OFFICIAL REPORTS

BRISTOL
N. H.

1920
ANNUAL REPORTS

— OF THE —

Selectmen, Road Agent, Board of Education, Firewards and Other Officials

Trustees Minot-Sleeper Library and Park Commission

— OF THE —

Town of Bristol

— FOR —

THE YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1920

BRISTOL, N. H.
MUSGROVE PRINTING HOUSE
1920
TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator
IRA A. CHASE

Town Clerk
DAVID M. CALLEY

Selectmen
H. T. HEATH  H. D. ROLLINS  L. W. HEATH

Treasurer
WILLIAM C. WHITE

Collector
CHAS. W. FLING

Road Agent
BERT H. SWETT

Auditors
H. CARROLL FIELD  F. N. GILMAN

Police Officer
HERBERT BRALEY

Chairman of Board of Health
G. F. WHEELER

Supervisors
JOHN R. CONNOR  EVERETT C. MERRILL

T. T. GOODWIN
SELECTMEN'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1920

Inventory of town of Bristol, April 1, 1919

Polls, 367
Land and buildings $722,135 00
Horses, 213 24,985 00
Oxen, 16 1,725 00
Cows, 250 17,030 00
Other neat stock, 8o 3,960 00
Sheep, 51 510 00
Hogs, 6 160 00
Fowls, 100 100 00
Vehicles and autos, 138 38,930 00
Portable mills, 3 1,000 00
Boats, 8 1,625 00
Wood, lumber, etc., not stock in trade 30,050 00
Value of stock in public funds 11,310 00
Value of stocks in banks and other corporations in the state 29,300 00
Money on hand at interest or deposit 13,009 00
Stock in trade 150,505 00
Aqueduct 20,777 00
Mills and machinery 121,773 00

$1,188,884 00
AMOUNT OF TAXES AND RATES

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LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

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<td>Town charges</td>
<td>2,000.00</td>
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<td>Highway and bridges</td>
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<td>&quot; trunk line</td>
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<td>Memorial day</td>
<td>75.00</td>
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<td>Repairs on sidewalks</td>
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<td>Band concerts</td>
<td>150.00</td>
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<td>School money Union District</td>
<td>4,525.00</td>
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<td>extra</td>
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<td>1,235.00</td>
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<td>Precinct tax</td>
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<td>Pupil tax for supervision Union Dist.</td>
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<td>&quot;Town &quot;</td>
<td>128.00</td>
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<td>Overlay used</td>
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$32,451.20
# TOWN OF BRISTOL

## BALANCE

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<td>In hands of treasurer</td>
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<td><strong>Accounts Due to the Town</strong></td>
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<td>Sinking fund</td>
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<td>Due from the county</td>
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<td><strong>Total assets</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td>$889.74</td>
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<td>12,210.26</td>
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<td><strong>Grand total</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td>$13,100.00</td>
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<td>Net debt, surplus Jan. 31, 1920</td>
<td>$12,210.26</td>
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<td>&quot; &quot; &quot; 1919</td>
<td>10,635.35</td>
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<td><strong>Increase of debt</strong></td>
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<td>$1,574.91</td>
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LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by Town

Long term notes outstanding:

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<td>M. E. Church</td>
<td>$2,000</td>
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<td>H. H. Morrill</td>
<td>1,000</td>
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<td>C. H. Tukey</td>
<td>1,000</td>
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<td>E. T. Hutchins</td>
<td>2,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>First National bank</td>
<td>7,000</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>$13,000 00</strong></td>
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Trust funds, amount of principal used by town:

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<td>Edmund Cheney fund</td>
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| Total liabilities | $13,100 00 |

Assets of 1919 $3,597.08 Liabilities of 1919 $14,232.43
1920 889.74 1920 13,100.00

$2,707.34 $1,132.43
TOWN OF BRISTOL

RECEIPTS AND

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Amount committed to the collector 1919 with specials $32,580 00

Property and poll taxes current year actually collected

2 Uncollected taxes previous years $432 03

Property and poll tax of previous year actually collected 432 03

From state:

3 For highways:

(a) For state aid maintenance 16 09

(b) " construction 535 17

(c) trunk line maintenance 178 77

730 03

4 Insurance tax $65 81

5 Railroad tax 42 50

" 1,049 35

6 Savings bank tax 4,243 89

8 Literary fund 233 04

11 For bounties 7 20

5,641 79

Total receipts carried forward to page 10 $39,383 85
PAYMENTS

FOR YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1920

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries $1,582.00
2. Expenses 470.91
3. Election and registration expenses 27.00
4. Municipal court 162.00
5. Expense of town hall 584.50

$2,826.41

Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police department including care of tramps $172.95
8. White pine blister 100.00
9. Bounties 7.20

280.15

Health:

11. Health department, including ice account $1,619.75
12. Vital statistics 19.45
13. Sewer maintenance 218.71

1,857.91

Highways and bridges:

14. State maintenance $153.64
15. Trunk line 1,090.36
17. Street lighting and sprinkling 2,323.93
18. General expenses of highway department, including watering tubs 7,886.01

11,453.94

Libraries:

19. Libraries 803.89

Total current maintenance expenses carried forward to page 11 $17,222.30
Total receipts brought forward from page 8 $39,383 85

From county:
12 For support of poor 500 08

From local except taxes:

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<td>15 Business licenses and permits</td>
<td>79 80</td>
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<td>16 Fines and forfeits municipal court</td>
<td>48 50</td>
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<td>17 Rent of town hall</td>
<td>177 00</td>
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<td>18 Interest on taxes</td>
<td>23 03</td>
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<td>20 Income from trust funds</td>
<td>189 00</td>
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<tr>
<td>24 Swett</td>
<td>746 27</td>
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<tr>
<td>Income from town team, L. W. Heath</td>
<td>44 82</td>
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<tr>
<td>22 Refund from Mary Mullen Est.</td>
<td>22 68</td>
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<td>19 Interest on deposits</td>
<td>88 64</td>
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<td>Refund from the Traveler’s Insurance Co.</td>
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<td>Refund from trunk line, Roy Woodard</td>
<td>21 43</td>
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<td>Ice account</td>
<td>2,034 82</td>
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26 Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during the year 8,000 00
33 Refund from Union School Dist 100 00
Cash on hand at beginning of year 1,664 76

Grand total $53,316 04
PAYMENTS—Continued

Total payments brought forward from page 9 $17,222.30

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<td>21 County poor</td>
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<td>22 Aid to G. A. R.</td>
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<td>36 Highways and bridges, state</td>
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<td>Payments to Other Governmental</td>
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<td>Divisions:</td>
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<td>51 Taxes paid to county</td>
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<td>52 Payments to precincts</td>
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<td>53 Payments to school districts</td>
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<td>54 Payments for school supervi-</td>
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DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS
GENERAL GOVERNMENT

SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF PRINCIPAL
TOWN OFFICERS

Detail 1—

Salaries:

Selectmen, H. T. Heath $350 00
H. D. Rollins 350 00
L. W. Heath 350 00
Clerk, D. M. Calley 75 00
Treasurer, W. C. White 70 00
Auditors, H. C. Field 6 00
F. N. Gilman 6 00
Tax collector, C. W. Fling 375 00

$1,582 00

Detail 2—

Expenses:

Mrs. Frank Wedner, dinners for town officers $6 75
E. M. Tenney, setting up ballot booths 1 00
Printing town reports, Musgrove Printing House 252 50
G. B. Cavis, postage 1 00
" " 81
Telephone $4.45  
Warrants, E. C. Eastman 60  
Telephone 40  
Stationery, Musgrove Printing House 6.67  
Surety bonds, town officers, I. A. Chase 53.50  
Telephone 55  
Legal advice, Foster and Lake 15.00  
Books, E. C. Eastman 7.00  
Use of team, H. D. Rollins 4.50  
Bill files, E. C. Eastman 7.00  
Telephone 7.00  
Vouchers, E. C. Eastman 17.16  
Telephone 20  
Legal advice, I. A. Chase 45.00  
Stationery, D. M. Calley 3.25  
Postage and stationery, C. W. Fling 15.96  
Supplies, W. G. McCrillis 7.00  
Printing, Musgrove Printing House 13.51  
Expenses to Plymouth, H. T. Heath 6.00  
L. W. Heath 10.00  
Expense to Manchester, H. D. Rollins 3.00  

$470.91

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES

Detail 3—

Supervisors, J. R. Connor $16.00
Ballot clerk, Chas. Calley $3.00
Roy Smith 3.00
Moderator, I. A. Chase 5.00

$27.00

Municipal Court Expenses

Detail 4—

C. W. Fling, justice municipal court $100.00
I. A. Chase 62.00

$162.00

Care and Supplies for the Town Hall

Detail 5—

Care of town hall, E. M. Tenney $26.60
Supplies, H. C. Field 2.48
Wood, H. D. Rollins 10.00
Care of town hall, E. M. Tenney 9.75
Sawing wood, Josiah Healey 2.00
Wood, H. D. Rollins 8.00
Care of town hall, E. M. Tenney 12.25
Water rent, Bristol Aqueduct Co. 8.50
Supplies, H. C. Field 3.41
Care of town hall, E. M. Tenney 5.75
Plumbing, S. D. Fellows 7.50
Care of town hall, E. M. Tenney 1.75
Supplies, H. C. Field 1.65
Care of town hall, E. M. Tenney 5.75
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<td>Bristol Electric Light Co.</td>
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<td>Plumbing, Brown &amp; Goodwin</td>
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<td>Sawing wood, Ervin Robie</td>
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**PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY**

Detail 6—

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<td>Police officer, Herbert Braley</td>
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<td>Truant officer, Herbert Braley</td>
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<td>Care of the tramps, Herbert Braley</td>
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<td>Special police, E. S. Bickford</td>
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Detail 8—White Pine Blister

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<td>New Hampshire Forestry</td>
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Detail 9—

Bounties: Hedgehogs

H. T. Heath $3 80
H. D. Rollins 3 40

$7 20

HEALTH

Detail 11—Health department

Auto hire for nurse, C. A. Smith $5 00
Printing, Musgrove Printing House 7 75
Handling ice, Harry Burpee 124 20
" " 203 50
" " 207 00
Services health officer, G. F. Wheeler 15 73
collector ice account, " 20 00
Handling ice, Harry Burpee 69 00
" " 69 00
" " 69 00
" " 69 00
" " 69 00
Services collector, G. F. Wheeler 20 00
Handling ice, Harry Burpee 207 00
" " 48 00
" Geo. H. Bucklin 12 00
" Harry Burpee 128 00
Use of wheels, Frank Dolloff 15 00
Hay to cover ice, P. H. Sleeper 35 00
Handling ice, C. R. & A. S. Bucklin 59 50
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<td>Handling ice, Harry Burpee</td>
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<td>Repairs ice tools and ice cart</td>
<td>41 72</td>
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<td>Health officer, E. F. Wheeler</td>
<td>12 55</td>
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**Detail 12—Vital Statistics**

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<td>Recording births and deaths, Dr. Geo. H. Calley</td>
<td>$5 00</td>
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<td>Recording deaths, births, marriages, and procuring names of children</td>
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**SEWER MAINTENANCE**

**Detail 13—**

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HIGHWAY AND BRIDGES

Detail 14—State aid maintenance

Roy M. Woodard $153.64
Trunk line maintenance
Roy M. Woodard 1,090.36

$1,244.00

Detail 17—Street lighting and sprinkler

Lighting traffic signs, E. M. Tenney $15.00
Bristol Electric Co. 1,989.13
Supplies, Cavis Bros. Co. 7.80
Bunting, H. W. Quimby 2.00
Street sprinkler, Bert H. Swett 310.00

$2,323.93

Detail 18—General expenses of Highway department

Bert Swett $6,471.70
Lawrence W. Heath, acting Agt. 1,333.75
Dodge Davis Co., account of 1917 21.46
S. S. Southard, labor 5.40

Private Roads:
W. E. Lowell, Quimby road 5.00
Z. E. Tilton, Tilton road 7.50
Edward Pickering, Locke road, 2 years 30.00
W. F. Hanaford 5.20
Water Tubs:

A. K. Peaslee $3 00
E. J. Gordon 3 00

MINOT-SLEEPER LIBRARY

Detail 19:

Supplies, H. C. Field $1 50
Wood, H. D. Rollins 60 00
Insurance, Dearborn & Chase 29 70
Librarian, Mary A. Dodge 50 00
Supplies, H. C. Field 3 10
Fitting wood, Sam Clark 3 90
Librarian, Mary A. Dodge 50 00
Sawing wood, Roy Woodard 6 00
Librarian, Mary A. Dodge 50 00
Bristol Electric Light Co. 19 08
Setting flag pole, Sam Ferguson 4 50
Supplies, H. C. Field 1 80
Flag pole, W. S. H. Remick 26 00
Supplies, Cavis Bros. 11 29
Bristol Electric Light Co. 6 72
Income of Jackman Fund, Geo. H. Calley, treasurer 189 00
M. S. Library fund, Geo. H. Calley, treasurer 225 00
Librarian, Mary A. Dodge 50 00
Wiring, Geo. E. Price 4 30
Printing, Musgrove Printing House 12 00

$803 89
CHARITIES

Detail 20—Town poor:

Leland Ballou, Rufus Gardner, Supt. $138.75
Mrs. Ellen Sanborn and daughter 360.00
John Gilman 203.59
Mrs. Amanda Flanders 182.00
Mrs. Margaret Gates 113.31
Otis Wade 2.65

$1,000.30

Detail 21—County poor:

Hackett family $191.45
Caldwell children, care of Wm. McClary 168.00

$359.45

Patriotic Purposes

Detail 22—

Memorial day fund, A. H. Worthley, Q. M. $75.00
Trimming tree, Bert Swett 2.00
Painting mortar, Chas. Locke 3.00
Paint, Cavis Bros. 1.98
Hose, E. F. Smith 5.00
Resetting mortar balls, C. O. Braley 2.00
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Building inspector, F. N. Gilman  $10 00
Damage on wires moving roller
building, Geo. Price  2 20
Abatement of taxes, C. W. Fling  53 90
Ministerial fund, E. J. Gordon  2 00
Adjustment of taxes, Geo. H.
Bucklin  12 40
Copying records, L. I. Rollins  6 00
Care of town clock, E. M. Tenney  23 65

$934.95

SIDEWALK MAINTENANCE

Detail 31

Labor, Bert Swett, Agt.  $46.85
Re-covering sidewalks, L. M.
Pike & Son  $1,569.10

$1,615.95

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Detail 36—

State aid construction, highway
between Hill and Bristol
Lawrence W. Heath, paymaster  $3,707.39

INTEREST

Detail 32—Paid on temporary loans
in anticipation of taxes  $154.71
Detail 33—Paid on long term notes:

Methodist Episcopal church $95.83
First National Bank 333.48
E. T. Hutchins 95.83
C. H. Tukey 48.96
H. H. Morrill 48.96

$623.06

INDEBTEDNESS

Detail 44—Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes:

First National Bank $8,000.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Detail 50—Taxes paid to state:

State treasurer, John W. Plummer $6,908.00

Detail 51—Taxes paid to county:

E. H. Hallett, treasurer 2,306.40

Detail 52—Payments to precinct:

Treasurer, C. N. Merrill 1,600.00

Detail 53—Union School Dist.:

Treasurer, Karl G. Cavis 5,877.53
Detail 53—Town school district:
Treasurer, Hadley B. Worthen $1,890 31

Detail 54—Union and town district:
School supervision to John W. Plummer 568 00

Total payments of all payments $52,883 10
Cash on hand 432 94

$53,316 04

H. T. Heath, Selectmen
H. D. Rollins, of
L. W. Heath, Bristol, N. H.

We hereby certify that we have this day examined the accounts of the selectmen of Bristol, N. H., for the year ending Jan. 31, 1920, and find same correct to our best knowledge and belief.

H. Carroll Field, Selectmen
Frank N. Gilman, Auditors.
ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Orders drawn for highway 1919

Feb. 8, John Fifield $13.50
Ralph Gray 18.00
B. H. Swett 10.50

15, E. S. Bickford $1.50
Walter Martin 1.50
Ralph Gray 18.00
John Fifield 10.50
B. H. Swett 14.00

22, John Fifield $10.50
Parker Sanborn 1.50
Ralph Gray 18.00
B. H. Swett 10.50

Mar. 1, Ralph Gray $18.00
Elwin Blake 1.50
B. H. Swett 24.50
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Henry Hoyt 16.00
Parker Sanborn 2.00
John Fifield 8.50

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205 59

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Cavis Bros. Co. 6 45
C. A. Smith 4 65

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J. E. Mitchell 5.50
Anson Buxton 2.70
Livery 2.00
Peter Peters 3.00

$221.92
TOWN TEAM'S ACCOUNT

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Mar. 7, " " 92 00
27, " " 29 00
Apr 12, " " 8 00
26, " " 42 00
May 29, " " 19 25
" 5 02

KELLEY PARK

July 25, Town team Kelley Park Asso. 4 00
Man half day 1 75
$5 75

Nov. 12, Received from L. W. Heath, Supt. $28 00

SPRINKLING

Amounts paid June 4 to July 25 $220 00
July 26 to Aug. 13 90 00
# SEWER ACCOUNT

Mar. 18, Ralph Gray $1.50
19, Ralph Gray 3.00
Elmer Carleton 3.00
B. H. Swett 2.00
20, Elmer Carleton 3.00
James Weeks 3.00
B. H. Swett 2.00

--- $17.50

22, Ralph Gray $4.50
Elmer Carleton 6.00
James Weeks 3.00
B. H. Swett 4.00

--- 17.50

June 20, Harry Clement $1.50
Ervin Robie 1.50
B. H. Swett 1.75

--- 4.75
**SIDEWALK ACCOUNT**

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## RECEIPTS

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## PAYMENTS

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Vouchers for these two items covered by check No. 332.
TOWN TEAM ACCOUNT

Received of selectmen for sprinkling $310.00
Earned by town team 209.85
Voucher
  72.02
  28.00
  12.00
  25.00

Total receipts $656.87

Returned on account of town team, voucher $500.00
Returned on account of town team, voucher 72.02

Total payments $572.02

Due town on account, town team $84.85

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

RECEIVED

Received from selectmen on account of highway $6,471.70
Received from selectmen on account of sewers 22.25
Received from selectmen on account of sidewalk 46.85

Total $6,540.80
Paid by check on account, highway, sewer and sidewalk $6,292.85
Paid by cash to help 209.85
Used benefit of highway 25.00
12.00

Total expenditures $6,539.70

Due town on account of highway $1.10

B. H. Swett, Agent.


We hereby certify that we have examined the account of B. H. Swett, road agent of Bristol, and to the best of our knowledge, believe the account to be correct.

H. Carroll Field, } Auditors.
Frank N. Gilman, }
# ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

LAWRENCE W. HEATH, Acting Road Agent

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Week ending Jan. 31, continued

C. S. Collins $42 10
Geo. Hill 1 50
L. W. Heath, acting agent 12 00

$171 19

Total of all payments $1,333 75

RECEIPTS

From the selectmen:

Oct. 18 $46 00
25 67 70
Nov. 1 117 96
8 76 50
14 62 50
21 82 00
28 82 00
Dec. 5 58 60
12 89 84
27 95 00
Jan. 3 166 61
9 88 75
17 76 75
24 52 05
31 171 19

$1,333 75
TOWN TEAM EARNINGS

From Kelley Park $21 00
John Haseltine 11 00
Louis Keezer 12 82

Uncollected bills to their credit $44 82

Total $216 00

L. W. Heath, Road Agent.
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From selectmen

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102 10
6 00
2 30

$196 46

LAWRENCE W. HEATH, ACTING AGT.
# TREASURER'S REPORT

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**Wm. C. White, Treasurer.**

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

To the Citizens of the School Districts of Bristol:

I present herein my first annual report as superintendent of schools, the report including the five months from Sept. 1 to Feb. 1. The outstanding fact in these districts, as in all others of the state, is the new educational act which went into operation Sept. 1, 1919, by which the more wealthy communities of the state will generously come to the assistance of those less fortunately situated, so that the opportunities for education may be as nearly equalized as possible, and every child in the state shall have the privilege of attending a standard school, that is, a school maintained for at least thirty-six weeks, in a suitable and sanitary building, equipped with approved furniture, books, maps and other necessary appliances, taught by an approved teacher, directed and supervised by an approved superintendent, with suitable provision for the care of the health and physical welfare of all pupils.

The work of a superintendent of schools is both administrative and educational. I hardly need say that the administrative side of my work has been the absorbing one for the last half-year. The task of organizing the schools of the various districts, with the assistance of the school boards, in accordance with the new act, has been a large one, in which I can only report progress. To the educational side of my work, the careful inspection and supervision of teaching, the testing of pupils and the
direction of their work, I have been able to give much less time than I hope to give in future.

The most serious difficulty in transforming the terms of the educational act into real schools has been the increasing scarcity of qualified teachers, a difficulty which we share with every other state in the Union. I cannot overstate the gravity of the situation. Not only are teachers leaving the profession in vast numbers, but the supply of young people looking forward to teaching and fitting themselves in the normal schools has diminished alarmingly, while the number of schools to be taught and the children to be educated is constantly increasing. Even if teaching positions are made satisfactory in the matter of salary and in other respects, it will take years for the supply of qualified teachers to equal the demand. Meanwhile many schools will be without teachers or taught by those not properly qualified for their work. Under these circumstances it will be a crime against childhood for any community to allow competent teachers to depart because their positions have not been made satisfactory.

It is the intent of the educational act that every effort shall be made to remedy physical defects and to cultivate strong bodies and positive health. School physicians have been engaged by each board, who will, as soon as possible, examine all the children, and notify parents of defects requiring attention. It will be a part of our school program, also, to have such calisthenic exercises as will help to neutralize the evils of a sedentary occupation.

The town of Bristol is organized, for school purposes, into two school districts. There was undoubtedly a reason for this division at the time of the creation of the
special district, but whatever reason there was at that time exists no longer. The present arrangement means only inefficiency and undue expense in the maintenance of the schools. No one today would advocate the cutting up of the towns of the state into fragments, each administered as a separate district, with the resulting duplication of district meetings, officers and expenses. The larger the administrative unit up to a certain point the more economical and efficient does the system become. The cost of maintaining elementary schools is the same in both districts, since each district raises a tax of five dollars on a thousand, and looks to the state to furnish the amount in excess of this to maintain standard schools. It may be noted that union of the two districts does not necessarily involve the bringing in of all outside pupils to the village school. That is an entirely different question, which should be considered on its merits. Personally I believe the neighborhood schools should be maintained, especially for young children, unless their numbers are so small as to make maintenance excessively expensive. It is greatly to the advantage of the older children to have the privilege of attending the larger schools.

UNION DISTRICT

The district has been fortunate in retaining four out of six teachers who served last year, and in finding competent persons to fill the two places left vacant. Miss Elizabeth R. Fernald and Miss E. Belle Calley resigned at the close of the year, and Miss Mary B. Fields and Miss Winifred Peabody were elected. Miss Peabody resigned Nov. 26 and Miss Helena Murphy took her place until Jan. 23, when Miss Mary Prewitt was elected. Miss
Gertrude Van Dommele has been serving as supervisor of music for the year in place of Mrs. Katherine P. Crafts, resigned.

It is a pleasure to speak in the highest terms of the teaching force, a body of people of high character and intelligence, thoroughly competent, industrious, devoted and successful. There has been a splendid spirit of harmony and co-operation during the year, and excellent team work has been possible, a basal necessity, of course, in any attempt at progress.

By action of the school board during the summer the age of admission was fixed at five and one-half upon the day of the opening of school. Under this rule the age of children will vary from five and one-half to six and one-half, averaging six years, which is the normal age for entering the first grade the country over. We may expect that now children entering the first grade will be of sufficient maturity to finish the work of the grade in one year.

The two divisions of the eighth grade, one of which had had a year in the work of that grade, but had not completed the preparation for the high school, and one of which came directly from the seventh grade, were united in one class at the beginning of the year. This seemed a somewhat violent procedure, but in practice it has worked out well. Much of the work has been new to both divisions, and in completing the studies previously begun the two divisions have worked together with more profit than had been anticipated. It will be seen that we have eliminated a class at each end of the elementary school curriculum. The normal child will now spend a year in each grade and finish his public school training in twelve years.
I believe that the citizens of Bristol will not be entirely satisfied with their school system until it is a complete school system, including the last two years of high school and including courses in the practical arts which appeal to many who need the higher training, but who are not attracted to a school which deals only with the symbols and abstractions of books. The present organization, which lacks the last two years of high school, deprives many young people of the advantages of a high school education. Well-to-do families can send their children out of town to complete the course, but those not so fortunately situated cannot do this, and many young people, knowing that they cannot finish, think it not worth while to take the first two years. Certainly the size of the town does not forbid this extension, for, of the sixty-two approved public high schools in the state with complete secondary programs, twenty have a school population no larger than that of Bristol, and several have a much smaller school population.

In the work of the year we have used the state program as guide and in accordance with that program have begun the reorganization of the school system on the basis of six years of elementary and six years of high school work. This plan makes the seventh and eighth grades a part of the junior high school. There is not space in this report to explain why this reorganization is desirable. Suffice it to say that for a generation educators have felt that the work of the seventh and eighth years of school, which ought to be the most vital and valuable, has in fact been so ill-adapted to the needs of the pupils that the years have been largely wasted. The reorganization of these grades and their incorporation in the high school is a nation-wide movement which promises the most happy results.
We have not been able to make any change in the work of the seventh grade this year, except in minor particulars, but in the eighth, in addition to a drill upon the essentials of elementary school work, chiefly upon arithmetic and grammar, we have been carrying on courses in French, algebra and elementary science.

The courses of the junior high school will not be complete until we are able to offer manual training for the boys and domestic arts for the girls, and we cannot obtain the approval of the state department for the school until these courses are established. The school district has already signified its desire for such courses by the erection of a building designed for instruction in manual training. It will be possible to establish these courses next year by a very moderate expenditure. Because of the elimination of the two classes of which I have already spoken it will probably be possible to accommodate all classes in the brick building, leaving the small building for the purpose for which it was constructed. The upper story can readily be fitted out as a kitchen for instruction in cooking. Sewing can be taught in the class-rooms. The lower story can be equipped as a manual training room by removing the furnace and placing it either in a cellar to be dug beneath the building or in a small annex to the ground floor.

We have made a very interesting, and I believe successful experiment in establishing the long school day in the high school. The session lasts from 8.30 to 12, and from 1.15 to 4, or to 3.45 during the short days of winter. In that time pupils do all of their work, study being supervised and the recitation being of minor importance. No work is taken home, except in the case of pupils who
for any reason wish to do extra work. This does not mean that projects involving observation, enquiry or reading, may not be carried over into out-of-school hours, but that no set task, or lesson learning, is expected to be done. Under the familiar system of home work the pupil wasted time in school because the work could be done later at home, and at home wasted time because of procrastination and interruptions and because study came to a standstill when some difficulty was encountered which needed a bit of explanation from the teacher. Under the present plan the pupil goes to his day's work like any other workman, finishes his work at his place of business, and goes home free from further care until the time for the next day's work. In practice this plan has worked admirably. Pupils are, in the main, busily employed under the guidance of the teacher during the entire day, and good progress has been made. That the courses offered in the school and the conduct of the day's work have proved attractive to the pupils is shown by the returns to a recent enquiry in the eighth grade. Of the thirty-five members of the class twenty-seven announced their intention of attending Bristol high school next year, five expect to attend high school in other places, and only three have as yet decided to leave school.

TOWN DISTRICT

The year began under difficulties, due to the fact that no school board was in existence after the annual school meeting, and hence no preparations had been made to open schools by putting schoolhouses in order and engaging teachers. After some delay three men of public spirit were found who, because of the urgent need, consented to serve
upon the school board, and these were legally elected by the selectmen to act until the annual meeting of the district. Fortunately teachers were at hand in the community, and schools were opened Sept. 15, with teachers assigned as follows:

Burleigh, Mrs. H. Taylor Heath
Dolloff, Mr. Karl E. Dearborn
Foot-of-Lake, Mrs. Katherine R. Bacon
Profile Falls, Miss Lura M. Buttrick

After the Dolloff school had been in session seventeen weeks Mr. Dearborn resigned to continue his studies in college, and Miss Buttrick, after nineteen weeks' teaching, resigned her position. The difficulty of securing teachers to finish the year appeared so serious that Miss Ruby M. Ladd, who is teaching for the year in Alexandria village, was engaged to teach the Dolloff school during the five or six weeks in which the Alexandria school is not in session. Mr. M. H. Clarke, who is teaching for the year in Groton, has, for a similar period, taken the Profile Falls school.

It will be necessary to make important changes in schoolhouses in order to make them "suitable and sanitary" within the meaning of the law. Each house will need separate toilets for boys and girls, with fly-proof vaults and proper approaches. The front windows in the Dolloff, Burleigh and Profile Falls schools, which pupils face when seated, must be closed, and more light is needed from the left in all the houses. At the Dolloff school the shed is in a state of dilapidation, and the window frames will scarcely hold the glass. The walls and ceiling here are in poor condition. At the Profile Falls school new seats and desks are urgently needed, the present ones being of the old hand-made variety, and quite unsuited to the needs of the
children. It is desirable that new furniture be adjustable, in the interests of straight bodies and good health, and movable, as a convenience for various school and neighborhood purposes.

It is a pleasure to acknowledge the uniform courtesy and helpfulness of everyone connected with the schools. School boards, teachers and parents have worked together for the best interests of the children.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. BRECK, Superintendent.
ROLL OF HONOR

Pupils not absent or tardy

TOWN DISTRICT

Spring term, Victor F. Corneau, Rachel V. Heath, Leon Lakin, Georgeanna Morrison, Mary Morrison, Nathan Morrison.

Fall term, Curtis Akerman, Claude Hill, Helen Hill, Gertrude Woodard.

Year, two terms, Olive Ferrin, Edgar H. Robie.

UNION DISTRICT

Winter term, Preston M. Quint, Gwendolyn Gray, Everett Jones, Selwyn H. Merrill, Pauline Webster, Carolene Smith, Robert P. Gray, Natalie W. Trumbull, Myra E. Bailey, Anna Higgins, Gladys M. Jones, Hilma G. Trumbull, Iyla K. Hoyt.


Fall term, Mary S. Beaunoyer, Harry Beaunoyer, Carolene Smith, Albert Webster, Selywn H. Merrill, Ray-

Year, three terms, Florence M. Plumer, Bernard Merrill, Ruth Chase, Harold Reed.
UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

BUDGET FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1920-21

Amount of money needed (estimated) for support of schools and for statutory requirements:

1. Amount of money required by law $3,204.91
   ($3.50 on each $1,000 of 1920 inventory)

2. Detail Statement of additional amounts required

   1. Budget (School Money)         Elementary  High
      (a) For support of schools $2,291.00 $1,402.00
         (This is school money and
         may be used for maintaining school, including the
         purchase of fuel and other supplies, transportation
         of pupils, and incidental repairs not exceeding 5
         per cent of school money)
      (b) For textbooks and supplies  400.00  125.00
      (c) Flags and appurtenances
      (d) For payment of tuitions at
           high schools and academies  150.00
      (e) Total amount of above items $2,691.09 $1,677.00
      (f) Estimate of amount of a $5
           tax on 1920 inventory  4,578.44
II. Requirements to meet budget
   (a) For support of elementary schools  $4,578.44
   (b) For support of high school and tuitions  1,677.00
   
   Total for support of all schools  $6,255.44

III. School board report of assessment required
   1. For the support of schools  $6,255.44
      Estimate of $3.50 tax on 1920 inventory  3,204.81
      Estimate of additional sums needed  3,050.53
   2. For payment of per capita tax (statutory)  400.00
   3. For payment of debt
   4. For payment of interest
   5. For other statutory requirements  200.00
      (Supervisory Union expenses)

   John W. Dole, Secretary.
TOWN DISTRICT

ESTIMATES FOR 1920-21

The School Board of the Town District make the following estimates of the cost of maintaining schools for the year beginning Sept. 1, 1920.

Teachers, janitors, fuel, minor repairs, health $3,054.00
Text-books, and pupils' supplies 100.00
Flags and appurtenances 5.00
Transportation 500.00

$3,659.00

Estimated $5 tax on 1920 inventory (elementary) $1,200.00
High school tuition 195.00

Total for support of schools, 1920-21 $1,395.00
($3.50 tax, estimated $840; additional, $555.)

Per capita tax (statutory) $90.00
District officers 110.00
Superintendent's salary and office 65.00
Balance of $5 for 1919-20, correction of error 130.98
Books and blanks for standard accounting 26.60
Repairs on schoolhouses 300.00

Total needed to be raised by school meeting $2,116.98

Charles A. Breck.
FINANCIAL REPORT
OF TREASURER OF UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year Ending August 31, 1919

CURRENT REVENUE

From state:
- Literary fund: $137.31
- For high school tuition: 342.00
- Town tax for schools: 5,349.55
- Dog licenses: 146.64
- Tuitions received: 5.50
- Other receipts, books sold: 1.65

Total current revenue: $5,982.65

General fund cash on hand Sept. 1, 1918: 253.40

Grand total: $6,236.05

CURRENT EXPENSES

Administration:
- Salaries of district officers: 25.00
- Superintendent's salary: 100.00
- Other expenses of administration: 7.00

Total administration expenses: 132.00

Instruction:
- Principal's and regular teachers' salaries: 3,033.00
High school and academy tuition  $366.00  
Text books and pupils' supplies  364.45  
Flags and appurtenances  1.09  
Other expenses of instruction  5.27  

**Total**  $3,769.81

**Operation, maintenance of school plant:**

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<td>Building and janitors' supplies</td>
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<td>Minor repair of buildings, upkeep of grounds</td>
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**Total**  $1,290.86

**Other special activities**

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**Fixed charges:**

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**Total**  $127.45

**Extraordinary outlay for construction and equipment:**

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**Total**  $468.06

**Total expenses and outlay for all purposes**  $5,799.91

**General fund cash on hand Aug. 31, 1919**  436.14

**Grand total**  $6,236.05
ASSETS
Cash on hand $436 14

LIABILITIES
Bill outstanding $130 19

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

KARL G. CAVIS, Treas.
Oct. 9, 1919.

This is to certify that I have this day examined the accounts of Karl G. Cavis, treasurer of Union School District, and found them correct to the best of my belief.

FRED H. ACKERMAN, Auditor.
TREASURER'S REPORT
TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT, 1919

The report includes the business transactions of the Town School district from the close of last year's report until Aug. 31, the close of the fiscal school year, in accordance with the instructions of the school authorities.

Jan. 31, Balance in hands of treasurer $961 68

DISBURSEMENTS

INSTRUCTION

May 20, Lura Buttrick, Dist. No. 1 $140 00
July 3, Marion Mussey, No. 4 140 00
5, Elmer Eisnor, No. 9 150 00
15, Mrs. Taylor Heath, No. 5 140 00
15, Leifa Hill, No. 8 140 00

$690 00

SUPPLIES

May 10, E. E. Babb & Co. $10 10
Longman Green & Co. 10 40
Ginn & Co. 6 44
American Book Co. 26 40
July 17, Musgrove Printing House 6 78
H. C. Field 14 03

$74 15
MISCELLANEOUS

Apr. 21, Edward Adams, wood $13 00
      S. T. Eisnor, kindling  2 40
      "    cleaning schoolhouse  3 00
May 10, Dana Jewell, wood  62 00
      "    paid for sawing and labor 13 50

$93 90

TRANSPORTATION

July 17, Mrs. Helen Clement, carrying children to and from school $51 00

RECAPITULATION

Aug. 31, Total receipts $961 68

EXPENDITURES

Instruction $690 00
Supplies   74 15
Miscellaneous  93 90
Transportation  51 00

909 05

Aug. 31, Balance on hand $52 63

This is to certify that the information in the foregoing report is obtained from official records and is complete and correct according to my best knowledge and belief.

Hadley B. Worthen, Treasurer.
This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of Hadley B. Worthen, treasurer of Town School district of Bristol, N. H., and find them correctly cast and with proper vouchers.

H. Dana Kidder, Auditor.
**SUMMARY**

The following is a summary of money received and paid out since the beginning of the present school year, or Aug. 31, 1919, and will be included in next year's town report.

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**DISBURSEMENTS**

**INSTRUCTION**

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<td>Caro P. Clay</td>
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**TUITION**

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<td>N. H. Institution</td>
<td>Violet and Alfred Jenness</td>
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Jan. 19, Violet Jenness  
Union School District:  
Elmer G. Eisnor 21 00  
Myra Pike 9 00  
Helen Hill 7 50  
$92 51

SUPPLIES

1919:
Nov. 29, R. E. Lane, enumeration cards  
Edw. E. Babb & Co. 8 18  
John E. Winston Co. 7 06  
Milton Bradley Co. 13 37  
Ginn & Co. 2 11  
Mason-Perkins Paper Corp. 1 74  
J. L. Hammett Co. 25 76  
2 70

Dec. 17, Brown & Goodwin, stove  
22 00

1920:
Jan. 19, Scott Foresman & Co. 2 96  
John C. Winston Co. 2 96

Feb. 5, Brown & Goodwin  
Musgrove Printing House 3 65  
H. W. Quimby 88  
$100 54

MISCELLANEOUS

Oct. 16, Emma Durant, cleaning schoolhouse  
Arthur Corneau, wood  
$4 00  
7 00
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<td>Enumeration of scholars</td>
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<td>Ira A. Chase, consultation and advice treasurer's bond</td>
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<td>Alfred Dow, wood and kindling</td>
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<td>C. N. Merrill &amp; Son, wood and carting</td>
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<td>Geo. H. Morrison, member school board</td>
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**Total:** $271.90
TRANSPORTATION

Dec. 30, Frank C. Patten, carrying children to and from school, Dist. No. 9 to No. 8 $150 00

RECEIPTS

| Total cash received | $1,942 94 |

EXPENDITURES

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HADLEY B. WORTHEN, Treasurer.
REPORT OF FIREWARDS

FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 14, 1920

TREASURER'S REPORT

1919:

April  5, Cash on hand from last year  $225 86
Sept.  27, Received from selectmen   500 00
Dec.   27, " " " "                   1,100 00

Which is accounted for as follows:

April  2, Oliver Roberts, shoveling snow  $7 05
May    31, Lee Pollard, fireman          6 25
Aug.   23, Charles W. Fling, insurance  11 00
Sept.   9, Baker Fire Extinguisher Co., repairs 3 75
Oct.    4, Chas. Kenney, clerk, hose Co. No. 1 131 25
       22, Ervin W. Hopkins, " " 2 91 00
Nov.   17, Frank Cornwall " " 3 92 97
Dec.   29, Everett Pray, scraping snow, etc. 2 75
       Henry K. Barnes, smoke masks, etc. 52 50
       Bristol Electric Light Co., current 12 00
       Bristol Aqueduct Co., use of hydrants 700 00

1920:

Jan.  13, Gamewell Fire Alarm Co.  70 92
    19, A. S. Chase, shoveling snow        3 00
    30, C. A. Smith, 13 chimney fires, etc. 26 04
    " " care of alarm and rent      50 00
    " " services as fireward        35 00
    " " current for fire alarm      25 00
Jan. 31, Oliver Roberts, shoveling snow $7 80
Feb. 13, Gamewell Fire Alarm Co. 107 72
    George E. Price, repairs 6 65
Feb. 14, Pd. C. N. Merrill and help, 13 chimney fires 26 00
    Pd. Everett Merrill, services 2 fires 4 00
    C. N. Merrill, firewarden and treasurer 35 00
    Wm. C. White, auditor 1 00
    Fred Gray, firewarden 25 00

$1,533 65
Cash on hand 292 21
$1,825 86

Cash in hands of treasurer to be carried forward $292 21
Cash to be returned from Gamewell Fire Alarm Co. 70 92
$363 13

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. Smith,
C. N. Merrill,
Fred W. Gray,

Firewards.

This is to certify that I have this day examined the accounts of the Bristol Fire Precinct for the year ending Feb. 17, 1920, as kept by C. N. Merrill, treas., and find the same correct, to my best knowledge and belief.

Wm. C. White, Auditor.

TRUST FUNDS
NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE TAX COMMISSION, UNIFORM MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTS
Report of Trust Funds of Town of Bristol, N. H., for Fiscal Year Ending Jan. 31, 1920

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<th>DATE OF CREATION</th>
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This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief, January 31, 1920.

WM. C. WHITE, GEO. B. CAVIS, FRED H. ACKERMAN, Trustees.

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds of the Town of Bristol and find the same correct. The above is a correct statement of the investments of said funds.

H. CARROLL FIELD, FRANK N. GILMAN, Auditors.
# KELLEY PARK COMMISSION

## IN ACCOUNT WITH LAWRENCE W. HEATH, Supt.

### PAYMENTS

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Total: $1,147 61
Balance on hand: $1,213 72
### RECEIPTS

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**Total:** $1,213.72

**Lawrence W. Heath,** Superintendent.
MINOT-SLEEPER PUBLIC LIBRARY
—REPORT OF TRUSTEES

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Bristol:

The trustees of the library report that during the past year both the reading and circulating departments have been more largely patronized by the public than for several preceding years. About 200 books have been added to the circulating department, about one-fourth of the same being juveniles. It must be remembered that owing to the largely increased cost of books less can be purchased than formerly with the money permitted for this purpose. The books are in good condition considering the large amount of handling and necessary wear and tear incident to their use. The expense of binding and renewal of worn popular books must of necessity be a constantly increasing factor of maintenance. The trustees desire and intend to maintain a proper proportion in the classification of books of art, literature, science, philosophy, history, biography, travel, etc., most useful for the patrons, with due regard to those that are substantial and of permanent value. Care is necessary in the purchase of popular books or best sellers, so called, many of which are very ephemeral and the product of minds lacking in good sense and ripe thought, or are suggestive or direct advocates of ideas of life and action that are harmful to those who too often inconsiderately adopt them. In the juvenile department there are now somewhat more than one thousand books devoted to stories, history, biography, electricity and mechanics, also fine nature books and fairy tales. The trustees note with great satisfaction an
increasing interest in juveniles relating to history, science and nature and a demand for books that are worth while.

As children under the age of eleven years are not permitted to take books from the library, infantile and other books adapted to children under that age are expected to be furnished by the parents or schools, those in the library being supplemental thereto. The library has neither funds nor room for the junior juveniles. The demand for space is already so great that shelves for the less used books have been placed in the basement. There is great need for an addition to the present library building that will accommodate, say 20,000 volumes, which would enable the public to use the present room for reading, magazines and reference room. In the not distant future the space in the basement will be exhausted, and it may become necessary to erect a shed outside for the accommodation of the surplus books and the wood pile. During the past autumn a fine flag staff, 50 feet in height, was placed on the grounds in front of the library building. The following magazines furnished by the Minnie Maria Day Jackman fund may be found on the reading tables, viz., American, American Boy, Atlantic, Century, Country Life, Current Opinion, Geographic, Granite Monthly, Harper's, Independent, Ladies' Home Journal, Leslie's, Life, Literary Digest, North American Review, Outlook, Pictorial Review, Popular Mechanics, Popular Science, Review of Reviews, Scribner's, Travel, World's Work, Asia, Youth's Companion, besides other periodicals and literature.

The present members of the board are

Ira A. Chase, Chairman      Fred H. Ackerman
Karl G. Cavis, Sec'y.        Frank N. Gilman
Geo. H. Calley, Treas.      H. Carroll Field
Wm. C. White                 Wm. H. Marston
John Cowan
### Births Registered in the Town of Bristol for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1919

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

David M. Calley, Town Clerk.