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Moderator
L. F. WYMAN

Selectmen
WALLACE CHILSON        SUMNER F. MERRILL
PERCY M. ODELL

School Board
M. W. PERRY     MRS. MARION L. CASS
ORSON H. BRAGDON

Town Treasurer
Z. B. KEMP

Tax Collector
M. W. PERRY

Town Clerk
Z. B. KEMP

Road Agent
R. W. WESTON

Auditors
M. D. CLARK     A. L. MARTIN

Supervisors of Checklist
H. H. WILKINS    M. W. PERRY
C. W. GOING

Trustees of Trust Funds
F. W. BROWN    H. H. WILKINS
W. A. PROCTOR
Firewards
A. L. MARTIN  M. F. GOODALE
ARTHUR DANIELS

Forest Fire Wraden
A. L. MARTIN

Sexton of Cemeteries
GEORGE A. JENKINS

Chief of Police
JAMES H. ATKINSON

Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber
FRED W. HUBBARD  VOSCOE PLUMMER

Tree Warden
W. L. YOUNG
Warrant for Annual Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Amherst, in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Amherst on Tuesday, the eleventh 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 appropriation for same.

3. To elect one Selectman for three years.

4. To see if the town will vote to elect at the town meeting to be held in March 1930, a Constable with full power of the police department and the appointment of subordinate officers. (By petition.)

5. To elect one delegate to the Constitutional Convention.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $1951.00 for construction work on Ponomah road, State to raise $1463.00 OR, Town to raise $3902.00 and State $2926.00 to complete construction work.

7. To see if the town will vote to accept state aid on the highway leading from Baboosic Lake to the improved road to Amherst, and raise and appropriate money for the same. (By petition.)

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $1000.00 for permanent improvement of the road from Amherst to Baboosic Lake. (By petition.)
9. To see if the town will vote to accept a certain private way beginning at the S. W. Corner of Wenzel's Grove, running Easterly to the shore of Baboosic Lake by land owned by Wenzel on the Northerly side of private way and by land owned by Brooks, Severns, Nichols and Mackenzie on Southerly side of said highway. (By petition.)

10. To see if the town will raise and appropriate, or use from town road maintenance money, a sufficient sum to build a gravel road from Border street to Southern limit of Catholic Cemetery on Merrimack road. (By petition.)

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to build a safe and reasonable width road on North street. (By petition.)

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $2000.00, the State to raise $3000.00, to construct a road from the Ponemah state road to the Hollis line. (By request.)

13. To see if the town will vote to co-operate with the Men's Club of Amherst to purchase a power lawn mower and raise and appropriate money for the same. (By petition.)

14. To see if the town will vote to accept and adopt the names of the streets in Amherst village as given by Men's Club committee. (By request.)

15. To see if the town will vote to build a fence at Meadowview Cemetery and raise and appropriate money for the same.

16. To see if the town will vote to install a street light on road near Gustaf Peterson's and raise and appropriate money for the same.

17. To see if the town will vote to install a street light on Jail Avenue near the house of Mrs. Bliss and raise and appropriate money for the same. (By petition.)
18. To see if the town will vote to rebuild the Culvert near house of Walter Converse on Merri- mack road and raise and appropriate money for the same.

19. To see if the town will vote to shingle the roof of town building and raise and appropriate money for the same.

20. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on taxes.

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

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-second day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty.

WALLACE CHILSON,
SUMNER F. MERRILL,
PERCY M. ODELL,
Selectmen of Amherst.

**INVENTORY OF TOWN FOR 1929**

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Number of polls 501
Exemption for veterans $15,275.00
Amount of taxes $39,037.97
Tax rate $3.00
School rate $1.02

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<td>Baboosic Lake road, permanent work</td>
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Parker place note 1000 00  
Pine blister rust 175 00  
State aid construction (state $1487.50) 1983 00  

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$34,109 00

Tax rate on above would be $2.60 as per 1929 valuation.
REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Receipts

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1929    $ 578 11
M. W. Perry, Coll., 1927 taxes  37 70
M. W. Perry, Coll., 1928 taxes  5376 22
M. W. Perry, Coll., 1929 taxes  32,837 34
M. W. Perry, Coll., int. on taxes  77 80
M. W. Perry, Coll., credit for abatements  202 36
W. W. Sloan, Clerk, auto permits  499 53
Z. B. Kemp, Clerk, auto permits  1277 95
W. W. Sloan, Clerk, dog licenses  173 80
Z. B. Kemp, Clerk, dog licenses  245 25
Souhegan Nat'l. Bank, short term notes  19,000 00
M. W. Perry, short term note  1000 00
State Treas., highway dept.  4019 65
State Treas., town maintenance (classified)  365 51
State Treas., snow  82 71
State Treas., int. and dividends  483 86
State Treas., forest fires  66 53
State Treas., savings bank tax  1948 81
State Treas., railroad tax  253 60
County Treas., paupers  604 22
County Treas., board of children  448 43
Chas. M. Wallace, sale of Parker place  1200 00
Town of Mont Vernon, 1928 school tax  71 52
Town of New Boston, 1928 school tax  140 29
Frank Richardson, hall rent, "Jolly Seven"  48 00
Albert W. Converse, hall rent, "Jolly Seven"  35 00
Men's Club of Amherst, hall rent 1929  50 00
Souhegan Grange, hall rent 1929  50 00
Mary G. S. Babbcock, permanent care of cemetery lot  100 00
Caroline S. Fisher, perm. care of cem. lot  100 00
Fred W. Hubbard, perm. care of cem. lot  100 00
Trustees of Trust Funds, Fiske highway fund  91 02
Trustees of Trust Funds, Fiske cemetery fund

Marie Chilson, cemetery lot 12 00
E. M. Davis, cemetery lot 15 00
Harriet Savory, cemetery lot 12 00
Emma Noble, cemetery lot 12 00
Ernest Miles, cemetery lot 12 00
A. M. Ryan, bowling alley license 15 00
Simon Solomont, junk dealer’s license 5 00
I. Mushlin, junk dealer’s license 5 00
E. Neuman, junk dealer’s license 5 00
N. H. Mutual Liability Co., damage to traffic light 6 00
Haseltine & Caldwell, refund of overpayment 13

L. E. Clark, spraying 1 00
A. L. Martin, spraying 1 00
Z. B. Kemp, spraying 1 00
F. O. Stevens, spraying 3 00
E. E. Judkins, spraying 50
Anna K. Carruth, spraying 11 00
David Broome, spraying 50
Frances F. Joyce, spraying 6 00
Addie Morse, spraying 6 50
Charles Bailey, spraying 2 00
Mrs. E. P. Locke, spraying 5 00
A. B. Butman, spraying 3 00
W. B. Reynolds, spraying 1 00
Marguerite L. Dutton, spraying 4 00
Phoebe Crawford, spraying 1 25
Rubie Sargent, spraying 2 00
Anna S. Chase, spraying 1 00
Richard D. Ware, spraying 8 00
Caroline S. Fisher, spraying 1 00
Rebecca Spaulding, spraying 14 00
Mrs. Miller, spraying 6 00
A. L. Stone, spraying 8 00
Harry Carpenter, spraying 3 00
Grace E. Shepard, spraying 1 00
Rev. Geo. Huntington, spraying 1 00
Mrs. Elizabeth N. Bean, spraying 17 00
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Taylor, spraying 2 00
Lemuel Fuller Est. 3 00
Fannie L. Clark, spraying 1 00
Delia W. Dodge, spraying 4 50
Ed. West, spraying 1 00
A. M. Ryan, spraying 6 00
W. A. Proctor, spraying 2 00
Bessie Whiting, spraying 3 00
Wallace Chilson, spraying 1 00
Mrs. J. B. Pettengill, spraying 2 00
Estelle Hicks, spraying 5 00
B. F. McNamee, spraying 1 00
Marion Dodge, spraying 50
Malcolm D. Clark, spraying 5 00
R. G. Watts, spraying 3 00
Frank Boutelle, spraying 1 25

Total Receipts for 1929 $71,843 59

PAYMENTS
Paid by orders of the Selectmen $70,843 31
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1930 1,000 28

Total for 1929 $71,843 59

RECAPITULATION
Liabilities
Trustees of Trust Funds (cemetery funds note) $2500 00
Amherst School District, bal. of appropriation (1929-30) 6000 00
Amherst School District, dog tax for 1929 170 71
Souhegan Nat. Bank, short term notes 6000 00
M. W. Perry, short term note 1000 00

Total Liabilities $15,670 71
Assets

Cash in Town Treasury, Jan. 31, 1930 $1000 28
Amount of uncollected taxes 6921 36
Due from state, snow 163 10
Due from county 30 32
Due from county 26 00
Due from Town of New Boston, school tax for 1929 175 20
Due from Town of Mont Vernon, school tax for 1929 71 52
Due from Fifield Estate, phone bills 1 90
Due from spraying 22 00

Total Assets $8411 68
Amount of Town Indebtedness, Jan. 31, 1930 $7259 03

Amherst, N. H., Feb. 8, 1930.

We hereby certify that we have this day examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

A. L. MARTIN,
MALCOLM D. CLARK,
Auditors of the Town of Amherst, N. H.
# REPORT OF SELECTMEN

**Town Officers’ Salaries:**

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<th>Salary</th>
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<td>Wallace Chilson</td>
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<td>Sumner T. Merrill</td>
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<td>Percy M. Odell</td>
<td>250.00</td>
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<td>W. W. Sloan Est., town clerk</td>
<td>50.00</td>
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<td>M. W. Perry, tax collector</td>
<td>200.00</td>
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<td>C. W. Going, clerk for trustees for 1927-28</td>
<td>50.00</td>
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<td>Z. B. Kemp, clerk for trustees for 1929-30</td>
<td>50.00</td>
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<td>Z. B. Kemp, town clerk</td>
<td>100.00</td>
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<td>Z. B. Kemp, town treasurer</td>
<td>125.00</td>
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Total: $1325.00

**Town Officers’ Expense:**

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<td>N. E. Tel. &amp; Tel. Co.</td>
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<td>Cabinet Press, town reports, etc.</td>
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<td>H. B. Burtt, stamps</td>
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<td>M. W. Perry, stamps, stationery</td>
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<td>M. W. Perry, town officers’ bonds</td>
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<td>Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies</td>
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<td>W. F. French Est., supplies</td>
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<td>A. W. Rowell, assessors’ assoc.</td>
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<td>Alice K. Peaslee, services</td>
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<td>Annie E. White, services</td>
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Appropriation: $600.00
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<td>Parker Place sale</td>
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**Election and Registration:**

Appropriation $100.00

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<td>2 50</td>
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**Town Hall:**

Appropriation $150.00

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<td>Roy Parker, services</td>
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<td>Norman E. Howe, services July 4</td>
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<td>Chief, March 1929</td>
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<td>E. Atkinson, car to Meredith</td>
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Dance at lake, Oct. 12 4 00  
Call, Oct. 16 1 00  
Call at Honeypot 2 00  
Call 2 00  
Car to accident 2 00  
Board of arrest 1 00  
Phone 2 00  
3 court cases, Nov. 6 00  
Auto trouble 2 00  
Call 1 00  
Wrecks on Nashua road 1 00  
Car 1 00  
Phone 2 20  
4 tramps 4 00  
2 tramps 2 00  
Services 15 75  

$447 75

Fire Department:
Appropriation $900.00  
Special appropriation 250.00  

$1150.00

W. W. Sloan Est., bal for serv. $46 16  
A. L. Martin, fire warden 4 mos. 5 00  
A. L. Martin, fire chief 8 mos. 16 67  
A. L. Martin, forest fire warden 16 67  
F. O. Stevens, fire ward 5 00
Millard Goodale, 2nd fire ward 10 mos. 10 00
Arthur Daniels, 3rd fire ward, 7 mos. 8 75
Geo. Howard, janitor 45 50
L. F. Wyman, pay of firemen 200 00
W. W. Sloan, fires at Larners', and McMennimen's 83 00
M. W. Perry, insurance 48 66
G. L. Goodale, special approp'n. 150 00
Frank Boutelle, special approp'n. 97 12
Edward Ballou, snow 5 50
C. H. Ollis, sign work 10 00
Roy Parker, wood 6 00
Clark's Garage 25 56
F. C. Taylor Est., coal 24 11
F. C. Taylor, water 10 00
Hazeltine & Caldwell, coal 30 47
Millard Goodale, work on fire truck 12 65
J. J. Casey, Downing fire 32 00
H. R. Locke 62 70
Public Service Co. 37 36
A. L. Martin, forest fires 121 56
A. L. Martin, chimney fires 70 32
A. L. Martin, rubber coats, supplies, etc. 217 00

(Received from the state for forest fires, $66.53)

**Moth Extermination:**

Appropriation $300.00; Received from private work $150; due for private work $22.

John Pesterfield, labor $225 62
B. and M. R. R., freight 2 17
F. C. Taylor, labor 1 15

$1397 76
P. M. Odell, W. L. Young bill 1 60
Gus Anderson, labor 4 00
Brackett & Shaw, pump 82 92
Thomas McGrath, labor 13 50
Richard Sherman, Jr., labor 30 00
A. L. Martín, supplies 109 22

$470 18

Bounties:

B. F. McNamee $ 20
George H. Brown 40
P. M. Odell 2 60

$3 20

Damage by Dogs:
Deducted from Dog Tax

J. H. Atkinson, services $37 50
F. W. Noyes, hens killed 9 00
Ronald MacNeil, hens killed 178 00
Luey Hadley, turkeys killed 5 00
Z. B. Kemp, issuing licenses 5 60
James P. Melzer, book 1 75
Edson C. Eastman Co. 11 49

$248 34

Health:

Appropriation $50.00

W. W. Goodale $14 25
R. H. Prince 5 95
B. F. Foster 2 00
Dr. Oscar Burns 14 00

$36 20

Vital Statistics:

Appropriation $15.00

Rev. Geo. F. Sibley, returns of marriages $ 1 25
Z. B. Kemp, statistics 13 50
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**State Aid Maintenance:**

- Appropriation $840.00
- Received from state $901.74
- R. P. Bryant $1628.70
- J. Casey 5140

**Total** $1680.10

**Trunk Line Maintenance:**

- Appropriation $2,000.00
- Received from state $1895.96
- Fred J. Ames $313.43
- J. J. Casey 5200
- R. P. Bryant 3804.15

**Total** $4169.58

**State Aid Snow:**

- Received from state $82.71
- J. A. Casey $73.50
- R. P. Bryant 9120
- A. H. Todd 16150

- Due from state $163.10

**Total** $326.20

**Town Roads and Bridges:**

- Appropriation $6000.00
- Fiske fund 91.02
- Gasoline tax 365.00

**Total** $6425.97

**Snow—Town:**

- Appropriation $500.00
- R. W. Weston $382.11
Baboosic Road:
Appropriation $1,000.00

R. W. Weston $998.95

Street Lighting:
Appropriation $1,200.00
Public Service Co. of N. H. $1,024.80
H. C. Gault 93.60
H. R. Locke, labor and supplies 17.90

$1,136.30

General Expenses of the Department:
Appropriation $200.00
Amherst Aqueduct Co. $30.00
Harry Boutell, water 3.00
A. L. Martin, supplies 2.00
F. W. Noyes, water 10.00
Clark's Garage 10.00
John H. Parkhurst, carting ashes 53.00
John A. Hanson, water 3.00
M. F. Goodale, labor 1.50
E. H. Peaslee, water, 1928 2.00
C. Otis, signs 8.00

$122.50

Town Library:
Appropriation $400.00
Special appropriation $200.00
Flora A. Hanson $200.00
Bertha L. Piper 200.00
W. A. Mack Co., repairs 179.00

$579.00

Town Aid:
Appropriation $300.00
John Pesterfield, wood $11.00
R. G. Sherman, wood 13.00
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Received from County Treas. **$1052.65**

Due from County Treas. **$56.32**
Memorial Day:

Appropriation $100.00

A. L. Martin, supplies $ 4 74
Rev. W. M. Anderson 10 00
Boston Regalia Co. 8 50
R. C. Woodman 20 25
Laurel Band of Milford 60 00

$103 49

Parks and Playgrounds:

Appropriation $150.00

John Parkhurst, labor $28 00
H. R. Locke, Jr., labor 2 40
J. H. Atkinson, labor 50 00
Alfred Roeberge, labor 40 00
H. R. Locke, Jr., and D.
R. MacArthur, labor 3 60

$124 00

Cemeteries:

Appropriation $850.00

Trust Funds $29.25

A. P. Stevens, Meadowview cem. $47 00
A. P. Stevens, old cemetery 48 50
Mark Bennett, old cemetery 1 75
Mark Bennett, Meadowview cem. 51 15
F. C. Taylor, Meadowview cem. 37 88
Chas. Pettingale, Meadview cem. 10 00
Chas. Pettingale, old cem. 5 00
B. F. Foster, use of hearse 127 00
Leslie Miles, Meadowview cem. 28 60
Leslie Miles, old cem. 1 75
Leslie Miles, Cricket Cor. cem. 1 75
A. L. Martin, supplies 13 01
M. F. Goodale, Meadowview cem. 25 95
R. W. Goodale, M'dowview cem. 131 32
R. W. Goodale, Chestnut Hill
cemetery 15 45
R. W. Goodale, Cricket Cor. cem. 19 45
Geo. A. Jenkins, Cricket Cor. cem. 12 38
Geo. A. Jenkins, Chestnut Hill
cemetery 14 25
Geo. A. Jenkins, Meadowview
cem. 303 06

$895 25

Note—Meadowview $634.96, Old Cemetery
$57.00, Cricket Corner $33.58, Chestnut Hill $29.70

**State Aid Construction:**

Appropriation $1983.00
Received from state $1221.95

R. P. Bryant $2998 23

**Trustees of Trust Funds:**

For permanent care of cemetery
lot of Mary G. S. Babcock $100 00
For permanent care of cemetery
lot of Caroline S. Fisher 100 00
For permanent care of cemetery
lot of W. H. Hubbard 100 00
Payment on principal of Cemetery Trust Funds issued by
town (appropriated) 500 00
Interest on Trust Funds owed
by town (appropriated) 120 00

$920 00

**Short and Long Term Notes:**

Souhegan National Bank, notes
given in anticipation of
taxes $20,000 00
M. W. Perry, long term road
note, appropriated 1,000 00
Souhegan National Bank, note
given for balance Parker place (appropriated) 1,000 00

$22,000 00

**Interest:**

Souhegan National Bank,
short term notes 759 85
M. W. Perry, long term notes 50 00

$809 85

**County:**

Appropriation $2800.00
Paid County Treasurer $2721 80

**State:**

Appropriation $3423.00
Paid State Treasurer $3354 00

**Abatements:**

M. W. Perry, abatements for 1928 202 36

**State Forestry Department:**

Appropriation $175.00
Paid State Forestry Dept. $119 95

**Town Clock:**

Appropriation $30.00
Chas. Pherson, care & supplies 31 00
W. B. Rotch, insurance 25 00

$56 00

**Automotive Service Bureau:**

Paid Automotive Service Bureau $36 91

Note—The above is for a service adopted by the state to determine the taxable value of used cars.

**Auto Permit Fees:**

W. W. Sloan Est. $ 15
Z. B. Kemp 82 75

$82 90
School District:

Paid to Treasurer of School District  $14,521  03

Total Payments by Selectmen   $70,843  31

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

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A. L. MARTIN,
Auditors.
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M. W. PERRY, Collector.
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A. L. MARTIN,
MALCOLM D. CLARK,
Auditors.

February 8, 1930.
REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Tax of 1929

Dr.
To amt. of taxes as assessed $40,039 97
To amt. of extra tax 58 50

Cr.
By paid town treasurer $32,837 34
Uncollected in hands of coll. 6,921 36
3% discount allowed to July 1 339 77

$40,098 47

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR 1928

Dr.
To amount due town Feb. 1, 1929 $5578 96

Cr.
By paid town treasurer $5376 22
By paid abatements 202 36
By balance due town 1928 tax 38

$5578 96

COLLECTED TAX OF 1927

Dr.
To amount collected $37 70

Cr.
By paid town treasurer $37 70

INTEREST ACCOUNT

Dr.
To amount collected $77 80

Cr.
By paid town treasurer $77 80

M. W. PERRY,
Collector.
REPORT OF HIGHWAY AGENT

R. W. WESTON, ROAD AGENT

Town Road Maintenance

A. B. Hubley $389.96
George Parker 373.89
Robert T. Weston 174.31
Walter Ingerson 369.25
Ben. Monson 122.70
Roland Goodale 78.75
Algot Monson 132.00
R. W. Weston 506.25
Frank Bills 286.89
William Goodale 264.20
R. W. Weston (teams) 1022.35
John Elliott 300.38
Ernest Miles 233.95
Guy Bills 195.15
Clarence Frost 17.95
Harry Boutelle (truck) 307.50
John Taylor 96.25
Roy Parker (truck) 178.50
M. F. Goodale 61.01
Bill Brown 21.35
L. Philbrick 21.35
Andy Spaulding 82.15
A. L. Martin 38.33
Frank Hartshorn Co. 62.80
R. W. Weston (car) 114.00
F. A. Stockley 164.10
Edson Eastman 6.45
W. L. Young 11.20
Albert Junkins 5.10
Roland Goodwin 6.00
Norman Philbrick 4.00
John Hanson 40.80
Clark's Garage 10.00
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A. L. MARTIN,  
MALCOLM D. CLARK,  
Auditors.

Baboosic Road 1929  
Appropriation $1000

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$998 95

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A. L. MARTIN,  
MALCOLM D. CLARK,  
Auditors.
Gravel

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$178.30

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A. L. MARTIN,  
MALCOLM D. CLARK,  
Auditors.

Snow 1929

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Norman Philbrick 20 50
M. F. Goodale 1 85
John Morrill 16 00
Chas. Pherson 99 11
E. H. Peaslee 4 00
Chas. Field 2 00
George Boutelle 4 50
A. Monson 1 75
Richard Sherman 20 00
Edwin Hanson 5 60
Robert Bryant 16 00
John Parkhurst 9 00
Robert T. Weston 6 15
Boston & Maine Railroad 50
Dyar Sales & Machine Co. 7 00
John Taylor 2 40
Roland Goodwin 21 80
Grace McMenimen 1 40
W. L. Young 2 00
Fred W. Hubbard 5 40

$382 11

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A. L. MARTIN,
MALCOLM D. CLARK,
Auditors.
REPORT OF TOWN CLERK
FOR YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1930

W. W. Sloan, Clerk from Feb. 1 to June 10, 1929

Auto permits Nos. 1566 to 1676 inclusive $527 28
Less commissions (111 at 25c each) 27 75

Balance paid to Town Treasurer $499 53

Dog licenses issued:
58 at $2.00 each $116 00
12 at $5.00 each 60 00
1 at $12.00 12 00

Total $188 00
Less Commissions (71 at 20c each) 14 20

Balance paid to Town Treasurer $173 80

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A. L. MARTIN,
MALCOM D. CLARK,
Auditors.

June 29, 1930.

Z. B. Kemp, Clerk from June 10, 1929 to
January 31, 1930

Auto permits (for 1929) Nos. 1677 to 1775 inclusive $268 60
Auto permits (for 1930) Nos. 1601 to 1832 inclusive 1009 35

Total (all paid to Town Treasurer) $1277 95
Dog licenses issued:

1 at $25.00  $25 00
2 at $12.00   24 00
14 at $5.00  70 00
67 at $2.00  134 00
1 at $1.50, 2 at $1.00, and 1 at 75c  4 25

Total $257 25
Less Commissions, 60 at 20c 12 00

Paid Treasurer $245 25

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A. L. MARTIN,
MALCOLM D. CLARK,
Auditors.

February 8, 1930.
REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

RECEIPTS
On hand Feb. 1, 1929, in Souhegan Savings Bank $600.00
On hand Feb. 1, 1929, in Souhegan Checking Account 475.14

Total $1075.14
Received in 1930 (int. & accrued int.) 4696.30

TOTAL $5771.44

PAYMENTS
Amount paid out $2976.94
Transferred to Souhegan Savings Bank as Fund No. 4 2000.00
Cash on hand in Souhegan Checking Acct. 794.50

TOTAL $5771.44

HAROLD H. WILKINS,
F. W. BROWN,
W. A. PROCTOR,
Trustees.

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A. L. MARTIN,
MALCOLM D. CLARK,
Auditors.
Report of the Trust Funds for the Town of Amherst for the Year Ending January 31, 1930

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<th>Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation</th>
<th>How Invested</th>
<th>Amount of Principal</th>
<th>Rate of Interest</th>
<th>Balance of Income on hand at Beginning of Year</th>
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<td>Amoskeag Savings Bank</td>
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*Accrued Interest Transferred and set up as Special Fund (4)

Gifts of $100 each received from Mary Grace Secomb Babcock for care of Lot of John Secomb, and from Caroline S. Fisher for care of her lot in Meadowview Cemetery were added to Amalgamated Fund No. 3; also from Fred W. Hubbard for care of Lot of W. H. Hubbard
FIFTIETH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
Amherst Town Library

OFFICERS

LINDLEY F. WYMAN President
BERTHA L. PIPER Secretary and Treasurer
FLORA H. SIBLEY Librarian

Trustees

Lindley F. Wyman Term expires March 1930
Flora A. Hanson Term expires March 1930
Z. B. Kemp Term expires March 1931
Caroline Fisher Term expires March 1931
Charles Chase Term expires March 1932
Bertha Piper Term expires March 1932

TREASURER'S REPORT

Dr.

Balance $31 54
Appropriation 400 00
Fines 17 00
French fund 77 47
Parker fund 71 93
George fund 25 16
Emma Clark fund 25 28
Overpaid to H. B. Burtt 1 00

$649 38

Cr.

Books $209 23
Librarian 120 00
Fuel 88 71
Care of grounds 55 60
Magazines 60 50
Lights 21 67
Printing 10 00
Transportation of books 4 00
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BERTHA L. PIPER,
Treasurer.

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A. L. MARTIN,
MALCOLM D. CLARK,
Auditors.

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**STATEMENT OF BERTHA PIPER, TREASURER**

Dr.

1929

Feb. 1, Cash on hand  $31 54
May 1, Received from Mr. Kemp, Town Treas.  200 00
Sept. 27, Mrs. Sibley, fines  17 00
Sept. 27, Received from Mr. Kemp, Town Treas.  200 00
Oct. 29, Harry Burtt, rebate on magazines  1 00

1930

Jan. 15, deposited from French fund  77 47
Jan. 15, deposited from Parker fund  71 93
Jan. 15, deposited from George fund  25 16
Jan. 15, deposited from Emma Clark fund  25 28

**Total**  $649.38
1929

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<td>Jennie Holbrook, five months as librarian</td>
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books 88 78
Jan. 28, Hazeltine and Caldwell, coal 19 01
Jan. 28, Public Service Co., lights Dec., Jan. 3 79
Jan. 28, Bertha Piper, transportation of books 4 00
Jan. 28, Charles Pherson, wood and kindling 17 50
Jan. 28, Mrs. Sibley, salary Jan. 10 00
Jan. 28, A. L. Martin, brooms 5 50
Jan. 31, Balance 70 23

$649 38

RESOURCES
Number bound volumes at beginning of year 7439
Number bound volumes added by purchase 149
Number bound volumes added by gift 37
Federal, state and town documents added 12

Total 7637
Deduct number of volumes discarded 24

Total number of volumes at end of year 7613

SERVICE
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<td>Number vols. unbound magazines lent</td>
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Total circulation of current year 5600 2099 7699
Number of new borrowers added during year 30
Total number of active borrowers during year 200
AMHERST SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL OFFICERS

School Board
Melvin W. Perry, Chairman
Marion L. Cass, Secretary
Orson H. Bragdon

Term Expires
1930
1931
1932

Harold C. Bales, Milford, N. H. Superintendent
Z. B. Kemp Treasurer
Harold H. Wilkins Moderator
Z. B. Kemp Clerk
James H. Atkinson Truant Officer
Oscar Burns, M. D. School Physician
Miss Emma L. Smith, R. N. School Nurse

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1929-1930

September 4, 1929 to November 27, 1929
December 3, 1929 to December 20, 1929
January 6, 1930 to February 21, 1930
March 3, 1930 to April 18, 1930
April 29, 1930 to June 20, 1930
No school days

May 30, 1930

PROPOSED CALENDAR FOR 1930-1931

Begin
September 3, 1930 (Wed.)
December 2, 1930 (Tues.)
January 5, 1931 (Mon.)
March 3, 1931 (Tues.)
May 5, 1931 (Tues.)

Close
November 26, 1930
December 19, 1930
February 20, 1931
April 24, 1931
June 19, 1931
Warrant for Annual Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Amherst, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 11th day of March 1930, at 3 o’clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year, July 1, 1930 to June 30, 1931.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To see how much money the district will raise
and appropriate for repairs and alterations of school property, for new equipment, and for insurance.

10. To see if the district will vote to sell any of its schoolhouses not now in use for school purposes or take any other action in relation thereto.

11. To see if the district will raise and appropriate the sum of $500. for purchase of the "Wigwam" so called.

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

Given under our hands at said Amherst this nineteenth day of February, 1930.

MELVIN W. PERRY,
MARION L. CASS,
ORSON H. BRAGDON,
School Board.
REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Financial Report of Amherst School District for Fiscal Year July 1, 1928 to June 30, 1929

TOTAL RECEIPTS $18,995.61
TOTAL PAYMENTS $17,667.27

Balance on hand June 30, 1929 $1,288.34

RECEIPTS
From State:
Equalization fund (State Aid) $2,343.64

From Selectmen Raised by Taxation:
By appropriation voted
March 1928 $15,616.00
Less amount drawn on 1927-1928 account as shown on last year's report 1,000.00
________________________ $14,616.00

From Sources Other Than Taxation:
Dog licenses $231.03
Income from local trust funds 749.87
Sale of property 22.00
________________________ $1,002.90

Total receipts from all sources $17,962.54
Cash on hand July 1, 1928 993.07

GRAND TOTAL $18,955.61

PAYMENTS
July 1, 1928 to June 30, 1929
(Classification and numbering conform to state accounting system required in state aided district.)

Administration:
1. Salaries of district officers $192.00
2. 'Supt.'s excess salary 425.00
3. Truant officer & school census 52 65  
4. Expenses of administration 228 87  

\[ \text{Total} = 5265 + 22887 \]  
\[ \text{Total} = 89852 \]  

**Instruction:**  
5. Teachers’ salaries $9812 17  
6. Text books 339 57  
7. Scholars’ supplies 288 66  
8. Flags & appurtenances 13 70  
9. Other expenses of instruction 56 06  

\[ \text{Total} = 981217 + 33957 + 28866 + 1370 + 5606 \]  
\[ \text{Total} = 1051016 \]  

**Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:**  
10. Janitor service $656 50  
11. Fuel 549 78  
12. Water, light, janitor’s supplies 154 89  
13. Minor repairs and expenses 790 24  

\[ \text{Total} = 65650 + 54978 + 15489 + 79024 \]  
\[ \text{Total} = 215141 \]  

**Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:**  
14. Medical inspection $208 45  
15. Transportation of pupils 2774 50  
16. High school tuition 00 00  
17. Elementary school tuition 194 00  
18. Other special activities 21 38  

\[ \text{Total} = 20845 + 277450 + 0000 + 19400 + 2138 \]  
\[ \text{Total} = 319833 \]  

**Fixed Charges:**  
19. Tax for state-wide supervision ($2 per capita) $478 00  
20. Insurance and other fixed charges 196 25  

\[ \text{Total} = 47800 + 19625 \]  
\[ \text{Total} = 67425 \]  

**Outlay for Construction and Equipment:**  
21. Lands & new bldgs. $00 00  
22. Alterations of old bldgs. 00 00  
23. New equipment 198 60  

\[ \text{Total} = 0000 + 19860 \]  
\[ \text{Total} = 19860 \]
Debt, Interest and Other Charges:

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<td>27.</td>
<td>Specials—prizes</td>
<td>36 00</td>
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Total Payments for all Purposes $17,667 27
# PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

**July 1, 1928 to June 30, 1929**

## 1. Salaries of District Officers:

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<tr>
<th>Name</th>
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<td>Melvin W. Perry</td>
<td>School Board</td>
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<td>Marion L. Cass</td>
<td>School Board</td>
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<td>4.00</td>
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<td>Z. B. Kemp, Treasurer</td>
<td>Treasurer</td>
<td>30.00</td>
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<td>Malcolm D. Clark</td>
<td>Auditor</td>
<td>2.00</td>
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<td>A. L. Martin</td>
<td>Auditor</td>
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**Total**: $192.00

## 2. Superintendent's Salary Account:

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<td>Harry N. Thomas</td>
<td>Treas. Union No. 40, acct. Harold C. Bales</td>
<td>$425.00</td>
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## 3. Truant Officer and School Census:

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<td>James H. Atkinson</td>
<td>Truant Officer</td>
<td>$25.00</td>
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<td>James H. Atkinson</td>
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<td>Mark Emerson</td>
<td>School Census</td>
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<tr>
<td>Jas. P. Melzer</td>
<td>Enumeration</td>
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**Total**: $52.65

## 4. Expenses of Administration:

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<td>H. B. Burtt</td>
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<td>Marion L. Cass</td>
<td>Repairs, etc.</td>
<td>3.09</td>
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<tr>
<td>J. L. Hammett Co.</td>
<td>Folders, Cases</td>
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<td>James P. Melzer</td>
<td>Vouchers</td>
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<td>M. W. Perry</td>
<td>Bond for Treasurer</td>
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<tr>
<td>Harry N. Thomas</td>
<td>Clerk and Office Expenses</td>
<td>200.00</td>
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**Total**: $228.87
5. Teachers Salaries:

Berry, Helen M., Greeley I-VIII $900 00
Cotton, Dorothy, music 253 50
Emerson, Mark F., Hdm. High 1600 00
Gogan, Katherine, Border St., I-VI 888 00
Rachel Steele, sub. 20 00
Mrs. Albert Caron, sub. 4 00
Harriman, Mrs. Dorothy Story 1090 22
Rev. Wm. D. Armitage, sub. 9 78
Jenkins, Viola I., I-II-III 1000 00
Lorden, Margaret E., No. I-VIII 850 00
Milford School Dist., bal. due on acct. music teacher 36 00
Piper, Bertha L., High, VII-VIII 1276 67
Scott, Barbara, Cricket Corner I-VIII 851 00
Rachel Steele, sub. 5 00
Mildred Foote, sub. 24 00
Cevie Weston, sub. 4 00
Tingley, Mary A., Village IV-V-VI 1000 00

High $2720.23; Elem. $7091.94 $9812 17

6. Textbooks:

American Book Co. $48 33
D. Appleton & Co. 2 50
Ginn & Company 29 81
D. C. Heath & Co. 43 92
Houghton Mifflin Co. 70 40
The Macmillan Co. 35 70
National Geographic Soc. 3 00
Benj. Sanborn Co. 5 04
Scott, Foresman & Co. 32 32
Silver, Burdett & Co. 16 13
Taylor, J. B. 8 06
Weekly News Review 15 60  
John C. Winston & Co. 28 17  
World Book Co. 59  

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High $88.46; Elem. $251.11  

7. Scholars' Supplies:  
Edward E. Babb & Co. $8 25  
Clark's Garage 50  
Iroquois Pub. Co. 50  
J. L. Hammett Co. 169 01  
A. L. Martin 1 00  
Milton Bradley Co. 80 20  
Ryan & Buker 11 47  
Silver, Burdett & Co. 17 73  

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High $34.49; Elem. $254.17  

8. Flags and Appurtenances:  
W. F. French Est., flags $11 70  
M. W. Perry, labor 2 00  

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High $1.00; Elem. $12.70  

9. Other Expenses of Instruction:  
Beckley-Cardy Co., 3 courtesy books $ 1 93  
George Bosworth, almanacs 2 16  
Marion L. Dodge, music at graduation 21 46  
Gilson's Taxi Service, trans. sub. Cricket Corner 9 00  
J. L. Hammett Co., plan book, fillers, etc. 9 44  
The Macmillan Co., Handbook of Stunts 2 44  
James P. Melzer, programs 2 45
E. M. Stickney, ribbon for diplomas $1.58
Weekly News Review, Jr. News Review $5.60

High $28.86; Elem. $27.20

10. Janitors' Salaries:
Richard Arnold, Border St. $36.00
Oliver Merrill, Cricket Corner $36.00
Herbert Nelson, Village $512.50
Ruth Noble, North $36.00
John Young, Greeley $36.00

High $102.50; Elem. $554.00

11. Fuel:
Converse & Peaslee $26.50
Haseltine & Caldwell $120.54
A. L. Martin 2.97
Emma Noble $20.00
Roy S. Parker $223.00
F. C. Taylor $80.52
Clarence L. Trow $31.00
R. W. Weston $32.00

High $76.61; Elem. $473.17

12. Water, Light and Janitor Supplies:

H. A. Beane $4.00
L. M. Glover $20.89
J. L. Hammett Co. $22.34
H. R. Locke 3.65
A. L. Martin 35.03
Philip Morris $10.00
Herbert Nelson $3.50
Public Service Co. of N. H. $55.48

High $25.33; Elem. $129.56
13. Minor Repairs and Expenses:

J. H. Atkinson, cleaning yard $ 4 00
Mrs. M. A. Bliss, cleaning 3 80
David Broome, general repairs 118 00
Harry B. Burtt, truck to Boston 15 00
George L. Cass, labor . 8 45
Warren Chase, lumber 12 48
W. F. French Est., lock, repairs 3 60
George Hoeg, general repairs 261 85
A. R. Jefferson, repairs on phonograph 2 00
Z. B. Kemp, repairs, keys, etc. 30 75
H. R. Locke, general repairs and materials 34 04
A. L. Martin, sup. for repairs, trucking 49 12
Austin Merrill, cleaning toilets 10 00
H. A. Nelson, cleaning, trucking 19 50
Robert E. O’Neil, labor at Border St. 7 15
John Parkhurst, collecting ashes 2 50
M. W. Perry, labor 54 50
Alfred Roberg, trimming trees 7 00
F. C. Taylor, summer rep., labor on heater 146 50

$790 24

High $58.65; Elem. $731.59

14. Medical Inspection:

Oscar Burns, M. D. $107 00
Milford Red Cross, supplies 1 45
Hugo Trentini, Treas. Red Cross, acct. school nurse 100 00

$208 45

High $32.29; Elem. $176.16
15. Transportation of Pupils:

Roy Aiken $503.30
Cabinet Press, ads. on transp. 1 20
Malcolm D. Clark 1232.00
Joseph Gowett, board of Junkins boy 30 00
Mrs. Edith Hanson, board of Junkins boy 20 00
Horace Hanson 110.00
Everett Knight 42 00
Arthur Richardson 528.00
T. D. Sanford 308.00

$2774.50

High $00.00; Elem. $2774.50

17. Elementary School Tuition:

Milford School District $194.00

18. Other Special Activities:

Roy Aiken, transp. music teacher $1.50
Emil Ascher, Inc., orchestrations 1 88
B. F. Foster, adv., services 18 00

$21.38

High $00.00; Elem. $21.38

19. Tax for State-Wide Supervision:

Henry E. Chamberlain, State Treas., $2 per pupil registered 1927-1928 $478.00

20. Other Fixed Charges:

B. F. McNamee, insurance, $2250 on 7 rurals to Apr. 19, 1932 $56.25
M. W. Perry, insurance, $4000 on village bldg. to Apr. 19, 1932; $2000 on Border St. bldg. to Apr. 19, 1932 140 00

$196.25
23. New Equipment:

Denoyer, Geppert & Co., maps $21 70  
A. L. Martin, oil stove 7 00  
F. C. Taylor, cess pool at  
Cricket Corner 53 05  
U. S. Radiator Corp., parts  
for boiler 116 85  

$198 69

27. Specials:

Marion L. Cass, acct. Lawrence  
Prizes purchased $36 00  

$17,667 27

TOTAL PAYMENTS  

General expenses $1807 37  
Support of high school 3168 42  
Support of elem. schools 12691 48  

$17,667 27

Audited June 29, 1929,

A. L. MARTIN,  
MALCOLM D. CLARK,  
Auditors.
BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR  
July 1, 1930 to June 30, 1931

A. Amount required for the support of schools

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<td>$3,510.84</td>
<td>$1,264.16</td>
<td>$10,775.00</td>
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<td>Textbooks</td>
<td>75.00</td>
<td>325.00</td>
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<td>of instruction</td>
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<td>100.00</td>
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<td>Other special activities</td>
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$3,980 84 $12,675 16 $16,656 00

B. Other statutory requirements:

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<td>Salary of truant officer &amp; census enum.</td>
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<td>Salary of clerk</td>
<td>4 00</td>
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<td>Salary of moderator</td>
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<td>Superintendent's salary account</td>
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$2.00 per capita tax payable Dec. 1930 472 00
For administration 225 00

Total required to meet School Board’s Budget $18,045 00

**Estimated Income of District**

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<td>Bal. June 30, 1929 (est.)</td>
<td>$1425 00</td>
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<td>State Aid (Dec. ’30 allotment)</td>
<td>2703 00</td>
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<td>Dog tax (est.)</td>
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<td>Income from Trust Funds (est.)</td>
<td>700 00</td>
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<td>High school tuition receipts (est.)</td>
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<td>Elem. school tuition receipts (est.)</td>
<td>72 00</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>$5,200 00</strong></td>
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Assessment Required for School Board’s Budget $12,845 00

MELVIN W. PERRY,
MARION L. CASS,
ORSON H. BRAGDON,
School Board.

February 5, 1930.
SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT
July 1, 1928 to June 30, 1929

Bal. on hand from previous year $993.07
Approp'n for current year $14616.00
Received from other sources:
  State Treasurer 2343.64
  Dog tax 231.03
  Income from trust funds
  Spaulding School fund 425.30
  Nutt School Fund 225.00
  Lawrence School Fund 63.57
  Miss Lawrence School Fund 36.00
  __________________________
  749.87

Received from all other sources 22.00

Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year $18,995.61
Less School Board Orders Paid 17,667.27

Balance on Hand as of June 30, 1929 $1,288.34

Z. B. KEMP,
District Treasurer.

June 29, 1929.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Amherst, N. H., of which the above is a true sum-
mary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1929, and find them correct in all respects.

A. L. MARTIN,
MALCOLM D. CLARK,
Auditors.

June 29, 1929.

ABSTRACT OF CLERK'S REPORT

To State Board of Education, School Board and Selectmen

District Revenue Voted March 1929 for Fiscal Year
July 1, 1929 to June 30, 1930

Amount appropriated for:
Support of high school $3246 00
Support of elem. schools 12487 00

$15,733 00

Salaries of district officers 192 00
Truant officer and school census 50 00
Superintendent's salary 450 00
Administration 250 00
$2 per capita tax for supervision 476 00

$1418 00

Special appropriations
Special repairs 500 00
Insurance 135 00
Well at Border St. school 100 00

735 00

$17,886 00

Less Estimated Income 4,596 00

Total Amount of Money to be Raised $13,290 00

ZEBINA B. KEMP,
Clerk of the School District.

March 19, 1929.
REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Amherst:

I herewith submit my eleventh report, which is also the twenty-first in the series of such reports.

Supervisory Union No. 40

No change has been made since the Union was formed in 1919. It still comprises Amherst, Brookline, Milford and Mont Vernon, with joint expenses divided respectively as follows: 25%, 10%, 60%, and 5%.

Teachers and Instruction

In recent years the turn-over in the High School staff has been much greater than in elementary rooms. So it has been this year. Mr. Emerson left to accept a position in Ashville School, North Carolina. Mrs. Harriman went to Woodsville. Their places have been taken by Mr. Ralph G. Reed, who is a graduate of Bates and who has had nineteen years experience in several High Schools, his last being at Milton, N. H. Mr. Reed teaches seven classes, namely, Bookkeeping I and II, Algebra I, General Science VII-VIII, Geometry, Chemistry, Arithmetic VII and Arithmetic VIII.

The new assistant is Miss Ruth Holt of Amherst. She graduated at Keene and has taught three years in Whitefield and Woodsville. Miss Holt has seven classes as follows: French III, English VII, French II, English III-IV, English VIII, English I-II, and French I.

The other assistant is Miss Piper, who has been with us many years. She also has seven classes as follows: Latin I, Latin II, Geography VII-VIII, History VIII, History VII, Modern European History, History of Civilization.

Even with the heavy schedules shown above it is necessary to combine certain grades such as Fresh-
man and Sophomore English and to alternate certain subjects such as Bookkeeping and Commercial Geography, European History and U. S. Constitutional History, Chemistry and Economics, English III and IV. Furthermore, it is almost impossible to find sufficient time in Chemistry to do a full year's work or to meet state requirements. In addition to teaching duties, the headmaster has the general administration of the building, including keeping of high school registers and records. Every teacher should have at least one free or study period during the day and the headmaster at least two. In many schools the headmaster does not teach more than four periods out of seven. In Milford it is now two out of six. The only solution is the employment of another teacher. In addition to furnishing a much needed relief it may be possible to expand the program slightly or at least to better the combinations and alternations now necessary. The employment of another teacher for 1930-31 is recommended and has been planned for in the budget.

In elementary schools Miss Lorden has left the North and Miss Charlotte Boutelle has taken her place. Miss Violet Boudreau of Milford has replaced Miss Scott at Cricket Corner. Miss Berry, at Greeley, went to the Normal School at Keene February 1 to complete her work for a diploma: Miss Mary C. McGettigan of Wilton is finishing out the year. Miss Gogan at Border Street, Miss Jenkins in the Primary, and Miss Tingley in the Intermediate continue in the same schools as last year.

A change in music supervisor for the Union has been necessary due to Miss Cotton's accepting a position in Lebanon. She is replaced by Miss Josephine MacKinnon of Greenfield, Mass., a graduate of Keene Normal School. Miss MacKinnon substituted for Miss Cotton last year and so was familiar with our needs.
Enrollment

Complete tables showing conditions on January 31 will be found on another page. In addition to those listed, tuition is provided for four pupils at South Merrimack, for seven at No. 6 school in Merrimack and for four in Milford. All of these tuition pupils would have to be transported to Amherst schools if this arrangement was not in effect. For next year the total number of children to be in Grade VII-XII will be larger than at present and will require more seats on the upper floor of the high school building. However, there is room for about thirty more seats which may require purchase of some new furniture. Should the North School be closed another year due to small enrollment caused mainly by several of the pupils completing Grade VIII, there will be ample room to accommodate these pupils at the village.

Transportation

The situation has changed considerably since last year due to the School Board having definitely adopted the policy of assigning all children below high school to the nearest school, either village or rural, with the privilege extended to seventh and eighth grade pupils only to attend at the village if they provide their own transportation. The result has been that the large south transportation route has been discontinued, pupils either attending the Cricket Corner school or becoming tuition pupils at Merrimack schools. The original causes for the large south route were crowded condition at Cricket Corner and lack of eighth grade in Merrimack schools. Present routes are arranged to provide for children from Ponemah, from the north part of Amherst, from the Lake section, and two or three scattered cases.
Buildings and Equipment

Last year's report reviewed at length the condition of all school property and gave certain recommendations. Of those recommendations the following things were done last summer: slate blackboards installed at the North, more Forse window shades purchased for the village building, book closet built at high school and main room refinished, roof shingled and well built in cellar at Border Street, Coppus blower attachment installed on boiler at village to control heat and save fuel.

Things which remain to be done are as follows: Border Street, repairs to clapboards and painting exterior, regular school room heater with ventilation attachment; Cricket Corner, better ventilation; Greeley, better toilets; Village, ventilation and lighting.

The situation in the Village building seems most important of all, particularly ventilation of school rooms and toilet rooms. The toilet rooms have no ventilation whatever. The school rooms could be greatly improved. Visits to the various rooms at the Village, week by week, by Superintendent and School Board members and others, have disclosed a condition of very foul air. It is utterly impossible for children to do their best work under such conditions nor is it possible for them to maintain a proper standard of health. The correct condition is for rooms to be supplied with fresh heated air which, once used, should be removed through exhaust ducts. A "univent" adaptation of heating and ventilation would solve the problem completely, using present boiler and radiators. The advice and recommendation of an expert should be sought and some plan adopted without delay.

Lighting in the Village building has been improved as much as possible with the present ar-
Arrangement of windows and auxiliary electric lights. However, new fixtures for ceiling outlets would diffuse the light more evenly than at present and be much better for pupils' eyes. Floor or wall plugs should be installed in each room and teachers provided with a small independent desk lamp in order to have better service at their desk and to save burning room lights when only a desk light is needed.

In accordance with vote taken at the annual district meeting last March, No. 10 schoolhouse was sold at auction for $155. The purchaser, Mr. Pher-son, has removed the building from the premises.

**Costs**

A comparison of local and state costs for the school year 1928-1929 may be of interest and is shown in the following table. Figures indicate cost per pupil in average membership.

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An important figure to know is the amount of money needed for schools in proportion to the wealth of a district. For Amherst $10.53 for each $1000. of equalized valuation was required. Of this amount $6.24 came from local district funds for elementary, $1.41 from State Aid, $1.91 from local funds for high school, and $.97 for other expenses. Amherst stands one hundred thirty-ninth among the 244 districts of the state, the lowest district being Livermore at $3.61 and the highest Acworth at
$20.94. This shows that in proportion to the valuation Amherst costs for schools are about average.

**Conclusion**

Calvin Coolidge once said "it is not enough merely to know how to get a living; it is necessary to know how to live." Such a statement expresses the purpose of public schools, especially the last part. The constant effort of every teacher, who makes of her teaching a profession and not just a job, is to teach children by instruction and by example how to live. This part of a pupil's education is not measurable in the same way as arithmetic or grammar, etc., but is equally if not more valuable. A good school citizen will make a good adult community citizen. By daily practice in living we learn how to live and grow—hence our motto of this year—"Education is Growth."

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD C. BALES.

February 20, 1930.
ENROLLMENT AS OF JANUARY 31, 1930
Amherst High School

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Grand Total all schools, 208
GENERAL STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR
1928-1929

Number of weeks in school year: 36
Average number days schools were actually in session: 176
Average number of days lost from all causes: 8, 1-3
Number of one-room schools maintained: 4
Average membership of the one-room schools:
   15.62  12.15  12.99  17.45
Whole number of different pupils registered:
   Boys 105; Girls 117; Total 222

Enrollment by Grades:
   I-30; II-21; III-20; IV-22; V-24; VI-28;
   VII-34; VIII-12; IX-14; X-12; XI-3; XII-2 222
Total Amherst pupils attending public schools 237
This is the basis of the $2 tax payable Dec. 1930

Average membership in high school: 27.57
Average daily attendance in high school: 26.53
Per cent of attendance in high school for the year: 96.22

Average membership in elementary schools: 170.03
Average daily attendance in elementary schools: 157.32
Per cent of attendance in elementary schools:
Average daily attendance in all schools: 183.85
Per cent of attendance in all schools for the year: 93.04

Number of cases of tardiness in all schools: 234
Average cases of tardiness per pupil: 1
Number of cases of tardiness in high school: 23
Average cases of tardiness in high school per pupil: .74

Number not absent nor tardy during year: 5
Salary of headmaster: $1600
Average salary of elementary teachers: $1092
Number of visits made to schools by:

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Number of school board meetings 14

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**HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES 1929**

Theodora Fall

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**PUPILS WHO COMPLETED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, JUNE 1929**


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**PERFECT ATTENDANCE**

School Year 1928-1929

George Bliss, Loretta Bliss, Bernice Duncklee, Evelyn Monson, Ella Taylor.

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From September 4, 1929 to January 31, 1930

High School

Dorothy Brown, Ernestine Converse, Evelyn Converse, Beatrice Hoeg, Mildred Jackson, Howard Locke, Ridgway MacArthur, Isabelle Martin, Elizabeth McKay, Hibbert Miles, Louise Palmer, Bernice Robinson, Margaret Sherman, Hester Small, Miriam Small.

Elementary Schools

Reed, David Richardson, Elizabeth Richardson, Helen Woodruff.

**Border Street:** None.

**Cricket Corner:** Geneva Roby, Madalene Roby, Gladys Weston.

**Greeley:** None.

**North:** Kathaleen McCue, Edith Noble, Marjorie Noble, Ruth Noble.

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**RETURN OF SCHOOL CENSUS SEPTEMBER 1929**

Ralph G. Reed, Enumerator

Number of children 5-16 years of age
Boys 104; Girls 115; Total 219

Total number of children (5-16) registered as members of local public schools on Sept. 30, 1929 191

(Also sixteen over 16)

Number of children attending elementary school outside of district 19

Number of children (5-16) who are attending high school outside of the district 3

Number 5-8 years of age not attending school 9

Number 8-14 not attending school 0

Number 14-16 not attending school 0

Number of tuition pupils in elementary schools 0

Number of tuition pupils in high school 1
REPORT OF HEADMASTER OF HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools, School Board and the Citizens of Amherst, N. H.:

I herewith submit for your consideration my first annual report as Headmaster of Amherst High School.

The school year 1929-1930 began on September 4 with an enrollment of seventy-six pupils, forty-two of whom were in grades seven and eight. During the year some new pupils have enrolled and others have withdrawn and entered other schools so that our present registration is thirty-eight in the high school and forty in grades seven and eight, a total of seventy-eight. Of the pupils who were members of the school year, no pupil has withdrawn who is not now a member of some other school. The attendance record has been excellent. Practically every pupil seems to take pride in attaining a high attendance average. Tardinesses are very rare.

The curricula remain unchanged, and we are operating on the same program of studies as in recent years. Miss Piper is still teaching history, Latin and geography; Miss Ruth Holt teaches the English and French branches; and the headmaster is in charge of the mathematics and science departments. Each teacher is teaching every period in the day, which, it is unnecessary to state, is too much teaching for any teacher to do satisfactory work. Many students need individual attention but, under existing conditions, this is impossible. Much can be accomplished also by directed study, if each teacher could have at least one spare period daily.

As in the past two years, the "Triple Entente Association" is controlling all extra-curricular activities.
A Hare and Hound chase was held in the early fall which was apparently much enjoyed by all participants.

One school dance has been held and the three-act comedy, “Miss Buzby’s Boarders” was presented in November to a large and appreciative audience. The net proceeds were about sixty dollars. The annual Christmas entertainment this year took the form of an operetta, “Yanki San” which was given very successfully by a cast selected from the entire school. This being an innovation, much credit should be given those in charge; Miss Josephine MacKinnon who directed the presentation, ably assisted by Miss Holt in the musical numbers, dances, and costuming, and Miss Piper, in charge of the speaking parts.

Organized athletics, in the form of boys’ and girls’ basketball, was started in the fall. A schedule of thirteen or fourteen games was arranged and both teams have been victorious in half of their games. However, victory should not be too highly stressed. Physical exercise is the fundamental and essential aim of all forms of athletic activities. Pleasant associations with other schools and the development of school spirit and loyalty are also important objects of athletics that we try to emphasize.

Recently a boys’ hockey team has been organized. Two or three games have been played and a very creditable showing was made, especially since it is a new sport here. Through the interest and cooperation of the Amherst Men’s Club, a substantial sum of money was donated for the purchase of equipment. We certainly appreciate the interest in the boys and the school by this organization. Appreciation must also be extended to Mr. Ernest Kirby for his kindness in serving as coach.

The annual speaking contest, made possible
through the generosity of the Souhegan Grange, will be observed this year in a few weeks. Plans are now well in progress.

Miss Holt is directing a 4-H Club for the girls. Meetings are held on every other Saturday at the home of some member. Cooking is the project of the club at this time. This club is not large but ranks high in enthusiasm. An Audubon Club for the study of birds has also been organized by Miss Holt among the boys and girls of the seventh grade. Under her supervision manual work has been started in a room in the basement. The building of bird houses and feeding boxes will be undertaken.

Mr. Gibbs, the county leader, has recently aroused interest among the boys in a 4-H club, which is now organized and holds meetings in his charge.

National Education Week was observed in October by having speakers at assemblies to address the student body on some pertinent topics. We are grateful to the three pastors, Rev. Cannell of Milford and Reverends Sibley and Starie of Amherst, and Mr. Gibbs of Milford for their interesting and instructive remarks on that occasion.

All parents with whom we have had occasion to come in contact have been very desirous to co-operate with the teachers. Visits to the school on the part of parents and citizens should be more frequent and you are most cordially invited to come and familiarize yourselves with the work that is being done.

I wish to thank the school officials for their help, their interest, and their hearty co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH G. REED,
Headmaster.
REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Board of Amherst, N. H.:

I herewith submit my annual report of the medical inspection of schools made September 1929:

Number of pupils examined 199
Number of teachers examined 9
Cardiac disease 4
Anaemic condition 3
Orthopedic condition 2
Defective teeth 107
Diseased tonsils 36
Enlarged thyroid 3
Unvaccinated 8

Respectfully submitted,

OSCAR BURNS, M. D.

February 10, 1930.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To Mr. Harold C. Bales, Superintendent of Schools, Amherst, N. H.:

The following is my third report of the health work in the Amherst schools, it being the eleventh year of this work.

The medical inspection was made in September by Dr. Burns, the nurse assisting. The eye and ear tests have been completed by the teachers. The results show twenty-two pupils to have defective eyes and two with defective hearing.

Class room inspections are made at intervals and short talks on personal health are given.

Since the number with defective teeth averaged approximately half the enrollment, this year a dental clinic, which is entirely a new project for Amherst, was held during the week of February
10th through the 15th. At that time eighty-nine children had teeth corrected. Through the kindness of Mrs. Cass a room was used at her home which served as a convenient and suitable location for the clinic. There are still a number of pupils who desire dental work done. The clinic will be continued on March 5th and 6th to complete the work.

Last spring there were several cases of septic throat among the pupils. All of these cases were followed up, however. The general health of the children has been good.

First aid supplies have been placed in each of the rural schools as well as the town school.

In the town school there seems to be some difficulty about getting the pupils out of doors for a ten-minute period, at least during the recess. Under favorable weather conditions I see no reason why a child should not be required to be out of the school building for the above stated time unless there is suitable reason which should be supported by a written excuse from parents or Doctor.

I wish to express my appreciation to the school officials, teachers, pupils, and parents for their cooperation during the past year.

Dr. Burns' report gives a tabulated account of the medical inspection.

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA L. SMITH, R. N.

February 10, 1930.
ATTENDANCE TABLE FOR SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 40
1928-1929

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(Average Per Cent of Attendance 96.10)

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KEY
A—Number of Pupils Enrolled
B—Number of Tardinesses
C—Number of Pupils Not Absent nor Tardy
D—Per Cent of Attendance
E—Years of Service in District
F—Total Years of Service
VITAL STATISTICS

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1929

BIRTHS

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

Jan. 4. George E. Hartshorn. Levi J. Hartshorn, Emma In-
gerson.


Mar. 7. David W. Hayward. Warren W. Hayward. Mary Ma-
honey.


Kennett.

Richardson.

E. Hodgman.


Oct. 12. Frederick V. Howard Jr. Frederick V. Howard. Elinor
S. Erskine.


Nov. 21. Archie Wallace Davis, Jr. Archie W. Davis, Sr. Lil-
lian Brown.

Bisson.

MARRIAGES
Date, Names of Parties, Where Married, Name of Party Performing Ceremony
Apr. 7. David E. Young and Ruth A. Caswell, Manchester, Benjamin J. Mack, J. P.
Sept. 12. Maurice Bruneau and Alice C. Keenan, Amherst, Zebina B. Kemp, J. P.
Nov. 27. Raymond M. Blair and Frances E. Patten, Amherst, Rev. George F. Sibley.

DEATHS
Date, Name, Age, Name of Father, Name of Mother
Feb. 24. Everett S. Savory. 80 yrs., 5 mos., 2 days.


June 10. William W. Sloan. 67 yrs., 1 mo., 19 days. George Sloan. Lucy G. Ball.


August 5. Ruth E. Hanson. 2 yrs., 1 mo., 26 days. Edwin S. Hanson. Arline M. Palmer.


October 7. Frank Hartshorn. 96 yrs., 1 mo., 1 day. Jotham Hartshorn. Elizabeth Blodgett.

October 12. Mark H. Bennett. 60 yrs., 1 mo., 8 days. Alvin E. Bennett. Ellen A. Putnam.


October 17. Peter Russo. 47 yrs., 29 days. Donati Russo. Catherine Massiki.


December 15. Helen S. Hayward. 86 yrs., 6 mos., 9 days. Freeman Nichols. Sarah Young.

November 15. Ida E. Sprague. 69 yrs.


I hereby certify that the above returns are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Z. B. KEMP,

Town Clerk of Amherst, N. H.