth Julien Geo. N. Hastings	Maine Hinsdale	2d	Rv H A Cooper
		Alice T. Merrifield	Hinsdale	28	At home	Brattleboro, Vt.	Rose M. Bassett Geo. W. Bailey	New Bedford, Ct. Cavendish, Vt.	2d	Chesterfield
							Alice Sutherland	Georgetown, Ms.		

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May 3	Hinsdale	Alfred E. Durocher Helen B. Anop	Holyoke, Ms. Holyoke, Ms.	24 23	Musician At home	Holyoke, Ms. So. Hadley, Ms.	Emile P. Durocher Flora B. Dricorn	Holyoke, Ms. Holyoke, Ms.	1st 2d	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
May 15	Hinsdale	William J. Dodenhoff Gladys E. Richardson	Northfield, Ms Northfield, Ms	39 34	Mechanic Comptometer Opt.	Germany Providence, R. I.	Be ha Lewandowski Carl Dodenhoff	Poland Chicago, Ill.	2d 2d	Rv H Hood Hinsdale
June 7	Hinsdale	Robert F. Delano Phyllis I. Higgins	Hinsdale Hinsdale	28 21	Ass't mgr. Office clerk	Middleboro, Ms. Hinsdale	Geo. E. Moorhouse Mary R. Ryan	England Fairhaven, Ms.	1st 1st	Rv H Hood Hinsdale
June 11	Winc'ster, Ms	Bernard C. Stearns Helen Norris	Hinsdale Winchester, Ms.	20 20	Student Student	Hinsdale Manchester	Eda Stadler Clifford D. Stearns	Hinsdale Belchertown, Ms.	1st 1st	Rv J G Gaskill Andover, Ms.
June 20	Hinsdale	Alvah C. Couture Anita G. Kent	Brattleboro, Vt. Brattleboro, Vt.	27 23	R. R. Section Housekeeper	Lyndonville, Vt. So. Newfane, Vt.	Joseph Couture Elizabeth Fisher	Lyndonville, Vt. Lyndonville, Vt.	2d 2d	Rv H Hood Hinsdale
July 1	Hinsdale	Donald L. Martin Marjorie E. Broderick	Greenfield, Ms. Greenfield, Ms.	25 24	Printer Stitcher	Greenfield, Ms. Nashua	Grace Bellows Leo A. Martin	Wilmington, Vt. Greenfield, Ms.	1st 1st	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
July 11	Hinsdale	Stanley Maslowski Helen Westort	Easthampton, Ms. Northampton, Ms.	27 23	Gauge mkr. Assembler	E'hampton, Ms. N'hampton, Ms.	Alice Bunell Frank Broderick	Hartford, Conn. Moorea, N. Y.	2d 1st	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
July 12	Hinsdale	Walter E. Reynolds Lilla M. S. Chambers	Hinsdale Hinsdale	41 42	Chef Clerk	Rockport, Me. Hinsdale	Agnes Ozog Walter Reynolds	Poland Poland	1st 2d	Hinsdale Rv H Hood
							Edith Fitch Percy C. Stewart	E. Templet'n, Ms. Plymouth Hinsdale	2d 2d	Hinsdale Hinsdale

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July 13	Hinsdale	Harry E. Burroughs Isobel A. Holm	Hinsdale Richmond	24 21	Lumberman At home	Alstead New York, N. Y.	Robert Burroughs Imer Densmore	Alstead Gilsun	1st	Rv H Hood
July 16	Hinsdale	Michael Eskra Dorothy Allshouse	Brattleboro, Vt. Brattleboro, Vt.	37 25	Paper mill Emp Nursing	Poland Hawley, Ms.	Florence Jaffrey John Eskra Anna Medvid Bert Gould	Bristol, Eng. Poland Poland Hawley, Ms.	2d	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
Aug. 2	Hinsdale	Michael J. Winskye Pauline L. Sokoloski	Greenfield, Ms. Millers Falls, Ms.	26 19	Steel wkr. Hair dresser	Sunderland, Ms. Greenfield, Ms.	Alice Flanders Mich'l S. Winskye Anna Cladis	Lewiston, Me. Lithuania Lithuania	1st	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
Aug. 2	Hinsdale	Arthur P. Bouchie, Jr Helen A. Mulroney	Hinsdale Hinsdale	24 18	Painter Typist	Brattleboro, Vt. Hinsdale	Arthur P. Bouchie Delia Stewart	Greenfield, Ms. Hinsdale	1st	Rv G E Ledoux Hinsdale
Aug. 4	Hinsdale	Lawrence A. Denker Margaret E. Eddy	Hinsdale Hinsdale	46 36	Paper mill emp. Cook	Waterbury, Ct. Dummerston, Vt.	Francis Mulroney Catherine Znoj John Denker Anna S. Anderson Arthur Laughton	Bernardston, Ms. Manchester Sweden Sweden Dummerston, Vt.	1st	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
Aug. 23	Greenfield, Ms	Paul J. Sikoski Virginia Pinksee	Hinsdale Greenfield, Ms.	27 15	Plumber's helper At home	Hinsdale Greenfield, Ms.	Maude Stark John Sikoski Frances Gzyka Anthony Pinksee	Newort Winchester Derry	1st	Rv J R Klekotka Greenfield, Ms.
Aug. 30	Hinsdale	Francis T. O'Connor Phyllis E. Hildreth	Winchester Hinsdale	22 20	Funeral dir. Bookkeeper	Ashuelot Brattleboro, Vt.	Thos. M. O'Con'or Marg't R. Madden Ray'd C. Hildreth	Winchester Derry Brattleboro, Vt.	1st	Rv G E Ledoux Hinsdale
Aug. 30	Chesterfield	Andrew R. Cay Marion L. Stearns	Waltham, Ms. Hinsdale	22 22	Student At home	Medford, Ms. Hinsdale	Mabel C. Johnson William Cay Marion Robertson Louis N. Stearns Marion Robertson	Scotland England England Hinsdale Hinsdale	1st	Rv H Hood Hinsdale

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Sept. 13	Hinsdale	Wm. J. Duggan Harriet C. Mann	Hinsdale Boston, Ms.	57 54	Meat cutter At home	Hinsdale Boston, Mass.	Jeremiah Duggan Julia Fleming	Ireland Ireland	2d 2d	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
Sept. 19	Whitefield	John H. Kerylow Lois I. Doyle	Hinsdale Hinsdale	24 22	Foundry emp Office wkr.	Northfield, Ms. Boston, Mass.	Annie Macdonald Wm. Kerylow Katherine Poshka Frank Doyle	Austria Austria Barre, Vt. Chelsea, Vt.	1st 1st	Rv J D Burnett Whitefield
Sept. 25	Chesterfield	Norman A. Stetson Freida M. L. Amidon	Hinsdale Brattleboro, Vt.	18 18	Paper maker At home	Houlton, Me. Vernon, Vt.	Geo. J. Stetson Beatrice Philbrook Edwin Amidon	Winchester W. Chesterfield Marlboro, Vt.	1st 1st	Rv H A Cooper Chesterfield
Sept. 27	Hinsdale	Geo. M. Beckard Jeanne M. Duggan	Hinsdale Hinsdale	21 18	Laborer Paper Mill Emp	Ludlow, Ms. Hinsdale	Myrtle Akley Lewis Beckard Mara'na Gasniarek	Ind'n Orc'd, Ms. Austria Brattleboro, Vt.	1st 1st	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
Sept. 27	Hinsdale	Charles Terlikoski Sadie Jackson	Millers Falls, Ms. Amherst, Ms.	54 53	Paper Mill Emp Housework	Poland Poland	Timothy Duggan Cornelia Wright Frank Terlikoski Pauline Paulinski	Hinsdale Poland Poland Poland	2d 2d	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
Oct. 3	Hinsdale	John W. Locke Charlotte Arnell	Manhattan City, N. Y. Queens, N. Y.	33 35	Artist Artist	Marlboro, Vt. Southport, Eng.	Ronald Locke Gert'de Waldemer Edward C. Lowe Helena Fruen	Cambridge, Ms. Winchester, Ms. New Zealand London, Eng.	2d 2d	O G Smith, J P Hinsdale
Oct. 11	Keene	Richard C. Derby Norma J. Rideout	Hinsdale Hinsdale	20 18	Truck driver Typist	Keene Pittsfield	Clarence Derby Evelyn Lancey Guy E. Rideout	Fitzwilliam, Ms. Royalston, Ms. Lyman Maine	1st 1st	Rv CB Chapman Keene
Oct. 26	Brattleboro, Vt.	Kenneth S. Higgins Wilma B. Higley	Hinsdale Guilford, Vt.	24 21	Carpenter At home	Hinsdale Guilford, Vt.	Rex Higgins Eda Stadler Wm. E. Higley Bessie Davis	Hinsdale Belchertown, Ms Halifax, Vt. Dover, Vt.	1st 1st	Rv F H Miller Brattleboro, Vt.

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Nov. 1	Winchester	Donald D. Fowler	Hinsdale	23	Painter	Hinsdale	Daniel Fowler Myrtle Mulroney	SEABROOK Jamaica, Vt.	1st	K V U J Simonneau
		Stella A. Baronoski	Winchester	23	Hair dresser	Winchester	Anth'y Baronoski Mary Leminski	Poland Poland	1st	Winchester
Nov. 4	Hinsdale	Freeman E. Sargent	Hinsdale	30	Farmer	Bolton, Ms.	Lester Sargent Laura Day	Bolton, Ms. Hudson, Ms.	2d	O G Smith, J P
Nov. 8	Hinsdale	Virginia M. Peet	Brattleboro, Vt.	30	At home	Northboro, Ms.	Joseph Peet Mary McGrail	Ireland Moore's Fks, NY	1st	Hinsdale
		Raymond P. Dube	Nashua, N. H.	22	Brick layer	Nashua	Adelard Dube Ruth Bradley	Lawrence, Ms. Nashua	1st	R v G E Ledoux
		Cecilia M. LaPointe	Hinsdale	21	Nurse	N. Brookf'd, Ms.	Wm. LaPointe Eva Graton	Canada Fitchburg, Ms.	1st	Hinsdale
Nov. 27	Hinsdale	Charles J. Willette	Hinsdale	31	Carpenter	New York	Chas. Willette Viola Labombard	New York Allensburg, N Y	1st	R v M J Trigrory
		Doris C. Benjamin	Hinsdale	19	Checker Laundry	New York	Francis Benjamin Addie Ralph	New York New York	1st	Hinsdale
Nov. 27	Winchester	Melvin O. Fowler	Hinsdale	25	Organ wkr.	Hinsdale	Daniel J. Fowler Myrtle Mulroney	New York Seabrook	1st	R v E Flory
		Arlita H. Donovan	Winchester	23	Bookkeeper	Brattleboro, Vt.	Fred'k Donovan Lena M. Packard	Jamaica, Vt. Winchester	1st	Winchester
Dec. 3	Hinsdale	Harold F. Smith	Brattleboro, Vt.	37	Mason's helper	New Haven, Vt.	Fred'k R. Smith Daisy Perkins	New Haven, Vt. Middleb'y, Vt.	2d	O G Smith, J P
		Ruth M. Cram	Brattleboro, Vt.	23	Attendant	Middletown, Vt.	Thos. Traverse Leona Kenyon	Penmouth, Vt. Middletown, Vt.	2d	Hinsdale
Dec. 23	Hinsdale	Peter Bokum, Jr.	Hinsdale	27	Inspector	Hinsdale	Peter Bokum Pearl Merlonski	Poland Hungary	1st	O G Smith, J P
		Margaret Collis	Hinsdale	31	Inspector	Colrain, Ms.	Matthew Collis Kather'e Kruckile	Poland New York	1st	Hinsdale
Dec. 25	Keene	Harold J. Podmore	Hinsdale	28	Moulder	Hinsdale	Geo. Podmore Margaret Duggan	New York Poland	1st	LF Warren, J P
		Anna M. Sanstock	Hinsdale	34	Hairdresser	Lawrence, Ms.	Martin Pliska Rose Szwiec	Guilford, Vt. Poland	3d	Keene

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1947

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.			Father.	Mother.		
Mar. 3	Katherine J. Barrett	86	8	18	Northfield, Ms.	F	Ireland	Ireland	John Barrett	Honora Carroll
Apr. 5	Clarence E. Howe	50	3	13	Hinsdale	M	Hinsdale	Hinsdale	Joseph Howe	Alice D. Berry
" 18	Marguerite H. Valley	39	7	18	Winchester	F	M Richmond	Winchester	Leon E. Pickett	Clara E. Lewis
" "	Marg'et C. O'Connell	55	6	5	Hinsdale	F	Hinsdale	Hinsdale	William O'Connell	Katherine Grany
July 13	Viola A. Patterson	70	0	8	Cambridge, Ms.	F	Hinsdale	Chesterfield	Arthur L. Ide	Annette L. Allen
" 14	M. Ellen Kimball	73	0	24	Portsmouth	F	M Marlow	Windsor	Henry C. Walker	Martha F. Walker
" 14	Ernest E. Adams	54	3	25	Bennington	M	Mason	Mason	Lyman Adams	Cora M. Blanchard
Sept. 13	Wm. P. Lyman	67	0	28	Bernardston, Ms.	M	M Bavaria	Bavaria	Wm. H. Lyman	Helen M. Park
Oct. 12	Eva S. K. Howe	71	6	16	Germany	F	M Krasne, Poland	Krasne, Poland	Anton Kammer	Josefa Seifert
Dec. 16	Antionett Bawarowski	58	11	22	Krasne, Poland	F	M Krasne, Poland	Krasne, Poland	Anthony Kroczoza	

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BODIES BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.			Father.	Mother.		
1947										
Jan. 8	Phila B. Leonard	86	2	24		F				
Feb. 8	Joanna Seroka	57	11	6		F				
" 8	Edward Marshall	69	4	21		M				
Mar. 2	Infant Cadarette	82	6	22		M				
Apr. 28	George H. Delphy	79	7	22		F				
" 12	Elizabeth J. Neylon	30	4	15		F				
June 6	Helen LaChance	31	9	17		M				
Aug. 18	James Judge	31	9	17		M				
Sept. 4	Alphonse Solmoda	22	4	1		M				
Oct. 19	Michael Jasienowski	22	4	1		M				
Nov. 8	Louis C. Pollard, Jr.	65	8	8		M				
Dec. 18	Stanislaw Ciborowski					M				

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I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELEANOR S. SMITH,
Town Clerk.

FOREST FIRE PROBLEMS SECTION

The past 1947 was one of the worst periods of forest fire from the resources in modern United States history. Such as water reduced some lowered water levels and dried up brooks throughout. These conditions of deficient rainfall and abnormally high temperatures resulted in many fires which were usually well controlled and kept within bounds. Only one big wind beginning on October 23rd caused a few fires to require beyond immediate control. These few fires resulted in burning some 15,000 acres and the loss of 50 or more buildings in four New Hampshire towns.

All October fires were easily. They burned down to the ground and covered day and night patrol of large crews of men with the same kind loss to timber, trees, which resulted from serious fire being usually have been in the midst of the most serious configuration we had.

Overcast Day caused the winds effective at midnight of October 23rd. With the blow-up of October 24th. A general conflagration almost all back roads and associated areas to moderate patrol. The effect of this was to cut down subsequent work for the rest of the day patrol.

Local fire service forces performed an admirable job to keep the more than 100 fires that occurred during the October period. Many men were sent to the aid of as the emergency called for. To them and all those who did their work, the people of New Hampshire owe a debt of gratitude. The state forest fire control agency based on local fire systems and their crews whenever ultimately equipped due to the emergency and met the need in whatever form they supplied were needed.

It is now time to take stock everywhere of our fire fighting facilities for the winter ahead and to make them adequate to any emergency. To this end have fire plans and training programs for various situations and other key men in such matters are being organized to be prepared if equipment and tools are insufficient to properly manage the possible emergency to meet emergency with the right tools for the job. Long training is provided for at night. The yearly addition of fire loads in the forest supply will generally need to be built up. The state with work in the home and share one-half hour each fire equipment is supplied and the help greatly to keep back danger and fire from us a constant.

For many years we have requested our citizens not to burn anything possible errors on rainy days. This restriction will be in effect again this year as it is one of the best means of reducing that fire from getting out of control. One out of every ten fires can be prevented. It depends on all fires being due to human carelessness. To sure to get a permit for any fire in or near woodland when the ground is dry from snow. Be sure your fire are always out before you leave them. They are to getting the wrong. Be public to keep from throwing hot lighted matches or cigarettes. Be careful of all fires in or near woodland.

F. J. PARCE,
District Chief.

Number of Fires, 11.
Average Burned, 75.
Number of Fire Victims Injured, 20.

DENTON S. ROYCE,
Forest Fire Division