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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

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LANDAFF, N. H.

FOR THE

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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Charles S. Chandler

CLERK

Harrison M. Heath

SELECTMEN

Harry G. Titus	Charles M. Gale	Harrison M. Heath
Term expires 1925	Term expires 1926	Term expires 1927

TREASURER

Mary C. Chandler

TAX COLLECTOR

Chester W. Clark

HIGHWAY AGENT

Byron J. Oakes

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Harry E. Poor	Grace G. Gordon	Carrie G. Allbee
Term expires 1925	Term expires 1926	Term expires 1927

SUPERVISORS

George H. Young	Harry E. Poor	Wilbur A. Johnson
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CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Frank H. Eaton, Sexton	Raymond B. Stevens
George F. Clement	

CONSTABLE

Chester E. Clark

HEALTH OFFICER

Calvin E. Heath

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Carrie G. Allbee	Grace G. Gordon	Chester W. Clark
Term expires 1925	Term expires 1926	Term expires 1927

AUDITOR

Harry E. Poor

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Landaff, in the County of Grafton, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said Landaff on Tuesday, the 10th day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same.

3. To see how much money the Town will raise and appropriate toward the support of the Lisbon District Nursing Association.

4. To see how much money the Town will raise and appropriate for the control of the White Pine Blister Rust in Landaff.

5. To see how much money the Town will raise and appropriate to equip the Selectmens room for the use of Town Officers.

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

Given under our hands and seal, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty five.

HARRY G. TITUS } Selectmen
C. M. GALE } of
Landaff

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF LANDAFF

*Estimates of Revenue for the ensuing year, Feb. 12, 1925, to Feb. 1
1926, compared with actual Revenue of the previous year,
Feb. 1, 1924 to Feb. 12, 1925.*

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1924	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1925
From State:		
Railroad Tax	\$ 37 87	\$ 35 00
Savings Bank Tax	390 93	400 00
For fighting forest fires	4 00	5 00
For Highways:		
(a) For state aid maintenance	235 01	200 00
(b) For trunk line maintenance	332 23	575 00
From local sources except taxes:		
All licenses and permits except dog licenses	437 41	300 00
Rent of town hall and other buildings	32 00	30 00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	29 81	25 00
Income of departments: Highways	100 00	60 00
From poll taxes	630 00	600 00
From other taxes except property taxes:		
(a) National bank stock	9 33	10 00
Revenue applicable only to new construction and improvements:		
From State:		
(a) For state aid highway construction	415 68	350 00
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes:	2,654 27	2,590 00
Amount raised by property taxes:	13,926 45	6,132 85
Total revenues	8,722 85	8,722 85

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF LANDAFF

*Estimates of Expenditures for the ensuing year, Feb 12, 1925, to
Feb. 1, 1926, compared with actual expenditures of the
previous year, Feb. 1, 1924, to Feb. 12, 1925.*

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1924	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1925
Current maintenance expenses:		
General government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$ 359 23	\$ 400 00
Town officers' expenses	165 47	200 00
Election and registration expenses	103 50	35 00
Care and supplies for town hall	46 27	60 00
Protection of persons and property:		
Police department	10 00	10 00
Fire department	8 00	10 00
Health:		
Health department	210 00	100 00
Vital statistics	4 00	5 00
Highway and bridges:		
State aid maintenance		
State's contribution	250 31	200 00
Town's contribution	483 20	200 00
Trunk line maintenance		
State's contribution	594 83	575 00
Town's contribution	198 27	175 00
Town maintenance	2,286 32	2,500 00
Street lighting	45 00	45 00
General expense of highway department	1,119 07	150 00
Education:		
Libraries	30 60	30 60
Charities:		
Town poor		200 00
Public service enterprises:		
Cemeteries	33 50	35 00
Interest:		
On temporary loans	42 29	75 00

On principal of trust funds used by town	19 25	19 25
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements:		
Highways and bridges		
State aid construction		
State's contribution	467 41	350 00
Town's contribution	1,583 48	850 00
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
State taxes	1,230 50	1,250 00
County taxes	1,254 80	1,250 00
Payments to school districts	6,127 97	
Tax on gravel bank	7 28	8 00
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Total expenditures	\$15,680 55	8,722 85

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description

1. Town hall, lands and buildings	\$15,000 00
Furniture and equipment	1,000 00
2. Libraries, furniture and equipment	300 00
5. Highway department, lands and buildings	200 00
Equipment	150 00
7. Water supply	500 00
8. Cemetery	950 00
Hearse, house and equipment	150 00
9. Gravel bank	450 00
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Total	\$18,700 00

ASSESSMENT STATISTICS

Land and buildings	\$460,800 00
126 horses	11,530 00
2 oxen	150 00
501 cows	22,530 00
40 neat stock	1,494 00
22 sheep	164 00
22 hogs	300 00
250 fowls	250 00
Wood and lumber	200 00
Stock in trade	92,000 00
Mills	3,500 00
	\$592,918 00
Grand total	

Amount in town and school districts	
\$459,708.00 at \$2.40	\$11,032 99
Amount in Lisbon school district	
\$127,360.00 at \$1.35	1,719 36
Bath inventory (for school purposes only)	
\$5,000 at \$1.05	52 50
229 polls at \$5.00	1,145 00
	\$13,949 85
Amount of taxes	

SOLDIERS EXEMPTION

Land and buildings \$850.00 at \$2.40	\$20 40
7 polls at \$3.00	21 00
	\$ 41 40
Total exemption	

Town of Landaff**Balance**

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer (do not include sinking funds)	\$1,793 04
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Accounts due to the town:

Due from State:

(a) Joint highway accounts, unexpended balances in state treasury	212 99
(b) Bounties	25 00

Due from County:

(a) Support of poor	197 41
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Other bills due town;

(a) Unredeemed land sales	527 94
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Taxes not collected:

(a) Levy of 1922, A. N. Allbee	68 64
(b) Levy of 1923, C. E. Woods	501 00
(c) Levy of 1924, C. W. Clark	915 64

Total assets	<u>\$4,241 66</u>
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Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)	<u>698 28</u>
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Grand Total	<u>\$4,939 94</u>
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Net debt, January 31, 1924	\$2,997 16
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Net debt, January 31, 1925	698 28
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Decrease of of debt	2,298 88
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 LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the town:

Bills outstanding, C. E. Woods, balance of salary	\$15 00
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C. W. Clark, balance of salary	27 20
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Due to School Districts:

(a) dog licenses	137 00
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(b) Interest on \$550.00 note	19 25
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(c) Amount raised by taxation	3,875 47
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State and town joint highway accounts:

(a) Unexpended bal. in state treasury	212 99
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(b) Unexpended bal. in town treasury	103 03
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Trust Funds, amount of principal used

by town:	550 00
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Total liabilities	4,939 94
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Grand total	\$4,939 94
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RECEIPTS

Current revenue:

From local taxes:

Property taxes committed to collector, 1924	\$12,799 85	
Less discount and abatement, 1924	39 70	
Less uncollected, 1924	915 64	
1. Property taxes, current year, actually collected	12,039 31	
2. Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 199 at \$5.00	995 00	
3. Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected	337 12	
4. National bank stock taxes	9 33	
Total of above collections		13,380 66
Tax sales redeemed (1922 tax)		54 92

From State:

5. For highways:		
(a) For state aid maintenance		235 01
(b) For state aid construction		415 68
(c) For trunk line maintenance		332 23
8. Railroad tax		37 87
9. Savings bank tax		390 93
12. Fighting forest fires		4 00
13. Bounties		27 40

From County:

14. For support of poor		212 25
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From local sources except taxes:

16. Dog licenses		137 00
17. Business licenses and permits		25
19. Rent of town hall		32 00
20. Interest received on taxes		29 81
24. Income from departments, highway gravel		100 00

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Payments For year ending January 31, 1925

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	359 23
2. Town officers' expenses	165 47
3. Election and registration expenses	103 50
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	46 27

Protection of persons and property:

6. Police department, including care of tramps	10 00
7. Fire department, including forest fires	8 00
9. Bounties	25 00

Health:

11. Health department, including hospitals	210 00
12. Vital statistics	4 00

Highways and bridges:

14. State aid maintenance	483 20
15. Trunk line maintenance	530 50
16. Town maintenance	2,286 32
17. Street lighting and sprinkling	45 00
18. General expenses of highway dept., including watering troughs	119 07

Libraries:

19. Libraries	30 60
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Charities:

21. County poor	232 41
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Public service enterprises:

27. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	33 50
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Unclassified:

29. Taxes bought by town	66 99
30. Abatements, A. N. Allbee (1922)	109 82
31. " C. W. Clark (1924)	94 70

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Receipts and

Brought forward from page 10	
26. Permits for the registration of motor vehicles	437 16
27. School district (printing report 23-24)	39 50
Receipts other than current revenue:	
28. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	3,100 00
33. Refunds, F. E. Spear, M. D.	35 00
State income tax	6 93
Total receipts from all sources	19,008 60
Cash on hand February 1, 1924	1,490 44

Grand Total	\$20,499 04
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Payments (continued)

Brought forward from page 11	
Tax on gravel bank	7 28
Interest:	
32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	42 29
Total interest payments	\$ 42 29
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements:	
36. Highways and bridges— state aid construction	1,583 48
Total outlay payments	\$1,583 48
Indebtedness:	
44. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	3,100 00
Total indebtedness payments	\$3,100 00
Payments to other governmental divisions:	
50. Taxes paid to state	1,230 50
51. Taxes paid to county	1,254 80
53. Payments to school districts	6,127 97
Soldiers bonus	396 00
Total payments to other governmental divisions	\$9,009 27
Total payments for all purposes	18,705 90
Cash on hand February 12, 1925	1,793 14
 Grand Total	 \$20,499 04

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Thirty three and one third page record	\$ 8 00
Drawing jurors and making returns	1 50
Notifying jurors	1 50
Annual town meeting	3 00
Direct primary	2 00
Election	3 00
One marriage and two copies	45
Twelve births and three copies	7 20
Four deaths and two copies	1 80
Four burial permits	48
Making returns to fire commission	50
Recording two appointments	20
Copying invoice	10 00
Sixty one auto permits, Jan. 31, 1924 to Jan. 31, 1955	15 25
Postage	3 00
Total	\$57 88
Services as Justice of the Peace	2 00
Total	\$59 88

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance from last year	\$ 1,490 44
C. W. Clark, tax collector for 1924	13,034 21
C. W. Clark " " int. on taxes	20 38
C. E. Woods " " for 1923	76 06
A. N. Allbee " " for 1922	261 06
A. N. Allbee " " int. 1922	9 43
Redeemed tax H. H. Hall	54 92
Railroad tax	37 87
Savings bank tax	390 93
State treasurer returns on incomes	6 93
State highway	982 92
State forestry dept.	4 00
Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	3,100 00
National bank stock tax	9 33
State bounties	27 40
Rent of town hall, Grange	30 00
" " " " Ladies Aid	2 00
Grafton County, support of poor	212 25
H. M. Heath, dog licenses	137 00
H. M. Heath, auto permits balance 1924	332 16
H. M. Heath, auto permits, Jan. 1925	105 00
Town of Landaff, gravel	93 45
Gravel to individuals	6 55
Revolver permits	25
Refund from Dr. F. E. Spear, Luxford case	35 00
School district, printing reports	39 50
Total receipts	\$20,499 04
Selectmen's orders	18,705 90
Balance on hand	\$ 1,793 14

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers

Harry G. Titus, first selectman	\$ 93 25	
Charles M. Gale, second selectman	43 50	
Harrison M. Heath, third selectman	65 50	
Harrison M. Heath, town clerk	57 88	
Mary C. Chandler, treasurer	25 00	
Chester W. Clark, tax collector		
part payment	62 80	
Harry E. Poor, auditor	3 00	
Harry G. Titus, overseer of poor	8 30	
		\$ 359 23

Town Officers' Expenses

The Bethlehem Press	73 00	
Edson C. Eastman Co.	9 30	
W. J. Randolph, recording deeds	2 93	
Woolson & Clough, making and recording deeds	3 90	
Merrills Ins. Agency, bonds for town officers	46 50	
C. S. Chandler, expense on 1924 reports	6 59	
Harry G. Titus, expense	12 25	
Harrison M. Heath	9 00	
W. P. Farmer, dues to N. H. Assessors Assn.	.2 00	
		\$ 165 47

Election and Registration Expense

Harry E. Poor, supervisor	18 00
Wilbur A. Johnson, supervisor	12 00
George H. Young, supervison	28 50
Harry S. Wetherbee, ballot clerk	7 50
Amos N. Allbee, ballot clerk (1922, 23,24	12 00

Frank H. Eaton, ballot clerk	7 50	
Mary C. Chandler, ballot clerk (1923, 24)	10 50	
Charles S. Chandler, moderator	7 50	
		\$ 103 50

Expense of Town Hall

Lisbon Auto Garage Co., oil	2 50	
Harry G. Titus, cash paid cutting bushes on lot	4 07	
C. S. Chandler, gasoline and trucking	9 20	
C. M. Gale, wood	20 00	
Harry G. Titus, repairs and janitor work	10 50	
		\$ 46 27

Forest Fire Department

C. M. Gale, posting fire notices	8 00	
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Health Department

C. E. Heath, health officer	10 00	
Lisbon District Nursing Ass'n.	200 00	
		\$ 210 00

Vital Statistics

H. H. Boynton	2 50	
H. C. Pickwick	1 50	
		\$ 4 00

Bounties

Selectmen paid bounty on		
100 hedgehogs	20 00	
1 bear	5 00	
		\$ 25 00

State Aid Maintenance

	State	Town	Total
Balance 1923	104 90	104 89	209 79
Appropriation 1924	200 00	200 00	400 00
Total	304 90	304 89	609 79
Expenditures 1924	250 20	250 20	500 40
Balance 1925	54 70	54 69	109 39

Trunk Line Maintenance

	State	Town	Total
Balance 1923	190 64	63 54	254 17
Appropriation 1924	562 50	187 50	750 00
Total	753 13	251 04	1,004 17
Expenditures 1924	594 83	198 27	793 10
Balance 1925	158 30	52 77	211 07

Town Maintenance

Expense Prior to March 11, 1924

A. J. Hall	10 95	
Herbert Cole	6 26	
George W. Simpson	22 00	
		\$ 39 21

Byron I. Oakes, Agent

Byron I. Oakes and team	684 78
W. A. Johnson and team	159 49
E. C. Hadley	92 17
Louis Stewart	83 25
B. A. Stimson and team	28 09
Victor Revoir	112 17
A. J. Hall and team	151 12
Albert Mardin	69 00
Harry Wetherbee	182 03
Frank Eaton	63 30
Hugh A. Dexter	6 00
Ora Stimson	1 00
Harry H. Hodge	19 00
Charles Hodge	15 45
Herbert Cole	14 50
Ray Clark	11 33
Linwood Tewksbury	7 32
Harold Machin	7 32
Leander Fitzgerald	5 51
Morrill Locke and team	1 83

Fred Merrow	15 00	
Nathan Kidder	1 50	
George Forbes	3 66	
Ralph Wetherbee	3 00	
Walker Stimpson	1 50	
George Stimpson	67 43	
Albert Bedard	21 00	
C. W. Clark	2 67	
W. M. Bronson	3 15	
Howard Bronson	3 00	
C. M. Gale & team	15 75	
C. R. Flanders and team	18 96	
S. J. Matson	11 00	
Thomas Shea	1 98	
Penn Metal Co., culverts	108 20	
The Berger Co., culverts	46 40	
Parker-Young Co., plank	99 56	
C. M. Gale, lumber	61 73	
Gravel, R. R. ties, dynamite, etc.	86 17	
		\$2,286 32

General Expense Highway Department

Nathan Kidder, water trough (1921, 22, 23)	9 00
Sheridan Corey, water trough	3 00
Frank Sylvester, water trough	3 00
Byron I. Oakes, water trough	3 00
Harry G. Titus, repairs on road machine, express on blade	5 92
Byron I. Oakes, repairs on road machine	6 50
F. L. Blake, two road machine blades	21 00
A. H. Ash, gravel spreader	30 00
L. S. Jesseman, repairs on road machine	6 90
H. M. Heath, repairs on road machine	3 00
Albert Mardin, water trough (1923, 24)	6 00

C. M. Gale, lumber	3 01	
George M. Goudie, tools, spikes, etc.	18 74	
	<hr/>	\$ 119 07

Street Lighting

Lisbon Light & Power Co., three lights		\$ 45 00
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Libraries

Library Trustees, library tax		30 60
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County Poor**For Plummer Downing**

H. C. Pickwick	18 00	
H. H. Boynton	46 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 64 00

For Frank Leonard

H. C. Pickwick	2 00	
H. H. Boynton	14 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 16 00

For Hector Boulet

H. H. Boynton	31 00	
Lucas-Carleton Co.	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 46 00

For Will Owen

H. H. Boynton	13 50	
Harry G. Titus, taking to County Farm	3 50	
	<hr/>	\$ 17 00

For James Clark

Harry G. Titus, taking to County Farm		4 00
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For Leleme Children

Harry G. Titus, taking to County Farm		3 50
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For Ed. Mackey Family

Cottage Hospital	72 86	
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F. W. Bangs, medicine	2 30	
G. F. Clement & Son, flour	2 75	
Lisbon Auto Garage Co., taking children to hospital	4 00	
		81 91
Total		\$ 232 41

Cemeteries

Frank H. Eaton, sexton care of cemetery 33 50

Abatements

Amos N. Allbee, collector 1922:

Bennett, Evelyn	5 00
Bowen, Elmer	5 96
Clark, James	10 95
Clark, Elvira	5 00
Eastman, Harold	5 00
Gray, Fred	5 00
Gray, Isabell	5 00
Hardgrove, Leslie	3 00
Hardgrove, Rose	5 00
Hembrick, Clem	5 00
Moulton, Max	8 46
Moulton, Della	5 00
Moore, Ralph	6 44
Nourse, Bessie	5 00
Perry, Steve	5 00
Rexford, Archie	5 00
Rexford, Myrtle	5 00
Thomas, Tom	5 00
Thomas, Emma	5 00
Zancore, Philip	5 00

\$ 109 81

C. W. Clark, collector 1924:

Leleme, Charles, soldier	5 00
Dodge, Lillian, dead	5 00

Felch, Willie, gone to County Farm	5 00
Mackie, Ed., poor	5 00
Mackie, Annie, poor	5 00
Rising, Fred	6 44
Sylvester, Albert, paid in Vermont	5 00
Shepherd, Alonzo, " " Lisbon	5 00
Shepherd, Nellie " " "	5 00
Downing, Plummer, poor	6 68
Downing, Hattie, poor	5 00
McKenzie, George, over taxation	7 20
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	\$ 65 32

Discount

C. W. Clark, collector, discount on taxes paid before July 15, 1924	29 38
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Interest

Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co., interest on temporary loans	42 29
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Land Bought For Taxes

L. O. Corey, Clark place	49 84
V. B. Carleton Est., Foster place	17 15
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	\$ 66 99

State Aid Construction

	State	Town	Total
Balance 1923,	97 61	244 04	341 65
Appropriation (1924)	370 80	927 00	1,297 80
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Total	468 41	1,171 04	1,639 45
Total Expended			1,643 89
Overdraft by town			4 44

Payments on Loans

Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co., notes of 1924	3,100 00
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Other Payments

George E. Farrand, state tax	1,230 50
Frank H. Foster, county	1,254 80

Mary C. Chandler, school money 1923	5,127 97
Mary C. Chandler, part school money 1924	1,000 00
State treasurer, soldiers' bonds 1924	396 00
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	\$ 9,009 27

Town Officers' Bills

Harry G. Titus, First Selectman

March, 1-2 day at town hall	1 50
“ 1 day town meeting	3 00
“ 1-3 day at Lisbon about officers bonds	1 00
“ 1 day at Woodsville to settle with county comm.	3 00
“ 1 day at Woodsville, tax commission	3 00
“ 1-3 day posting truck notices	1 00
April, 5 2-3 days taking inventory	17 00
“ 5 days on blotter	15 00
“ 1-2 day looking over real estate	1 50
May, 1-2 day on water case	1 50
“ 1 day making taxes	3 00
June, 1-3 day with state engineer	1 00
July, 1-3 day settling bills	1 00
Aug., Drawing jury	75
Sept., 1-3 day settling bills	1 00
Oct., Trip to Woodsville to settle with county commission	2 00
“ 1-3 day on road bills and election warrant	1 00
“ 1-2 day water hearing	1 50
Nov., 1 day election	3 00
“ 1-2 day settling bills	1 50
Dec., 1-3 day settling bills and revising jury box	1 00
Jan., 2 days settling bills	6 00

Feb., 3 days with auditor, making Warrant, budget and report	9 00
Copying collectors book and inventory	12 00
Postage and stationery	2 00
Total	<u>\$ 93 25</u>

Expense as Selectman

March, Trip to Woodsville, county commission	1 50
“ “ “ “ tax commission	1 50
April, 4 days, team taking inventory	6 00
“ Team to hall	75
“ Cash paid H. E. Gordon, transportation	1 00
Use of car	1 50
Total	<u>\$ 12 25</u>

Charles M. Gale, Second Selectman

March, 1 day Woodsville with tax commissioners	3 00
April, 2 1-2 days taking inventory	7 50
“ 5 days at hall	15 00
Jan. and Feb. 6 days settling bills	18 00
Total	<u>\$ 43 50</u>

Harrison M. Heath, Third Selectman

March, 1-2 day on non-resident blanks	1 50
“ 1 day at Woodsville	3 00
April, 4 2-3 days taking inventory	14 00
“ 4 1-2 days on blotter	13 50
“ 1-2 day on timber land	1 50
May, 1-2 day at Gales settling bills	1 50
“ 1 day making taxes	3 00
June, 1-2 day at Gales, settling bills	1 50
“ 1-2 day with state engineer	1 00
Aug., 1-2 day settling bills	1 50
Oct., 1-2 day at Center, settling bills	1 50
“ 1-2 day at Center, settling bills	1 50

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Oct., 1-2 day water hearing	1 50
Nov., 1-2 day removing booths	1 50
“ 1-2 day settling bills	1 50
Dec., 1-3 day at Titus', revising jury box	1 00
Jan., 2 days settling bills	6 00
Feb., 3 days settling bills and making report	9 00
Total	<hr/> \$ 65 50

Expense as Selectman

1 day at Woodsville	1 50
3 2-3 day, use of team	5 50
Total	<hr/> \$ 7 00

I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer and to the best of my knowledge they are correct.

HARRY E. POOR, Auditor

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Landaff on January 31, 1925

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS PURPOSE OF CREATION All trust funds should be reported separately, giving name of fund and donor	HOW INVESTED State character and rate of return for each investment. State also dates when funds were "borrowed or used for city or town purposes."	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Income during year	Expended during year
Unknown	Local school fund for schools (sale of farm)	Loaned to Town of Landaff	\$550.00	3 1-2 per cent	\$19.25	\$19.25
"	" " " " " " " "	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	350.00		15.03	15.03
1875	Clough fund for cem. lot, Mahitable Clough	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	50.00		4.21	1.50
1910	Simonds fund for cem. lot, Sarah Simonds	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	200.00		10.44	2.00
1910	Knight fund for cem. lot, Mary J. Knight	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	200.00		12.35	2.50
1915	Allbee fund for cem. lot, Ida J. Allbee	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	200.00		11.29	1.50
1916	Morse fund for cem. lot, Ellen P. Morse	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	500.00		28.02	3.00
1919	Merrill fund for cem. lot, Oscar S. Merrill	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	100.00		5.27	1.00
1918	Young fund for cem. lot, Louise H. Young	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	200.00		10.15	5.00
1922	Atwood fund for cem. lot, W. H. Atwood	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	150.00	4 1-2 per cent for 6 months	6.85	1.00
1922	Kendall fund for cem. lot, Emily A. Kendall	Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co.	100.00	4 per cent for 6 months	4.49	1.50

HARRY G. TITUS, H. M. HEATH, LEON E. NOYES Trustees.

LIBRARY REPORT

RECEIPTS

Cash from last year	\$33 69
This years appropriation	30 60
	\$ 64 29

EXPENDITURES

Grace Gordon, transportation of books from Bethlehem	6 00
Librarian	15 00
	\$ 21 00
Cash on hand	43 29

We have received gifts of books this year 36 volumes from Sugar Hill Library and about 200 volumes from the Bethlehem Library.

HARRY E. POOR

TOWN GRAVEL BANK

Received from joint road funds	\$ 93 45
“ “ C. S. Chandler	3 00
“ “ Grove Hill Cemetery Association	1 05
“ “ G. F. Clement	1 05
“ “ W. J. Thorne	70
“ “ C. M. Gale	45
“ “ H. G. Titus	30
Total receipts	\$100 00

Tax to town of Lisbon	7 28
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STATEMENT OF ELLEN P. MORSE TOWN HALL FUND

PAYMENTS

W. T. McGuire, deed of right of way	25 00
Balance in Lisbon Savings Bank & Trust Co., January 31, 1925	\$61 05

REPORT OF LANDAFF SCHOOL DISTRICT

July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924

RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid:

(a) Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state)	\$ 980 05
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From Selectmen, raised by taxation:

(a) For the support of elementary schools	3,578 47	
(c) For the payment of high school and academy tuition	1,000 00	
(d) For the salaries of district officers	133 00	
(g) For the payment of per capita tax	204 00	
Repairs	100 00	
	5,015 47	

From sources other than taxation:

(a) Dog licenses, from selectmen	94 25	
(d) Income from local trust funds	32 39	
(g) Bath dog tax	82	
	127 46	

Total receipts from all sources	\$6,122 98
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Cash on hand at beginning of year

July 1, 1923	2,212 47
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Grand Total	8,335 45
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PAYMENTS

Administration:

1 Salaries of district officers	123 00
2 Superintendent's excess salary	290 69

3 Truant officers and school census	10 00
4 Expenses of administration	5 00
Instruction:	
5 Principals and teachers salaries	2,526 00
6 Text books	61 13
7 Scholars supplies	105 06
9 Other expenses of instruction	8 68
Operation and maintenance of school plant:	
10 Janitor service	59 50
11 Fuel	191 87
12 Water, light, janitors supplies	16 22
13 Minor repairs and expenses	132 31
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:	
14 Medical inspection	56 50
15 Transportation of pupils	713 50
16 High school and academy tuition	1,021 58
17 Elementary school tuition	20 14
18 Other special activities	10 65
Outlay for construction and equipment:	
23 New equipment	94 80
Debt, interest and other charges:	
26 Tax for state wide supervision (\$2 per capita)	204 00
Total payments for all purposes	5,650 63
Cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1924)	2,684 82
Grand Total	\$8,335 45

ASSETS

Cash on hand:	
Balance June 30, 1924	2,684 82
Grand Total	\$2,684 82

LIABILITIES

Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	2,684 82
Grand Total	<u>\$2,684 82</u>

RECEIPTS

From July 1, 1924 to February 1, 1925

Cash on hand	2,684 82
Interest from local school fund [in bank]	15 03
From state treasurer [equalization]	185 83
From town	19 28
Total receipts	<u>\$2,904 96</u>

EXPENDITURES

From July 1, 1924 to February 1, 1925

Salaries of district officers	133 00
Superintendents salary	203 33
Truant officer and school census	20 00
Expenses of administration	42 50
Teachers salaries	1,398 08
Text books	31 21
Scholars supplies	15 17
Other expenses of instruction:	29 82
Janitor service	25 10
Fuel	166 15
Janitor supplies	11 98
Minor repairs and expenses	39 30
Transportation	174 80
High school tuition	530 74
Other special activities	14 83
Alteration of old buildings	77 12
New equipment	18 72
Per capita tax	164 00
Total expenditures	<u>\$3,085 85</u>
Balance on hand February 1, 1925	819 11

Report of School Treasurer

Summary:

Cash on hand July 1, 1923, bal. from previous year	\$2,212 47
Appropriations and other receipts from Selectmen	5,127 97
Receipts from all other sources	995 01
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Total cash for fiscal year, July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924	8,335 45
Total amount paid on school board's orders	5,650 63
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Cash on hand at end of fiscal year	2,684 82
Net balance at end of year	2,684 82

I have examined the accounts of the School District and to the best of my belief they are correct.

HARRY G. POOR, Auditor.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Landaff:

My brief association with you—members of the school board and citizens with whom I have come in contact—has been a very pleasant one. I submit the following report upon the work of the schools with certain definite recommendations and topics for consideration.

After my term of office began last August the school board decided to open the schools at Ireland and South Landaff. The South Landaff school had been closed for one year but several families with children of school age had moved into the community, making a school seem advisable. Last June the school board decided not to continue the school in the Ireland district with the number of pupils then residing in the district. The citizens of that community were anxious to retain the school and in September presented a petition to that effect. Additional pupils moved into the district and the school board decided to maintain a school there, also. As action in the case of South Landaff was taken only a few days before the fall term was to begin, and in case of Ireland after the other schools had begun, it was difficult to secure immediately well-trained and efficient teachers. For the Ireland school, however, I was fortunate in securing Miss Dorothy Twomey, a graduate of the Concord Training School. Miss Twomey has proved very successful in the conduct of her school work. The school at South Landaff was closed at the end of the fall term as all of the children to attend this winter, with the exception of those in Mr. Cole's family, had moved out of the district. By arrangement of the school board the Cole children are attending the Nutter School in Bath.

At the Center and Blue schools you are fortunate in having superior teachers. These teachers are giving

good instruction in the essentials of the seventh and eighth grade work done in organized junior high schools. I think Landaff is pursuing a wise, progressive policy in the conduct of these two schools. Girls with three years of normal training or girls with two years' training of superior ability and experience in the upper grades, are necessary to maintain in future years the standard now established. In your budget you should have in mind the payment of salaries to the teachers of these schools slightly above the average—salaries commensurate with the work required.

At the Center school additional windows should be provided to meet the "light" standards of a modern school. If extensive minor repairs were to be attempted in the Blue and Center schools chemical toilets would be of first importance. A few hundred dollars spent in the installation of these would be money well spent.

Landaff now has two one-room schools, not very far apart, giving practically all of the instruction necessary for high school entrance in all eight grades. I think a consolidation of all of the schools—Center, Blue and Ireland—is worthy of consideration. If a modern two-room building could be constructed at a location, as central as possible for all resident pupils, and good conveyance vehicles could be provided where necessary, Landaff would have one of the most progressive school systems in New Hampshire. The best experienced teachers are more willing to teach in a school of four grades than in one of eight. A teacher can give better instruction to a small number of classes than to a large number.

Respectfully submitted,

DANA S. JORDAN

Administration	\$ 330 00
High School Tuition	1400 00
Per Capita Tax	200 00
Support of Elementary Schools \$5 on a thousand of equalized valuation.	

Deaths Registered in the Town of Landaff, N. H. for the year Ending December 31, 1924

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex, Condition			Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother			
		Years	Months	Days		Male	Female	Color						Single	Married	Widowed
Feb. 22	Roger Lyle Knight	2	16		Corinth, Vt.	"	"	"	S	W	S	Farmer	Irbana, Ill.	Canada	Wesley Knight	Perl Millett
Aug. 1	Nelson Stimpson	65	14		Bethel, Vt.	"	"	"	S	W	S	Farmer	Canada	Bethel, Vt.	Daniel Stimpson	Mercia Louise
Aug. 22	Russell C. Boulet	66	6	25	Landaff, N. H.	"	"	"	S	M	S	Farmer	Derby Line, Vt.	Newport, Vt.	Hector Boulet	Agnese Lelece
Nov. 8	John H. Campbell	66	6	25	Clarenceville, P.Q.	"	"	"	S	M	S	Farmer	Ireland	Canada	John Campbell	Satron Mandage

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

H. M. HEATH, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Landaff, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1924

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
Sept. 9	Lisbon, N. H.	Perl S. Slack	Landaff	61	White	Laborer	Lisbon	Walter Brady	Chelsea, Vt.	Rev. Guy Roberts Clergyman Lisbon, N. H.
		Gertrude I. Allen	Littleton	18		Housework	Littleton	William Allen		

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H. M. HEATH, Town Clerk.

Births Registered in the Town of Landaff, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1924

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition		Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Sex	Living or Stillborn							
Feb. 20	Velma Annabelle	F	L	4	Linsey O. Corey	Flora Kentfield	Landaff	Farmer	Bath	Bath
Mar. 4	Baby Holbrook	F	L	7	James M. Holbrook	K. D. Bowles	"	"	Canada	Easton
Apr. 5	Norris Poor	M	L	7	Harry Poor	Agnes A. Holmes	"	"	Landaff	Whitefield
Apr. 5	Dorothy Evalyn	F	L	3	Frank Lenord	Flores Eastman	"	Laborer	East Concord, Vt.	Lyman
Apr. 8	Lorane Charlotte	F	L	1	Ora W. Stimpson	Charlotte Tabbutt	"	Farmer	Lisbon	Stoneham, Mass.
June 24Makie	M	L	8	Edward Makie	Annie Kittridge	"	Laborer	Finland	Groton, Vt.
Aug. 22	Russell C. Boulet	M	S	5	Hector Boulet	Agnes Lelline	"	Painter	Derby Line, Vt.	Newport, Vt.
Oct. 10	Rupert Warren	M	L	1	Wm. W. Knight	Perl I. Millette	"	Farmer	Irbana, Ill.	Ely, P. Q.
Oct. 12	Charlotte Marie	F	L	3	Howard Bain	Dorothy Santy	"	Laborer	Nova Scotia	Lyman
Nov. 20	Vaughn Emery	M	L	1	Emery Veino	Christie Lynde	"	"	New Germany	Lyman
Nov. 21	Gertrude May	F	L	7	Nathan Kidder	Mabel Bowles	Lisbon	Farmer	Weston, Vt.	Lisbon
Dec. 16	Mildred Isabelle	F	L		Ray Clark	Florence Goodrich	Landaff	Laborer	Landaff	Bath

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H. M. HEATH, Town Clerk



