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# ANNUAL REPORT

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Agents and School Board

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## TOWN OFFICERS.

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### *Moderator*

ARTHUR J. THOMPSON

### *Selectmen*

ROBERT H. THOMPSON            WARREN D. SAWYER  
FRED C. YORK

### *Town Clerk*

FRED P. COMINGS

### *Treasurer*

MARK L. MILLS

### *Tax Collector*

HELEN J. THOMPSON

### *Supervisors*

BENJAMIN LANG                    NORMAN I. SNELL  
HORACE G. HILL

### *Board of Education*

ALBERT B. DUDLEY            FLORENCE F. CALDWELL  
MARY B. CARPENTER

### *Superintendent of Schools*

O. R. McCOY

### *Trustees of Trust Funds*

JAMES B. WALKER                    WALTER D. SMITH  
FRED C. YORK

### *Auditor*

GRANVILLE B. THOMPSON

## RUDGET OF THE TOWN OF LEE.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, February 1, 1926, to January 31, 1927, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, February 1, 1925, to January 31, 1926.

## SOURCES OF REVENUE.

	▲Actual Revenue 1925.	Estimated Revenue 1926.
<i>From State:</i>		
Railroad Tax,	\$711.79	\$650.00
Savings Bank Tax,	972.37	772.37
For Fighting Forest Fires,	13.50	
For Highways,	461.10	
Interest and Dividend Tax,	325.60	325.60
<i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i>		
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings,	7.00	
Auto Permits,	508.05	500.00
<i>From Poll Taxes,</i>	684.00	600.00
From other taxes except property taxes:		
National Bank Stock,	1.23	1.23
<i>Revenue Applicable Only to New Con- struction and Improvements:</i>		
<i>From State:</i>		
Amount raised by issue of bonds or notes,	2,000.00	
Amount raised by property taxes,	12,393.81	12,000.00

## PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES.

	Actual Expenditures 1925.	Estimated Expenditures 1926.
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>		
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries,	\$364.25	\$375.00
Town Officers' Expenses,	246.34	400.00
Care and Supplies for Town Hall,	35.50	50.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Fire Department,	27.00	
Health:		
Health Department,	10.00	10.00
Vital Statistics,	12.75	15.00
Highway and Bridges:		
State Aid Maintenance:		
State's Contribution,	1,904.81	1,500.00
Town's Contribution,	1,157.83	900.00
Town Maintenance,	1,242.03	1,500.00
Bridges,	436.53	100.00
General Expense of Highway Department, Snow Bills,	199.77	500.00
Education:		
Libraries,	32.00	32.00
<i>Interest:</i>		
On Temporary Loans,	125.27	30.00
<i>Outlay for New Construction and Per- manent Improvements:</i>		
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid Construction:		
State's Contribution,	463.58	
Town's Contribution,	772.65	

## Trunk Line Construction :

State's Contribution,		1,000.00
Town's Contribution,		1,000.00

*Indebtedness:*

Payment on Principal of Debt,	2,500.00	
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*Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:*

State Taxes,	1,335.00	1,335.00
County Taxes,	1,133.32	1,133.32
Payments to School Districts,	5,111.00	5,200.00

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

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### Inventory.

Of the Town of Lee for the year, 1925.

	No.	Valuation.
Polls,	228	
Lands and Buildings,		\$369,720.00
Horses,	133	12,590.00
Oxen,	4	350.00
Cows,	267	15,870.00
Other Neat Stock,	101	3,870.00
Sheep,	112	845.00
Fowls,		925.00
Portable Mills,		1,600.00
Wood and Lumber,		63,365.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks,		750.00
Stock in Trade,		4,900.00
Aqueducts,		1,900.00
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		\$476,685.00
Soldiers' exemptions,		\$3,800.00



## SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT.

For the Year Ending January 30, 1926.

Total Valuation,		\$476,685.00
Tax on \$100, \$2.60		
Tax on Valuation,	\$12,393.81	
Polls, 228 @ \$3.00,	684.00	
National Bank tax,	1.23	
	<hr/>	\$13,079.04
Less School tax paid in Newmarket and Durham,		126.36
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Amount of Collector's List,		\$12,952.68

### APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:

Highways,	\$1,170.06	
State Tax,	1,335.00	
County Tax,	1,133.32	
School Tax,	5,111.00	
General Expenses,	2,000.00	
State Road Maintenance,	900.00	
State Road Construction,	702.00	
Library,	26.40	
Overlay,	574.89	
	<hr/>	\$12,952.68
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## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES.

F. P. Comings, salary, Librarian,	\$25.00	
Helen J. Thompson, Collector,	100.00	
Robert H. Thompson, Selectman,	50.00	
F. P. Comings, Clerk,	20.00	
F. P. Comings, Auto Permits,	29.75	
Warren D. Sawyer, Selectman,	50.00	
Fred C. York, Selectman,	50.00	
Mark L. Mills, Treasurer,	40.00	
	<hr/>	\$364.25

## TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES.

Edward Quimby, Adding Machine,	\$150.00	
E. C. Eastman, Supplies,	5.90	
The Marshall Press, Town Reports, 1925,	146.86	
C. F. Whitehouse, Tax bills,	3.84	
Bela Kingman, Treasurer's Bond,	9.00	
Helen J. Thompson, Stamps and Stationery,	8.90	
F. P. Comings, Stamps and Station- ery,	9.00	
W. D. Sawyer, Time and Expense, out of town, and Supplies,	12.84	
	<hr/>	\$346.34

## TOWN HALL.

Raymond S. Jordan, wood,	\$5.50	
F. P. Comings, Janitor,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$35.50

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Benton E. Layne, burning roadside brush,	\$27.00
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## DAMAGE BY DOGS.

Charles G. Hobbs,	\$24.00	
Estate I. T. Dame,	57.00	
	<hr/>	\$81.00

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

F. P. Comings, Health Officer,	\$10.00
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## VITAL STATISTICS.

A. E. Grant, M. D., reporting Births and Deaths,	\$1.75	
F. P. Comings, recording Births and Deaths,	11.00	
	<hr/>	\$12.75

## STATE AID MAINTENANCE.

June	2.	Wm. B. Caswell, Patrolman,	\$72.00
	2.	Earl Cate, Gravel,	28.65
July	6.	Wm. B. Caswell,	94.00
	6.	F. I. Caldwell,	146.00
	6.	Wm. B. Caswell,	95.42
	6.	Benj. Lang, hauling sand,	135.57
	6.	F. I. Caldwell,	19.50
Aug.	1.	Wm. B. Caswell,	104.50
	1.	F. H. Gray,	29.75
Sept.	5.	Wm. B. Caswell,	138.80
	5.	F. I. Caldwell,	11.33
Oct.	3.	Wm. B. Caswell,	72.00

Nov.	7.	Wm. B. Caswell,	71.73	
Dec.	5.	F. I. Caldwell,	45.67	
	5.	Wm. B. Caswell,	41.00	
	5.	Benjamin Lang,	54.50	
			<hr/>	\$1,214.75

## TOWN PATROL.

June	2.	William B. Caswell,	\$18.00	
	2.	William B. Caswell,	9.50	
July	6.	William B. Caswell,	41.33	
	6.	William B. Caswell,	18.00	
Sept.	5.	William B. Caswell,	51.17	
Oct.	3.	William B. Caswell,	11.50	
Nov.	7.	William B. Caswell,	22.00	
			<hr/>	\$171.50

## TOWN MAINTENANCE.

Apr.	4.	W. A. Carpenter,	\$145.00	
	4.	C. H. Johnson,	75.00	
June	2.	C. H. Johnson,	250.00	
	2.	Earl Cate, Gravel,	89.68	
July	6.	C. H. Johnson,	20.55	
Aug.	1.	W. A. Carpenter,	21.50	
Sept.	5.	W. A. Carpenter,	19.00	
	5.	C. H. Johnson,	32.15	
Nov.	7.	W. A. Carpenter,	127.71	
Dec.	5.	S. W. Sherburne,	145.74	
	5.	S. W. Sherburne,	238.46	
	5.	W. B. Caswell,	6.50	
Jan.	30.	C. H. Johnson,	52.65	
	30.	W. A. Carpenter,	18.09	
			<hr/>	\$1,242.03

## BRIDGES AND GRAVEL.

Apr.	4.	W. A. Carpenter, Gravel,	\$11.40	
June	2.	Earl Cate, Gravel,	10.20	
	2.	W. A. Carpenter, Gravel,	5.00	
Oct.	3.	W. R. Carpenter,	24.25	
Nov.	7.	S. W. Sherburne,	32.10	
	7.	W. A. Carpenter,	2.80	
Dec.	5.	H. G. Hill,	.60	
	5.	S. W. Sherburne,	5.76	
	5.	W. D. Sawyer, Thompson Bridge,	3.00	
	5.	E. J. York, Plank,	341.42	
			<hr/>	\$436.53

## SNOW BILLS.

Apr.	4.	W. A. Carpenter,	\$21.05	
		1926.		
Jan.	30.	W. A. Carpenter,	123.00	
	30.	C. H. Johnson,	55.72	
			<hr/>	\$199.77

## CHAPMAN CASE.

H. G. Hill, witness fees,	\$5.00
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## TEMPORARY LOANS.

Newmarket National Bank,	\$2,500.00	
Newmarket National Bank, interest,	115.83	
Strafford County,	9.44	
	<hr/>	\$2,625.27

## ABATEMENTS.

J. B. Walker, over taxed, 1924,	\$17.04
Charles Coleman, left town, 1924,	5.00
Anna Coleman, left town, 1924,	5.00
John Clark, error, 1924,	2.84
Fred Besson, over taxed, 1924,	12.75
Ernest Whitehouse, left town, 1924,	5.00
Clarence D. Wiggin, paid in Strat- ham,	3.00
Charles H. Allen, over 70,	3.00
Fred Allen, paid in Epping,	3.00
Lewis I Demeritt,	3.00
Grace Demeritt,	3.00
Susan Davis, in Newmarket,	3.00
Carl Fernald, left town,	3.00
Ruth M. Fernald, deceased,	3.00
Wm. Hutchings, not here,	3.00
Katherine Jones, paid in Dover,	3.00
Sydney McKay, paid in Dover,	3.00
Ella G. McKay, paid in Dover,	3.00
Gertrude McKay, paid in Dover,	3.00
Bernice McKay, paid in Dover,	3.00
John D. Randall, paid in Massachusetts,	3.00
Samuel Roper, paid in Durham,	3.00
Helen Roper, paid in Durham,	3.00
Edwin Wiggin,	3.00
Eva Wiggin,	3.00
Harvey Whitehouse,	3.00
Ella T. Young, deceased,	3.00

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 \$113.63

## STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

June	20.	Benj. Lang,	\$515.96
	20.	Benj. Lang,	232.00
July	6.	Benj. Lang,	222.15
Oct.	3.	Benj. Lang,	106.41
		E. J. York, posts and rails,	87.66
Nov.	7.	Benj. Lang,	12.65
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			\$1,176.83

## SCHOOLS

Mrs. Edna Bartlett, Treasurer,	\$5,111.00
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## STATE TAX

State Treasurer,	\$1,335.00
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## COUNTY TAX

Frank R. Bliss, Treasurer,	\$1,133.32
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## SUMMARY

Town Officers' Salaries,	\$364.25
Town Officers' Expenses,	346.34
Town Hall,	35.50
Health Department,	10.00
Fire Department,	27.00
Damage by Dogs,	81.00
Vital Statistics,	12.75
State Aid Maintenance,	1,214.75
Town Patrol,	171.50

Town Maintenance	1,242.03
Bridges and Gravel,	436.53
Snow Bills,	199.77
Libraries,	32.00
Abatements,	113.63
State Aid Construction,	1,176.83
Chapman Case,	5.00
Temporary Loans,	2,625.27
State tax	1,335.00
County tax,	1,133.32
Schools,	5,111.00
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	\$15,673.47

ROBERT H. THOMPSON,  
 WARREN D. SAWYER,  
 FRED C. YORK,  
*Selectmen of Lee.*

I have examined the foregoing accounts and found them correct.

GRANVILLE B. THOMPSON,  
*Auditor.*



## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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### RECEIPTS

Tax list in full,	\$12,952.68	
Interest,	3.25	
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		\$12,955.93

### EXPENDITURES

Paid Treasurer,	\$12,886.68	
Paid Treasurer, interest,	3.25	
Abatements	66.00	
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		\$12,955.93

HELEN J. THOMPSON,  
*Collector.*

I have examined the foregoing account and find it correct.

GRANVILLE B. THOMPSON,  
*Auditor.*

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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Received for Auto Permits,	\$508.05	
Paid Treasurer for Auto Permits,		\$508.05
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Received for 40 Dog Licenses	\$92.00	
Paid for blanks,		\$3.00
Fees for issuing same,		8.00
Paid Treasurer,		81.00
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		\$92.00

FRED P. COMINGS,  
*Town Clerk.*

I have examined the foregoing report and found it correct.

GRANVILLE B. THOMPSON,  
*Auditor.*

## TREASURER'S REPORT

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For the Year Ending January 31, 1925

### RECEIPTS

Indebtedness		\$606.31
Received of F. P. Comings:		
Auto Permits,	\$508.05	
Dog Licenses,	81.00	
Rent of Town Hall,	7.00	
Received of State Treasurer:		
Co-operative fire protection,	13.50	
Railroad tax,	711.79	
Tax interest and dividend dist.,	325.60	
For highway department,	461.10	
Savings bank tax,	972.37	
Newmarket National Bank:		
Notes hired,	2,000.00	
Edward Quimby:		
Refund on adding machine,	17.70	
Refund on tarvia,	.78	
Walter Jones, taxes 1924,	230.10	
Helen Thompson, taxes 1925,	12,955.93	
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	\$18,284.92	
Less indebtedness	606.31	
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		\$17,678.61

## EXPENDITURES

Paid, per order Selectmen,	\$15,673.47	
Cash on hand February 1, 1926,	2,005.14	
		\$17,678.61

MARK L. MILLS,  
*Treasurer.*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

## ASSETS

Jan. 30, 1926, Cash on Hand,	\$2,005.14
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## LIABILITIES

Due on State Road Construction,	\$317.44
Surplus	\$1,687.70

## STATE ROAD CONSTRUCTION.

<i>Money Available.</i>	<i>State.</i>	<i>Town.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
Balance from 1924,	\$232.85	\$388.09	\$620.94
Appropriation 1925,	421.20	702.00	1,123.20
Sum of Appropriation and Balance,	\$654.05	\$1,090.09	\$1,744.14
Expended,	463.58	772.65	1,236.23
Balance for 1926,	\$190.47	\$317.44	\$507.91

## EXPENDITURES.

June 13.	Lang,	\$213.50	
20.	Lang,	302.46	
27.	Lang,	231.00	
July 4.	Lang,	223.15	
June 23.	Quimby, Asst. Eng.,		3.45
23.	Mack, Asst. Eng.,		1.50
23.	Jones, Asst. Eng.,		1.50
23.	James, Auto,		5.70
July 13.	James, Eng.,		6.10
Sept. 26.	Lang,	45.98	
Oct. 3.	Lang,	60.43	
Sept. 29.	James, Auto,		7.40
29.	Quimby, Asst. Eng.,		10.00
29.	Jones, Asst. Eng.,		4.50

Sept. 10. Paint, 10 gals.,		19.25
17. Lang,	100.31	
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Totals,	\$1,176.83	\$59.40
Jan. 1926. Check to Town,		\$404.18

ACCOUNT OF BENJAMIN LANG.

Received of Town,		\$1,176.83
Paid Jacob Cilley,	\$131.44	
William A. Carpenter,	134.36	
Walter Smith,	76.66	
Frank Ryan,	79.00	
William E. Ryan,	62.33	
Samuel R. Davis,	35.33	
John Clark,	4.50	
George Clark,	31.67	
Donald Davis,	15.56	
John Carmichael,	56.00	
George Plumer,	9.00	
Charles Davis,	29.50	
Jacob J. Demeritt,	3.67	
John Demeritt,	60.33	
Jesse N. Carpenter,	16.40	
Robert Cook,	14.83	
Charles Cook,	13.56	
D. H. Hill,	50.36	
Robert Kirkwood,	6.00	
Lewis Demeritt,	44.67	
Frank Lang,	1.00	
Perley Clark,	4.89	

Pearl Freeman,	1.33
J. True Bartlett,	67.50
John H. Griffin,	1.20
J. Herbert Seavey,	2.98
Boston & Maine R. R.,	.65
Benjamin Lang,	134.45
Edwin J. York,	87.66
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	\$1,176.83

## STATE AID MAINTENANCE.

<i>Money Available.</i>	<i>State.</i>	<i>Town.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
Balance from 1924,	\$37.38	\$37.38	\$74.46
Appropriation 1925,	1,500	900.00	2,400.00
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Sum of Appropriation and Balance,	\$1,537.38	\$937.38	\$2,474.76
Extra Appropriation,	367.43	220.45	587.88
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Total Fund,	\$1,904.81	\$1,157.83	\$3,062.64
Expendel,	1,904.81	1,157.83	3,062.64

## EXPENDITURES.

April	4.	Caswell, William B.,	\$13.50
Mar.	28.	Caswell, William B.,	20.50
April	11.	Caswell, William B.,	13.50
	18.	Caswell, William B.,	15.50
	25.	Caswell, William B.,	9.00
Mar.	14.	Caldwell, F. I.,	9.00
	21.	Caldwell, F. I.,	40.00
	28.	Caldwell, F. I.,	29.33
April	4.	Caldwell, F. I.,	12.67
	11.	Caldwell, F. I.,	37.67
June	13.	Tarite, 500 gals. @ .1419,	70.95
April	18.	Caldwell,	17.33
May	2.	Caswell,	22.00
	9.	Caswell,	24.50



May	16.	Caswell,	13.50	
	23.	Caswell,	13.50	
	30.	Caswell,	20.50	
		Brooms,		.62
April	28.	James, Eng.,		6.50
May	12.	James, Eng.,		7.00
	16.	Caldwell,	6.00	
June	6.	Caldwell,	7.50	
	6.	Caswell,	13.50	
	13.	Caswell,	44.42	
	20.	Caswell,	17.00	
	27.	Caldwell,	34.65	
	27.	Lang,	54.50	
	27.	Caswell,	20.50	
July	4.	Gray, truck No. 53,	29.75	23.00
	4.	Lang,	135.57	
	4.	Caswell,	27.00	
		Tarvia, BMX 4156,		
		9,066 gals. @ .1355		1,228.44
	11.	Caswell,	41.50	
	11.	Caldwell,	5.33	
	13.	James, Eng.,		10.80
	13.	Miner, Asst.,		17.00
	13.	Mack, Asst.,		1.50
	18.	Caswell,	13.50	
	25.	Caswell,	22.50	
Aug.	12.	Caswell,	9.00	
	1.	Caldwell,	6.00	
	8.	Caswell,	58.50	
	10.	James, Eng.,		4.70
	10.	Miner, Asst.,		8.80

Aug.	15.	Caswell,	30.80	
		Tarvia, BMX4631, 3,436		
		gals. @ .1355		465.58
	22.	Caswell,	31.50	
	29.	Caswell,	9.00	
Sept.	5.	Caldwell,	4.00	
	5.	Caswell,	22.50	
	12.	Caswell,	22.50	
	19.	Caswell,	9.00	
	19.	Caldwell,	24.33	
	26.	Caswell,	18.00	
	26.	Caldwell,	26.00	
Oct.	3.	Caswell,	11.50	
	10.	Caswell,	24.06	
	17.	Caswell,	20.50	
	24.	Caswell,	11.17	
	31.	Caswell,	16.00	
Sept.	15.	James, Eng.,		3.00
Nov.	14.	Caswell,	17.00	
	21.	Caswell,	12.50	
	21.	Caldwell,	33.67	
	28.	Caldwell,	12.00	
		Totals,	<u>\$1,214.75</u>	<u>\$1,847.89</u>
Jan.	1926.	State to Town,		\$56.92

## STATE ROAD MAINTENANCE

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### ACCOUNT OF BENJAMIN LANG

Received of Town,		\$190.07
Paid Pearl Freeman,	\$9.33	
Jacob Cilley,	24.89	
William A. Carpenter,	24.89	
Walter Smith,	10.67	
Frank Ryan,	7.67	
William E. Ryan,	13.67	
George Clark,	5.11	
Charles Davis,	12.00	
John Demeritt,	10.00	
Robert Cook,	7.61	
Charles Cook,	7.11	
D. H. Hill,	14.78	
Perley Clark,	3.11	
Vern Kirkwood,	11.67	
Harold Spencer,	3.00	
Joe Gale,	3.00	
Benjamin Debutts,	3.00	
Lewis Demeritt,	3.00	
Benjamin Lang,	15.56	
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		\$190.07

## TOWN PATROL

April	4.	Caswell,	\$4.50
	11.	Caswell,	13.50
Mar.	28.	Caldwell,	18.00
April	4.	Caldwell,	23.33
May	2.	Caswell,	2.50
	15.	Caswell,	4.50
	9.	Caswell,	2.50
June	6.	Caswell,	9.00
	20.	Caswell,	9.00
	27.	Caldwell,	10.20
Aug.	1.	Caswell,	9.00
	15.	Caswell,	19.67
	22.	Caswell,	13.50
Sept.	29.	Caswell,	9.00
	19.	Caswell,	11.50
Oct.	3.	Caswell,	6.50
	24.	Caswell,	15.50
	31.	Caswell,	6.50
Total footings			<hr/> \$188.20

## ACCOUNT OF CHARLES H. JOHNSON

1925.

Feb.	1.	Donald Thompson,	\$1.50
	1.	C. H. Johnson,	3.85
	1.	Henry Cornell,	3.85
	3.	Henry Cornell,	.67
	3.	C. H. Johnson,	1.50
Mar.	6.	C. H. Johnson,	1.35
	9.	C. H. Johnson,	.65
	25.	C. H. Johnson,	.65
	26.	C. H. Johnson, and horses	4.65
	26.	Charles Cheney,	1.75
	27.	Charles Cheney,	.75
	27.	C. H. Johnson,	2.00
	28.	C. H. Johnson,	.50
	28.	Charles Cheney,	.75
	31.	Charles Cheney,	1.00
	31.	C. H. Johnson,	1.00
April	1.	C. H. Johnson, and team,	5.00
	1.	George P. James,	5.00
	1.	Charles Cheney,	2.00
	2.	Charles Cheney,	2.00
	2.	George P. James,	3.00
	2.	Charles H. Johnson,	5.00
	2.	James B. Walker, 10 loads gravel,	1.00
	2.	James B. Walker, 8 loads gravel,	.80
	2.	Hall Estate, 10 loads gravel	1.00
	3.	James B. Walker, 7 loads gravel,	.70

April	3.	Charles Cheney,	2.00
	3.	George P. James,	3.30
	3.	Charles H. Johnson,	5.00
	4.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.00
	4.	Charles H. Johnson,	1.58

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\$75.00

April	7.	M. Davis,	\$3.00
	7.	Sydney Davis,	3.00
	7.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	7.	Charles Cheney,	2.00
	7.	George P. James, and team,	6.23
	7.	Charles H. Johnson, horses	4.00
	7.	Charles H. Johnson,	2.33
	8.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.00
	8.	Charles H. Johnson,	2.33
	8.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	8.	George P. James,	6.23
	8.	Sydney Davis,	3.00
	8.	M. Davis,	3.00
	8.	Charles Cheney,	2.50
	9.	Charles Cheney,	2.50
	9.	George P. James,	6.23
	9.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	9.	Sydney Davis,	3.00
	9.	M. Davis,	3.00
	9.	Charles H. Johnson, horses,	4.00
	9.	Charles H. Johnson,	2.33
	9.	50 Loads Gravel,	5.00
	10.	Charles Cheney,	1.75
	10.	Grover Smith,	2.35

April	10.	Charles H. Johnson, horses,	4.65
	10.	G. Chesley, gravel,	.70
	16.	Charles Cheney,	2.00
	16.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	16.	Sydney Davis,	3.00
	16.	M. Davis,	3.00
	17.	M. Davis,	3.00
	17.	Sydney Davis,	3.00
	17.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	17.	George P. James,	6.25
	16.	George P. James,	6.25
	16.	Charles H. Johnson,	6.25
	17.	Charles H. Johnson,	6.25
	18.	George P. James,	3.50
	18.	Charles H. Johnson,	3.50
	18.	Sydney Davis,	1.50
	18.	M. Davis,	1.50
	18.	Grover Smith,	1.50
	21.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	21.	Charles Cheney,	2.50
	21.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.00
	22.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.00
	22.	Charles Cheney,	2.50
	22.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	23.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	23.	Charles Cheney,	2.50
	23.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.00
	24.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.00
	25.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.00
	24.	Charles Cheney,	2.50
	24.	Grover Smith,	3.00
	25.	Grover Smith,	3.00

April	25.	Charles Cheney,	2.50	
	25.	James B. Walker, gravel,	1.10	
	25.	George Chesley, gravel,	1.10	
	25.	I. Herbert Seavey, bolts	.20	
	25.	Good Roads Machine Co., bolts	.37	
May	1.	Charles H. Johnson,	1.90	
	2.	Charles H. Johnson,	2.70	
	2.	Albert Dudley, 2 days,	14.00	
	2.	Darius Mariotti, 3½ days,	10.50	
	2.	3½ Days hauling gravel,	24.50	
	2.	35 Loads gravel,	3.50	
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				\$250.00
April	6.	Grover Smith,	\$3.00	
May	18.	C. H. Johnson, and 2 men,	11.85	
	18.	George P. James,	5.70	
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				\$20.55
June	22.	Goerge P. James,	\$4.65	
	22.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.65	
	22.	Willie Rollins,	2.65	
	23.	Willie Rollins,	1.35	
	23.	Charles H. Johnson,	3.00	
	25.	Charles H. Johnson,	6.00	
	25.	Willie Rollins,	2.50	
	25.	Willie Rollins,	1.35	
	26.	Charles H. Johnson,	.65	
July	17.	Charles H. Johnson,	1.00	
	30.	Charles H. Johnson,	3.00	
	30.	Willie Rollins,	1.35	
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				\$32.15



Oct.	6.	Charles H. Johnson,	\$0.99
	9.	Charles H. Johnson,	.66
	30.	Charles H. Johnson, and team	6.00
	30.	Raymond Jordan,	3.00
	31.	Raymond Jordan,	3.00
	31.	Charles H. Johnson,	6.00
Nov.	9.	Charles H. Johnson,	3.50
	9.	Raymond Jordan,	1.50
	10.	Raymond Jordan,	3.00
	10.	Charles H. Johnson,	3.00
	25.	Charles H. Johnson,	3.00
	25.	Raymond Jordan,	1.50
Dec.	5.	Charles H. Johnson,	6.00
	7.	Charles H. Johnson,	1.50
	9.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.65
	9.	George P. James,	3.00
Jan.	31.	Charles H. Johnson,	\$2.85
Feb.	2.	Charles H. Johnson,	1.00
	2.	George P. James,	2.30
	5.	George P. James,	4.65
	5.	Charles H. Johnson,	4.65
	6.	Charles H. Johnson,	5.00
	5 & 6.	Walter Smith,	5.65
	5 & 6.	Grover Smith,	6.00
	5 & 6.	Samuel Rover,	6.00
	5 & 6.	Everett Dalton,	3.67
	5 & 6.	Eugene Sawyer,	3.00
	5 & 6.	Charles Cheney,	2.50
	5 & 6.	Albert Corson,	3.35
	5 & 6.	Stanley Dallon,	1.65

Feb. 5 & 6. ——— Styles,	1.35	
5 & 6. Henry Cornell,	1.00	
		<u>\$108.37</u>

## ACCOUNT OF S. W. SHERBURNE.

April 1. Received		\$19.50
Paid S. W. Sherburne, 3 days,	\$9.00	
Charles A. Langmaid, ½		
day and team,	10.50	
		<u>\$19.50</u>
April 30. Received,		<u>\$190.00</u>
Paid S. W. Sherburne, 3 days,	\$9.00	
S. W. Sherburne, team, 7 days	49.00	
Kenneth Fogg, 8½ days,	25.50	
Kenneth Fogg, truck ½ day,	5.00	
Kenneth Fogg, team, 1 day,	7.00	
Frank Wiggin, 5 days,	15.00	
Dexter Layne, team, 8 days,	56.00	
W. W. Jones, 3 days,	9.00	
George Stimpson, 5 days,	15.00	
		<u>\$190.50</u>
May 31. Received,		<u>\$63.50</u>
Paid S. W. Sherburne, team, 3 days	\$21.00	
C. A. Langmaid, team, 1½ days,	10.50	
Kenneth Fogg, 1 day,	3.00	
Kenneth Fogg, truck, 1½ days	15.00	

Kenneth Fogg, team, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	3.50	
Frank Wiggin, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days,	4.50	
Horace Clay, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days,	4.50	
C. E. N. Stackpole, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50	
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		\$63.50
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June 30. Received.		\$53.50
Paid S. W. Sherburne, team $3\frac{1}{2}$ days,	\$24.50	
D. B. Bartlett, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days,	4.50	
C. A. Langmaid, team, 2 days,	14.00	
Kenneth Fogg, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days,	4.50	
Frank Wiggin, 2 days	6.00	
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		\$53.50
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July 31. Paid S. W. Sherburne, team $\frac{1}{2}$ day		\$3.50
October 31. Paid S. W. Sherburne, team, $\frac{1}{2}$ day		3.50
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November 30. Received,		\$50.50
Paid S. W. Sherburne, 4 days,	\$12.00	
Kenneth Fogg, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50	
Kenneth Fogg, truck, 3 days,	30.00	
John Bishop, 3 hours,	1.00	
Horace Clay, 2 days,	6.00	
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		\$50.50
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S. W. Sherburne, 144 ft. plank,		\$5.76

## ACCOUNT OF W. A. CARPENTER.

Mar. 20.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day	\$7.00
20.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	3.00
20.	Frank Ryan, 1 day,	3.00
21.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day,	7.00
21.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	3.00
21.	Frank Ryan, 1 day,	3.00
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		\$26.00
Mar. 23.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day,	7.00
23.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	3.00
23.	D. H. Hill and team, 1 day	7.00
23.	E. W. Bloom and team, 1 day,	7.00
23.	Frank Ryan, 1 day,	3.00
23.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
23.	Daniel Davis, 1 day,	3.00
24.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day,	7.00
24.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	3.00
24.	D. H. Hill and team, 1 day,	7.00
24.	E. W. Bloom and team, 1 day,	7.00
24.	Frank Ryan, 1 day,	3.00
24.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
24.	Daniel Davis, 1 day,	3.00
24.	Austin Caswell, 1 day,	3.00
25.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	3.50
25.	W. A. Carpenter, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50

Mar.	25.	D. H. Hill and team, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	3.50
	25.	E. U. Bloom and team, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	3.50
	25.	Frank Ryan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50
	25.	Charles Davis, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50
	25.	Daniel Davis, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50
	25.	Austin Caswell, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50
	26.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	3.50
	26.	W. A. Carpenter, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50
	26.	Austin Caswell, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	1.50
	27.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 1 day,	7.00
	27.	Ausin Caswell, 1 day,	3.00
	27.	Donald Caswell, 1 day,	3.00
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			\$119.50
Mar.	30.	W. A. Carpenter, 2 hrs.	
April	3.	W. A. Carpenter, 6 hrs.	
	4.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	\$5.64
Mar.	30.	Robert Keniston, 2 hrs.	.66
April	3.	W. A. Carpenter, 2 teams, 6 hrs.	
	4.	W. A. Carpenter, 2 teams, 1 day,	23.36
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			\$29.66
April	6.	W. A. Carpenter's two teams, 1 day,	\$14.00
	7.	W. A. Carpenter's 2 teams, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	7.00
	8.	W. A. Carpenter's 2 teams, 1 day,	14.00

April 10.	W. A. Carpenter's 2 teams, ½ day,	7.00	
		<hr/>	\$42.00
April 6.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	\$3.00	
8.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	3.00	
10.	W. A. Carpenter, ½ day,	1.50	
		<hr/>	\$7.50
April 23.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 1 day,	\$7.00	
24.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, ½ day,	3.50	
		<hr/>	\$10.50
May 14.	W. A. Carpenter's team, ½ day,	\$3.50	
June 23.	W. A. Carpenter's team, ½ day,	3.50	
July 24.	W. A. Carpenter's team, ½ day,	3.50	
Aug. 6.	W. A. Carpenter's team, ½ day,	3.50	
Aug. 18.	Perley Freeman, 1 day,	3.00	
19.	Perley Freeman, 1 day,	3.00	
20.	Perley Freeman, 1 day,	3.00	
21.	Perley Freeman, ½ day,	1.50	
		<hr/>	\$24.50

Oct.	6.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 1 day,	\$7.00
	6.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	3.00
	6.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
	7.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 2 hrs.,	1.58
	7.	W. A. Carpenter, 2 hrs.,	.66
	7.	Charles Davis, 2 hrs.,	.66
	8.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day,	7.00
	8.	W. A. Carpenter, 1 day,	3.00
	8.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00

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\$28.90

Oct.	26.	W. A. Carpenter, 1-3 day,	\$1.00
	26.	Robert Keniston, 1-3 day,	1.00
	27.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, $\frac{3}{4}$ day,	5.25
	27.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day,	7.00
	27.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day,	7.00
	27.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day,	7.00
	27.	W. A. Carpenter's team and man, 1 day,	7.00
	27.	Charles Davis, $\frac{3}{4}$ day,	2.25
	27.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
	27.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
	27.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
	27.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00

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\$49.50

Oct.	2.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 1 day,	\$7.00
	3.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 1 day,	7.00
	4.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 1 day,	7.00
	5.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 1 day,	7.00
	7.	W. A. Carpenter's team and 1 man, 1 day,	7.00
	2.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
	3.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
	4.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
	5.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
	7.	Charles Davis, 1 day,	3.00
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			\$50.00

*Snow Bill.*

Feb.	5.	E. U. Bloom's team, 1 day,	\$7.00
	5.	W. A. Carpenter's 2 teams, 1 day,	14.00
	5.	J. Cilley's team, 1 day,	7.00
	5.	Lawrence Bloom, 1 day,	3.00
	5.	E. U. Bloom, 1 day,	3.00
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			\$34.00
Feb.	11.	Ben Lang's team, 1 day,	7.00
	11.	Walter Plumer's team, 1 day,	7.00
	11.	Charles Piper's team, 1 day,	7.00
	11.	J. Cilley's team, 1 day,	7.00
	11.	E. U. Bloom's team, 1 day,	7.00



Feb. 11.	W. A. Carpenter's 2 teams, 1 day,	14.00	
11.	George Plumer, 1/2 day,	1.50	
11.	Perry L. Harvey, 1/2 day,	1.50	
11.	George Smith, 1/2 day,	1.50	
11.	Will Ryan, 1/2 day,	1.50	
11.	Lewis Jordan, 1 day,	3.00	
12.	J. Cilley's team, 3 hrs.,	3.00	
12.	W. A. Carpenter's 2 teams, 1/2 day,	7.00	
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Feb. 15.	W. A. Carpenter's team, 1 day,	7.00	
15.	Robert Keniston, 1 day,	3.00	
15.	J. Cilley's team, 1 day,	7.00	
15.	Ted Chapman's team, 1 day,	7.00	
17.	W. A. Carpenter's team, 1/2 day,	3.50	
		<hr/>	\$27.50
<i>Scraping Road.</i>			
Dec. 12.	E. U. Bloom's 2 teams and W. A. Carpenter's team, 22 1-2 hrs.,		\$18.09

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF LEE, N. H., ON JANUARY 30, 1926.

Date of Creation.	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION.	HOW INVESTED.	Amount of Princ- pal.	Rate of interest.	Balance of Income on hand at Be- ginning of Year.	Income During Year.	Expended During Year.	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year.
1910	Old Parish Cemetery Fund	Straford Savings Bank	\$400.00	4%	\$484.52	\$19.36	...	\$503.88
1914	Thomas M. Thompson Cemetery Fund	Straford Savings Bank	100.00	4%	105.15	4.20	...	109.35
1915	Thomas J. Davis Cemetery Fund	Straford Savings Bank	150.00	4%	214.86	8.56	...	223.42
1916	Irving G. Chesley Cemetery Fund	Straford Savings Bank	300.00	4%	419.29	16.76	...	436.05

I have examined the foregoing account and found it correct.

GRANVILLE B. THOMPSON,  
*Auditor.*

JAMES B. WALKER,  
F. C. YORK,  
WALTER D. SMITH,  
*Trustees.*

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

OPEN SATURDAYS FROM TWO TO FOUR P. M.

*Books Added During Year:*

Hawaii, The Rainbow Land,	Katherine Pope
Columbia, Land of Miracles,	Blair Mils
A Passage to India,	E. M. Forster
The Occident and the Orient,	Sir Valentine Chirol
The Woodranger,	G. Waldo Browne
The Young Gunbearer,	G. Waldo Browne
The Hero of the Hills,	G. Waldo Browne
With Rogers Rangers,	G. Waldo Browne
Top of the World,	Ethel M. Dell
The Ancient Highway,	James M. Curwood
The Trouble Maker,	E. R. Eastman
The Secret Road,	John Ferguson
Hard Wood,	Arthur O. Friel
Ariel Custer,	Grace L. Hill
Queer Judson,	Joseph C. Lincoln
Broken Waters,	Frank Packard
Red Ashes,	Margaret Pedler
The Red Lamp,	Mary A. Rinehart
The Strolling Saint,	Rafael Sabatini
A Son of His Father,	Harold B. Wright
Lorenzo, the Magnificent,	Dane Loolidge
Prairie Gold,	Harold Blindloss

ACCOUNT OF TREASURER OF LEE PUBLIC  
LIBRARY.

On hand January 31, 1925,	\$3.46	
Received from Town,	26.40	
	_____	\$30.06
Paid for Books,	\$28.60	
On hand January 31, 1926,	1.46	
	_____	\$30.06

F. P. COMINGS,

*Treasurer.*

# REPORT

OF THE

School Board Treasurer

AND

Superintendent

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FOR THE

Year Ending June 30, 1925

## SCHOOL OFFICERS

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*Moderator.*

DAVID B. BARTLETT.

*Clerk.*

FRED P. COMINGS.

*Treasurer.*

EDNA B. BARTLETT.

*Board of Education.*

ALBERT B. DUDLEY.      FLORENCE F. CALDWELL.  
MARY B. CARPENTER.

*Superintendent.*

O. R. McCOY.

*Auditors.*

FRED C. YORK.

BENTON E. LAYNE.

**FINANCIAL REPORT  
OF THE LEE SCHOOL DISTRICT**

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1924 AND  
ENDING JUNE 30, 1925.

*State and Federal Aid:*

(a) Equalization fund for elementary schools (from State)	\$2.07
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*Income for Local Taxation:*

(a) For the support of elementary schools,	4,556.00
(c) For the payment of High School and Academy tuition,	1,000.00

*From Sources other than Taxation:*

(b) Town of Barrington, elementary school tuition,	132.00
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Total receipts,	\$5,690.07
Cash on hand July 1, 1924,	445.29
	\$6,135.36
Grand Total,	

## REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER

## RECEIPTS

Amount in Treasury July 1, 1924,	\$445.29
Received from Town Treasurer,	5,556.00
Tuition from Barrington,	132.00
From State Treasurer,	2.07
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Total receipts,	\$6,135.36

## EXPENDITURES

Paid by order of School Board,	\$5,598.07
Balance on hand,	537.29
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	\$6,135.36

MARK L. MILLS,  
*Treasurer.*



## PAYMENTS

*Administration.*

1. Salaries of District Officers,	\$65.00
2. Superintendent's excess salary,	152.76
3. Truant officers and school census,	5.00
4. Expenses of administration,	49.58

*Instruction.*

5. Teacher's salaries,	2,725.00
6. Text books,	116.41
7. Scholar's supplies,	107.08
8. Flags and appurtenances,	9.14
9. Other expenses of instruction,	1.02

*Operation and Maintenance of School Plant.*

10. Janitor service,	79.80
11. Fuel,	159.50
12. Water, light, janitor's supplies	26.78
13. Minor repairs and expenses,	230.99

*Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities.*

14. Medical inspection,	37.50
16. High School and Academy Tuition,	665.13

*Outlay for Construction and Equipment.*

22. Alterations of old buildings,	593.51
23. New equipment,	373.87

*Debt, Interest and Other Charges.*

26. Tax for state wide supervision, (\$2 per capita)	200.00
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Total payments,	\$5,598.07
Cash on hand June 30, 1925,	537.29
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Grand Total,	\$6,135.36
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## DETAIL OF PAYMENTS.

*Salaries of District Officers.*

1. Albert B. Dudley, School Board,	\$20.00
Mary B. Carpenter, School Board,	20.00
Florence F. Caldwell, School Board,	20.00
Mark L. Mills, Treasurer,	5.00

*Superintendent's Excess Salary.*

2. O. R. McCoy, Superintendent,	152.76
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*Truant Officers and School Census.*

3. Albert B. Dudley, School Census,	5.00
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*Expenses of Administration.*

4. O. R. McCoy, telephone calls,	6.58
Albert B. Dudley, postage, stationery,	3.00
Town of Lee, printing reports,	40.00

*Teachers' Salaries.*

5. Ruth K. Munroe, Center School,	900.00
Ethel Wilson, South Lee,	850.00
Helen B. MacRae, North Lee,	750.00
Martha B. Walker, music teacher,	225.00

*Text Books.*

6.	Charles Scribner's Sons,	2.79
	Iroquois Publishing Co.,	.70
	Ginn & Co.,	2.48
	J. B. Lippincott Co.,	7.09
	Charles E. Merrill Co.,	1.70
	Murray Printing Co.,	.91
	Laidlow Bros.,	5.64
	American Book Co.,	29.19
	Silver, Burdette Co.,	11.29
	The University Publishing Co.,	13.04
	Scott, Foresman Co.,	19.76
	Benjamin H. Sanborn Co.,	18.62
	Kenney Bros. & Wolkins,	2.59
	Columbia University,	.60

*Scholars' Supplies.*

7.	F. L. Perkins,	2.60
	Milton Bradley Co.,	1.80
	Arlo Publishing Co.,	1.74
	J. L. Hammett Co.,	22.78
	Edward E. Babb Co.,	78.16

*Flags and Appurtenances.*

8.	J. L. Hammett Co., flags,	9.14
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*Other Expenses of Instruction.*

9.	R. E. Lane,	1.02
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*Janitor Service.*

10.	Virginia Menter, Center,	12.00
	John A. Currier, Center,	13.80

George Clark, South Lee,	8.25
Perley Clark, South Lee	2.25
Kenneth Caswell, South Lee,	16.50
Winston F. Caldwell, North Lee,	27.00

*Fuel.*

11. James B. Walker, Center,	59.00
Manzo Davis, Center,	7.00
William A. Carpenter, South Lee,	51.00
Seth W. Sherburne, North Lee,	42.50

*Janitors' Supplies.*

12. William A. Carpenter,	6.75
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins,	16.89
J. L. Hammett Co.,	3.14

*Minor Repairs and Expenses.*

13. Albert B. Dudley, labor,	8.00
Mrs. A. N. Caswell, labor,	1.25
A. J. Turcotte, window shades,	5.25
I. W. Wilkes, stove jacket,	20.81
John H. Griffin, supplies,	42.84
Charles E. Stackpole, labor,	44.46
Edwin J. York, shingle,	95.31
J. Herbert Seavey, nails,	.75
O. R. McCoy, repairs,	2.57
True E. Smith, labor,	4.00
J. L. Hammett Co., water cooler,	3.75
Marinda Hanscom, labor,	2.00

*Medical Inspection.*

14. N. L. Griffin, M. D.,	37.50
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*High School and Academy Tuition.*

16.	Dover High,	509.75
	Epping High,	147.78
	Newmarket High,	7.60

*Alteration of Old Buildings.*

22.	Granville B. Thompson, labor,	275.00
	Arthur D. Wiggin, painting,	66.00
	William A. Carpenter, labor,	20.00
	J. N. Carpenter, lumber, South Lee,	232.51

*New Equipment.*

23.	Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, desks,	313.98
	R. A. Fife Corporation, curtains,	28.39
	Edward E. Babb Co., desks,	31.50
26.	George E. Farrand, per capita tax	200.00

Total payment,	\$5,598.07
Cash on hand at end of year,	537.29

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Grand Total, \$6,135.36

ALBERT B. DUDLEY,  
 FLORENCE F. CALDWELL,  
 MARY B. CARPENTER,

*School Board.*

We, the undersigned auditors, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct.

F. C. YORK,  
*Auditor.*

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR SCHOOL YEAR  
Beginning July 1, 1925.

1.	Salaries of District Officers,	\$70.00
2.	Superintendent's Excess Salary,	160.00
3.	Truant Officer and School Census,	5.00
4.	Expenses of Administration,	50.00
5.	Principal's and Teachers' Salaries,	2,750.00
6.	Text Books,	110.00
7.	Scholars' Supplies,	125.00
8.	Flags and Appurtenances,	10.00
9.	Other Expenses of Instruction,	15.00
10.	Janitor Service,	81.00
11.	Fuel,	180.00
12.	Janitors' Supplies,	25.00
13.	Minor Repairs and Expenses,	200.00
14.	Medical Inspection,	50.00
16.	High School and Academy Tuition,	750.00
26.	Tax for State wide Supervision, (\$2) per capita)	200.00
	Total,	\$4,781.00

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

*To the School Board of Lee:*

During the past year the schools of Lee have been in good condition. The painting and the new shades at the Lee Hill and North Lee schools have made a decided improvement. It is a pleasure to see the pupils at work in these cheerful and well-lighted school-rooms. Better school work can be done in such surroundings. Teachers, too, are better satisfied and are apt to stay longer. We have been fortunate this year in getting experienced rural teachers so that conditions are satisfactory and good work is being done in all the schools. Attendance has been good and there have been few interruptions on account of illness or inclement weather.

With your leadership the people of the town have done a great deal in recent years to put the school-houses in first class condition. On the whole I think we may be proud of the appearance and general condition of the school buildings. Because the people have been generous and willing to make these improvements, I hesitate to ask for anything further at this time. However, we ought to face the fact that the lighting at the South Lee School is not right. There is abundant proof that, on account of cross lights and shadows, light from two opposite sides of a school room causes eye-strain and may cause permanent injury to the sight of the pupils. So thoroughly has this been proved that for over twenty years, no well-informed school board has built a school-house of this type. A school room to be properly lighted should have abundant light from the left-hand side

or from the left and rear. The area of the windows should be about one-fifth of the area of the room. The height of the top of the windows should equal one-half the width of the room. The condition at South Lee is not as bad as it has been in some places, but, nevertheless, it ought to be corrected. I trust that the people this year will favor the additional amount of money in the budget needed for this purpose. So far as we can judge at this time, no other repairs of any considerable amount will be needed for any of the school-houses for some time.

Respectfully submitted,

O. R. McCOY,  
*Superintendent.*

#### PUPILS PERFECT IN ATTENDANCE.

1924-1925.

Alexander MacRae  
Thomas MacRae  
William Currier

Barbara James  
Charles Mills  
Bernice Lang



# VITAL STATISTICS

## BIRTHS

Registered in the Town of Lee, N. H., for the year ending  
December 31, 1925.

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

- Jan. 29. Earle Raymond Cate; Earle R. Cate and Lillian  
E. Miles.
- Feb. 4. Laura M. Demeritt; G. Norman Demeritt and  
Marvel P. Perry.
28. George Sylvester Gray; George S. Gray and  
Helen C. Wellington.
- Mar. 23. Edward Graham Chapman; Nigel D. Chapman  
and Marion Cook.
- May 26. Frank Ezekiel Hobbs; Charles A. Hobbs and  
Winnifred R. Taylor.
28. Helena Flora Roper; Samuel R. Roper and Ruth  
Marian Revere.
- July 14. Myra Susie Piper, Charles Amos Piper; An-  
nie Bell Dame.
25. Bernice Rose Davis; Charles A. Davis and Mabel  
K. Clark.
- Oct. 4. Mary Rose Letourneau; Frank Letourneau and  
Roseanna M. Allard.
- Nov. 7. Pauline Norma Gorton; Clifford A. Gorton and  
Norma Harvey.

A true copy,

FRED P. COMINGS,  
*Town Clerk.*

## MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Lee, N. H., for the year ending  
December 31, 1925.

- Date, Names of Parties and Name of Person Performing Ceremony.
- May 30. Clifford A. Gorton and Norma Harvey; Rev.  
John R. Clark, Exeter, N. H.
- June 30. Charles A. Langmaid and Louise C. Dodge; Rev.  
Francis O. Tyler, Barrington, N. H.
- Aug. 5. Charles E. Hebert and Martha E. Fisher; Rev.  
Donald C. Babcock, Durham, N. H.
- Sept. 21. Harold David Cassell and Irene Francis Carpen-  
ter; Rev. Joseph E. Barker, Durham, N. H.
- Oct. 26. William J. Kirkwood and Agnes Louise Beane;  
Rev. Lester C. Holmes, Dover, N. H.

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FRED P. COMINGS,  
*Town Clerk.*

## DEATHS

Registered in the Town of Lee, N. H., for the year ending  
December 31, 1925.

Date, Name and Age, and Names of Parents.

- Mar. 24. William H. McDonald, 74 years.  
 June 9. Horace H. Davis, 74 years; Oliver Davis and  
 Betsey Shannon.  
 July 29. Joseph W. Trull, 2 years; Albert F. Trull and  
 Helen Stewart.  
 Nov. 11. Alonzo E. Langmaid, 83 years.  
 Dec. 1. Etta M. Rollins, 69 years; John F. Jones and  
 Mary Rollins.  
 2. George E. Chesley, 92 years; Thomas Chesley  
 and Joanna Folsom.  
 14. Simeon C. Hardy, 77 years.

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FRED P. COMINGS,  
*Town Clerk.*







