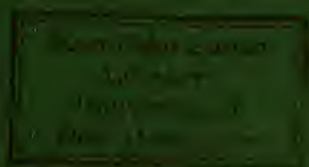


ANNUAL REPORTS

Town of
CANTERBURY



For Year Ending Jan. 31,
1926

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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Canterbury

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE

**Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk,
School Board, Librarian and
Trust Fund Trustees**

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1926

W. B. RANNEY CO., PRINTERS, PENACOOK, N. H.

BUDGET OF TOWN OF CANTERBURY

	Actual Revenue 1925	Estimated Revenue 1926
Railroad tax	\$239.60	\$239.60
Savings Bank tax	1,692.45	1,692.45
State Aid maintenance	890.82	900.00
Trunk Line maintenance		300.00
Interest and dividend tax	461.34	461.34
Auto licenses	1,097.67	900.00
Interest on taxes	249.69	200.00
Dog licenses	78.50	78.50
Town history	52.00	50.00
From poll taxes	900.00	500.00
Taxes collected from previous yr.	4,153.99	2,500.00
Trunk line const., new const. only	5,549.07	3,000.00
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	\$11,365.13	\$10,821.89
Am't raised by property tax	15,288.76	12,000.00
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Total	\$26,653.89	\$22,821.89

BUDGET OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year
Town Officers' salaries	\$1,072.80	\$1,000.00
Town Officers' expenses	231.48	200.00
Election and registration	20.00	150.00
Care and supplies Town Hall	50.00	125.00
Police Dept.	1.50	10.00
Fire dept.	116.50	75.00
Health Dept.	2.00	25.00
Vital Statistics	19.95	15.00
Damage by dogs	315.00	200.00
Bounties	244.80	120.00

Library	130.83	100.00
Memorial, Old Home Day	65.00	65.00
Cemeteries	149.00	50.00
Issuing auto permits	43.25	50.00
Town poor	180.00	500.00
Town maintenance	3,999.17	4,500.00
State aid maintenance from state	890.82	900.00
State aid maintenance from town	890.82	900.00
Trunk line maintenance from state		300.00
Trunk line maintenance from town		300.00
Trunk line construction from state	5,549.07	3,000.00
Trunk line construction from town	1,771.60	1,000.00
Pine blister eradication	500.00	
General expenses highway dept.	188.82	400.00
Windbreaks	341.40	
Railings	120.56	
Abatements	51.39	75.00
Taxes bought	27.39	
Interest	256.57	50.00
Permanent improvement	837.86	
Hardening Blake's corner	296.00	
Payment on long time notes	2,200.00	500.00
State tax	1,965.00	1,965.00
County tax	1,163.06	1,163.06
Special poll tax	560.00	
Schools	5,931.74	5,931.74
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	\$29,842.52	\$23,669.80

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Valuation of Town, April 1, 1925

Real estate	\$605,107.00
126 horses	13,080.00
1 mule	75.00
14 oxen	1,325.00
321 cows	14,260.00
46 neat stock	1,375.00
115 sheep	974.00
4430 fowl	4,465.00
Wood and lumber	23,900.00
1 gas tank	200.00
Stock in trade	6,100.00
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Total inventory	\$670,861.00
Soldiers' exemption	6,310.00
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Taxable inventory	\$664,551.00

TAXES AUTHORIZED IN 1925

Regular state tax	\$1,965.00
County tax	1,163.06
Town maintenance	4,500.00
State aid maintenance	700.00
Railings	500.00
Windbreaks	300.00
Care of and supplies for town hall	75.00
Old Home Day, etc.	65.00
Library	85.00
Schools	5,931.74
Fire department	75.00
Health Dept. and vital statistics	35.00
General expense highway department	400.00
Town poor	300.00
Cemeteries	25.00
Interest on indebtedness	102.00
Abatements	200.00
Long term notes	500.00
Election and registration	150.00
Pine blister	500.00
Town officers' salaries and expenses	1,075.00
Hardening road, Blake's corner	300.00
Fire Powder	50.00
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Total	\$18,996.80
Deduct 300 polls @ \$3.00	900.00
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	\$18,096.80
Overlay	436.11
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	\$18,532.91
664,551 @ \$2.80	\$18,607.43
Deduct taxes not assessed for schools (taxed in Concord and Boscawen)	83.62
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	\$18,523.81

Add school tax	9.10
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	\$18,532.91
Poll taxes	900.00
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	\$19,432.91
Abatement (by error)	4.20
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	\$19,428.71

Tax rate \$2.80 per \$100.00

BALANCE SHEET JANUARY 30th, 1926

Assets	
Cash in hands of town treasurer	\$2,510.27
Taxes not collected (1919-20-21-22) due town from Collector Cogswell	2,177.38
Taxes not collected (1923-24) due town from Collector Conant	187.54
Taxes not collected (1925) due town from Collector Conant	4,146.51
Due from Town History committee	269.00
For county poor	53.99
Bounties due from State	81.20
Balance State aid maintenance	111.64
Balance State aid construction	477.40
	\$10,014.93
Total assets	\$10,014.93
Total liabilities	3,374.35
	\$6,640.58
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)	\$6,640.58

Liabilities	
Mrs. A. B. Chute, note @ 4½%	\$400.00
Martha A. Carter, note @ 4½%	800.00
Addie M. Dow, note @ 4½%	1,000.00
Balance State aid maintenance	111.64
Back balance State aid constr. (old Acct.)	1,062.71
	\$3,374.35
Total liabilities	\$3,374.35

RECEIPTS

Receipts for the year ending January 30th, 1926

1.	Property and poll taxes	\$19,436.19
2.	Interest on taxes	256.25
From State:		
3.	Railroad and Savings Bank Tax	1,932.05
4.	For State Aid maintenance	890.82
5.	For Trunk Line construction	5,494.47
6.	Interest and Dividend tax	461.34
7.	For bounties	191.40
8.	For forest fires	28.25
From local sources except taxes:		
9.	Dog licenses	78.50
10.	Permits for motor registration	1,097.67
11.	Town histories	52.00
12.	Balance Tomb fund	45.83
13.	Redeemed taxes	29.50
Receipts other than current revenues:		
14.	Temporary loans	4,500.00
Cash on hand at beginning of year		2,896.74
		\$37,391.01

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Auto Permits

111 for full year	\$842.52
7 for part of year	25.33
33 for 1926	229.82
	\$1,097.67
Paid S. W. Lake, Treasurer	\$1,097.67

RALPH M. BARTLETT,
Town Clerk.

Dog Licenses

8 females	\$40.00
2 spayed	4.00
17 males	34.50
	\$78.50
Paid S. W. Lake, Treasurer	\$78.50

RALPH M. BARTLETT,
Town Clerk.

Note: credited for 1926

24 males	\$47.50
Paid S. W. Lake, Treasurer, Feb. 13, 1926	\$47.50

RALPH M. BARTLETT,
Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

1925

Feb. 1.	Balance in treasury	\$2,896.74
Apr. 25.	Selectmen, redeemed taxes	29.50
July 29.	Forestry Dept.	28.25
Aug. 31.	Nat'l State Capital Bank, loan	1,500.00
Oct. 22.	Nat'l State Capital Bank, loan	1,500.00
Oct. 22.	Nat'l State Capital Bank, loan	1,500.00
Dec. 26.	State Treasurer, bounties	191.40

1926

Jan. 30.	L. D. Morrill, bal. of Tomb funds	45.83
	State Treasurer, income tax	461.34
	State Treasurer, highway dept.	6,385.29
	Josephine M. Brown, town histories	52.00
	Ralph Bartlett, dog licenses	78.50
	Ralph Bartlett, auto permits	1,097.67
	State Treasurer, R. R. tax	239.60
	Savings bank tax	1,692.45
	Sam S. Conant, taxes	15,282.20
	Interest on taxes	6.56
	Sam S. Conant, (1924) taxes	3,414.48
	Interest on (1924) taxes	99.84
	Sam S. Conant (1923) taxes	168.15
	Interest on (1923) taxes	91.87
	Ervin A. Cogswell (1920) taxes	33.98
	Interest on (1920) taxes	11.48
	Ervin A. Cogswell (1921) taxes	285.51
	Interest on (1921) taxes	20.94
	Ervin A. Cogswell (1922) taxes	251.87
	Interest on (1922) taxes	25.56

\$37,391.01

Expenditures

Paid Selectmen's orders	\$32,915.74
State tax	1,965.00
Balance on hand	2,510.27
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	\$37,391.01

SAM W. LAKE, Treasurer.

By L. D. Morrill

PAYMENTS

General Government :

1. Town Officers' salaries and expenses	\$1,304.28
2. Election and registration expenses	20.00
3. Expenses Town Hall	50.00
4. Issuing Auto Permits	43.25

Protection Personal Property :

5. Police Dept.	1.50
6. Fire Dept.	111.50
7. Bounties	244.80
8. Pine Blister eradication	500.00
9. Damage by dogs	315.00
10. Health and Vital Statistics	21.95

Highways :

11. Town Maintenance	3,999.17
12. Permanent Improvements	837.86
13. State Aid Maintenance	2,008.15
14. General Expenses Highway Dept.	188.82
15. Hardening Blake's Corner	296.00
16. Trunk Line Construction	7,291.52

General Expenses :

17. Libraries	130.83
18. Taxes bought by town	27.39
19. Charities (Town Poor)	180.00
20. Patriotic purposes	65.00
21. Cemeteries	149.00
22. Abatements refunded	51.39
23. Interest	256.57
24. Windbreaks	341.40
25. Railings	120.56

Indebtedness :

26. Payment on temporary loans	4,500.00
27. Payment on long term notes	2,200.00

28. Payments to other Governmental Divisions:	
Excess of StateTax over Railroad and	
S. B. Tax	32.95
Taxes paid to County	1,163.06
Special poll taxes	560.00
Payments to School Districts	5,931.74
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Total payments	\$32,948.69
Cash on hand, Jan. 30th, 1926	2,510.27
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	\$35,458.96
Add R. R. & S. B. Tax which State applied on	
State tax	1,932.05
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	\$37,391.01

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

General Government

Detail 1. Town Officers' Salaries and Expenses

S. S. Conant, tax collector (1924)	\$212.00
S. S. Conant, tax collector (1925)	175.00
W. W. Paul, selectman after report	25.00
H. R. Colby, selectman after report	25.00
G. C. Asby, selectman after report	25.00
W. W. Wheeler, auditor	20.00
Robert Frame, auditor and moderator	15.00
W. W. Paul, selectman	100.00
H. R. Colby, selectman	125.00
G. C. Asby, selectman	125.00
Ralph Bartlett, clerk	50.80
Sam Lake, treasurer	100.00
H. R. Colby, overseer poor	12.50
G. C. Asby, overseer poor	12.50
W. C. Lamprey, stationary	3.16
E. C. Eastman Co., stationary	42.85
H. R. Colby, stationary	1.75
W. B. Ranney Co., reports	128.00
G. C. Asby, typewriter and stationary	19.10
Auto Service Bureau, reports	10.69
N. H. Assessors' Assn., dues	2.00
Buxton and Sherburne, bonds	17.00
Ralph Bartlett, stationary	4.38
Sam Lake, stationary	.55
C. Elliott Morrill, miscellaneous expenses	2.00
H. R. Colby, miscellaneous expenses	25.00
G. C. Asby, miscellaneous expenses	25.00

\$1,304.28

Detail 2. Election and Registration

R. C. Colby, supervisor	\$10.00
A. H. Blake, supervisor	10.00
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	\$20.00

Detail 3. Expenses Town Hall

Estate Harry Houser, janitor	\$8.33
Ralph Bartlett, janitor	41.67
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	\$50.00

Detail 4.—Issuing Auto Permits

Ralph Bartlett	\$43.25
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Protection Personal Property

Detail 5. Police Department

W. J. Porter, building inspection	\$1.50
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Detail 6. Fire Department

E. E. Squires, fire powder	\$74.00
L. T. Mason, fire warden	42.50
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	\$116.50

Detail 7. Bounties

James Cass, 10 bobcats, 3 hedgehogs	\$200.60
W. W. Wheeler, 1 bobcat, 1 hedgehog	20.20
Albi Cass, 1 bobcat	20.00
Herbert Colby, 20 hedgehogs	4.00
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	\$244.80

Detail 8. Pine Blister eradication

State Forestry Dept.	\$500.00
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Detail 9. Damage by dogs

S. S. Conant	\$75.00
John Finley	240.00
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	\$315.00

Detail 10. Health and Vital Statistics

Fowler Drug Co.	\$2.00
A. J. Rowe, M. D.	2.00
Ralph Bartlett	15.20
W. H. Mitchell, M. D.	1.00
A. J. Rowe, M. D.	1.75
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	\$21.95

HIGHWAYS

Detail 11. Town Maintenance

M. S. Randall, agent	\$312.78
M. S. Randall, labor	633.86
L. A. Glines, labor	123.67
N. W. Kennedy, labor	182.00
G. D. Peverly, labor	77.50
F. S. Davis, labor	98.72
C. E. Atewart, labor	42.00
F. Cass, labor	14.00
G. L. Tallman, labor	56.00
Ralph Stewart, labor	28.00
C. Davis, labor	28.33
F. E. Kimball, labor	22.67
H. S. Streeter, labor	161.34
C. H. Pickard, labor	173.67
E. Marston, labor	154.00
O. Fife, labor	4.33
C. Sargent, labor	3.00
A. Cass, labor	6.00
C. McLaughlin, labor	37.33
F. Kerr, labor	6.00
E. Greenwood, labor	6.00
R. Kenny, labor	34.67
O. Pickard, labor	52.33
H. Storrs, labor	13.67
H. Hackett, labor	13.67

S. S. Conant, labor	66.00
P. A. Fife, labor	193.00
L. E. Allen, labor	13.50
H. R. Colby, labor	82.50
W. A. Kenny, labor	19.50
B. G. Wheeler, labor	22.00
William Muzzy, labor	23.00
Ronald Mooney, labor	15.00
A. Cass, labor	9.00
Henry Lawrence, labor	21.00
G. M. Guertin, labor	1.50
Warren Chaplin, labor	5.00
C. Davis, labor	39.33
E. E. Storrs, labor	35.00
R. C. Colby, labor	7.00
S. A. Hirtle, labor	4.50
Walter Hatch, labor	6.00
F. E. Kimball, labor	104.33
F. E. Kimball, labor	96.25
Willie Wilson, labor	25.96
C. Emery Morrill, labor	35.00
C. F. Hansen, labor	8.00
C. E. Stewart, labor	67.50
Charles Gilman, labor	8.71
C. A. Hollins, labor	8.80
L. A. Glines, labor	14.00
L. J. Pickard, labor	6.50
Ernest Butler, labor	6.00
John Wentworth, labor	3.50
Frank Lyford, labor	22.00
Thomas Moore, labor	18.00
J. B. Foster, labor	14.00
M. A. Foster, labor	6.00
David Sanborn, labor	62.50

\$3,355.42

Detail 12. Permanent Improvements

Merrill S. Randall, agent	\$30.00
M. S. Randall, labor	164.00
N. W. Kennedy, labor	39.67
C. Stewart, labor	38.89
G. D. Peverly, labor	31.89
E. Lawrence, labor	28.00
F. S. Davis, labor	21.00
H. S. Streeter, labor	17.00
C. H. Pickard, labor	16.67
E. Marston, labor	34.67
C. McLaughlin, labor	16.67
H. R. Colby, labor	137.00
C. N. Clough & Son, labor	49.00
B. G. Wheeler, labor	45.00
L. E. Allen, labor	24.00
W. A. Kenny, labor	39.00
C. A. Hollins, labor	42.00
W. W. Wheeler, labor	15.50
James Doherty, labor	18.00
Robert Blake, labor	6.00
F. S. Davis, gravel	12.80
W. Plastridge, gravel	11.10
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	\$837.86

Detail 13. State Aid Maintenance

Merrill S. Randall, agent	\$60.00
M. S. Randall, labor	381.00
L. A. Glines, labor	14.00
N. W. Kennedy, labor	42.00
G. D. Peverly, labor	38.11
F. S. Davis, labor	38.89
E. Lawrence, labor	38.11
C. Stewart, labor	52.64
H. S. Streeter, labor	36.00
C. H. Pickard, labor	24.00

E. Marston, labor	145.17
C. McLaughlin, labor	15.00
H. Storrs, labor	12.00
H. Hackett, labor	12.00
B. Wheeler, labor	115.00
J. Wentworth, labor	3.00
L. Pickard, labor	9.00
F. E. Kimball, labor	3.00
F. S. Davis, gravel	31.40
H. R. Colby, labor	277.94
C. N. Clough & Son, labor	283.43
W. A. Kenny, labor	122.00
C. A. Hollis, labor	57.16
W. Wilson, labor	45.10
L. E. Allen, labor	39.00
W. Plastridge, gravel	44.70
Berger Mfg. Co., culverts	86.40
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	\$2,008.15

Detail 14. General Expenses Highway Department

John Beck, bridge plank	\$148.41
C. N. Clough, water tub	9.00
C. A. Hollis, gravel	7.00
C. E. Heath & Co., plank	264.00
H. L. Long, blacksmith work	29.20
E. Lawrence, gravel	5.10
American Express Co.	2.83
John Swenson, dynamite	5.00
Henry Pickard, pick handles	4.80
Sidney Clarke, tools	78.49
Sidney Clarke, tools	4.50
Galion Iron Co., repairs	15.75
F. S. Davis, gravel	9.80
H. N. Lamprey, cleaning water tub	1.00
Frank A. Heath, water tub	9.00
William Muzzy, field damage	10.00
B. Follansbee, dynamite	5.00

G. C. Asby, miscellaneous expenses	14.40
Charles Manuel, cleaning water trough	1.00
H. R. Colby, tools	8.25
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	\$662.13

Detail 15. Hardening Blake's Corner

M. S. Randall, agent	\$40.00
C. E. Morrill, labor	56.00
K. Pope, labor	49.00
H. S. Streeter, labor	24.00
C. H. Pickard, labor	24.00
O. Pickard, labor	24.00
E. Marston, labor	24.00
C. McLaughlin, labor	24.00
E. Greenwood, labor	15.00
S. K. Boyce, gravel	16.00
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	\$296.00

Detail 16. Trunk Line Construction

M. S. Randall, agent	\$561.33
N. W. Kennedy, labor	595.00
G. L. Tallman, labor	579.43
R. Stewart, labor	608.99
C. Stewart, labor	533.55
G. Peverly, labor	332.89
F. S. Davis, labor	251.22
H. S. Streeter, labor	292.44
H. Hackett, labor	289.72
H. Storrs, labor	187.44
L. Storrs, labor	267.16
A. Gallien, labor	299.11
C. McLaughlin, labor	290.89
J. Patsfield, labor	138.44
E. Marston, labor	26.44
J. Cass, labor	136.11
A. Cass, labor	139.60

N. Cass, labor	290.00
C. H. Pickard, labor	251.61
O. Pickard, labor	251.61
W. Foster, labor	49.00
E. Storrs, labor	52.11
A. Bastille, labor	83.61
R. Kenny, labor	108.11
R. Dimick, labor	23.33
R. Lawrence, labor	56.00
W. Davis, labor	63.00
G. McKay, labor	10.11
T. Stewart, labor	59.50
G. Asby, gravel	109.00
F. O. Hill, gravel	141.80
F. Kenny, gravel	198.40
A. Gallien, gravel	34.80
J. Swenson, dynamite	38.00
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	\$7,291.52

General Expenses

Detail 17. Library

Catherine Houser, librarian	\$40.00
C. Elliott Morrill, appropriation	45.00
C. Elliott Morrill, balance Tomb Fund	45.83
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	\$130.83

Detail 18. Taxes bought by town

Feb. 21	\$27.39
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Detail 19. Charities

N. H. Orphans' Home, acct. Jennie Starkweather	\$180.00
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Detail 20. Patriotic Purposes

G. P. Morrill (Memorial Day)	\$15.00
E. Cogswell (Old Home Day)	50.00
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	\$65.00

Detail 21. Cemeteries

Solon Baker, flowers	\$10.00
Will Davis, mowing	24.00
E. Marston, mowing	8.00
H. Pickard, mowing	7.00
C. Elliott Morrill, J. Morrill Trust Fund	100.00
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	\$149.00

Detail 22. Abatements refunded

W. C. Tallman	\$14.99
L. A. Glines	24.00
J. R. Wentworth	22.00
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	\$51.39

Detail 23. Interest

Estate Martha Carter	\$36.00
Mrs. A. B. Chute	18.00
Addie M. Dow	67.50
Sarah Hutchins	22.50
Bernice Pickard	1.79
N. S. C. Bank	47.78
A. B. Chute—Whidden-Elkins Fund	54.00
C. E. Morrill—Jos. Morrill Fund	9.00
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	\$256.57

Detail 24. Windbreaks

C. E. Heath & Co., lumber	\$225.94
M. S. Randall, labor	80.00
H. S. Streeter, labor	6.67
C. McLaughlin, labor	16.67
Sidney Clarke, bolts and nails	12.12
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	\$341.40

Detail 25. Railings

G. F. Morse, rails	\$35.00
M. S. Randall, labor	52.56
E. Marston, labor	18.00
G. L. Tallman, labor	15.00
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	\$120.56

Indebtedness

Detail 26. Payment on Temporary Loans

National State Capital Bank	\$1,500.00
National State Capital Bank	1,500.00
National State Capital Bank	1,500.00
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	\$4,500.00

Detail 27. Payment on Long Term Notes

Sarah Hutchins	\$500.00
Addie M. Dow	500.00
C. E. Morrill—Whidden-Elkins Fund	1,200.00
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	\$2,200.00

Detail 28. Payments to other Governmental Divisions

Excess of State Tax over Railroad and Savings	
Bank Tax	\$32.95
Taxes paid to County	1,163.06
Special poll taxes	560.00
Payments to school districts	5,931.74
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	\$7,687.75

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE C. ASBY,
H. R. COLBY,

Selectmen of Canterbury.

REPORT OF RECEIVING TOMB COMMITTEE

RECEIPTS

Oct. 2	Rec'd of Town of Canterbury	\$1200.00
	Rec'd W. J. Porter for nails	.30
	Rec'd H. G. Clough, roofing and brick	7.25
	Rec'd Chas. Elliott Morrill, lumber	3.37
	Rec'd Loan & Trust Bank, int. & dividends	13.35
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		\$1224.27

EXPENDITURES

	Paid for material	\$ 707.25
	Paid for labor	429.07
	Paid for freight	42.12
Jan. 30, 1926	Bal paid to Town	45.83
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		\$1224.27

L. D. MORRILL, Treas. R. Tomb. Com.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CANTERBURY, N. H., ON JAN. 31, 1926

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amt. of Principal	Rate of Int.	Bal. of Inc. Bgn. Yr.	Income Dur. Yr.	Expended Dur. Yr.	Bal. of Inc. End of Yr.
1873	Benjamin Whidden Fund..... .....for Cong'l Church and Society.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	200	4½%		9.00	9.00	
1894	James S. Elkins Fund..... .....for Cong'l Church and Society.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	1000	4½%		45.00	45.00	
1908	Betsey Kimball Fund..... .....for care of Dan'l Ham burying gr'd.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	200	4½%	114.80	14.13	6.00	122.93
1908	Philip C. Clough Fund..... .....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	50	4½%	10.94	2.70	1.00	12.64
1909	Milton B. Neal Fund..... .....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	100	4½%	32.47	5.94	2.00	36.41
1911	Emily Clough Fund..... .....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	200	4½%	84.17	12.78	1.50	95.45
1912	F. E. & G. M. Tallant Fund..... .....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	50	4½%	3.11	2.38	1.00	4.49
1915	Judith Chase Dearborn Fund..... .....for care of cemetery lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	50	4½%	5.55	2.47	1.00	7.02
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund..... .....for care of Jona. Sargent cem. lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	200	4½%	21.82	9.94	1.00	30.76
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund..... .....for care of Jas. S. Elkins cem. lot.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	200	4½%	20.74	9.90	1.50	29.14
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund..... .....for Elkins Pub. Lib. building & lot.....	N. H. and Mer. Co. Sav. Bks.	6000	4½%	1171.50	322.69		1494.19

1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund.....	U. S. Government Bonds....	4000	4¼%	1202.48	227.27	1429.75
	.....for books for Elkins Public Library						
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund.....	U. S. Government Bonds....	1000	4¼%	300.63	56.78	367.41
	.....for repairs on Elkins Public Library		6850	4¼%	871.14	329.98	831.69
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins Fund.....	B. & M. R. R. Stock.....	500				
	.....for sick and indigent of the town..	B. & M. P.P. Stock (1925 inv)	60				
1921	Henry L. Clough Fund.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	50	4½%	3.84	2.38	5.72
	.....for care of D. M. Clough cem. lot..						
1921	Henry L. Clough Fund.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	50	4½%	4.15	2.43	6.08
	.....for care of graves of Mrs. D. M. Clough and Mary Tallant and her father						
1924	Joseph S. Morrill Fund.....	N. H. Savings Bank.....	100	4½%	4.50	4.50	9.00
	.....for care of Joseph G. Morrill cem.....						

We the undersigned have examined the foregoing act and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE D. PEVERLY,
WILLIAM W. WHEELER,
Auditors.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Feb. 1, 1925, due from Collector Conant	
1923 account	\$238.65
Paid S. W. Lake, treasurer	\$168.15
Feb. 1, 1926, balance due	70.50
Interest paid S. W. Lake, treasurer	\$91.87

Feb. 1, 1925, balance due 1924 acct.	\$3,531.52
Paid S. W. Lake, treasurer	\$3,414.48
Feb. 1, 1926, balance due	117.04
Interest paid S. W. Lake	\$99.84

Amount of tax committed for the year 1925	\$19,428.71
Paid S. W. Lake, treasurer	\$15,282.20
Feb. 1, 1926, balance due	4,146.51
Interest paid S. W. Lake, treasurer	6.56

SAM S. CONANT,
Collector.

January 31, 1926

Feb. 1, 1925, due from Col. Cogswell as per 1925 report	
1919 account	\$97.89
1920 account	266.71
1921 account	1,084.58
1922 account	1,299.56
	\$2,748.74

PAYMENTS

Sam W. Lake	
1920 account	\$33.98
1920 interest	11.48

1921 account		285.51
1921 interest	20.94	
1922 account		251.87
1922 interest	25.56	
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	\$57.98	\$571.36
Feb. 1, 1926, balance due		\$2,177.38

The undersigned chosen to audit the accounts of the treasurer of the library trustees of trust funds, collector, town treasurer, town clerk and selectmen of Canterbury for the year ending January 31, 1926, report that we find said account correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILLIAM W. WHEELER,
 GEORGE D. PEVERLY,
 Auditors.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

No. of books in library	2,332
Accession by purchase	0
Accession by gift	1
Circulation	
Number of books given out	1194
Number of cards issued	8
Amount received from fines	\$1.70

The branch library has loaned 25 books

CATHERINE HOUSER,
Librarian

ELIZABETH C. BARTLETT
Assistant Librarian

The foregoing account is correct.

W. W. WHEELER
GEO. D. PEVERLY
Auditors

TREASURER'S REPORT

Library

Feb. 1925	Cash on hand	\$ 33.12
Jan. 1926	Received 1925 appropriation	45.00
Jan. 1926	Received from fines	1.70
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		\$79.82

EXPENDITURES

Apr. 1925	Paid subscription to Granite Monthly	\$ 2.00
Jan. 1926	Paid for supplies	.47
Feb. 1926	Cash on hand	77.35
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		\$79.82

MILO MORRILL FUND**For Elkins Public Library**

(Building or Books)

Received cash		\$ 45.83
Received 1066 cement brick	39.98	
Received 2338 red brick	78.14	118.12
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		\$163.95
Deposited in N. H. Savings Bank		\$ 45.83
Brick on hand		118.12
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		\$163.95

C. ELLIOTT MORRILL, Treasurer

We have examined the foregoing account and find it correct.

W. W. WHEELER

G. D. PEVERLY

Auditors

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

(Corrected to February 1, 1926)

School Board

Amy A. Scales, chairman	Term expires March, 1926
Frank L. Brown, secretary	Term expires March, 1927
Charles O. Thurston,	Term expires March, 1928

Regular meetings on the last Saturday of each calendar month at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

District Officers

Robert Frame	Moderator
Leroy A. Glines	Clerk
Elizabeth F. Houser	Treasurer
Louis D. Morrill, Blanche Morrill	Auditors

Superintendent of Schools

George W. Sumner

Office in Penacook at 5 Center Street. Office is open on all school days from 8 o'clock in the morning until 12 o'clock noon, and from 1.30 o'clock until 5 o'clock. On Saturdays from 9 to 12. Appointments for conference with the superintendent in person can be made through the secretary.

Truant Officer

Gordon L. Tallman

Teachers

Margaret E. Blake	Blanchard School
Leola F. Peverly	Center School
Ervin A. Cogswell	Emery School
Etta B. Rowell	Kezer School
Mary E. Glines	Uplands School

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 18th day of March, 1926, 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 to hold office for three years to fill the vacancy arising from the expiration of the term of office of Amy A. Scales, and to fill any other vacancies that may occur in said board.
4. To choose a treasurer, one or more auditors and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.
5. To hear and act upon the reports of the school board, the school treasurer and any other officers or committees.
6. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of elementary schools for the ensuing year.
7. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the salaries of its officers and for other expenses of administration for the ensuing year.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for high school and academy tuition and for the per capita tax for the ensuing year.
9. To see if the district will authorize the school board to sell any of the schoolhouses which are not now in use.
10. To see what sum of money the district will raise

and appropriate for the repairs and alteration of school buildings during the ensuing year. .

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

Given under our hands this 19th day of Februrary, 1926.

AMY A. SCALES,
FRANK L. BROWN,
C. O. THURSTON,
School Board of Canterbury.

RECEIPTS

July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925

From State:	
Equalization (state aid)	\$121.92
From the Selectmen raised by taxation:	
For the support of elementary schools	5,020.00
High School and Academy Tuition	800.00
Salaries of District Officers	130.00
Other expenses of administration	240.00
Per Capita Tax	220.00
Total receipts from taxation	\$6,410.00
From Sources Other Than Taxation:	
Rebate High School Tuition	6.99
Total Amount received from sources other than taxation	6.99
Total receipts from all sources	\$6,538.91
Cash on hand July 1, 1924	948.36
Grand Total	\$7,487.27

Payments

July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925

Administration:	
1. Salaries of district officers	\$115.00
2. Superintendent's excess salary	240.00
3. School census	17.20
4. Expenses of administration	39.00
	\$411.20

Instruction :

5. Teachers' salaries	\$3,672.00
6. Textbooks	128.90
7. Scholars' supplies	68.78
8. Flags and appurtenances	10.66
9. Other expenses of instruction	.87
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	\$3,881.21

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant :

10. Janitor service	\$144.75
11. Fuel	278.40
12. Janitor supplies	23.46
13. Minor repairs and expenses	91.20
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	\$537.81

Auxiliary Agencies :

14. Medical inspection	\$ 85.40
15. Transportation of pupils	586.75
16. High school and academy tuition	561.84
17. Elementary school tuition	6.00
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	\$1,239.99

Debt, Interest and Other Charges :

26. Tax for state wide supervision	\$220.00
27. Last year's bills	65.05
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	\$285.05

Total payments for all purposes	\$6,355.26
Total cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1925	1,132.01
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Grand Total	\$7,487.27

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL**1. Salaries of District Officers**

Elizabeth F. Houser	\$25.00
Amy A. Scales	30.00
Alvah H. Blake	30.00
Frank L. Brown	30.00
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	\$115.00

2. Superintendent's Excess Salary

F. L. Brown, treasurer	\$240.00
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3. School Census

G. L. Tallman, truant officer	\$ 6.00
R. E. Lane	1.20
A. H. Blake	10.00
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	\$17.20

4. Other Expenses of Administration

E. F. Houser	\$8.42
E. C. Eastman	.60
G. W. Sumner	.89
Penacook School District	10.59
Bessie Gray	18.00
Stella E. Cushing	.50
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	\$39.00

5. Teachers' Salaries

Stella Cushing	\$720.00
Margaret E. Gough	720.00
Leola F. Houser	792.00
A. Frances Osborne	720.00
E. A. Cogswell	720.00
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	\$3,672.00

6. Text Books

Benjamin Sanborn	\$13.76
Row Peterson Co.,	7.98
MacMillan Co.,	7.00
Ginn & Co.,	19.49
J. B. Lippincott	5.38
Hines Hayden Co.,	5.25
John C. Winston Co.,	8.06
Silver Burdett Co.,	19.33
Little Brown & Co.,	7.96
American Viewpoint Society	6.33
Milton Bradley Co.,	6.24
American Book Co.,	2.02
E. E. Babb & Co.,	3.45
Standard Book Co.,	5.05
Penacook School District	.24
D. C. Heath & Co.,	4.61
Houghton Mifflin Co.,	4.36
Scott Forseman Co.,	2.39
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	\$128.90

7. Scholars' Supplies

E. E. Babb & Co.,	\$.81
Penacook School District	67.97
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	\$68.78

8. Flags and Appurtances

G. W. Sumner	\$ 1.20
E. E. Babb & Co.,	2.65
G. L. Small	1.20
Milton Bradley Co.,	5.61
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	\$10.66

9. Other Expenses of Instruction

Penacook School District	\$.87
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10. Janitor Service

Hector MacKay	\$38.00
Clifton Martin	4.00
Anson Morrill	8.50
Frank Sargent	17.05
Margaret Gough	9.70
Stella Cushing	27.00
Ervin Cogswell	13.50
Arthur Brown	27.00

 \$144.75
11. Fuel

F. E. Kimball	\$122.00
A. M. Potter	10.50
P. A. Fife	27.00
W. J. Porter	45.00
C. E. Morrill	7.00
E. L. Lawrence	2.50
George D. Peveryly	45.00
Willie J. Wilson	6.00
Albert Lariviere	2.90
Frank Brown	6.00
A. H. Blake	1.50
Hector MacKay	2.00
Anson Morrill	1.00

 \$278.40
12. Janitor Supplies

Frank L. Brown	\$.69
Stella Cushing	1.73
Penacook School District	21.04

 \$23.46
13. Minor Repairs and Expenses

Ford Foundry Co.,	\$ 2.25
B. W. Huckins	14.45
S. K. Boyce	2.00

Nelson Leclair	29.75
A. H. Blake	26.50
D. W. Fox	1.90
Mrs. Sabin Guertin	3.00
Mrs. Scott Sargent	3.00
Mrs. Ervin Follansbee	3.00
A. Perley Fitch	3.00
Milton Bradley Co.,	.85
Frank L. Brown	1.50

\$91.20

14. Medical Inspection

A. H. Blake	\$ 3.00
Penacook Red Cross	82.40

\$85.40

15. Transportation of Pupils

Fred Bradford	\$216.25
Mrs. G. W. Hollins	315.00
Roy C. Colby	55.50

\$586.75

16. High School Tuition

Penacook School District	\$280.00
Union School District	281.84

\$561.84

17. Elementary School Tuition

Loudon School District	\$6.00
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26. Tax for Supervision

George E. Farrand, treasurer	\$220.00
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27. Last Year's Bills

S. G. Fifield	\$11.05
Albi Cass	4.00
Penacook Red Cross	50.00

\$65.05

MONEY NEEDED FOR THE COMING YEAR

For the year ending June 30, 1927, we recommend that the following amounts be raised:

Under Article 6 of Warrant:

For the support of elementary schools, including textbooks, supplies and flags, (this amount includes the amount required by law) a tax of \$5 on each \$1,000 of equalized valuation	\$4,541.74
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Under Article 7.

For salaries of district officers	130.00
For Supt's excess salary and other expenses of administration	350.00

Under Article 8.

For high school and academy tuition	1,140.00
For per capita tax	250.00

Total for coming year	\$6,411.74
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AMY A. SCALES,
FRANK L. BROWN,
C. O. THURSTON,
School Board of Canterbury.

CANTERBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT

TREASURER'S REPORT

From July 1, 1924 to June 30, 1925

Receipts

1924		
July 1.	Balance on hand	\$948.36
July	Union School District	6.99
1925		
Jan. 14.	State Equalization Fund	121.92
	Orders on Town Treasurer	6,410.00
		\$7,487.27

Expenditures

	Orders issued by School Board	\$6,355.26
1925		
June 30.	Balance on hand	1,132.01
		\$7,487.27

ELIZABETH F. HOUSER,
Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the above accounts and found them correctly cast and properly vouched with balance in the treasury June 30, 1925, \$1,132.01.

LOUIS D. MORRILL,
BLANCHE H. MORRILL,
Auditors.

July 11, 1925

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens:

By comparing statistics for several years past I note that the membership in Canterbury schools has been increasing, being 77 in 1922-3, 80 in 1923-4, and 92 in 1924-5.

At the same time the number of pupils in high schools is growing less, the amount paid for high school tuition last year being the smallest since 1919. It seems probable that the number of high school pupils will increase next year.

The school tax last year was the smallest since 1920. The amount of state aid is increasing. In December of the current school year we received \$121.92 from the state, with a prospect of \$461.52 next year.

The percent of attendance remains the same as for the year reviewed in the last report. It is perhaps a fair average for a rural town. The number of tardinesses also is about the same, which makes a very poor showing. If all parents looked upon going to school as their children's one really important business for eight years, less of their valuable time would be wasted in absence and tardiness.

Four of our five teachers are residents of Canterbury, three of them natives. This is perhaps not too large a proportion of home teachers, especially considering the difficulty of securing boarding places for teachers from out of town. Under these conditions I believe that it is important that the superintendent and school board insist on teachers attending summer school every few years.

Last year's teachers were offered an increase in salary if they would attend normal school for a six-weeks course during the past summer. No one accepted this offer. I fully appreciate the sterling qualities of those teachers and the thorough, conscientious work they are doing. I realize that summer school attendance may

have been inconvenient or impossible for some, especially with the small salaries they receive; but Canterbury should demand, and pay for, teachers who are ready to go out every few years and secure the benefits provided either in our own state or elsewhere.

During the seven years under the new school law only about \$900 has been expended for repairs on our four buildings. This is by far the smallest effort made toward improvement by any town in this supervisory union. Many things still need to be done both outside and inside the buildings in the way of mere upkeep, to say nothing of improvements.

I wish that Canterbury might be persuaded to adopt the plan, followed by many districts, of putting one building into really good condition each year. If the balance now in the treasury were used to make one building a thoroughly up-to-date schoolhouse, similar to the Oak Hill School in Northfield, I believe you would wish to improve the other buildings also.

While the present year has presented some problems difficult to settle without friction and misunderstandings, I feel that we have reason to express appreciation of the moral support as well as the financial support being given to the schools.

Respectfully,

GEO. W. SUMNER.

ROLL OF HONOR

Pupils not absent or tardy for the school year ending
June 30, 1925.

Josephine Rheaume	Blanchard School
Ezra Rheaume	Blanchard School
George W. Dearborn	Uplands School
Leonard E. Follansbee	Uplands School

GRADUATES FROM EIGHTH GRADE

Frank Sargent	Blanchard School
Anson Morrill	Center School
Kenneth W. McLaughlin	Center School
Muriel E. Boyd	Emery School
Phyllis A. Stewart	Kezer School
Frances S. MacKay	Uplands School

PUPILS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Fall Term, 1925

Penacook High School:

Erma Stewart	Evelyn Brown
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Concord High School:

Leon Brown	Hazel Stewart	Marian Morrill
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Laconia High School:

Frances MacKay

SCHOOL CENSUS

Number of children between 5 and 16 years old:		
Boys, 65; Girls, 69. Total		134
No. between 5 and 8 not attending school	16	
No. between 14 and 16 not attending school	4	
No. attending high school outside the district	3	
No. attending elementary schools outside the district	3	
No. of children registered in parochial or other private schools in the district	5	
No. between 5 and 16 registered in schools of the district, September 30, 1925	103	
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SCHOOL CALANDER

Winter term of 10 weeks opens Monday, Jan. 4, 1926

Winter term closes Friday, March 12, 1926

Vacation, three weeks

Spring term of 10 weeks opens Monday, April 5, 1926

Spring term closes Friday, June 11, 1926

Summer vacation

Fall term of 15 weeks opens Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1926

Fall term closes Friday, December 17, 1926

Vacation, two weeks

Winter term of 11 weeks opens Monday, Jan. 3, 1927

Winter term closes Friday, March 18, 1927

Vacation, three weeks

Spring term 10 weeks opens Monday, April 11, 1927

Spring term closes Friday, June 17, 1927

ATTENDANCE TABLE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1925

SCHOOLS	Length of School in weeks	Whole No. of different pupils registered			Average daily attendance	Average mem- bership	Percent of at- tendance	No. of cases tardiness	No. of cases dismissal	No. of visits by Superintendent	No. of visits by School Board	No. of visits by others	No. of pupils not absent or tardy
		Total	Boys	Girls									
Blanchard	36	19	10	9	16	17	96	18	2	14	4	31	2
Center	36	31	16	15	18	21	88	17	34	15	3	43	0
Emery	36	23	12	11	18	19	91	168	2	16	3	25	0
Kezer	36	26	14	12	17	19	89	201	17	15	7	14	0
Uplands	36	19	11	8	15	16	94	46	9	15	3	26	2
Entire District	36	118	63	55	84	92	91	450	64	75	20	139	4

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Canterbury for the year ending December 31, 1925.

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Living or still-born	No. child, 1st 2d etc	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Feb. 12	Ritha G. Boisvert	F	L	1	W	Ern't L. Boisvert	Aurore Boucher	Canterbury	Farmer	Manchester	Manchester
Mar. 2	.....	F	L	1	W	Peter Costa	Mary Vasil	Canterbury	Mill	Greece	Greece
Mar. 22	Fern Rheäume	F	L	10	W	Ezra Rheäume	Ora Landry	Canterbury	Woolen picker	Penacook	Penacook
Apr. 27	Julia Stewart	F	L	9	W	Ralph Stewart	Julia Rankin	Canterbury	Farmer	Gouldsboro, Mass	Marlville, Me.
May 28	Rob't P. Mooney	M	L	5	W	Jas. H. Mooney	Almira Mayberry	Canterbury	Mill operative	Lowell, Mass.	Gorham, Me.
Oct. 11	Ruby E. Lamprey	F	L	3	W	Herbert Lamprey	Ethel Burleigh	Canterbury	Laborer	Laconia	Tilton
Oct. 12	Rose M. Hugron	F	L	3	W	Arthur J. Hugron	Margaret Wyatt	Canterbury	Machinist	Swanton, Vt.	Halifax
Nov. 7	Arthur Pickard	M	L	2	W	Arthur Pickard	Jennie Sargent	Canterbury	Laborer	Canterbury	Canterbury
Nov. 12	Clifford A. Fife	M	L	2	W	Orvil P. Fife	Beatrice Small	Canterbury	Laborer	Canterbury	Canterbury
Dec. 19	Beatrice Kenney	F	L	2	W	Russell Kenney	Mary McElroy	Canterbury	Mark'r st'm mill	Tilton	Ster'g, Scotland

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

RALPH. M. BARTLETT, Town Clerk.

Mariages Registered in the Town of Canterbury for the year ending December 31, 1925.

Date	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence at time of Marriage	Age of Groom	Age of Bride	Occupation	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, residence and Official Station of person by whom married
Mar.	19 Boyd J. Walsh ...	Camb'e Mass.	25	25	Telegrapher	Mahone, Canada.	William Walsh ... Marino Lohner ...	Canada	Wilfrid Harriman
	Lena Liva Furlong.	Canterbury	23	23	Housekeeper	Tilton	Edmund Loranger ... Mary S. Bernard ...	Canada	N. Chelmsf'd Mass
May	9 Ralph M. Bartlett. .	Canterbury	26	26	Farmer	Roxbury, Mass.	Ralph B. Bartlett. . Mary E. Turner ...	Innapolis, N. S.	V. Eddy Bragdon
	Elizabeth C. Houser	Canterbury	23	23	At home	Concord	Harry H. Houser. . Catherine McIsaac. .	New Brunswick. Mahone Bay	Canterbury
June	1 Russell W. Kenney. .	Canterbury	21	21	Mark'r st'm mill	Northfield	Walter A. Kenney. . Annie E. Reynolds. .	Boston, Mass. . Augusta, Me.	V. Eddy Bragdon
	Mary McElroy.	Canterbury	20	20	At home	Sterling, Scot'nd	James H. McElroy. Margaret Mitchell.	Tyrone, Ireland. Scotland	Canterbury
June	25 Alvah H. Blake.	Canterbury	40	40	Farmer	Loudon	Warren W. Blake. . Caroline Ingalls. . .	Loudon	Sydney J. Willis
	Margaret E. Gough	Biddeford Me.	27	27	School Teacher.	Freeport, Me.	Joseph B. Gough. . Jennie T. Perkins. .	Walpole, Mass. . Harmony, Eng. . .	Biddeford, Me.
July	25 Theodore Kennedy. .	Canterbury	18	18	Railroading	Northfield	Walter Kenney . . . Annie Reynolds . . .	Boston, Mass. . Sydney, Me. . . .	Chr. B. Hansen
	Mildred Hawthorne	Franklin	20	20	Telephone Op'r.	Franklin	David Hawthorne. . Blanche James . . .	Franklin Danbury	Franklin
June	20 Herbert G. Hardy. . .	Concord	29	29	Farmer	Concord	Henry G. Hardy . . . May E. Morrill . . .	Concord	Rev. W. S. Bassett
	Thelma G. Porter. . .	Canterbury	18	18	Home	Lynn, Mass.	William G. Porter. . Harriet I. Shepard	St. John, N. B. . Kerwick, N. B. . .	Penacook
June	14 Robert A. Clarke. . .	Penacook	24	24	Woolen weaver. .	West Concord. . .	Richard W. Clarke . Ella M. Slack. . . .	Ireland Nova Scotia	V. Eddy Bragdon
	Grace Louise Hirtle	Canterbury	20	20	Office clerk.	Fram'h'm, Mass.	Sterling A. Hirtle. . Bertha A. Grover. .	Nova Scotia Canterbury	Canterbury
Aug.	29 Oscar J. Rollins. . . .	Canterbury	30	30	Laborer	Plymouth	Henry Rollins . . . Nellie Humphry. . .	Rumney West Popson, Vt.	Ray H. Perkins. .
	Nellie P. Pickard. . .	Canterbury	21	21	Housework	Canterbury	Charles H. Pickard. Jennie Hodge	Canterbury Canterbury	Tilton
Aug.	29 Paul H. Hansen.	Br'ckt'n, Mass	25	25	Supt. Symphony	Brockton, Mass.	Paul Hansen Hildur E. Gustafsen	Sweden Sweden	V. Eddy Bragdon
	Edna E. Morrill.	Canterbury	25	25	Piano teacher	Canterbury	Charles E. Morrill. Ida Laura Marsh. . .	Canterbury Loudon	Canterbury

Oct.	19	Edward O. Finley.	Canterbury	29	Locom'e freman	Canterbury	John J. Finley	Stanstead, Conn.	W. H. Sweeney
		Elizabeth A. Waring	Belmont	23	Mill operative.	England	Mary Mooney	Quebec	R. C. Priest
							John C. Waring	England	Tilton
Oct.	5	Vernie C. Smith.	Canterbury	42	Carpenter	Canterbury	Mary Ireson	England	
		Nellie Carrie Webb	Newport, Vt.	20		Derby, Vt.	John C. Smith	Laconia	W. J. McFarlane
							Abbie Shaw	Canterbury	
Nov.	29	Ralph R. Noyse.	Canterbury	32	Trackman	Canterbury	Chas. M. Webb	Crown Pt., N. Y.	Morrisville, Vt.
							Laura M. Lewis	Salem, Vt.	
							George Noyes	Canterbury	W. S. Bassett
							Carrie Streeter	Canterbury	
							Henry E. Cushing	Sheffield, Vt.	Penacook
							Emma Varney	East Concord.	

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RALPH. M. BARTLETT, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Canterbury for the year ending December 31, 1925.

Date	Name and surname of the deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	
		Years	Months	Days			Father	Mother			
											Single	Married	or widowed
Feb.	4 Edwin M. Lyford..	60	4	8	Canterbury	M	Farmer	Canterbury	Belmont	Moses C. Lyford	Julia Robinson..
Mar.	1 Harry H. Houser..	45	7	4	Canterbury	M	Farmer	McVeytown, Pa.	Concord	Henry H. Houser	Susan A. Foster
Mar.	23 John True Fletcher	72	1	19	Canterbury	M	Laborer	Canterbury	Canterbury	Wm. M. Fletcher	Lucina J. Clough
Feb.	14 Rittha G. Bolsvert..	82	10	3	Canterbury	F	S	Manchester	Manchester	Ernest Bolsvert	Aurore Boucher
Mar.	24 Martha A. Carter..	82	10	7	Canterbury	F	W	Concord, Mass.	Canterbury	John Wheeler	Mary Blanchard
Apr.	4 Valeria C. Sargent..	85	7	7	Gilmanton	F	W	Gilmanton	Gilmanton	Hiram W. Moses	Lavina Connor..
Apr.	20 Woodbury Grover..	70	10	7	Canterbury	M	W	Gilmanton	Gilmanton	Andrew Grover	Laura Kimball
May	10 George Colby.....	58	6	3	Canterbury	M	Farmer	Bow	Bow	James Colby	Sylvia Woodbury
May	30 Ralph D. Stewart..	8	6	7	Corea, Me.	M	S	Corea, Me.	Mariaville, Me.	Ralph Stewart	Julia Rankin...
July	14 Samuel K. Boyce..	85	7	28	Canterbury	M	Farmer	East Concord	Gilford	Abel B. Boyce	Mary Swazey...
Nov.	20 Henry W. Hutchins	84	4	17	Canterbury	M	Ret. farmer	Northfield	Canterbury	Rhubin Hutchins	Applice Randall
Nov.	12 Roselta Cummings.	83	11	10	Canterbury	F	S	Hebron	Hebron	Edw. Cummings	Mary McGrath..
Dec.	29 John Bolton Jr.	2d	10	1	4 Lawrence, Mass.	M	S	Lawrence, Mass.	Austria	John Bolton Jr.	Cella Blustein..
Dec.	25 Margaret J. Gilman	65	1	30	Island Pond, Vt.	F	W	Norwich, Vt.	Ireland	Alex'd'r P. Slack	Mary Maroney..
Dec.	3 Cella H. Delaney..	70	8	29	London	F	M	London	Concord	Josiah Sargent	Eliza S. Tucker
Nov.	7 Sarah F. Brown....	77	8	12	Concord	F	W	London	Concord	Josiah Dow	Betsy Charles...
Dec.	20 Frank W. Morrill..	68	11	28	Concord	M	W	London	Concord	Josiah Dow	Betsy Charles...

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