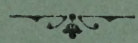


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New Hampshire



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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

HOWARD E. TODD

WALTER E. GAY

LEON W. BICKFORD

Treasurer

CHARLES H. BOOL

Town Clerk

FRED S. LOVELY*

MRS. MARY E. LOVELY

Moderator

PAUL B. GAY

Tax Collector

HERMAN P. MESSER

Auditor

IRA S. LITTLEFIELD

Road Agent

HENRY M. STANLEY

Representative to General Court

HERBERT D. SWIFT

State Road Foreman

KENNETH RICH

Forest Fire Warden

HORACE C. STANLEY

Trustees of Trust Funds

WILLIE M. KNOWLTON SIDNEY M. PEDRICK
HOWARD E. TODD

Sewer Commission

RUSSELL SPAULDING FRED A. TODD
HERBERT D. SWIFT

Cemetery Commissioners

HAROLD E. MESSER EDWARD A. TODD
GEORGE E. FIFIELD

Public Library Trustees

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EDNAH F. KIDDER

Supervisors of Check List

SIDNEY M. PEDRICK STANLEY A. SPILLER
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Constables

WILLIAM A. COLBURN, Chief
RALPH GAY CARL E. DUFFETT
MATHEW KRISTL KENNETH RICH
TYLER GRACE H. LESLIE SAWYER
MYRON ADAMS SHERMAN CASWELL

Board of Fire Engineers

Chief, A. S. LITTLE
HAROLD E. MESSER HORACE C. STANLEY

Tree Warden

IRA S. LITTLEFIELD

Ballot Clerks

BENTON STANLEY

VINITA GAY

MINNIE KNIGHT

GEORGE H. PIERCE

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

JOSEPH CUTTING

HIRAM E. EASTMAN

ROY E. EMERY

Budget Committee

One Year

Two Years

HELEN COLBURN

JEAN H. HALL

MARION K. LINDSEY

WILBUR C. KNOWLTON

PERCY THURSTON

CLARENCE GRANGER

Three Years

ROY E. EMERY

MERLE C. GAY

ALICE WHEELER

*Deceased

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of New London in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at Whipple Memorial Hall in said New London 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 hear reports of agents and committees heretofore chosen and pass vote relating thereto.
3. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$9,890.00 to defray Town Charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$125.00 for the observance of Memorial Day.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the Town Library for the ensuing year.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,608.36 for street lighting for the ensuing year.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00 for cemetery purposes for the ensuing year.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the support of the New London Hospital for the ensuing year.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$7,500.00 for summer maintenance and \$2,900.00 for winter maintenance of highways, bridges and sidewalks and make appropriation of the same.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$504.22 and the State to give \$2,016.88 to be expended on Class V highways and make appropriation of the same.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$630.00 for Hydrant service.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$175.00 toward the expenses of a series of Band Concerts during the ensuing year.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for the issuance and distribution of printed matter calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the Town, in cooperation with the other towns of the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for white pine blister rust control.

15. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the highway at Soo-Nipi Park laid out by the Selectmen September 30, 1939.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to extend Pressey Road from land of Russell Spaulding southerly and southwesterly to the northerly side of Main Street at the south corner of land of the Roman Catholic Bishop of Manchester.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 for the exchange of trucks and the purchase of new equipment.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 toward the maintenance of a Skating Rink.

19. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Committee of three to make investigation as to the cost and feasibility of placing illuminated dials on the Town Clock or purchase a new Town Clock.

20. To see if the Town will vote to convey the Nelson lot, so called, to the New London School District, on such terms and subject to such conditions as may be agreed upon by the Selectmen of the Town and the School Board of said district in the event that said lot or any part of it should be selected by said district or its agents as a site for a central school building.

21. To see what action the Town will vote to take in regard to discount on taxes.

22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes for the ensuing year.

23. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 24th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-one.

HOWARD E. TODD,

WALTER E. GAY,

LEON W. BICKFORD,

Selectmen of New London.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HOWARD E. TODD,

WALTER E. GAY,

LEON W. BICKFORD,

Selectmen of New London.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1941 to January 31, 1942 compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1940	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1941
<i>From State:</i>		
Interest and dividends tax,	\$2,419.14	\$2,400.00
Insurance tax,	9.55	9.55
Railroad tax,	104.99	104.00
Savings Bank tax,	1,024.63	1,000.00
For fighting forest fires,	4.83	
Bounties,	9.20	13.20
From County,	30.00	
 <i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i>		
Licenses, dogs,	298.00	
Rent of Town Hall and other buildings,	490.00	450.00
Interest received on taxes and de- posits,	469.14	300.00
 Income of Departments:		
Highway, including rental of equipment,	714.44	
Use of dump,	1.00	
Sale of wood,	8.00	

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1940	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1941
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>		
<i>General Government:</i>		
Town officers' salaries,	\$1,466.24	\$1,500.00
Town officers' expenses,	242.05	250.00
Election and registration expenses,	186.03	30.00
Expenses Town Hall and other Town buildings,	1,672.00	1,600.00
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>		
Dog damage,	63.23	
Police department,	1,047.85	1,000.00
Fire department,	1,231.88	1,300.00
Bounties,	13.20	
<i>Health:</i>		
Health department, including hos- pitals,	2,727.09	2,625.00
Vital statistics,	33.85	40.00
Sewer maintenance,	1,702.50	1,851.63
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>		
Town maintenance, summer,	8,715.23	7,500.00
Town maintenance, winter,	3,196.73	2,900.00
Street lighting,	1,585.88	1,608.36
General expenses of Highway de- partment,	595.38	600.00
Town Road Aid,	459.71	504.22
Taxes bought by Town,	21.96	
Shade Trees,	24.93	
<i>Libraries:</i>		
Libraries,	2,480.00	3,000.00
<i>Public Welfare:</i>		
County poor,	30.00	
Town poor,	2,480.97	2,000.00
Old Age assistance,	206.54	300.00

Insurance adjustments,	80.67	
Insurance refunds,	15.85	
Motor vehicle permit fees,	2,193.67	2,200.00

*From Local Taxes Other Than
Property Taxes:*

Poll taxes,	800.00	1,100.00
National Bank stock taxes,	27.00	27.00

*Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds
or Notes:*

Temporary loans,	6,000.00	
Cash on Hand (Surplus),	2,704.11	695.62
Sewer taxes,	5,262.90	

*Amount to be Raised by Property
Taxes,* 58,247.13 59,973.09

Total Revenues, 58,247.13 59,973.09
\$80,914.25 \$68,272.46

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and other celebrations,	100.00	125.00
Aid to soldiers and their families,	218.50	200.00

Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts,	175.00	175.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Town History,	47.81	
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region appropriation,	150.00	150.00
Cemeteries,	600.00	600.00
Skating rink,	150.00	150.00
Miscellaneous,	477.14	500.00

Interest:

On temporary loans,	102.01	250.00
On long term notes,	67.50	45.00

*Outlay for New Construction and
Permanent Improvements:**Highways and Bridges:*

Pressey Road,		500.00
Soo-Nipi Park Road,	1,783.36	
Shepard Road,	550.00	
Sewer taxes,	5,262.90	
New Equipment, truck and snow fence,	685.90	700.00

Indebtedness:

Temporary loans,	10,000.00	
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
Long term notes,	500.00	500.00

*Payments to Other Governmental
Divisions:*

County taxes,	10,793.04	10,700.00
Payments to Precincts,	500.00	630.00
Payments to School Districts,	17,637.25	17,563.25
Dog money,	234.77	
New building,		6,875.00

Total Expenditures,	\$80,218.63	\$68,272.46
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Summary of Inventory, April 1, 1940

Real Estate,	\$1,928,043.00
Electric Plant,	35,500.00
Moving picture machine,	450.00
89 Horses,	8,150.00
16 Oxen,	1,600.00
292 Cows,	16,905.00
85 Neat Stock,	3,515.00
26 Sheep,	130.00
2 Goats,	10.00
14 Hogs,	155.00
740 Fowls,	649.00
1 Portable Mill,	1,000.00
16 Boats and Launches,	1,900.00
Wood and Lumber,	16,400.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks,	3,195.00
Stock in Trade,	27,435.00
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Total valuation,	\$2,045,037.00
Soldiers' Exemption,	16,300.00
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Taxable Valuation,	\$2,028,737.00
582 Polls,	\$1,164.00
National Bank Stock Taxes,	\$27.00
Total Property Taxes levied,	\$57,819.00
Sewer Entrant Fees,	\$5,609.30
Total taxes committed to Collector,	\$64,619.30
Rate of taxation,	\$2.85 per \$100.

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Charges,	\$9,317.50
Memorial Day,	100.00
Library,	2,480.00
Street Lighting,	1,573.33
Cemetery,	450.00
New London Hospital,	2,500.00
Town Maintenance,	10,700.00
Hydrant Service,	500.00
School District,	18,936.25
County Tax,	10,793.04
Sewer,	1,702.50
Class V highways,	459.71
New London Band,	175.00
Firemen's salaries and hose,	500.00
Advertising Lake Sunapee Region,	150.00
Police patrol,	300.00
Firehouse note,	500.00
Town History,	25.00
Skating rink,	150.00
Soo-Nipi Park Road,	2,000.00
Shepard Road,	550.00
New Equipment,	700.00
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	\$64,562.33

ASSETS

Cash

In treasury February 1, 1941,	\$695.62
In treasury of Departments,	2,681.93

Accounts due to the Town:

Due from State:

Bounties,	13.20
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Due from local sources, on 1941 appropriation:

Hospital,	114.78
Mrs. Braley, note,	469.40
Oil,	140.50
Taxes bought by Town,	21.96
Taxes uncollected, 1940,	8,494.44

Total Assets,	\$12,631.83
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt),	59,965.06

Grand total,	\$72,596.89
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Net debt, January 31, 1940,	\$61,641.16
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Net debt, January 31, 1941,	\$59,965.06
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Decrease of debt,	\$1,676.10
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LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the Town:

Due School District,	\$9,000.00
Police patrol,	84.32
Town History appropriation,	71.54
Shade tree appropriation,	194.99
Firemen's salaries and hose,	255.00
Revolutionary Soldiers' graves,	50.00
Newport Savings Bank (fire house note),	1,000.00
Timber salvage appropriation,	124.40
Soo-Nipi Park Road,	216.64
Water hole appropriation, 1938,	200.00

Sewer Bonds:

National Shawmut Bank,	10,000.00
Newport Savings Bank,	1,000.00
First National Bank,	8,400.00
First National Bank, sewer note,	42,000.00
Total liabilities,	<u>\$72,596.89</u>

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings,	\$26,000.00
Furniture and equipment,	1,000.00
Library Books, etc.,	10,000.00
Police Department,	
Equipment,	100.00
Fire Department, land and buildings,	6,000.00
Equipment,	6,000.00
Highway Department, land and buildings,	200.00
Equipment,	5,000.00
Sewer Department, land, buildings and equip- ment,	47,350.00
Parks, commons and playgrounds,	1,000.00
Schools, land and buildings,	15,000.00
Equipment,	2,000.00
Miscellaneous :	
Adding machine,	75.00
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	\$119,725.00

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From Local Sources:

From Tax Collector, 1939,	\$9,564.11	
From Tax Collector, 1940,	55,242.06	
	<u> </u>	\$64,806.17

From State:

Bounties,	\$9.20	
Insurance tax,	9.55	
Railroad tax,	104.99	
Savings Bank tax,	1,024.63	
Interest and dividend tax,	2,419.14	
Forestry Department, forest fires,	4.83	
	<u> </u>	\$3,572.34

From County:

County Poor,		\$30.00
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From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Insurance adjustment,	\$80.67	
Insurance refunds,	15.85	
Sale of wood,	8.00	
Use of dump,	1.00	

SUMMARY OF ALL PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town Officers' salaries,	\$1,466.24	
Town Officers' expenses,	242.05	
Expenses of Town Hall,	1,672.20	
Election and Registration,	186.03	
	—————	\$3,566.52

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department,	\$1,047.85	
Fire Department,	960.23	
Firemen's salaries,	262.00	
Forest fires,	9.65	
Bounties,	13.20	
Damage by dogs,	63.23	
	—————	\$2,356.16

Health:

Health Department, including Hos- pital,	\$2,727.09	
Vital statistics,	33.85	
Sewer maintenance,	6,965.40	
	—————	\$9,726.34

Highways and Bridges:

Winter maintenance,	\$3,196.73	
Summer maintenance,	8,715.23	
Street lighting,	1,585.88	
General expense department,	595.38	
Soo-Nipi Park Road,	1,783.36	
Shepard Road,	550.00	
	—————	\$16,426.58

Libraries:

Library,	\$2,480.00	
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Charities:

Old age assistance,	\$206.54	
Town poor,	2,480.97	
County poor,	30.00	
Soldiers' aid,	218.50	
	—————	\$2,936.01

Dog licenses,	298.00	
Rent of Town Hall,	490.00	
Automobile tax,	2,193.67	
Sale of road oil and private work,	714.44	
	<u> </u>	\$3,801.63

Temporary Loans:

First National Bank,	\$6,000.00	
Cash on hand, February 1, 1940,	2,704.11	
	<u> </u>	\$8,704.11
Grand Total,		<u>\$80,914.25</u>

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day,		\$100.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Skating rink appropriation,	\$150.00	
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee appropriation,	150.00	
Cemeteries, including hearse hire,	600.00	
History appropriation,	47.81	
New London Band,	175.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,122.81

Unclassified:

Shade tree appropriation,	\$24.93	
Miscellaneous,	477.14	
Taxes bought by Town,	21.96	
	<hr/>	\$524.03

Interest,

		\$169.51
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Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvement:

Class V construction,	\$459.71	
Town Truck and snow fence,	685.90	
	<hr/>	\$1,145.61

Indebtedness Payments:

Temporary Loans,	\$10,000.00	
Long term notes,	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,500.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

County tax,	\$10,793.04	
Precinct,	500.00	
School District,	17,872.02	
	<hr/>	\$29,165.06

Total payments,		\$80,218.63
Cash on hand, January 31, 1941,		695.62

	<hr/>	\$80,914.25
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REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

For 1940

Issue of Dog Licenses:

109 at \$2.00,	\$218.00	
16 at \$5.00,	80.00	
	<hr/>	\$298.00
Paid Town Treasurer,		\$298.00

Issue of Auto Permits:

6 for 1939,	\$5.28	
589 for 1940,	2,188.39	
	<hr/>	\$2,193.67
Paid Town Treasurer,		\$2,193.67

MARY E. LOVELY, Clerk.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1940,	\$2,704.11	
Amount received Feb. 1, 1940, to Feb. 1, 1941,	78,210.14	
	<hr/>	\$80,914.25
Total receipts,		\$80,914.25
Amount paid, Feb. 1, 1940 to Feb. 1, 1941, on orders of select- men,	\$80,218.63	
Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1941,	695.62	
	<hr/>	\$80,914.25
Total,		\$80,914.25

CHARLES H. BOOL, Treasurer.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Levy of 1940:

Property,	\$57,819.00	
Polls, 582,	1,164.00	
National Bank Stock,	27.00	
Sewer,	5,609.30	
	\$64,619.30	

Added:

Property,	\$169.38	
Polls, 5,	10.00	
	\$179.38	

Interest Collected:

Property,	\$16.17	
Sewer,	.80	
	\$16.97	
	\$64,815.65	

Paid Town Treasurer, \$55,242.06

Cash Discounts:

Property,	\$893.34	
Sewer,	39.93	
	\$933.27	

Abatements:

Property,	\$33.38	
Polls, 14,	28.00	
Sewers,	84.50	
	\$145.88	

Uncollected:

Property,	\$7,477.74	
Polls, 173,	346.00	
Sewer,	670.70	
	\$8,494.44	
	\$64,815.65	

Levy of 1939:

Balance:

Property,	\$8,386.35	
Polls, 176,	352.00	
Sewer,	437.50	
	<u> </u>	\$9,175.85

Added:

Polls, 3,		6.00
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Interest:

Property,	\$426.74	
Sewer,	25.43	
	<u> </u>	\$452.17
		<u> </u> \$9,634.02

Paid Town Treasurer, \$9,564.11

Abatements:

Property,	\$30.91	
Polls, 12	24.00	
Sewer,	15.00	
	<u> </u>	\$69.91
		<u> </u> \$9,634.02

HERMAN P. MESSER, Collector.

1939 *Tax Levy:*

ABATEMENTS

	Sewer	Property	Polls
Mildred M. Barnett, resident of North Hampton,			\$2.00
Thomas O. Parker, paid in San- bornton,			2.00
Lucy Parker, paid in Sanborn- ton,			2.00
Almon Morey, paid in Andover,			2.00

Ruth P. Rayno, paid in Sutton,		2.00
Harvey J. Lane, Jr., over-		
taxed,	\$.66	
Adam Hatto,	8.25	
Lynden Brown,	22.00	
Lura G. Stanley, overtaxed,	\$15.00	
Ray H. Blodgett, resident of		
Wilmot,		2.00
Florence M. Blodgett, resident		
of Wilmot,		2.00
Frank R. Gay,		2.00
Lillian N. Moulton,		2.00
William Norway,		2.00
Pamelia A. Piper, deceased,		2.00
Harold R. Stoddard,		2.00
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	\$15.00	\$30.91 \$24.00

1940 *Tax Levy*:

ADDED TO WARRANT

Public Service Co., property,	\$146.58
Susan J. Butler, property,	22.80
Alson Herrick, poll tax,	2.00
Geraldine Crowell, poll tax,	2.00
Bernard G. McKinney, poll tax,	2.00
Arthur L. Robinson, poll tax,	2.00
Ida M. Robinson, poll tax,	2.00
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	\$179.38

1940 *Tax Levy*:

ABATEMENTS AND REBATES

	Sewer	Property	Polls
John Reid, overtaxed,		\$4.28	
Richard and Mabel Crosley,			
soldiers' exemption,		28.50	
Roland Bates, overtaxed,		.60	
Bertha S. Kidder, overtaxed,	\$7.80		
Colby Junior College, over-			
taxed,	76.70		

Robert Sawyer, paid in Boston,	\$2.00
Archie Granger, over 70 years,	2.00
Gertrude C. Messer, over 70 years,	2.00
Minnie S. Burleigh, resident of Massachusetts,	2.00
Margaret Abbott, resident of Concord, N. H.,	2.00
Newell Hayes, paid in Milford,	2.00
Evelyn Hayes, paid in Milford,	2.00
Ruth P. Rayno, paid in Sutton,	2.00
Dorothy B. Messer, paid in Newbury,	2.00
Roger H. Rollins,	2.00
Walter G. Rollins,	2.00
Edith Rollins,	2.00
Harold R. Stoddard,	2.00
Withey B. Tenney, deceased,	2.00
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	\$84.50 \$33.38 \$28.00

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

	<i>For Levies of</i>		
	1937	1938	1939
Theresa G. Caldwell,	\$.68	\$.68	\$.66
Effie E. Hill,	.69	.69	.66
Wm. M. Wight,	.69	.69	.66
Robert L. Simpson,		10.55	8.88
James E. Gould,		1.14	1.10
Nettie H. West,		1.14	1.10
Kenneth Danforth,			10.25
Peter Fournier,			33.19
Soo-Nipi Park Co.,			2.75
John A. Barnes,			.66
Roswell S. Tucker Est.,			.66
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	\$2.06	\$14.89	\$60.57

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Howard E. Todd, Selectman,	\$233.33	
Howard E. Todd, Overseer,	50.00	
Walter E. Gay, Selectman,	233.33	
Leon W. Bickford, Selectman,	233.33	
Charles H. Bool, Treasurer,	100.00	
Mary E. Lovely, Town Clerk,	100.00	
Mary E. Lovely, Auto Fees,	146.25	
Herman P. Messer, Tax Collector,	350.00	
Ira S. Littlefield, Auditor,	20.00	
	\$1,466.24	

Town Officers' Expenses

Howard E. Todd, trip to Concord,	\$3.00	
Howard E. Todd, postage, telephone and expense,	18.01	
Walter E. Gay, trip to Concord with car,	7.00	
Walter E. Gay, car for inventory,	1.00	
Walter E. Gay, telephone,	.45	
Leon W. Bickford, trip to Concord,	3.00	
Leon W. Bickford, car for inventory,	2.00	
Leon W. Bickford, town reports and expense,	12.32	
Charles H. Bool, postage and supplies,	10.70	
Mary E. Lovely, postage and supplies,	9.00	
Ira S. Littlefield, postage and sup- plies,	7.58	
Emma L. Colby, clerical work,	12.50	
Emma L. Colby, Town Officers' Bonds,	95.00	
Wheeler & Clark, supplies,	28.40	
Edson C. Eastman, supplies,	15.79	
W. P. Garrison, auto guide,	4.35	
Sidney M. Pedrick, Trust Fund Ex- pense,	11.00	
New London Pharmacy, supplies,	.80	
Kidder Garage, supplies,	.15	
	\$242.05	

Election and Registration

Sidney M. Pedrick, supervisor,	\$31.50	
Stanley A. Spiller, supervisor,	31.50	
Wallace L. Lull, supervisor,	31.00	
Benton B. Stanley, ballot clerk,	11.00	
George H. Pierce, ballot clerk,	11.00	
Vinita L. Gay, ballot clerk,	11.00	
Minnie M. Knight, ballot clerk,	11.00	
Argus Press, Check Lists,	18.00	
Paul B. Gay, Moderator,	15.00	
Mrs. F. B. Gay, suppers, election officers,	5.00	
E. P. Edmunds, suppers, election of- ficers,	7.80	
Wheeler & Clark, warrants,	.23	
Naomi Colburn, clerical work,	2.00	
		\$186.03

Whipple Memorial Hall

Mathew Kristl, janitor,	\$752.00
Public Service Co., lights and power,	114.72
Kearsarge Telephone Co., rent,	21.00
Calvin Sargent, insurance,	77.00
Emma L. Colby, insurance,	77.00
Everts W. Messer, insurance,	77.00
Herman P. Messer, sewer taxes,	24.00
New London Precinct, water rent,	25.00
E. P. Edmunds, supplies,	51.55
L. L. Ransom & Son, shades,	53.00
Frank W. Todd, wood,	38.75
Howard E. Todd, wood,	112.00
Walter E. Gay, wood,	122.00
Walter E. Gay, labor and truck,	4.80
Raymond Jacques, slating roof,	15.00
H. T. Robbins, labor and supplies,	19.15
New London Pharmacy, supplies,	8.48
Benton B. Stanley, sawing and draw- ing wood,	27.50

Charles E. Gay, labor and supplies,	8.67	
Ernest Welch, labor and supplies,	2.80	
Emma L. Colby, insurance on janitor,	6.93	
Edgar Sargent, paint and labor,	24.00	
Karl Sholes, labor and truck,	3.60	
N. P. Clough & Co., cement and ma- terial,	3.89	
L. W. Bickford, ash cans,	2.00	
Sinclair Garage, supplies,	.36	
		\$1,672.20

Protection of Persons and Property

Police Department

William A. Colburn, police patrol,	\$265.50	
William A. Colburn, police duty,	237.70	
Ralph Gay, school traffic officer,	179.00	
Ralph Gay, police duty,	8.00	
Peter Watson, care of tramps,	188.25	
Kenneth Danforth, care of tramps,	14.85	
Joseph Tilton, care of tramps,	10.50	
Wilbur Knowlton, care of tramps,	3.60	
Walter E. Gay, wood for tramp house,	10.50	
Carl Duffett, police duty,	78.60	
Tyler Grace, police duty,	14.00	
Myron Adams, police duty,	5.00	
Elkins Printing Co., printing or- dinances,	19.60	
Emma L. Colby, insurance on men,	12.50	
Merle C. Gay, express,	.25	
		\$1,047.85

Fire Department

Emma L. Colby, insurance on men,	\$51.98
New London Fire Company, attend- ing fires,	80.25
Public Service Co., lights and power,	30.00
Kearsarge Telephone Co., rent,	26.52
Calvin Sargent, insurance,	80.00
New London Precinct, water,	25.00
Karl Sholes, janitor and repairs,	229.00

Little's Garage, supplies and repairs,	63.71	
New London Pharmacy, supplies,	8.42	
Charles E. Shepard & Son, coal,	108.49	
Howard Todd, wood,	21.55	
William C. Sanborn, painting fire house,	160.46	
C. P. Stevens Co., supplies,	3.26	
American LaFrance Foamite Corp., equipment,	38.94	
Wood Engineering Service, repairs,	32.65	
	<hr/>	\$960.23

New London Fire Company

Special Appropriation, salaries,	\$262.00
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Fire Wardens

Horace Stanley, forest fires,	\$4.65	
Merle C. Gay, forest fires,	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$9.65

Bounties

Howard E. Todd,	\$1.80	
Walter E. Gay,	7.60	
Leon W. Bickford,	3.80	
	<hr/>	\$13.20

Damage by Dogs

Mary E. Lovely, license fees,	\$25.00	
Tyler Grace, dog constable,	8.00	
Wheeler & Clark, cards and tags,	10.23	
Fred Knowlton, damage to sheep,	13.00	
I. S. Littlefield, damage to hens,	7.00	
	<hr/>	\$63.23

Health Department

New London Hospital, appropriation,	\$2,000.00	
New London Hospital, care of Town poor,	574.49	
Wm. P. Clough, M. D., Board of Health,	100.00	
Wm. P. Clough, M. D., supplies,	4.60	
State Cancer Commission, care Town poor,	40.29	
Merle C. Gay, express,	6.96	
New London Pharmacy, supplies,	.75	
	<hr/>	\$2,727.09

Vital Statistics

Mary E. Lovely, recording births, deaths and marriages,	\$15.60	
Wm. P. Clough, M. D., recording births and deaths,	10.75	
Oliver S. Hayward, M. D., record- ing births and deaths,	7.50	
	<hr/>	\$33.85

Sewer Maintenance

Herbert D. Swift, Treasurer Sewer Commission, taxes and appro- priation,	\$6,965.40
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Class V Highway

Expended by Town,	\$459.71	
Expended by State,	1,838.86	
	<hr/>	\$459.71

Street Lighting

Public Service Co. of New Hampshire,	\$1,585.88
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General Expense of Highway Department

Emma L. Colby, insurance on men,	\$316.85	
I. O. O. F., rent,	75.00	
Harold E. Messer, rent,	36.00	
Elkins Society, rent,	18.00	
Calvin Sargent, insurance on tractor and plow,	5.75	
Evarts W. Messer, insurance on grader and truck,	32.20	
E. P. Edmunds, tools,	58.13	
Thompson & Hoague, tools,	21.20	
Gamsby Bros., road flares,	7.50	
I. S. Littlefield, surveying,	15.00	
W. E. Gay, Soo-Nipi Park Road,	2.00	
Leon W. Bickford, Soo-Nipi Park Road,	2.00	
Wm. C. Sanborn, signs,	5.75	
	<hr/>	\$595.38

Library

M. Roy London, Trustee, appropriation,	\$2,480.00
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Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire Department of Public Welfare,	\$206.54
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Town Poor

Golden Rule Farm, care of Walter Towne,	\$227.00
Della Spiller, care of Robert Towne,	216.00
Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Stevens, care of Mrs. Nettie Farwell,	276.28
Merrimack County Farm, care of Chester Mandigo,	137.98
Town of New London for Claude Braley, to be reimbursed,	471.36
Aid for William Fitzgerald,	189.70
Aid for Harold Simpson,	117.75
Aid for Walton Gay family,	112.00

Hillsborough County Farm, aid for Mina Messer,	486.00	
Aid for Kenneth Danforth family,	194.10	
Aid for Jules Pellerin family,	25.80	
Aid for Dorothy Cross family,	14.00	
Aid for Ina Green,	13.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,480.97

County Poor

E. P. Edmunds, supplies for Wil- fred Chamberlain,	\$24.00	
First National Store, supplies for Roger Rollins,	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$30.00

Patriotic Purposes

Frank Butler, Memorial Day appropriation,	\$100.00
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Aid to Soldiers

Aid to soldiers and families,	\$218.50
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Public Service Enterprises

Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region,	\$150.00	
New London Band, Fred S. Lovely, Treasurer,	\$175.00	
Harold E. Messer, Cemetery Com- mission,	\$450.00	
Pressey & Hale, hearse hire,	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$600.00

Town History Appropriation

Naomi Colburn, clerical work,	\$40.60	
Stanley A. Spiller,	5.00	
Spaulding Morse & Co., paper,	2.21	
	<hr/>	\$47.81
New London Civic Association, skating rink,	\$150.00	
Barber Tree Service, labor on trees,	\$24.93	

Unclassified

Taxes bought by Town,		\$21.96
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Miscellaneous

Towne & Robie, printing reports,	\$201.65	
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues,	2.00	
Katherine Crowley, recording transfers,	7.59	
Vira Holmes, recording estates,	.70	
Luther F. Morse, care of Town dump,	168.30	
Esther Whittemore, use of Town dump,	25.00	
Ellis Emery, work at Town dump,	3.00	
Norman Buker, care of Town clock,	15.00	
Roy London, care of Town clock,	14.00	
Thomas Flinn, painting flag pole,	15.00	
Howard E. Todd, Trust Fund expense,	5.00	
Howard E. Todd, laying out roads, welfare and sewer work,	13.00	
Public Service Co. of N. H., lights for band stand,	5.10	
Emma L. Colby, recording deed,	1.80	
	<hr/>	\$477.14

New Equipment

Kidder Garage Co., exchange of trucks,	\$461.90	
Illinois Wire & Manufacturing Co., snow fence and posts,	224.00	
	<hr/>	\$685.90

Interest

Paid on Temporary Loans,	\$102.01	
Paid on Fire House note,	67.50	
	<hr/>	\$169.51

Indebtedness Payments

Temporary Loans

Paid First National Bank, Newport, N. H.,	\$10,000.00
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Long Term Note

Newport Savings Bank, Fire House note,	\$500.00
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

County Tax

County Treasurer,	\$10,793.04
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Precinct

Calvin Sargent, Collector, hydrant service,	\$500.00
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School District

Julia E. Todd, School Treasurer, on appropriation,	\$17,637.25
Julia E. Todd, School Treasurer, dog tax,	234.77
	<hr/> \$17,872.02

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Summer Maintenance

Town Appropriation,	\$8,000.00
Department received for private work,	714.44
	\$8,714.44
Received from Town Treasurer,	\$8,422.23
Paid:	
Lawrence Rowe, truck,	\$645.40
Harold E. Messer, truck,	396.00
Chas. E. Shepard & Son, Inc., truck,	131.40
Charles E. Gay, truck,	24.00
Dura P. Crockett, truck,	15.00
Tyler Grace, truck,	15.00
G. W. Dean Garage, gas and oil,	219.54
Kidder Garage, gas and oil,	142.68
Little Garage, gas and oil,	104.37
Loverin Garage, gas and oil,	51.47
H. Howland, gas and oil,	64.31
State Highway Garage, repairs,	163.31
Arthur Bickford, gravel,	62.00
Nellie O'Brien, gravel,	54.00
Eugene Lorden, gravel,	18.20
Willis Prescott, gravel,	12.60
George Rose, gravel,	9.90
Ernest Stuart, gravel,	7.50
Ira Littlefield, gravel,	5.80
Florence Prescott, gravel,	6.60
Fred Knowlton, gravel,	3.80
Mark Shepard, gravel,	3.20
Esther Whittemore, sand,	9.70
Independent Coal Tar Co.,	1,767.07
Berger Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	66.25
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	44.60

Prison Industries, culverts,	396.56
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, cement,	157.16
N. P. Clough & Co.,	11.25
American Cyanamid Corp.,	7.50
Dyar Sales Corp., repairs,	49.90
P. I. Perkins Co., repairs,	5.06
Cassellini-Venable Corp., repairs,	7.84
Ray Road Equipment Co.,	12.50
Thompson & Hoague,	10.00
R. P. Johnson, tile,	1.90
Fred Davis, posts,	10.00
Estate Withey Tenney, tools,	9.00
Henry M. Stanley, wire,	2.00
Ervin P. Edmunds, supplies,	1.87
Merle Gay, freight,	1.25
Howard Todd, telephone,	.90
Henry M. Stanley, team,	178.40
Henry M. Stanley, labor,	664.60
Willis Prescott, labor,	497.40
Jack Burns, labor,	262.20
Wesley Cobb, labor,	258.80
Clifton Williams, labor,	234.00
Arthur Roberts, labor,	222.20
Claude Braley, labor,	201.40
Harold Snow, labor,	198.60
Willard Higgins, labor,	163.40
Howard Todd, labor,	159.00
William Colburn, labor,	122.40
Walter Roberts, labor,	85.40
Joseph Tilton, labor,	83.80
James Emery, labor,	74.80
Ralph Ashby, labor,	50.40
Benton Stanley, labor,	40.00
Allen Adams, labor,	37.20
William Urquhart, labor,	27.60
Eugene Hadley, labor,	24.00
Wesley Woodward, labor,	9.70
Walton Gay, labor,	6.00
Earl Rowe, labor,	5.60
Ernest Worthen, labor,	4.00

Sidney Pedrick, labor,	3.75	
Eugene Greene, labor,	3.60	
John Dayton, labor,	2.80	
Kenneth Danforth, labor,	2.00	
Russell Spaulding, labor,	1.72	
Horace C. Stanley, mixer,	17.75	
Roy Emery, lumber,	23.42	
Paul Gay,	27.66	
		\$8,422.23
Balance,		292.21
		\$8,714.44
Paid Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., snow plow,		\$293.00

Winter Maintenance

Received from Town Treasurer, \$3,196.73

Paid:

Harold Messer, truck,	\$144.90
Lawrence Rowe, truck,	50.80
Benton Stanley, truck,	84.00
Tyler Grace, truck,	4.80
Kidder Garage, gas and oil and re- pairs,	479.44
G. W. Dean, gas and oil,	326.40
Little Garage, gas and oil,	64.72
Loverin Garage, gas and oil,	25.47
H. Howland, gas and oil,	8.77
C. E. Gay, gas and oil,	4.37
Paul B. Gay, team,	190.49
Chas. E. Shepard & Son, team,	11.10
Henry Stanley, team,	5.60
P. I. Perkins Co., tractor parts,	215.02
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., re- pairs,	26.00
State Highway Garage,	6.79
Esther Whittemore, sand,	38.70
Roy Emery, lumber,	53.80
N. P. Clough & Co.,	17.60
Hoagland's Auto Body,	5.00
Henry Stanley, labor,	513.20

Willis Prescott, labor,	349.20
Harold Snow, labor,	74.20
Harold Messer, labor,	72.65
Arthur Roberts, labor,	65.60
Clifton Williams, labor,	50.60
Kenneth Danforth, labor,	37.00
William Colburn, labor,	26.60
Wesley Cobb, labor,	26.40
Howard Todd, labor,	24.00
Joseph Tilton, labor,	21.60
Lawrence Gordon, labor,	18.40
Claude Braley, labor,	16.80
James Emery, labor,	16.20
Allen Adams, labor,	14.40
Paul Morey, labor,	9.60
Eugene Hadley, labor,	8.40
Benton Stanley, labor,	8.25
Harry Barrett, labor,	7.20
John Dayton, labor,	6.80
Bernard Chase, labor,	6.00
Leon Bickford, labor,	5.80
Fred Simpson, labor,	4.40
Jack Burns, labor,	3.00
Willard Chamberlain, labor,	2.80
Charles Lyman, labor,	2.40
Willard Higgins, labor,	2.40
Silas Moulton, labor,	2.00
Albert Sholes, labor,	1.60
John P. Roberts, labor,	1.40
Russell Spaulding, labor,	1.25
Fred Barney, blacksmith,	6.35
Al. Ford, labor,	5.60
Edvin P. Edmunds, supplies,	5.65
Merle Gay, freight,	3.06
Henry Stanley, telephone and postage,	12.15
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	\$3,196.73

New Road at Soo-Nipi Park

Town Appropriation (special),		\$2,000.00
Received from Town Treasurer,		1,783.36
Paid:		
Lawrence Rowe, truck,	\$162.80	
Harold Messer, truck,	85.40	
Prison Industries, culverts,	96.94	
Kidder Garage, gas and oil,	102.57	
G. W. Dean, gas and oil,	21.40	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, cement,	14.00	
American Cyanamid & Chemical Corp.,	15.00	
Morton Walker, drilling,	40.50	
Henry Stanley, team,	162.80	
Henry Stanley, labor,	144.00	
Eugene Hadley, labor,	95.60	
Allen Adams, labor,	95.40	
Jack Burns, labor,	88.00	
James Emery, labor,	78.80	
Clifton Williams, labor,	68.00	
Willis Prescott, labor,	66.00	
Willard Higgins, labor,	60.40	
Wesley Cobb, labor,	59.60	
Howard Todd, labor,	56.80	
William Urquhart, labor,	57.60	
William Croteau, labor,	52.00	
William Colburn, labor,	40.80	
Harry Pond, labor,	33.60	
Arthur Roberts, labor,	30.80	
William Bradford, labor,	12.75	
Benton Stanley, labor,	12.15	
Lawrence Rowe, labor,	10.00	
Harold Snow, labor,	4.80	
Harold Messer, labor,	3.50	
Ernest Worthen, labor,	3.20	
Tyler Grace, blacksmith,	6.95	
	<hr/>	\$1,783.36
Unexpended balance,		\$216.64

New Road to Maitland Shepard House

Town Appropriation (special),	\$550.00
Received from Town Treasurer,	\$550.00

Paid:

Lawrence Rowe, truck,	\$76.80	
Harold Messer, truck,	39.60	
Chas. E. Shepard & Son, Inc., truck,	32.40	
Kidder Garage, gas and oil,	68.70	
Prison Industries, culverts,	47.20	
Nellie O'Brien, gravel,	16.80	
Esther Whittemore, sand,	15.70	
Fred Davis, posts,	2.00	
Henry Stanley, team,	36.00	
Henry Stanley, labor,	30.60	
Howard Todd, labor,	27.60	
Harold Snow, labor,	25.20	
Willis Prescott, labor,	24.00	
Jack Burns, labor,	20.40	
Arthur Roberts, labor,	18.00	
Claude Braley, labor,	16.80	
Wesley Cobb, labor,	14.40	
Willard Higgins, labor,	13.20	
Clifton Williams, labor,	9.60	
William Colburn, labor,	5.80	
Earl Rowe, labor,	5.60	
	<hr/>	\$550.00

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1940, \$152.15

Received:

From Town Treasurer,	450.00
Trustees of Trust Funds,	183.50
Care of Lots,	126.00
Opening Graves,	33.45
Foundations,	51.65
Sale of Lots,	46.00
Grading Lots,	69.51
	\$1,112.26

Paid:

Trustees of Trust Funds, sale of lots,	\$46.00
Willis Prescott, loam,	7.00
Emma L. Colby, insurance,	11.88
Mark Shepard, gravel,	.60
Paul Morey, labor,	3.60
Percy Thurston, printing,	4.90
Harold Messer, labor,	208.30
N. P. Clough & Co., cement,	9.20
George Fifield, labor and cement,	110.90
Charles Gay, gas,	1.90
Maurice Messer, labor,	3.60
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, grass seed and fertilizer,	27.47
Harold Messer, truck,	72.50
Postage,	1.50
William Colburn, labor,	61.20
Roy Messer, labor,	32.60
Kidder Garage Co., gas and labor,	4.80
Ervin Edmunds, tools,	5.35
Clifton Williams, labor,	35.60
Forrest Loverin, gas and oil,	4.77

Edward Todd, labor,	96.00
Harold Messer, supplies,	3.82
G. W. Dean, oil,	2.15
Fred Todd, use of cement mixer,	2.00
Esther Whittemore, loam and sand,	3.90
Thompson & Hoague, repairs,	18.96
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	\$780.50
Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1941,	331.76
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	\$1,112.26

EDWARD A. TODD,

HAROLD E. MESSER,

GEORGE E. FIFIELD,

Cemetery Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON, N. H., JANUARY 31, 1941

Date of creation	Name of Fund	Donor	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance in- come on hand at first of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Balance of income on hand at end of year
1892	Cemetery	Mahala Gay	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	\$100.00	\$62.19	\$4.07	\$3.00	\$63.26
1897	Ministerial	Town of New London	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	1,853.33		34.11	34.11	34.11
1928	Library	Sarah and Elizabeth Brown	\$1,000 4½% Vt. Val. R. R. Bond No. 740...	1,000.00		45.00	45.00	
		Matured and deposited in Newport Savings Bank.						
1940	Library	Sarah and Elizabeth Brown	Newport Savings Bank	1,000.00		2.49		34.41
1900	Cemetery	Part of S. & E. Brown Fund		67.63		3.75		36.93
1902	Cemetery	Eliza M. Sawyer		114.00		3.87		52.20
1909		Lavonia Piper		100.00		2.39		2.95
1911		Dr. Frank Fisher (Sanford Fisher Lot)		100.00		1.33		3.42
1911		James H. Burpee (Fales & Burpee Lots)		50.00		3.09		5.17
1911		Mrs. W. H. Brown (John Currier Lot)		100.00		2.58		3.54
1911		W. S. Carter (Carter Lot)		50.00		1.33		
1911		Marshall J. Woodward (Woodward & Sargent Lots)		100.00		2.54		1.81
1911		Elmer Craft (Geo. W. Craft Lot)		50.00		1.97		1.23
1911		Frank S. & Sarah E. Seamans Lots		200.00		6.45		1.63
1911		Carl E. Knight (Ephraim Knight Lot)		50.00		1.33		1.53
1911		P. H. Killilea (Crowley Lot)		50.00		3.88		3.21
1912		Judith S. Messer (Jos. Messer Lot) ..		50.00		1.75		2.03
1912		Jos. C. Herrick (Herrick & Colby Lots)		50.00		1.28		
1913		Lucien Thompson & Annie T. Hall (Greeley and Carr Lots)		420.00		11.54		42.54
1913		Phineas Nourse (Enoch C. Adams lot)		50.00		1.52		1.80
1913		Sarah M. Woodward (Osborn French Lot)		50.00		1.31		2.85
1915		Bunker, Fellows & Russell (Bunker Lot)		50.00		3.33		3.66
1915		Loran D. Towle (David Towle Lot) ..		75.00		2.31		17.81
1915		Amos H. Whipple (Whipple Lot)		50.00		7.12		7.55
1915		Ellen B. Messer (A. J. Messer Lot) ..		100.00		2.41		2.97
1915				50.00		1.33		3.58

All in Loan & Trust Savings Bank

1915	Caroline S. Shepard (Daniel Seamans Lot)	50.00	8.22	1.46	1.00	8.68
1915	Lucy J. Nelson	50.00	94.09	8.39	6.00	95.48
1915	Chester E. Morgan (Richard Morgan Lot)	50.00	4.03	1.36	1.00	4.39
1916	C. C. Gardner (C. C. & G. W. Gardner Lots)	100.00	4.99	2.62	4.00	3.61
1917	James E. Shepard (Ebenezer & Sam'l Shepard Lots)	50.00	1.35	1.28	1.00	1.63
1917	Jesse G. Melendy (B. E. Burpee Lot)	50.00	2.10	1.31	1.00	2.41
1917	Frank P. Sargent (Sargent Lot)	50.01	3.45	1.33	1.00	3.78
1917	F. O. Prescott & Mabel P. Howlett (James D. Prescott Lot)	100.00	6.59	2.66	2.00	7.25
1918	Martha Pillsbury Abbott (Asa B. Pillsbury Lot)	50.00	2.34	1.31	1.00	2.65
1918	Augusta Davis (Augusta Davis Lot)	75.00	14.33	2.23	1.00	16.16
1919	Ethie Evers Beatty (Greene French Lot)	50.00	8.34	1.46	1.00	8.80
1919	Harold E. Messer (Frank P. Messer Lot)	50.00	2.11	1.31	1.00	2.42
1919	Mrs. D. S. Fox (Micalah Morgan Lot)	50.00	1.75	1.28	1.00	2.03
1920	Mrs. J. Albert Peaslee (Ira Smith Lot)	50.00	2.89	1.31	1.00	3.20
1920	Messer, Cooper, Philbrick (James Morgan Lot)	50.00	8.84	1.46	1.00	9.30
1921	Elizabeth Williams (Harrison & John Williams Lots)	100.00	8.88	2.72	4.00	7.60
1921	Geo. W. Lane (Lane Lot)	200.00	93.39	7.36	5.00	95.75
1922	Sale of Lots in New Yard (care of New Yard)	168.12	4.08			172.20
1922	William A. Messer (S. Messer & Levi Nichols Lots)	75.00	5.20	2.01	1.00	6.21
1922	Miriam Baldwin (David Baldwin Lot)	50.00	1.21	1.23	1.00	1.49
1922	F. Fletcher & K. Williams (Roger Williams Lot)	50.00	4.01	1.36	1.00	4.37
1923	A. C. Philbrick Est. (Philbrick Lot)	50.00	1.17	1.28	1.00	1.45
1923	Sarah E. Boynton (Thos. Farwell Lot)	102.64	.18	2.55	2.00	.73
1923	Belle Hunt (Sam'l Burpee Lot)	100.00	8.04	2.71	2.00	8.75
1923	R. S. Todd (Jacob H. Todd Lot)	50.00	3.77	1.33	1.00	4.10
1923	Geo. A. Hunting (Israel & Albert Hunting Lots)	100.00	2.68	2.58	2.00	3.25
1923	Mary Macomber (Brower Lot)	50.00	4.00	1.36	1.00	4.36
1923	Georgianna Fulton (Thos. Burpee Lot)	50.00	2.83	1.31	1.00	3.14

All in Loan & Trust Savings Bank

1 Share R. R. Stock

..... All Cemetery Funds

1929	John Q. Adams (Moses Adams Lot)	50.00	.89	1.26	1.00	1.15
1929	M. Isabel & Nettie E. Pedrick (Pedrick Lot)	50.00	2.66	1.81	1.00	2.97
1929	John Sullivan Estate (Sullivan Lot)	50.00	3.61	1.83	1.00	3.94
1930	Evarts Messer (Evarts Messer Lot)	50.00	3.11	1.33	1.00	3.44
1930	Frank Jewett Est. (Jewett Lot)	50.00	1.53	1.28	1.00	1.81
1931	Mary Pingree (John D. Pingree Lot)	50.00	1.63	1.29	1.00	1.92
1931	Nancy Pingree (Walter E. Pingree Lot)	50.00	3.74	1.83	1.00	4.07
1931	Mary A. Lamson (Dr. C. A. Lamson Lot)	50.00	2.06	1.31	2.00	1.87
1931	Hannah Hutchins (Zaccheus Messer Lot)	100.00	4.59	2.61	4.00	3.20
1932	Edwin R. Phillips Est. (Edwin R. Phillips Lot)	200.00	6.10	5.18	4.00	7.28
1932	Sanborn & Hillborn (Sanborn & Hillborn Lots)	50.00	2.86	1.81	1.00	3.17
1933	John W. Morse Est. (J. W. Morse lot)	50.00	2.53	1.31	1.00	2.84
1933	A. I. Merigold (Merigold Lot)	50.00	2.03	1.31	1.00	2.34
1933	Laura Folsom (Chas. Folsom Lot)	50.00	1.82	1.28	1.00	2.10
1933	Mrs. Chas. Wells Est. (Chas. Wells lot)	50.00	2.81	1.81	1.00	3.12
1935	Lizzie A. Smith (R. F. Smith Lot)	100.00	3.28	2.58	1.00	4.86
1935	Abbie M. Dockham (Geo. Dockham Lot)	25.00	.65	.63	.50	.78
1935	Sadie S. Shepard (Frank Shepard Lot)	50.00	2.32	1.31	1.00	2.63
1935	Emma Davis Est. (James Jewett and Robert Davis Lots)	100.00	4.43	2.61	4.00	3.04
1935	Elsie M. Farnum (Angus Farnum Lot)	100.00	2.63	2.56	1.00	4.19
1935	Maud F. Swift (Fellows Lot)	50.00	1.59	1.28	1.00	1.97
1936	Thomas & Chas. Graney (Graney Lot)	70.00	1.14	1.78	2.00	.92
1936	Abbie McConnell Est. (McConnell Lot)	100.00	2.55	2.56	1.00	4.11
1937	Frank E. Welch (Eugene O'Neil & Patrick Welch Lots)	100.00	.24	2.62	2.00	.76
1937	Samuel Greenwood Lot	100.00	.24	2.62	2.00	.76
1937	Alice Brown Est. (Alice Brown Lot)	50.00	1.19	1.28	1.00	1.47
1938	May C. Plympton (Plympton Lot)	100.00	.46	2.51	1.00	1.97
1938	Moses Trussell Lot	50.00	.83	1.25	1.00	1.08
1939	Addie White Est., Augustus S. Messer Lot	484.41	4.03	12.20	2.00	14.23
1939	Ruth P. Rayno, Arthur Louis Rayno Lot	100.00		1.46	1.00	.46
1939	Delia Hurd Est., Horace Hurd Lot	50.00		.63		.63
1940	Millie R. Farwell (Fred Farwell Lot)	100.00				
		\$11283.29	\$1194.44	\$332.57	\$262.61	\$1264.40

.....All in Loan & Trust Savings Bank.....

.....All Cemetery Funds.....

Respectfully submitted,

SIDNEY M. PEDRICK,
HOWARD E. TODD,
Trustees of Trust Funds.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NEW LONDON SEWER COMMISSION

The year ending January 31st, 1941, marks another year of continued progress for the New London Sewer. When the Town voted in the Town Meeting of 1939 to adopt Chapter 95 of the Public Laws of New Hampshire and also to create for the first time a Board of Sewer Commissioners, who shall perform all the duties and possess all the powers in the town, otherwise conferred upon the Selectmen, the total Sewer Debt was \$22,600.

At this same meeting, by town vote this sewer debt was considerably increased for Reconstruction purposes and plant improvements, so that by January 31st, 1940, the total sewer debt had climbed to \$67,110.

However, during this past year ending January 31st, 1941 this total Sewer Debt has been successfully reduced to \$61,400.

Furthermore, there is every probability that for an indefinite period, from now on, this total sewer debt will continue to be diminished annually and with it the resulting annual interest charge.

In placing the new sewer debt, there was reserved the privilege of retiring this debt at a faster (or slower) rate. Thus should the number of sewer users continue to increase, as is believed quite probable, there will develop an opportunity to further reduce the sewer debt and its consequent interest charge. This opportunity was not possible in connection with the two old debts previously contracted for the sewer system. The variable principal payments arranged for on the new sewer debt is considered a decided advantage to the town. Furthermore, the new interest rate is 3% as compared with 4% on both the old debts.

Under Chapter 95, Article 3 and Article 13 of the Public Laws of New Hampshire there is conveyed to the Board of Sewer Commissioners the power that they "may construct and maintain all main drains or common sewers which they adjudge necessary for the public convenience and health", etc., etc.

Accordingly, during the past year there was constructed an extension of approximately 170 feet of the trunk line sewer up to the property of Miss Ella Eastman, which in the financial report is termed the Eastman Extension. The Board of Commissioners took into consideration before ordering this extension the problem to insure that the income in annual taxes from it would profitably cover all costs of construction, maintenance, debt redemption and interest for a period of twenty years.

With your Board of Sewer Commissioners finally taking over the administration and control of sewer taxation rates this past year, they feel that there now is evolved a more equitable basis for their annual sewer taxes. A few taxpayers have been disturbed by their rather large increase over the previous years of the inequitable rates that prevailed. On the other hand, more taxpayers have been satisfied that with an anticipated increase of about three times in the total sewer debt there has **not** resulted an increase of double their usual sewer tax.

Because so many people seem to be interested in the method of arriving at an equitable annual sewer tax, perhaps it would be well to include an outline in this report. Briefly, the "per capita" method of taxation evolved is one based upon the number of people in a house making use of the sewers. No consideration is given to the number of bath tubs or other water facilities in the home. To this per capita method there was added the limitation of a minimum charge, regardless of how small the family unit was. The largest family under the present minimum charge is that of five people

and of course the smallest family under the same minimum charge is that of one person. As the Sewer System prospers, this minimum may be changed. Finally, the total dollars of all these minimum charges plus the total dollars of all other "per capita" charges must equal the amount that is represented by the 75% of the total budget, which constitutes the Direct Sewer Tax.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT D. SWIFT, 1943,

FRED A. TODD, 1942,

RUSSELL SPAULDING, 1941.

**Annual Sewer Commission Report For Fiscal Year
Ending January 31, 1941**

Receipts:

Balance on hand, February 1, 1940,	\$7,079.98
1940 Town Sewer Appropriation,	1,702.50
1940 Direct Sewer Taxes,	4,814.17
Previous Year's Direct Sewer Taxes,	422.50
Interest and Penalties on Sewer Taxes,	26.23
Fees and Miscellaneous Income,	13.00

Disbursements:

Maintenance Labor,	\$810.80
Maintenance Tools and Misc. Repairs,	39.61
Maintenance Sand Filter Bed Repairs,	240.75
Maintenance Total Chlorinator Expense,	197.23
Maintenance Misc. Supplies,	18.07
Maintenance Town Water Tax,	12.00
Maintenance Fire and Liability Insurance,	43.21
Maintenance Bond and Debt Retirement,	5,710.00
Maintenance Bond and Debt Interest,	1,813.75

Maintenance Bond Coupon Collection		
Expense,		30.50
Maintenance Supervision,		178.50
New Work, Eastman Extension,		259.40
New Work, Meter and Cabinet		
Equipment,		123.59
New Work, Messer Connection,		17.66
New Work, 1939 Contract Plant Al-		
terations,		3,091.26
New Work, New Bond Issue Ex-		
pense,		3.00
New Work, Engineering Services,		246.37
Cash on Hand January 31, 1941,		1,222.68
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		\$14,058.38 \$14,058.38

1941 Budget New London Sewer Commission

Maintenance Labor :

Regular,	\$832.00	
Extra,	18.00	
	<hr/>	\$850.00

Chlorinator :

Chlorine and Trucking,	\$137.35	
Kerosene,	51.68	
Supplies,	8.20	
Miscellaneous,	2.77	
	<hr/>	200.00

Supervision :

Commissioner,	\$75.00	
Commissioner,	75.00	
Chairman,	100.00	
	<hr/>	250.00

Repairs :

General,	\$60.00	
Two Sand Filter Beds,	100.00	
	<hr/>	160.00

Insurance :

Liability,	\$42.50	
Fire,	7.50	
	<u> </u>	50.00

Bond and Debt Retirement :

4% 1931,	\$1,000.00	
4% 1934,	600.00	
3% Note,	2,200.00	
	<u> </u>	3,800.00

Bond and Debt Interest :

4% 1931,	\$420.00	
4% 1934,	324.00	
3% Note,	1,260.00	
	<u> </u>	2,004.00

Bond Coupon Service,	30.50	
Water Rent to Town,	12.00	
Consulting Engineer,	50.00	
	<u> </u>	\$7,406.50

75% Direct Taxation,	\$5,554.87	
25% Town Appropriation,	1,851.63	
	<u> </u>	\$7,406.50

Inventory January 31, 1941, New London Sewer

Commission

Real Estate, Sewer Plant,	\$500.00
Chlorinator Building and Mixing Chambers,	1,440.00
Chlorinator Mechanical Equipment and Gas Cylinders,	855.00
Pump House and Equipment,	2,880.00
Rack House Building, Rack and Foundations,	960.00
Rack House Equipment and Tools,	500.00
Rotating Trickler System,	4,800.00
Piping and Fixtures for fresh water supply,	250.00
Piping, Valves and interbuilding connections,	4,800.00
Main Sewer Trunk Lines and Property Ease- ments,	29,300.00
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	\$46,285.00

Sewer Tax Abatements

1939 Mrs. Horace C. Stanley,	\$15.00
1940 Colby Junior College,	68.90
1940 Colby Junior College,	7.80
1940 Mrs. Henry Kidder,	7.80
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	\$99.50

NEW LONDON WATER SYSTEM PRECINCT

Report of Collector

February 1, 1940 to February 1, 1941

1940 Tax levy,	\$2,546.41	
Interest on deferred payments,	.12	
	_____	\$2,546.53

Paid Treasurer,	\$2,289.83	
Abatements,	.33	
	_____	2,290.16
Uncollected,	256.37	
	_____	\$2,546.53

1939 Tax Levy:

Balance, see Annual Report,	\$277.77	
Interest on deferred payments,	13.24	
	_____	\$291.01

Paid Treasurer,		\$291.01
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1940 Water Rents,	\$9,200.37	
Interest on deferred payments,	.40	
	_____	\$9,200.77

Paid Treasurer,	\$7,661.96	
Abatements,	258.00	
	_____	\$7,919.96
Uncollected,	1,280.81	
	_____	\$9,200.77

1939 Water Rents:

Balance, see Annual Report,	\$1,240.15	
Interest on deferred payments,	24.99	
	<u> </u>	\$1,265.14
Paid Treasurer,	\$891.14	
Transferred to general ledger,	350.00	
	<u> </u>	1,241.14
Uncollected,		24.00
	<u> </u>	\$1,265.14

1938 Water Rents:

Balance, see Annual Report,		\$362.00
Paid Treasurer,	\$12.00	
Transferred to general ledger,	350.00	
	<u> </u>	\$362.00

CALVIN SARGENT, Collector.

Commissioners' and Treasurer's Report

February 1, 1940 to February 1, 1941

Receipts

Cash on hand February 1, 1941,	\$1,202.01	
Water Rents and Interest,	8,565.10	
Taxes and Interest,	2,580.84	
Pipe and Material,	13.00	
First National Bank (Notes Payable),	2,500.00	
P. W. A. Grant,	\$3,406.81	
Less Auditor's Adjustment,	311.30	
	<u>3,095.51</u>	
		<u>\$17,956.46</u>

Disbursements

Paul Gay: Men, labor,	\$831.06	
Jules Pellerin, care of Chlorinator,	180.00	
Little's Garage, labor and material,	9.47	
Sidney Pedrick, labor,	3.00	
M. E. Walker, labor,	12.65	
Henry and Richard Kidder, labor,	52.50	
Chas. E. Shepard & Son, labor and truck,	12.45	
Johnson Barker Co., pipe and fittings,	195.51	
Public Service Co., thawing pipe,	60.00	
Proportioner, Chlorinator repairs,	44.00	
John Danas, chlorine,	79.55	
Page Belting Co., labor and material,	153.51	
Kidder Garage, supplies,	2.70	
Ervin P. Edmunds, supplies,	8.86	
N. P. Clough Co., supplies,	7.00	
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., hydrant repairs,	14.00	
N. R. Prescott, supplies,	4.59	
R. P. Johnson Co., supplies,	3.80	
Russell Spaulding, material,	1.32	
Cassellini-Venable Co., supplies,	6.95	
	<u></u>	<u>\$1,682.92</u>

New Construction:

Barrett Road Extension:

Morton Walker, labor, 727½ ft. ditch,	\$320.48	
Paul B. Gay, men, labor laying pipe,	57.73	
Chas. E. Shepard & Son, labor men,	22.45	
Johnson Barker Co., pipe and fit- tings,	583.20	
B & M R. R., freight on pipe,	64.07	
	<hr/>	\$1,047.93

Eager Line:

Allowed Eager for pipe,	\$15.00
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House Connections:

Paul Gay and men, labor,	\$109.72
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Miscellaneous:

Paul B. Gay, set of wheels,	\$10.00
Telephones,	.95
Naomi Colburn, typewriting,	2.00
Freight and Express,	12.97
Mrs. Harry Nichols, rent,	18.00
Emma Colby, insurance,	115.01
Calvin Sargent, Collector,	100.00
Printing, etc.,	2.85
J. Roy Newton, chlorine tester,	25.10

Accounts Payable, Feb. 1, 1940:

Emma Colby,	\$286.62	
A. B. Hartford,	40.00	
C. E. Tenney,	16.20	
Interest,	141.08	
	<u>483.90</u>	
		<u>\$770.78</u>

Debts and Interest:

First National Bank, interest on Bonds,	\$1,140.00	
First National Bank, Interest on Notes,	95.00	
Newport Savings Bank, Interest on Notes,	983.17	
First National Bank, Current Notes,	5,000.00	
First National Bank, P. W. A. Note,	1,000.00	
First National Bank, Bonds,	4,000.00	
Newport Savings Bank, Refund Note,	1,000.00	
	<u>\$13,218.17</u>	
Total Disbursements,		<u>\$16,844.52</u>

Liabilities

Outstanding Bonds,	\$20,000.00	
Newport Savings Bank, (Refund Notes),	13,000.00	
Newport Savings Bank, P. W. A. Notes,	11,734.00	
Accrued Interest on Bonds,	475.00	
	<u>\$45,209.00</u>	

Assets

Cash on hand, Feb. 1st, 1941,	\$1,111.94	
Water Rents uncollected, 1939,	24.00	
Water Rents uncollected, 1940,	1,280.81	
Taxes Uncollected 1940,	256.37	
	<hr/>	\$2,673.12
Net Debt, February 1, 1941,		<hr/>
		\$42,535.88

Transferred to Suspense Account:

Water Rents, Lake Sunapee Country Club, 1938 and 1939,	\$700.00
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JOSEPH CUTTING,

Treasurer.

WENDELL N. HOBBS,

CHARLES E. SHEPARD,

A. STANLEY LITTLE,

Commissioners.

REPORT OF AUDITOR

I have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Road Agent, Cemetery Commissioners, Sewer Commissioners, Library Trustees, and Trustees of Trust Funds, have compared their several accounts, vouchers and bank statements of funds on deposit, and find these records to be in agreement and believe these reports to be a true record of the conduct of the Town Business for the year ending January 31, 1941.

I have also examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer of the New London Water System Precinct and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers and bank statement of funds on deposit February 1, 1941.

IRA S. LITTLEFIELD, Auditor.

New London, N. H., February 18, 1941.

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE DEPARTMENT

We have been very fortunate this year in having a small number of forest fires. This was due partly to favorable weather conditions and partly to the fact that the community is becoming increasingly fire-conscious, and consequently willing to cooperate with the Department in preventing fires and reducing fire hazards.

The Department wishes to express appreciation to the excellent cooperation of the citizens and especially the local Fire Department. It also wishes to urge the importance of obtaining fire permits by residents of the community and to stress the personal liability for damage caused and expense incurred by private burning.

Continued cooperation with the Department will help greatly to lessen the cost to the taxpayer and avoid the liability for payment of individual damage by the residents.

In a supplement prepared by the District Chief the statistics for the year are presented, also the list of fire-fighting tools recommended for purchase by the town in cooperation with the State Department on a 50-50 basis.

The tools listed and the portable pump are stored at the fire-house where they are carefully cared for and always ready for immediate use.

The District Department has worked out a careful organization schedule of man power and equipment which will be very helpful in combating a large fire.

HORACE C. STANLEY,

Forest Fire Warden.

Supplement to the Report of the Forest Fire Warden,
Town of New London, 1940

Number of Forest Fires,	1
Estimated Acreage of Areas burned over,	2 acres
Number of Fire Permits issued,	18

Forest Fire Fighting Tools on hand:

18 Water Pails	6 Knapsack pumps
1 Portable Power Pump	12 Fire Rakes
1250 ft. 2½ in. fire hose	6 Pulaski tools
950 ft. 1½ in. fire hose	18 Shovels
300 ft. 1 in. fire hose	6 Axes
1 Fire truck	6 Lanterns

Forest Fire Warden,

Horace C. Stanley

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

G. W. Dean

Kenneth Rich

Carl Duffett

Fred Todd

Roy B. Emery

Arthur Heath

TRACY MEMORIAL BUILDING

Librarian's Report

The aim of the library for this year has been to give as much and as good service as possible. Although some of our former activities have had to be given up, still it has been a very busy place. There have been 14,338 visitors during the year, and 14,286 books were circulated; of this number of books, 2,787 were non-fiction. This shows a very high proportion of serious reading, and gives some idea of the value of the library to the reading public. The back numbers of our magazines have been made more easily available, and the increase in their use has been remarkable. The library subscribes for about 90 magazines which are in almost constant use in the reading room, besides a large circulation of any except the current numbers. During the year about 325 books were added to our collection. About 40% of this number were gifts to the library. A large per cent of this gift of books were given us as a very generous response to an appeal which was made by the trustees to New London's summer guests and other friends of the library. Other gifts besides books or money for their purchase have been subscriptions to certain magazines and papers, back numbers of magazines for filing, games and puzzles for the children's room and several autographed books from their authors.

The usual organizations have met in the building. This includes the Woman's Club, the Garden Club, the Civic Association, the Sew and Sew Four H Club, and committees from the various organizations. This year's Forum had four meetings. To quote the prospectus, "In the fact of the grave crisis in the world in general and in the United States in particular, the meetings of the Forum will concern themselves with four basic questions which confront the American people." The four topics and the groups of speakers were: *The United States Faces Europe*; speakers, Mr. Clayton Fisher, Miss Eleanor Dodd, Mr. William H.

Thompson, Mrs. Herman Hansen. *The United States Faces Asia*; speakers, Mrs. Vance Allyn, Rev. Harold W. Buker, Miss Betty Ballentyne, Miss Olive Torrance. *The United States Faces Latin America*; speakers, Dr. H. Leslie Sawyer, Miss Gladys E. Webber, Mr. Albert I. Oliver, Miss Amelia E. Clark. *The United States Faces Itself*; speakers, Mr. B. A. Hoban, Miss Myra Newsom, Mr. Robert Frost, Miss Julia Todd, Major J. H. Howland. These meetings were well attended and proved to be intensely interesting.

In January and February a series of lectures on Music Appreciation were given by David Shand of the Colby Junior College music faculty. Mr. Shand illustrated his lectures, of which there were four, by piano selections and recordings for the phonograph. It is planned to have a longer course next winter.

The celebration of Good Book Week was much like that of other years. Through the kindness of Mr. Ervin Edmunds we had a store window decorated with books and posters to call attention to the week. At the library there were other small exhibits. Care of books and the intelligent use of the library were stressed. A Good Book party was held for the young people where book games, contests and dancing were enjoyed.

Christmas was observed by decorations in and outside the building; featuring colored lights, wreaths, candles, bulletins of pictures, an illuminated village, a nativity scene and an adoration of the Magi at the mantles in the reading room, and displays of Christmas books. A Christmas service of music and readings brought many friends to the library on an evening just preceding Christmas.

Only a few exhibitions have been hung this year, but they were quite up to our standard in quality. The pictures and sketches of Katherine Ryan were of special interest, containing, as they did, several sketches of English Channel ports which were made during the crisis of 1938 and are places much in the news at this time. We were happy to show a collection of artistic photographs by Lester Wolfe of the Colby Junior College faculty. A very popular exhibit was the pictures of Dorothy Dey Howard, which included paintings made in the southwest as well as local scenes. At the same time some very beautiful hand-designed and hand-made rugs by Mrs. Alan Howard were shown. From the Boston Museum of Art we borrowed a collection of pictures in various media by modern artists.

There has been sickness among the library staff this year, and the services of other librarians have been required at various times. We wish to express our appreciation of Mrs. Helen Rathbun, a former assistant at the Boston Public Library, who was secured as a substitute in the spring, and of Mrs. Mary B. Macomber, a former trustee, and Mrs. Hazel Adams, former librarian at Colby Junior College, who have helped. Miss Lennie Messer, at one time the assistant, has been hired for some hours a week through the generosity of a trustee, Mrs. Lindsey H. Wallace.

Thanks is also due to the Garden Club for their care of the library garden.

We have been visited by librarians from the New York City Library and from the Worcester Public Library. The librarian and a trustee attended the New Hampshire Library Association meeting in Manchester in January.

During the year we have borrowed books from the Howe Library at Hanover, and from the New Hampshire State Library and the State Library Commission. We loaned books and show-cases to Colby College Library for their use during the Book Fair which they held on Good Book Week. This summer a writer from the Federal Writers' Project spent many hours at our library copying information from Job Seamans' diary and other historical source material which we have in our archives. We also have had requests for information about our New London authors from Mrs. Ella Shannon Bowles who is incorporating such information in a "Who's Who Among New Hampshire Authors" which she is compiling for the government.

It is hoped that this report will show something of the work of Tracy Memorial Building and help substantiate our claim to being a busy place.

Respectfully submitted,

BERTHA M. GLASSEY,

Librarian.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC
LIBRARY

Financial Statement

Receipts

Balance, February 1, 1940,	\$144.78	
Books for others,	54.36	
Fines,	98.63	
Gifts,	97.26	
Town of New London,	2,480.00	
Rent, vault and hall,	106.91	
Guest Dues,	46.40	
Ann Mary Jelly Fund,	2.40	
Brown Fund,	45.00	
Damage, books,	1.10	
		\$3,076.84

Payments

Books,	\$368.78	
Bookbinding,	43.66	
Magazines,	85.00	
Supplies,	18.20	
Newspapers,	16.12	
Telephone,	40.10	
Electricity,	111.96	
Fuel,	347.63	
Salaries,	1,223.43	
Insurance,	246.64	
Repairs,	97.41	
Water rent,	40.00	
Sewer,	5.00	
		\$2,643.93
Balance,		432.91
		\$3,076.84

Respectfully submitted,

EDNAH KIDDER,
CATHARINE WALLACE,
M. ROY LONDON,

Trustees.

REPORT OF THE NEW LONDON HOSPITAL AND NURSING ASSOCIATION

Secretary's Report

A perusal of the records of the New London Hospital for the year ending August 30th, 1940, shows an increased efficiency, and greater service to our community.

In several ways this has been a year of firsts; namely: the first year in the memory of the present officers that it was unnecessary to borrow money for operating expenses; the first time the hospital has served as infirmary for Colby Junior College; and the first year a deficit on a past year's running expense could be paid.

It was also the first year the staff has maintained an x-ray technician and a capable assistant. This cooperation of Dr. Hamilton of Claremont and Mrs. A. Barton, the business manager, has raised the ratio of the number of x-rays to about three to one over previous years.

Last fall, an oxygen tent and masks were bought. These proved of inestimable value in pneumonia cases during the winter and early spring.

The lack of proper accommodations for nurses to entertain friends has been somewhat relieved by moving the wall of the reception room forward and making another room between it and the head nurse's quarters.

During July, both the upper and lower corridors of the hospital building were covered with inlaid linoleum, making a smooth unbroken surface through wards and halls and facilitating cleaning.

In August, a new fire escape was put on the North end of the building to meet the requirements of the State Board of Health.

Many of these improvements would have been impossible without the financial aid of the summer committee and their generous friends.

Officers

President,	Walter T. Moreland
Vice President,	Herbert Swift
Treasurer,	Dorris Smith
Secretary,	Doris Shepard

Respectfully submitted,

DORIS F. SHEPARD, Sec'y.

NEW LONDON HOSPITAL

Treasurer's Report

Annual Report for the Year, Sept. 1, 1939-Aug. 31, 1940

Operating Income

Rooms,	\$11,669.72	
Out Patients,	248.40	
Supplies sold,	303.47	
Miscellaneous,	590.58	
Operating and Delivery Room,	954.00	
X-ray,	1,730.38	
Kitchen,	253.00	
Spec. Anal.	80.70	
Collections on bad debts,	143.31	
Interest earned,	60.68	
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Total Operating Income,		\$16,034.24

Expenses

Insurance,	\$117.50	
Operating and Delivery Room,	391.02	
X-ray,	933.61	
Laundry,	319.82	
Lights,	425.28	
Interest,	314.16	
Loss on bad debts,	1,500.00	
General Expense,	781.26	
Heat,	805.58	
Salaries,	8,837.37	
Kitchen,	2,864.42	
Repairs,	671.46	
Hospital Supplies,	1,289.50	
Depreciation, Buildings,	681.25	
Depreciation, Furniture,	1,018.32	
Adjustments,	343.40	
Water Rent,	25.00	
Rooms for Special Nurses,	45.00	
Sewer Rent,	77.11	
Sutton Free Bed,	176.43	
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Total Operating Expense,		\$21,640.04
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Operating Loss,		\$5,605.80

Other Income

Tag Day Receipts,	\$1,115.05	
Appropriations,	2,850.00	
Gifts,	926.32	
Colby Guarantee,	878.43	
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Total Other Income,		\$5,769.80
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Excess of Total Income over Expense,		\$164.00

In addition, \$50 was added to Endowment Fund, a gift of Mr. Guy Beardsley, and \$1,000 on the new Finance Committee Fund was collected.

Statement As Of August 31, 1940

Assets

Cash,		\$492.53
Accounts Receivable,	\$3,346.64	
Less Reserve for Bad Debts,	1,202.00	
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		\$2,144.64
Furniture and Fixtures,	\$10,183.16	
Land and Buildings,	14,076.00	
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	\$24,259.16	
Less Reserve for Depreciation,	6,696.35	
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		\$17,562.81
Permanent Fund,		2,462.30
Finance Committee Fund,		1,000.00
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		\$23,662.28

Liabilities

Mortgage Payable,	\$5,318.43	
Accounts Payable,	611.18	
Endowment,	2,462.30	
Endowment,	1,000.00	
New London Hospital Ass'n.,	14,270.37	
		————— \$23,662.28

Respectfully submitted,

DORRIS M. SMITH, Treasurer.

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I have examined the accounts of the New London Hospital and Nursing Association and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

EMMA L. COLBY, Auditor.

HOSPITAL AID ASSOCIATION REPORT

For the Year Ending October 1, 1940

The Hospital Aid Association has had a very successful year. Five all day meetings were held throughout the year and several mending bees. The average attendance at the all day meetings was twenty members.

Funds have been raised by the rental of cushions at the Barn Playhouse and the Town Hall bridge parties and luncheons. Also food sales throughout the summer and the sale of linen on Hospital Day. The Rummage Sale, Membership Drive and Donation Day were most successful.

The Association has purchased towels, gowns, pillow slips, sheets, plate covers, dishes and curtains. Several small pillows were made which are proving most helpful. The sum of \$500 has been paid on the Hospital Debt.

The Hospital Aid extends thanks to all the members for their splendid cooperation during the past year. The president has been most helpful in making this a very successful year.

LILLIAN B. TRUDEAU, Secretary.

Report of New London Hospital Aid Association For
the Year Ending October 1, 1940

Receipts

Balance on hand, October 1, 1939,		\$286.78
Membership Fees,	\$165.00	
Rummage Sale,	150.23	
Sale of Cushions at Movies and Playhouse,	209.70	
Benefit Bridge Parties and Dance,	65.85	
All Day Meetings and Candy Sale,	30.66	
Donation Day,	74.15	
Food Sales,	47.85	
	<hr/>	\$1,030.22

Expenditures

Sewing Materials,	\$7.63	
Hospital Supplies,	176.42	
Pillow Box at Town Hall,	10.00	
Hospital Debt,	500.00	
Secretary's Book,	1.15	
	<hr/>	\$695.20
Balance on hand, October 1, 1940,		<hr/> \$335.02

MILDRED J. STANLEY,

Treasurer.

NEW LONDON SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

Moderator

PAUL GAY

Clerk

WALTER MORELAND

Treasurer

JULIA E. TODD

School Board

DURA P. CROCKETT, Chairman, Term expires 1943

ALMINA C. BARTON, Secretary, Term expires 1942

WAYNE K. WHEELER, Term expires 1941

Auditor

M. ROY LONDON

Truant Officer

MARGARET S. TODD

Superintendent of Schools

ALFRED W. SMITH

Clerk in Superintendent's Office

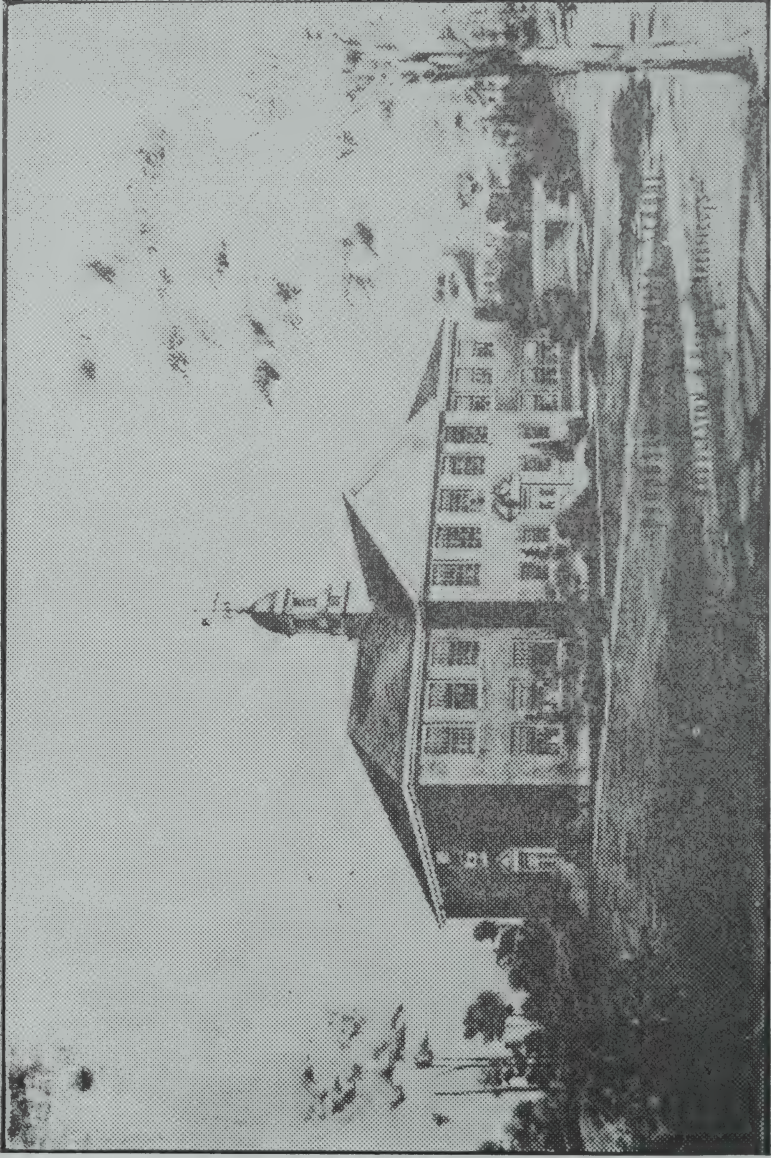
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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BUILDING PLANS COMMITTEE

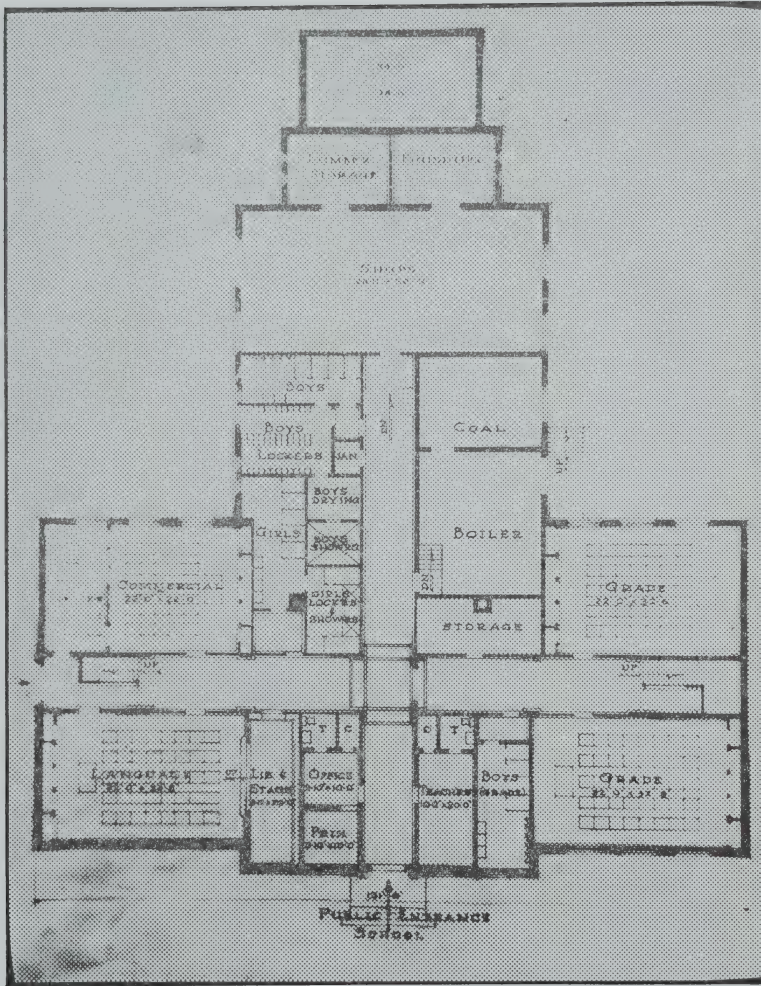
In pursuance of the instructions of the New London School District Meeting held on March 11, 1939, the Moderator appointed a committee of three to investigate the problem of a new school for New London and to make a preliminary report to the School Meeting in 1940. Selected as the personnel of this committee were Mrs. Ann Pardy, Horace C. Stanley and J. Duane Squires. After much conference and study, this committee rendered its report to the District Meeting on March 9, 1940.

From the context of this report of a year ago, printed in the New London Town Report for 1940, pp. 84-87, we quote the following statement:

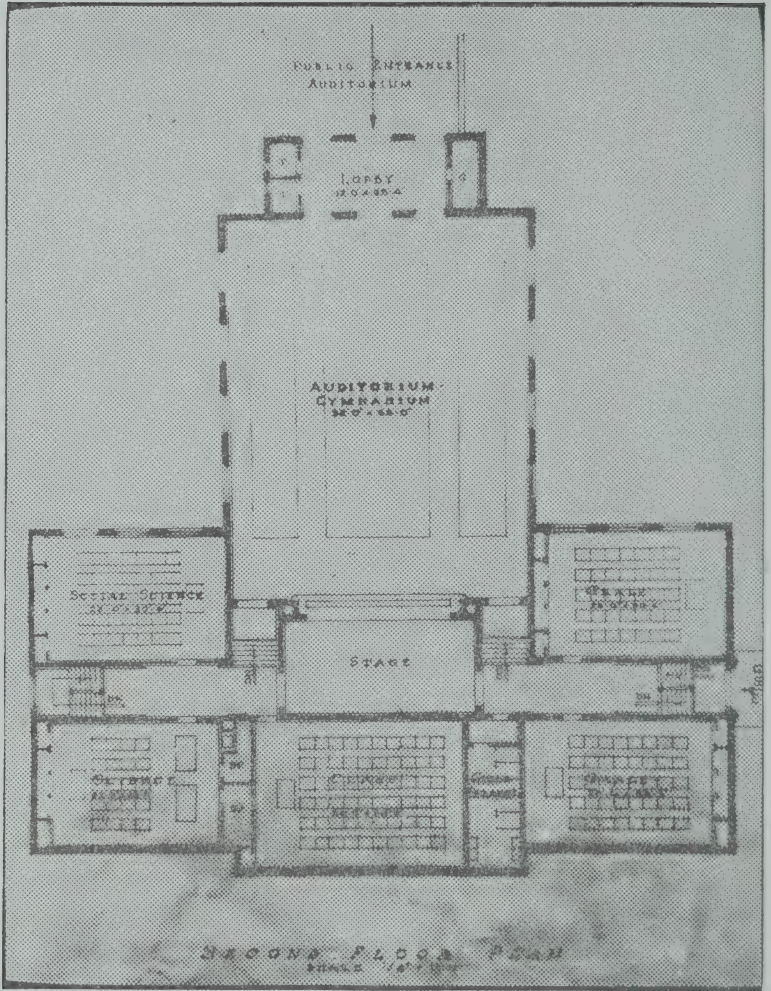
“It is our unanimous judgment that New London should take immediate action towards improving and enlarging its present school plant. The housing of the high school is today nothing but a makeshift arrangement, not in keeping with the real educational needs of the students involved. The present school building is almost forty years old, and is compelled to serve purposes never dreamed of by its builders. It is overcrowded, possesses inadequate health conditions, and is a potential fire hazard. The fortunate fact that no serious trouble has ever occurred in connection with the situation in the present school building is no guarantee for the future. Any first-hand acquaintance with the conditions there, easily ascertainable by any interested taxpayer, will, we believe, bear out the statements here made. They are concurred in by all those in authority connected with the school”.



Sketch of Proposed New Central School



First Floor Plan



Second Floor Plan

Nevertheless, realizing the many problems involved in the matter, the committee recommended a further year of study and investigation before bringing the proposition to a final vote. From the records of the Clerk of the New London School District, we extract the following statement relative to the action taken by the New London School Meeting on March 9, 1940:

“Moved and supported that the School District authorize the immediate appointment by the Moderator of a committee of four to work with the School Board as a Building Plans Committee, empowered to make investigation of and take options on possible sites, secure plans and estimates for a new school building, and report its findings to the School Meeting in March, 1941.

“Motion amended to include the three members of the present committee and Mrs. Emma L. Colby as the fourth member.

“Motion made and supported that the School District raise and appropriate \$400 for the above mentioned purposes.

“Vote was taken as to the kind of a school the town wanted, and ballots turned over to the the committee”.

Walter T. Moreland,

Clerk of the School District.

The ballots mentioned were designed to clarify the desires of citizens as to what type of building they would like to have erected. Three options were presented: (a) a new high school only; (b) a new high school, plus a gymnasium-auditorium unit; (c) a complete new school plant for all twelve grades, plus a gymnasium-auditorium unit. By actual count there were more than twice as many votes cast for the third alternative as for the other two combined.

Thus instructed along definite lines, the enlarged School Building Plans Committee has worked for the past twelve months. Among their methods of approach to the problem have been the following:

1. A re-examination of all the former plans for a new school in New London, dating back to 1931-32.
2. A consideration of more than a dozen possible building sites in New London and the securing of options of several of these.
3. Personal inspection of at least nine (9) relatively new school buildings, located in New Hampshire towns similar to New London.
4. Conferences with educational authorities, including some of the chief officials on the N. H. State Board of Education.
5. Study of the legal, financial, and planning powers of the New London School District as authorized by New Hampshire statutes.
6. Numerous consultations with Mr. I. W. Hersey, a competent school architect, who after careful examination of the New London situation, has prepared detailed plans and specifications for a new building, and has secured precise estimates for the costs of erecting and equipping the same.
7. Discussion meetings with the people of New London during the month of February, 1941, held at ten different times and places wherein every possible suggestion and criticism has been received and carefully considered.

In addition to these procedures, the committee has endeavored to acquaint the public with every phase of its work by furnishing to the local and state press complete and accurate data regarding all its plans, including pictures and floor plans, and by arranging to give this material the widest possible circulation throughout New London. Moreover, some of the relevant statistical material is included in the tables appended to the present report.

The plans herein pictured and recommended are the fifth revision of the original sketches as drawn by Mr. Hersey. They provide for a building with the following characteristics:

Almost entirely fireproof, of brick, concrete, and tile.

Four grade rooms and four specialized high school rooms.

Gymnasium-auditorium, seating 600 as an auditorium and 300 as a gymnasium.

Space for manual training and domestic arts, if and when these courses are desired by the people.

Adequate room for expansion to cover the estimated future growth of New London.

By careful estimates made by various contractors it has been ascertained that the cost of such a building, fully equipped, will come within the \$80,000 which the New London School District can legally expend for such a development. It has been ascertained further that a bond issue for this amount can be floated through the National Shawmut Bank of Boston, at an interest rate of about $1\frac{3}{4}\%$, to be retired in twenty annual instalments of \$4,000 each.

Therefore, the School Building Plans Committee makes the following recommendations to the New Lon-

don School District for consideration at its meeting on March 8, 1941.

1. That, in accordance with citizen preference as voted a year ago, and along the lines stated in this report, there be erected a completely new school building in New London.
2. That the site of said building be an area of approximately four acres, located on Main Street, and extending northwesterly from the Town Hall for about 300 feet and back from the street about 500 feet.
3. That, if complications should arise to render this site, unacceptable or unavailable, the choice of an alternative site be left to the selection of a special town committee appointed by the Moderator as described in one of the Articles of the 1941 School Warrant.
4. That all the remaining procedures as outlined in this School Warrant be carried out as therein indicated.

The committee closes two years of study and investigation with the unanimous conviction that in this problem of a new school for New London there is involved the key principle of democracy itself. Like most other alert American towns, New London in recent decades has modernized many aspects of its community life,—roads, water works, sewers, library, hospital. Yet the education of its youth, on which the hope of democracy is based, is allowed to continue in a building erected in 1906, and long since outgrown and outmoded. This condition seems strange in a town where the original town meeting in 1779 considered the establishment of an adequate school so important that it was one of the chief items on its agenda. It seems strange, too, when one recalls the interest in education manifested by the men and women of New London in supporting the New London Academy during the 1840's, and their improvements in the public schools in 1856 and subsequently.

If democracy today is in danger from powerful forces—and we are told by our most eminent leaders that this is so—it becomes vital as a basic matter of national defense itself to strengthen it in every root and fiber. As if in anticipation of the present national emergency, George Washington in his Farewell Address to the American people, issued on September 17, 1796, declared:

“Promote, then, as an object of primary importance, institutions for the general diffusion of knowledge”.

The committee believes emphatically that this is just as true today as it was when Washington solemnly stated it. Ours is a time when, regardless of all else, we must put first things first. Democracy as a political faith and ideal must always put first the development of its citizens, particularly its youth.

To forget, ignore, or deny this, we feel is to take the first step on the highroad to national defeatism. We do not believe that our citizens will so decide. Rather we are convinced that New London can undertake no more patriotic endeavor than to strengthen American democracy, in George Washington’s splendid phrase, by promoting as an object of primary importance our own town’s basic institution for the diffusion of knowledge.

ALMINA C. BARTON,
EMMA L. COLBY,
DURA P. CROCKETT,
ANN PARDY,
J. DUANE SQUIRES, Chairman,
HORACE C. STANLEY,
WAYNE K. WHEELER.

March 8, 1941.

Some Relevant Statistical Information

Table I: *The Growth of New London population by U. S. Census Figures*

1890:	799
1900:	768
1910:	805
1920:	701
1930:	812
1940:	1039

Table II: *Growth of New London Property Valuations, and Variations in the Tax Rate*

Year	Valuation	Tax-Rate
1928-29	\$1,631,009	\$3.00
1929-30	1,735,052	2.95
1930-31	1,774,219	2.86
1931-32	1,851,829	3.05
1932-33	1,875,198	2.56
1933-34	1,875,764	2.56
1934-35	1,901,953	2.56
1935-36	1,903,627	2.75
1936-37	1,923,929	2.56
1937-38	1,976,035	2.85
1938-39	2,029,999	2.85
1939-40	1,951,426	2.75
1940-41	2,028,426	2.85
1941-42	(est.) 2,100,000	(est.) 3.05

Table III. *Registration Records of New London Central School Since 1925*

Year	Grades	High School	Total
1925-26	99		99
1926-27	94		94
1927-28	99		99
1928-29	108		108
1929-30	108		108
1930-31	108		108
1931-32	106		106
1932-33	96	53	149
1933-34	112	51	163
1934-35	96	40	136
1935-36	91	39	130
1936-37	99	45	144
1937-38	108	46	154
1938-39	111	52	163
1939-40	116	62	178
1940-41	113	62	175

Table IV: *Comparisons between New London School District and other N. H. School Districts on basis of Annual Expenditures per \$1000 of Equalized Valuations.*

241 School Districts in N. H.

204 spend more per \$1000 of equalized valuation than does New London.

36 spend less.

1939-40 New London cost per \$1000 equalized valuation was \$8.00.

1939-40 average N. H. school cost per \$1000 equalized valuation was \$12.15.

(*Per capita cost* of New London elementary school slightly under state average)

(*Per capita cost* of New London high school slightly over state average).

Table V: *Expenditures from Appropriation of \$400 as voted for School Building Plans Committee Work March 9, 1940.*

To Dura Crockett for expenses on inspection trip, Sept. 17, 1940,	\$3.25
To A. W. Smith for expenses on same trip,	7.50
To Dura Crockett for expenses on Sept. 28, 1940,	4.00
New London Inn, Jan. 25, 1941,	3.00
To J. Duane Squires for telephone calls, stenographic expense, etc.,	5.25
To Kenneth Lord for cuts and extra copies of <i>Speaker</i> for 4 weeks,	17.75
To Mrs. Ann Pardy for telephone calls,	3.15
To New London Pharmacy for extra copies of <i>Manchester Union</i> ,	1.20
Total Expenditures to March 8, 1941,	\$45.10
Unexpended Balance, March 8, 1941,	\$354.90

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of New London qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Whipple Memorial Hall in said district on the eighth day of March 1941, at two 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.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent 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 acquire, by purchase or otherwise, a suitable lot and erect thereon a central school building in conformity with the authorization granted by Chapter 298, Laws of 1931, State of

New Hampshire, entitled "An Act Relative to the New London School District", and in conformity with any other laws of the state of New Hampshire applicable thereto.

9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate an amount not exceeding \$80,000 for the purpose of financing the cost of acquiring said land and erecting said building, and for this purpose to borrow said amount and issue obligations of the district in the form of serial notes or bonds to an amount not exceeding \$80,000 in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 298, Laws of 1931, State of New Hampshire and of the "Municipal Bonds Statute", Public Laws of New Hampshire, Chapter 59.

10. To see if the district will vote to authorize a committee to select a lot for the new school building, this committee to be composed of the School Board, Building Committee, Selectmen, and three others appointed by the Moderator.

11. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to execute any and all contracts and agreements necessary, proper, or advisable in connection with the acquiring of said land and/or erecting of said building; also to fix the time and place of payment and the rate of interest of bonds or notes issued and provide for the sale thereof.

12. To see if the district will vote to continue the present building committee to work in conjunction with the School Board in planning and erecting said building.

13. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to sell the school lot and present school building, commonly called Colby Hill School House and located at the four corners on Main Street in the said New London School District, and to execute all agreements, contracts, deeds or other papers necessary to complete such sale.

14. 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.

15. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said New London this 21st day of February 1941.

DURA P. CROCKETT,
ALMINA C. BARTON,
WAYNE K. WHEELER,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

DURA P. CROCKETT,
ALMINA C. BARTON,
WAYNE K. WHEELER,

School Board.

NEW LONDON SCHOOL BUDGET, 1941-42

with comparisons

	Suggested 1941-42	Budget 1940-41	spent 1939-40
District officers,	\$105.00	\$105.00	\$105.00
Superintendent's salary,	281.25	281.25	281.25
Truant officer and census,	12.00	12.00	11.90
Expense of administration,	250.00	235.00	195.94
Teachers' salaries,	11,850.00	11,350.00	11,194.45
Textbooks,	375.00	375.00	342.65
Scholars' supplies,	575.00	550.00	494.75
Flags,	10.00	10.00	
Other expenses of in- struction,	300.00	300.00	218.89
Janitors' salaries,	936.00	861.00	861.00
Fuel,	700.00	700.00	738.90
Water, light and supplies,	325.00	325.00	391.56
Minor repairs and ex- penses,	300.00	300.00	298.35
Health,	250.00	250.00	323.59
Transportation,	2,500.00	2,629.40	2,834.50
Other special activities,	150.00	150.00	11.50
Per capita tax,	388.00	382.00	344.00
Insurance,			25.00
New equipment,	100.00	100.00	166.45
Special athletic transportation,			82.75
Special Building committee,		400.00	
Totals,	\$19,407.25	\$19,315.65	\$18,922.43
Estimated Income,	1,844.00		
Appropriation needed,	\$17,563.25		

Estimated Income, 1941-42

Dog Tax,	\$150.00
Tuition H. S.,	750.00
Tuition Elementary,	144.00
Balance (est.) June 30, 1941,	800.00
	\$1,844.00

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET

required if building project is voted

Debt Retirement,	\$4,000.00
Interest,	1,400.00
Insurance (first year only),	600.00
Increased Operating Expense,	875.00
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	\$6,875.00

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Total appropriation needed in case building project is
voted:

\$17,563.25
6,875.00
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\$24,438.25

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1939 and Ending

June 30, 1940

Receipts

Income from local taxation,	\$17,501.00
Income from sources other than taxation:	
Dog licenses,	\$203.55
Elementary school tuition,	139.00
High School tuition,	460.40
1938-39 tuition,	367.06
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	1,170.01
Total receipts from all sources,	\$18,671.01
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1939,	613.42
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Grand Total,	\$19,284.43

Payments

School Board Orders paid,	\$18,922.43
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1940,	362.00
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	\$19,284.43

Detailed Statement of Payments (1939-40)

Administration:

Salaries District Officers:

Julia E. Todd,	\$25.00	
Dura P. Crockett,	25.00	
Guy F. Williams,	25.00	
Almina Barton,	25.00	
M. Roy London,	5.00	
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Superintendent's Excess Salary.

State Treasurer,	\$281.25
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Truant Officer and Census:

Margaret S. Todd,	\$10.00	
R. E. Lane,	1.90	
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Expense of Administration:

Kearsarge Telephone Co.,	\$36.96	
Emma Colby,	7.50	
Lucille F. Nelson,	108.00	
Reporter Press,	9.68	
Edson Eastman Co.,	5.00	
Alfred W. Smith,	7.56	
Elkins Printing Press,	2.50	
Houghton Mifflin Co.,	5.46	
Albert I. Oliver,	10.08	
Newport School District,	3.20	
	<hr/>	\$195.94

Instruction :

Principal's and Teachers' Salaries :

	High School	Elementary	
Albert I. Oliver, Jr.,	\$2,100.00		
Ethel A. Brainerd,	1,069.45		
Katherine Gage,	1,150.00		
William Stergios,	1,500.00		
Elson Herrick,		\$1,050.00	
Katherine Lynch,		900.00	
Alice Nickerson,		1,100.00	
Helen McIntire,	50.00	1,100.00	
Doris Langley,		1,115.00	
Mrs. William Thompson,	36.00		
Mrs. Claude Prew,		4.00	
Elsie Wolfe,	20.00		
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	\$5,925.45	\$5,269.00	\$11,194.45
Textbooks :	210.58	132.07	\$342.65
Scholars Supplies :	262.50	232.25	\$494.75
Other Expenses of Instruction :			
Royal Typewriter Co.,	\$150.00		
Boston Music Co.,	2.73		
Milton Bradley Co.,		2.00	
University of N. H.,	5.28		
Elkins Printing Co.,	4.75		
A. A. Holden,		1.95	
Carl Fischer,	4.89		
Continental Press,		3.01	
Thorpe & Martin,	1.88	5.99	
H. O. Koford,	3.00	3.00	
Merle Gay,	1.20		
L. C. Smith Co.,	5.25		
Henry Holt Co.,	.50		
School Products Bureau,		5.31	
M. N. Perkins Co.,	15.60		
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	\$195.08	\$23.81	\$218.89

Operation and Maintenance:

Janitor Service:

Ralph Gay,	\$412.50	\$412.50	
Herbert West,		36.00	
	\$412.50	\$448.50	\$861.00

Fuel:

Chas. E. Shepard & Son,	\$234.32	\$234.33	
Dura P. Crockett,	89.00	129.50	
R. E. Emery,	23.25	28.50	
	\$346.57	\$392.33	\$738.90

Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies:

Public Service Co.,	\$42.00	\$69.68	
Pioneer Mfg. Co.,	15.52	15.52	
Ervin Edmunds,	12.79	16.13	
Calvin Sargent,	35.00	35.00	
Herman P. Messer,	52.10	52.10	
Dickerman & Co.,	6.68	24.51	
Cheshire Chemical Co.,	1.00	7.00	
Merle Gay,		.55	
Harry Howland,		2.23	
Milford Chemical Co.,	3.75		
	\$168.84	\$222.72	\$391.56

Minor Repairs:

L. C. Smith Co.,	\$21.72		
Wilbur Knowlton,	17.42	\$17.42	
Charles Gay,	12.82	12.82	
E. F. Sargent,	26.50	26.50	
Merle Gay,	1.00		
E. E. Babb & Co.,		1.58	
Lottie Knowlton,		4.00	
Clifton Lull,		3.50	
Ervin P. Edmunds,	14.51	16.53	
Harry Barrett,	9.00	9.00	

D. P. Crockett,	3.82	9.83	
M. E. Walker,		6.70	
Fred Williams,		.85	
R. P. Johnson & Co.,	5.11	7.18	
Chas. E. Shepard & Son,		1.50	
Horace C. Stanley,	7.00		
Russell Spaulding,	27.80	27.80	
Ernest Welch,	1.25		
J. L. Hammett Co.,		4.69	
Martin's Hardware,		.50	
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	\$147.95	\$150.40	\$298.35

Auxiliary Agents and Special Activities:

Health Supervision:

Della C. Spiller,	\$60.31	\$245.09	
William Clough,	11.50		
Fred S. Lovely,	1.67	5.02	
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	\$73.48	\$250.11	\$323.59

Transportation of Pupils:

			500.00
Edwin Edmunds,	\$1,650.00		
Charles Messer,	540.00		
Benjamin Sargent,	360.00		
Verna Powell,	260.00		
William Stergios,	24.50		
	<hr/>		\$2,834.50

Other Special Activities:

W. George Stergios,	\$5.00	\$5.00	
N. P. Clough & Co.,	1.50		
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	\$6.50	\$5.00	\$11.50

Fixed Charges:

Tax for State Wide Supervision:

State Treasurer,		\$344.00
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Insurance:

Emma Colby,		\$25.00
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Outlay for Construction and Equipment:

New Equipment:

J. L. Hammett Co.,	\$91.45	
J. H. Faught & Son,	75.00	
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Special Appropriation:

Athletic Transportation,		\$82.75
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Total Payments,		<hr/> \$18,922.43
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ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1940

Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1939, (Treasurer's bank balance),	\$613.42
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year,	\$17,501.00
Dog tax,	203.55
Received from all other sources,	966.46
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	\$18,671.01
Total amount available for fiscal year balance and receipts,	19,284.43
Less School Board orders paid,	18,922.43
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1940 (Treasurer's bank balance),	\$362.00

JULIA E. TODD,
District Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of New London, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1940, and find them correct in all respects.

M. ROY LONDON, Auditor.

July 10, 1940.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board:

I herewith submit my seventh annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

The Proposed New Building

I wish to commend the earnest and thorough way in which the building committee, under the chairmanship of Dr. J. Duane Squires, has gone about its task of studying the school needs of New London and preparing a clear and definite report about a new building. In my report last year I presented a full description of the present school conditions with recommendations. It is unnecessary, therefore, to go into that matter this year. I should like to say, however, that I heartily concur with the report of the building committee and hope that the boys and girls in New London may soon have the advantages which can only be furnished by a modern, fully equipped school plant.

I should like to mention the fact that if we had a high school with a shop we should be entitled to federal assistance in furnishing industrial education to out-of-school youth who would like to take advantage of the defense training program. The government will defray the expense of teachers, materials, operating costs, and necessary supplementary equipment in order to train young men to work in industries connected with our defense program.

Attendance

The increased enrollment in both high and elementary grades which I mentioned last year is still with us. In fact we now have five more pupils than we had last January. The number of tuition pupils is practically the same.

The record of punctuality last year was much improved. The total number of tardinesses during the year 39-40 was half the number in the previous year. Elkins School and Miss Lynch's room had especially good records.

Program of Studies, New London High School

1 Academic	Core (for all pupils)	General
Latin I, '41-'42	English	
History of Civilization	*General Business	
tion	General Math. or Algebra	
	Typewriting	
	* College pupils may omit	
2 Latin 2, '40-'41	English	Bookkeeping
French 1	Biology	
Plane Geometry		
3 French 2	*English, '40-'41	Science Survey
*Chemistry, '41-'42	*Consumers' Economics, '41-'42	
	U. S. History, '40-'41	
4 Advanced Math.	*English, '41-'42	Salesmanship and
*Physics, '40-'41	*Sociology, '40-'41	Human Behavior
	Amer. Gov't, '41-'42	
	*Alternations	
1940-41	1941-42	
English 3	English 4	
Physics	Chemistry	
Sociology	Consumer's Economics	
Latin 2	Latin 1	

Five subjects allowed academic pupils in gr. 11 and 12

For many years the high school program has been governed quite largely by the requirements for admission to the standard colleges. There is a growing feeling, however, that high school pupils whether they are preparing for college or not should more adequately be prepared to meet the problems which they will surely encounter in later life. We have, therefore, rearranged the subjects of instruction so that there is a core program required of all pupils. Those pupils who are preparing for college may take in addition such subjects as are required for admission. Pupils on the other hand not intending to enter college will take such general subjects as we can offer in our school.

The list of core subjects includes the information and techniques which we use in our daily business transactions. There is a course in general mathematics which includes a review of the fundamental process and practical application of the principles of arithmetic. Pupils who are good enough in mathematics may take algebra if they wish. Typewriting is taught to all pupils in the freshman year as a tool subject. If a pupil becomes sufficiently proficient in less than a year he is not required to attend class further. It is a great advantage to any student to be able to operate a typewriter. Since the fundamental principles of biology are a matter of concern to every human being this subject is required in the second year. A comparatively new subject, consumers' economics, is assigned to the third year. This takes up the topic of selecting a home and operating it effectively; also we consider the subject of buying articles that we need. Every one of us lives in some kind of a home and is a consumer. This subject, therefore, is a real necessity. A related course in salesmanship and human behavior in the fourth year, although not required, is equally desirable. For the past few years sociological problems have occupied more and more of our time and thought. Therefore, there is no question about the advisability of acquainting young people with the problems of sociology. In order to deal more adequately with U. S. History and government, the subject has been divided between two successive courses. In the third year an elective subject called science survey has been introduced. This is a more practical treatment of physics and chemistry than is required for college entrance requirements. Academic pupils in Grades 11 and 12 are allowed to take five subjects a year. This gives them a broader educational foundation and enables them to take the practical courses we have mentioned in addition to the usual college subjects.

Citizenship

We are fully alive to the necessity of leading pupils to appreciate the blessings of democracy. Accordingly emphasis is being placed on this in all the grades. Historical and inspirational books have been furnished the schools. Through stories, discussions, dramatization, and current events the pupils are led to know how the democratic institutions in our way of life have developed. We are trying to instill correct habits and attitude.

Teachers

Mr. William G. Stergios resigned from his position in the high school as science teacher to take a position in Connecticut. His successor is Mr. Robert V. Frost. Mr. Frost is a graduate of Bates 1938. Mrs. Helen McIntire resigned as teacher of Grades 1 and 2 at the end of the year. Her place is taken by Miss Harriet J. Chapin who graduated from the Wheelock School in Boston, 1937. Miss Ethel Brainerd was married in the summer to Mr. William Stone. This year we are enjoying the services of Mrs. Alberta Fisher as music supervisor in all the grades including Elkins. This is a great help in the music training of our pupils.

Heidelberg Fund

The Heidelberg Prize Speaking Fund, which was started in 1938 by Mr. Herbert D. Swift, has now grown through later donations by Mr. Swift and accumulated interest to the amount of \$322.28. Since the interest does not yet provide sufficient funds for the prizes to be awarded, Mr. Swift has generously donated the cash prizes in the past in addition to his contributions to the fund itself. The school very much appreciates this interest and support given to one of its important activities.

The successful operation of the schools is due to the sound judgment of the School Board, the effective cooperation of the teachers, and the faithful work of the janitors who make it physically possible to hold school sessions.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED W. SMITH,

Superintendent of Schools.

Registration and Attendance, 1939-40

Teacher	Grades	Total Registration	No. of Boys	Aver. Attendance	Aver. Membership	Per Cent of Attendance	No. of Tardinesses
Helen McIntire (Mrs.)	1 & 2	31	19	26.10	28.09	92.92	21
Alice Nickerson (Mrs.)	3 & 4	35	20	30.30	32.39	93.55	19
Katherine Lynch	5 & 6	28	15	24.17	25.43	95.05	8
Elson Herrick	7 & 8	26	9	23.82	24.90	95.66	17
Ethel Brainerd Katherine Gage							
Albert I. Oliver, Jr.	9-12	64	30	56.26	58.93	95.47	58
W. George Stergios							
Doris H. Langley (Mrs.)	1-8	29	18	24.04	24.65	97.93	5
		213	111	184.69	194.39	95.01	112

Tuition Pupils—January 15, 1941

High School		Elementary	
Sutton	10	Springfield	3
Salisbury	1	Wilmot	3
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Enrollment, January 15, 1941

Grade	Colby Hill	Elkins
1	11	2
2	10	4
3	17	3
4	18	4
5	17	4
6	9	3
7	17	5
8	13	4
9	20	
10	13	
11	18	
12	11	
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	174	29

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

January 1, 1940—September 1, 1940

102 Home calls, 114 School visits, 90 telephone calls, 68 conferences in regard to health work, 31 treatments in schools, 5 treatments in homes, 15 health talks and movies in schools; 39 children transported to homes, physician's office, clinics, hospitals, etc.; 31 inspections for symptoms of disease.

Arranged for, and assisted at Chest Clinic.
Accompanied Grades 3 and 4, 5 and 6 on trip.
Approximate number hours given, 179.
Approximate number miles driven, 1026.

Fund for School Children

Cash on Hand January 1, 1940,	\$12.65
Received from Church Benevolence,	15.00
Received from Woman's Club,	10.00
Received from Grange,	5.00
Received from King's Daughters,	10.00
Received from Red Cross,	75.00
Received from Others,	2.50
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Total Receipts,	\$130.15
Paid:	
For Eye Clinic,	\$32.20
For Tonsil cases,	27.28
For Dental work,	44.50
For Physicians' care,	4.00
For milk for children,	18.48
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	\$126.46
Turned over to Irene Dean,	3.69
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	\$130.15

Respectfully submitted,

DELLA C. SPILLER, R. N.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

September 1, 1940—January 1, 1941

Home calls, 10; School visits, 35; school treatments, 12; home treatments, 6.

Accompanied 2, transported 3 to dentist's office; to doctor's, 1.

Assisted physicians in examinations of basketball squad.

Routine physical examinations completed. 207 children examined.

Dental clinics, Parish Hall, October 23.

Nov. 6-7, Nov. 20, Dec. 4, 98 children received necessary dental work from Dr. E. F. Keane of Newport.

Cost of Dental clinics, \$159.00.

Received from 15 different town organizations, \$154.00.

I wish to thank everyone who has helped me in any way.

Sincerely,

IRENE DEAN, R. N.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1940

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex and Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn							
Jan.	10 Ernest James	M	L	Ernest J. Partridge	Bernice E. Walters	All White	New London	Farmer	Warner	Concord
	12 Phillip Harding	M	L	Maurice H. Taylor	Virginia L. Lull	All White	New London	Student	Wilnot	New London
	16 Jo Ann	F	L	Eugene L. Richardson	Dorothy L. Heath	All White	Danbury	Clerical work	Yarmouth, Me.	Grafton
	17 Baby Roy	M	L	Frank R. Dean	Lula M. News	All White	Grafton	Laborer	Danbury	Ashland, Me.
Feb.	5 Basil George	M	L	William G. Stengis	Ruth M. Doe	All White	New London	Teacher	Pengamos, Greece	Sutton, Me.
	8 Fred P. Loverin	M	L	William E. Loverin	Elizabeth E. Stearns	All White	New London	Garage owner	Boston, Mass.	Drigwater, Mass.
	14 Baby Hayward	F	S	Oliver S. Hayward	Florence M. Temple	All White	New London	Physician	Newbury	New London
	21 Gladys Ann	F	L	Dennis Rollins	Florence M. Temple	All White	New London	Laborer	Franklin	Danbury
March	3 Ellen Elizabeth	F	L	Kenneth L. Danforth	Pearl M. Cilley	All White	Bradford	Salesman	Reading, Mass.	Ashuelot
	11 Dorothy Helen Hood	F	L	Wallace E. Tilton	Marion E. Godfrey	All White	Newbury	Laborer	Sterling, Mass.	Newbury
April	4 Eleanor Ann	F	L	Henry C. Peay	Mary L. Croteau	All White	Bradford	Govt. forester	Concord	Natick, Mass.
	8 Harry Donald	M	L	Howard M. Whitcher	Mary B. Peaslee	All White	New London	Farmer	Wilnot Flat	East Andover
	9 Lois Mary	F	L	Horace A. Whitcher	Evelyn K. Marshall	All White	New London	Farmer	Franconia	Warren
	12 Nancy Elizabeth	F	L	William O. Crane	Hazel C. Jones	All White	Wilnot Flat	Farmer	Newburyport, Mass.	Hudson Falls, N. Y.
May	13 Anthony Wayne	M	L	Norman L. Scruton	Marion S. Wilson	All White	Newbury	Minister	Hudson, Mass.	Burlington, Vt.
	15 Mary Lou	F	L	Harry B. Martin	Loretta M. Sordiff	All White	West Andover	Farmer	Salem, Mass.	Meridith
	21 Judith Gail	F	L	Ederas J. Blanchette	Pearl M. Stoddard	All White	Sutton	Laborer	Carmel, Me.	Danbury
	30 Eleanor Jean	F	L	Robert E. Brown	Mary E. Stevens	All White	Danbury	Govt. forester	Cape Cod, Mass.	South Sutton
	4 Alice Marie	F	L	Frank L. Maxfield	Virginia L. Davis	All White	Bradford	Truck driver	London	Andover
	9 Winifred Ethel	F	L	Wesley B. Woodward	Beth S. Sweet	All White	No. Sutton	Carpenter	Springfield	Plainfield
	12 John Frank	M	L	William D. George	Grace D. Whitaker	All White	New London	Farmer	Andover	Newport
	17 Carleton Jon	M	L	Isaac B. Evans	Rheta L. Watkins	All White	Bradford	Farmer	Alexandria	Hill
	18 Patricia Louise	F	L	Roland F. Glidden	Stella A. Messer	All White	So. Danbury	Laborer	London	El Paso, Texas
	26 Charles Robert	M	L	Roland F. Glidden	Martha M. Eddy	All White	No. Sutton	Farmer	London	El Paso, Texas
June	27 Martie May	F	L	Phillip G. Frederick	Alice O. Buchanan	All White	New London	Salesman	Scarboro, Me.	Portland, Me.
	27 William Franklin	M	L	George S. Allen	Charlotte A. Parker	All White	Newbury	Govt. forester	Thetford, Vt.	Bradford
	30 Joan Marie	F	L	Harold R. Craig	Valia Gaudreau	All White	Bradford	Diner owner	Lebanon	Claremont
	3 Joyce Mary	F	L	John E. Loder	Florence G. Aldrich	All White	Andover	Laborer	Andover	Rochester, Vt.
	18 Gloria Jean	F	L	Robert W. Rivers	Dorothy B. Wells	All White	New London	Farmer	New London	Sutton
	18 James Dennis	M	L	James W. Rivers	Dorothy L. Davis	All White	Andover	Engineer	Andover	Lynn, Mass.
	21 Peter James	M	L	Harvey P. Chatwick	Della Mitchell	All White	So. Sutton	Store clerk	Sutton	Middlef'n Spring, Vt.
	24 Judith Gail	F	L	James A. Knowlton	Florence I. Chase	All White	So. Sutton	Store clerk	Sutton	Middlef'n Spring, Vt.
25 Donald Prescott	M	L								
25 James Alden, Jr.	M	L								

* Born in Melrose, Mass. † Born in Newport.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1940

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex and Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn							
June	30 James Austin	M	1	Joseph O. Fleming	Mary E. Russell	All White	George's Mills	Com. traveler	Port Clyde, N. S.	Sumapee
	1 Richard George	M	2	George H. Ingalls	Winifred M. Chadwick	All White	Dublin	Laborer	Bradford	New London
July	4 Elizabeth Shirley	F	1	Arthur E. Thompson	Annie R. Whittemore	All White	Wilmot	Farmer	Wilmot	Danbury
	17 Robert Spencer	M	1	John L. Rayno	Elizabeth H. Wiggins	All White	Wilmot	Salesman	Wilmot	Meredith
	23 May Joyce	F	1	Morton E. Walker	Beatrice Batefelder	All White	Elkins	Plumber	Elkins	Elkins
	27 Patricia Ann	F	1	Adelbert W. Messer	Geraldine Emery	All White	New London	Plumber	New London	Dover
Aug.	30 Bradley Dubois	M	2	Harold A. Truvel	Althea M. Chase	All White	Milford	H. S. headmr.	Newport	Newport
	31 Dennis Dubois	M	3	Charles V. Allen	Josephine Eyestone	All White	New London	Laborer	Winthrop, Iowa	Greenfield, Mass.
	12 David Cleland	M	3	Daniel F. Deno, Jr.	Hazel A. Graves	All White	Sutton	Laborer	Southington, Conn.	White Plains, N. Y.
	18 Carol Joan	F	5	Cleland L. Nichols	Minnie E. Carvage	All White	George's Mills	Carpenter	Higgate, Vt.	New Haven, Vt.
	25 Norma Jennie	F	3	Archie F. Perry	Ann M. Stoddard	All White	Andover	Farmer	Newport	Lowell, Mass.
	26 Delia Emma	F	6	John L. Merrill	Mabel M. L. Dwyer	All White	Bradford	Laborer	Sutton	Gardner, Mass.
Sept.	2 Darrel Omer	M	1	Carl G. Ingalls	Marion F. Eaton	All White	Bradford	Fireman	Bradford	Needham, Mass.
	8 Phyllis Arlene	F	6	Norman R. Bentley	Winnie E. Colcord	All White	Andover	Govt. sawmill	Nova Scotia	Springfield
	17 Vernon Roger	M	1	Roger V. McIntire	Helen M. Fleming	All White	Elkins	Oiler	Wentworth	Ashland
	17 Charlena	F	1	Ernest MacWilliams	Bernice M. Sawyer	All White	Newport	Stone driller	Perry, Me.	Sutton
Oct.	15 Carrie Maud	F	1	Leroy W. Johnson	Elsie VanDenBurch	All White	New London	Farmer	Vernon, Vt.	Mansville, N. Y.
	15 Donna	F	1	William E. Tibbetts	Dorothy E. Serviss	All White	Concord, Mass.	Plumber	Biddeford, Me.	Brooklyn, N. Y.
	18 Baby Boy	M	4	Fred E. Peters	Hazel Cilley	All White	Andover	Laborer	Concord	Andover
	18 Deborah Roach	F	1	Frank L. Taylor	Harriett G. Roach	All White	New London	Janitor	New London	Newport
Nov.	4 David Brian	M	3	Henry O. Rayno	Evansline G. Berube	All White	Wilmot Flat	Manager	Wilmot Flat	Limestone, Me.
	5 Marguerite	F	1	William H. Huntoon	Georgia W. Bradford	All White	New London	Bus driver	Franklin	North Sutton
	9 Jean Mai	F	1	Ernest E. Flanders	Pauline F. Gage	All White	Bradford	Lumberman	Warner	Nashua
	21 John William	M	1	Gordon E. Davis	Helen I. Bell	All White	No. Sutton	Carpenter	North Sutton	New London
	21 Mariene Lorraine	F	2	Ervin R. Nelson	Lana Harreck	All White	Bradford	Carpenter	Newport	Brentwood
	23 Marilyn Louise	F	4	Ronald S. Palmer	Katherine M. Merrill	All White	Sutton	L'ndsc pe grd'r	Newport	North Sutton
Dec.	7 Joycel Louise	F	3	Edwin T. Carter	Shirley MacMichael	All White	New London	Mechanic	Manchester	Laconia
	10 Richard Wayne	M	1	Wayne K. Wheeler	Alice Muzzey	All White	New London	Tel. man	Canterbury	East Concord
	15 Edna Frances	F	1	Eugene H. Cummings	Maryle B. Ashford	All White	New London	Bursar C. J. C.	New London	Lynndonville, Vt.
	22 Baby Girl	F	2	Thomas J. Loughery	Hazel I. Sence	All White	Bradford	Farm Mgr.	Henniker	Andrim
	29 Sandra MacKenzie	F	2	Clement W. Lovering	Jessie MacKenzie	All White	So. Newbury	Laborer	Canada	Dalton
		F	1			All White	New London	Painter	New London	Gilmanton

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1940

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Birthplace of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. of Marriage	Name, Residence and official station of Person by whom Married
Feb. 17	Franklin	Rodney Smith Mary Stevens	New London So. Danbury	24 22	Truck driver Waitress	Carmel, Me. Danbury	George F. Smith Estia Hardy Edward H. Stevens Edith M. Woodward	Eddington, Me. Carmel, Me. Concord Wilnot	Lumber Housewife Laborer Housewife	1	Arthur A. Richards Clergyman Franklin
May 22	Newport	Raymond W. Roberts Esther L. Langley	New London Wilnot	21 18	Farmer Housework	New London Wilnot	Arthur D. Roberts Anna Booth William M. Langley Effie Prescott Samuel Healey	Sutton Mesford, Minn. Wilnot Grafton Ireland	Farmer Housewife farmer Housewife Farmer	1	Frank E. Doore Clergyman Newport
July 17	New London	Fred Healey Elizabeth T. Brown	Sutton New London	21 21	Laborer Maid	Deerfield, Mass. New'n Ctr.	David R. Brown Effie E. Tuttle Cassin Supry Emma O'Brien	St. Johns, N. B. Hartford, Conn. New York State Penacook	Housewife Architect Housewife Stone polisher Housewife	1	Harold W. Baker Clergyman New London
July 20	New London	John F. Supry Vera M. Farnum	Penacook New London	45 44	Percher mill Housekeeper	Penacook Everett, Mass.	Herbert J. M'Farland Laura M. Carver Pierre J. Cote Victoria Boucher	New London New London Canada Canada	Housewife Civil Engineer Housewife Laborer	2	Harold W. Baker Clergyman New London
July 25	New London	Donat J. Cote Albertine Fugere	New London Franklin	48 42	Restaurant Mill hand	Canada Canada	Alfred Badeux Madeline Maranville Jack Burns	Canada Canada Wisconsin	Housewife Nav. Engr. Housewife Laborer	2	Fred S. Lovely J. of P. New London
Aug. 20	Franklin	Earl G. Burns Barbara Sargent	New London New London	18 22	Laborer Tel. operator	New London Franklin	Mabel Brown Dora Pickering John Rice Sarah A. Joyce	Canterbury Laconia Hartfax, N. S. Iverman, P. Q.	Housewife Minister Laborer Housewife	1	Noble O. Bowley Clergyman Franklin
Aug. 24	Newport	John Rice, Jr. Evelyn L. Batchelder	New London New London	27 32	Laborer Teacher	Lyndonville, Vt. London	Olis S. Batchelder Olive G. Demeritt Micajah Emery	Barrington Wilnot Wilnot	Laborer Laborer Laborer	1	Michael R. Griffin Catholic Priest Newport
Oct. 1	Wilnot	Roy M. Emery Lois G. Gibbs	New London Wilnot	21 24	Real estate Housework	New London Littleton	Minnie N. Buzzell Clayton E. Gibbs Grace M. Magoon John E. French	Montreal, P. Q. Montreal, P. Q. Levant, Me. Wilnot	Garage owner Housewife Housewife Laborer	1	Herbert J. Foote Clergyman Wilnot
Nov. 23	Boscawen	John B. French Alice L. Shattuck	New London Canterbury	23 20	Laborer Shopworker	Stetson, Me. Penacook	Verna E. Sumner Glen W. Shattuck Laura E. Wood	Amherst, Me. Springfield, Vt. West Henniker	Housewife Laborer Housewife	1	Asa M. Parker Clergyman Boscawen

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1940

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days				Father	Mother		
Jan. 14	New London	Minnie H. Adams	79	14		Illiria, Ia.	F	Housewife	Londonderry, Vt.	Sargent Richardson	Eunice Woodward	
Jan. 4	New London	Elizabeth B. Avery	64	4	8	Somers, Conn	F	Housewife	Somers, Conn.	Oren Burdon	Louise Ripley	
Jan. 14	New London	Herbert W. Farnum	61		14	Wilnot	M	Farmer	Wilnot	Frank Farnum	Ellen A. Pedrick	
Feb. 27	New London	Baby Hayward	59	10	18	New London	M	Barber	Boston, Mass.	Oliver S. Hayward	Elizabeth E. Stearns	
March 9	New London	Eugene Wheeler	61	7	13	Danbury	M	Laborer	Hebron	Albert Wheeler	Mahala Dustin	
March 27	New London	John Wells	70	10	13	Manchester	M	Housewife	Springfield	John Wells	Martha Fowler	
April 10	New London	Arie L. Doyle	73	8	21	Oakf'd, Me.	F	Housewife	N. Hatley, P. Q.	George Sawyer	Nancy Ryder	
April 11	New London	Lora Lovrin	76	5	14	New London	M	Child	Maine	Charles Folsom	Mary Shackley	
April 14	New London	Ralph D. Pellerin	45	5	8	Lyman	M	Housework	Manchester	Jules J. Pellerin	Shirley MacMichael	
April 22	New London	Etta Harrison	76	5	14	New London	F	Housework	Wilmot	Frank Little	Elizabeth Cram	
April 23	New London	Withey B. Tenney	45	5	8	New London	M	Farmer	Wilmot	Byron F. Tenney	Roxanna Tenney	
April 23	New London	Mary S. Morse	65	2	26	Stratford	F	Storekeeper	Lunenburg, Vt.	Clark Stevens	Mary S. Shoof	
July 3	New London	Donald P. Chadwick	9		9	New London	M	Baby	Sutton	Prescott Chadwick	Della Mitchell	
July 8	New London	Elizabeth Kelsey	79	5	26	Portland, Ct.	F	Housekeeper	Portland, Conn.	William Churchill	Jane D. Hebert	
July 24	New London	May Joyce Walker	46	2	12	New London	F	Baby	Elkins	Morton E. Walker	Beatrice Batchelder	
Aug. 11	New London	Roy Carr	44	11	5	Ashland	M	Baby	Decato, Ill.	Thomas Carr	Eldora Sherburne	
Aug. 17	New London	Arnold A. Adams	72	2	21	Nova Scotia	M	Blacksmith	Nova Scotia	Frederick Adams	Margaret Sweet	
Aug. 20	New London	Helen K. Bemis	55	1	19	Springf'd, Vt	F	Housewife	Ashland	Silas L. Kenyon	Ella A. Crosby	
Aug. 23	New London	Louisa R. Sargent	79	7	16	S. Troy, Vt.	F	Druggist	Thompsonville, Ct.	Alfred Russell	Hattie Blanchard	
Sept. 12	New York City	Fred S. Lovely	39	7	16	S. Troy, Vt.	M	None	Canada	Solomon Lovely	Jennie P. Wing	
Sept. 17	New London	Gertrude O. Chadwick	79	4	21	New London	F	Housewife	Perry, Me.	Ernest MacWilliams	Bernice Sawyer	
Sept. 19	New London	Charlen MacWilliams	39	4	21	New London	M	Farmer	Sutton	Nathaniel Knowlton	Caroline Chadwick	
Sept. 24	New London	Willie B. Knowlton	79	5	23	New London	M	Farmer	Sutton	Robert Russell	Suzan Merrill	
Oct. 7	New London	Fraser Russell	57	5	23	Taberg, N.Y.	M	Retired	Taberg, N. Y.	Reldin Morgan	Diadana Cleveland	
Oct. 9	New London	Fred S. Morgan	78	10	20	New London	M	Farmer	New London	Wm. A. Cleveland	Esther Perry	
Oct. 13	New London	Daniel M. Cleveland	88	2	21	N. Brunswick	M	Farmer	Nova Scotia	John MacDonald	Hazel Gilley	
Oct. 15	New London	Arthur P. MacDonald	74	17	17	Wilm'gt'n, N.S.	M	Storekeeper	Mass.	Fred Peters	Marinda Johnson	
Oct. 15	New London	George H. Roby	78	3	8	New London	M	Baby	Andover	George W. Roby	Grace Leavitt	
Nov. 10	New London	Claude M. Braley	52		14	Hebron	M	Laborer	Sutton	Walton Braley	Ella Corey	
Nov. 18	New London	Emma E. Perkins	75		20	Sutton	F	Housewife	Grafton	Allison Cheney	Hazel I. Seace	
Dec. 20	New London	Baby Loughery				New London	F	Baby	Canada	Thomas Loughery		

