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OF THE TOWN OF

HANCOCK NEW HAMPSHIRE



FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1954



ANNUAL REPORTS

for the Town of

HANCOCK

New Hampshire

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For the twelve months ending

December 31

1954

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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR, Karl G. Upton

TOWN CLERK, Daniel O. Devens

SELECTMEN

Perley W. Dunbar Thomas J. Kierstead Ernest L. Adams Term expires in 1955 Term expires in 1956 Term expires in 1957

TREASURER, Charles E. Adams

TAX COLLECTOR & WATER RENTALS, Harold E. Stearns

ROAD AGENT, Everett E. Adams

OVERSEER OF POOR AND HEALTH AFFAIRS, Herbert A. Young

WATER COMMISSIONERS

Donald W. Stearns Charles A. Gleason Everett E. Adams Term expires in 1955 Term expires in 1956 Term expires in 1957

COMMON COMMISSIONERS

Robert Filbin Charles S. Bradley Otis Wilder Term expires in 1955 Term expires in 1956 Term expires in 1957

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

William J. Eva, Jr. Mrs. Frank H. Rowe Margaret Perry Term expires in 1955 Term expires in 1956 Term expires in 1957

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Ernest L. Adams Irving B. Hitchings Karl G. Upton Term expires in 1955 Term expires in 1956 Term expires in 1957

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT, Charles A. Gleason

SUPERVISORS OF CHECKLIST

Walter E. Hadley

John E. Hill

Robert English

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER Warren Pierce and Fred A. Gleason

AUDITORS: Paul C. Daly and Herman Schlichting

POLICE CHIEF: E. Ronald Perry

SPECIAL POLICE

Everett E. Adams William G. Fisher Gustave Blanchette Leslie H. Wright Perley W. Dunbar Thomas J. Kierstead

SEXTON: Leslie H. Wright

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

George Hampson Robert Filbin Richard Noyes

BALLOT CLERKS

Everett E. Adams A. Maude Brown Charles E. Adams

Herman Schlichting

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Charles E. Adams
Frederic Gleason
Otis Wilder

Julius Pickering
Herbert A. Young
Christopher Adams
Perley W. Dunbar

FOREST FIRE WARDEN, Charles A. Gleason

DEPUTY WARDENS

Leslie H. Wright Foster Avery Robert Fish William M. Hanson Perley W. Dunbar

COMMITTEE FOR TOWN DUMP Everett E. Adams, Herman Schlichting, Thomas B. Manning, Jr

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Hancock on Tuesday, the Eighth day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
- 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$115.00 for the Monadnock Region Association, or take any action relating thereto.
- 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$15,800 for the purpose of making improvements to the following Class V roads within the Town; Road No. 61 and No. 60, Nubanusit Road, any balance to be spent in location recommended by the Selectmen and approved by the State, such sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 83, Laws of 1951 as amended by Chapter 31, Laws of 1953, and to authorize the Selectmen to determine the date and place of payment of such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other steps as may be necessary to negotiate such bonds or notes as shall be to the best interests of the Town of Hancock, or take any other action relating thereto.
- 5. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild and black top the road from Tuttle Corner so called on the old Dublin Road, four tenths of a mile on the Kings Highway, raise and appropriate money for the same or take any action relating thereto.
- 6. To see what action the Town will vote to take in regard to the maintenance of the Bathing Beach, raise and appropriate money for the same or take any action relating thereto.

- 7. To see what action the Town will vote to take in regard to Memorial Day, raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relating thereto.
- 8. To see what action the Town will vote to take in regard to Old Home Week, raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relating thereto.
- 9. To hear reports of the Water Survey Committee and see if the Town wishes to vote to raise and appropriate money for the expansion of the water supply system as voted at the 1954 Annual Town Meeting, or take any action relating thereto.
- 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen in the name of the Town to exchange a portion of the Ware property so called, now owned by the Town, for the right to install and maintain a water line across the property of Robert English, or take any action relating thereto.
- 11. To see if the Town will vote to take over the High School Building and land from the Hancock Educational Association, together with such trust funds as have provided income for the operations of the High School and such sums of money as may remain in the treasury of the Hancock Educational Association after all outstanding debts are paid. Full ownership of all assets of the Hancock Educational Association would then be vested in the Town of Hancock to do with as the vote of the citizens may direct.
- 12. To see what action the Town will vote to take in regard to fixing the fence in the cemetery, raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relating thereto.
- 13. To see what action the Town will vote to take in regard to the fire escape for the Town Hall, raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relating thereto.
- 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the Fire Hose reserve fund, or take any action relating thereto.
- 15. To see what action the Town will vote in regard to a suitable memorial for the Veterans of World War II and the Korean War Veterans of this town, raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relating thereto.
- 16. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount of 1% on property taxes paid within thirty days after date of bill, or take any action relating thereto.

- 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes or take any action relating thereto.
- 18. Shall the provisions of Chapter 171-A of the Revised Laws relative to playing games of beano be adopted in Hancock, or take any action relating thereto.
- 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept gifts and legacies left in trust for the use of the Town, or take any action relating thereto.
- 20. To hear reports of auditors and committees heretofore chosen, or take any action relating thereto.
- 21. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Five.

PERLEY W. DUNBAR THOMAS J. KIERSTEAD ERNEST L. ADAMS Selectmen of Hancock

A true copy of Warrant-Attest:

PERLEY W. DUNBAR
THOMAS J. KIERSTEAD
ERNEST L. ADAMS
Selectmen of Hancock

RECOMMENDATIONS

of the Town of Hancock Advisory Committee on articles in the 1955 Town Warrant

ARTICLES:

- 1. No recommendation necessary.
- Recommend approval of the budget as printed.
 Recommend \$115.00 be raised and appropriated.
- 4. Recommend favorable action.
- 5. Recommend favorable action.
- 6. Recommend \$500.00 be raised and appropriated.
- 7. Recommend \$100.00 be raised and appropriated.
- 8. Recommend \$200.00 be raised and appropriated.
- 9. Recommend favorable action.
- 10. No recommendation.
- 11. Recommend favorable action.
- 12. Recommend further study.
- 13. Recommend no action.
- 14. Recommend favorable action.
- 15. No recommendation.
- 16. Recommend favorable action.
- 17. Recommend favorable action.
- 18. No recommendation.
- 19. Recommend favorable action.
- 20. No recommendation necessary.
- 21. No recommendation necessary.

RECOMMENDATIONS

of the Town of Hancock Advisory Committee on School District Warrant and Budget

Recommend adoption of budget as printed.

ARTICLES:

- 1 through 8. No recommendation necessary.
- 9. Recommend favorable action.
- 10. Recommend favorable action.
- 11. Recommend favorable action.
- 12. Recommend favorable action.
- 13. No recommendation necessary. 14. No recommendation necessary.
- 15. Recommend unfavorable action.
- 16. Recommend unfavorable action.
- 17. No recommendation.

CHARLES E. ADAMS, Chairman JULIUS Q. PICKERING, Vice-Chair. ROBERT L. FISH, Secretary PERLEY W. DUNBAR

OTIS WILDER
FREDERICK W. GLEASON
HERBERT YOUNG
CHRISTOPHER ADAMS

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HANCOCK, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1955 to December 31, 1955. Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1954 to December 31, 1954.

| Source of Revenue | P P | timate Revenu reviou | e Reve s Prev | enue ious | Estimate Revenue Ensuing | e |
|---|--------|----------------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|----|
| | Y : | ear 19 | o4 Year | 1954 | Year 19 | |
| From State: | | | | | | |
| | 16,340 | 04 | \$16,527 | 20 | \$16,527 | 20 |
| Railroad Tax | | 00 | | 92 | 60 | |
| Savings Bank Tax | 200 | | 252 | | 250 | |
| Growing Wood & Timber | 2,274 | | 1,194 | | 2,000 | 00 |
| For Fighting Forest Fires | ĺ | | 11 | 54 | , | |
| | | | | | | |
| From Local Sources Exc | cept T | axe | s: | | | |
| Dog Licenses | 175 | 00 | 205 | 15 | 175 | 00 |
| Business Licenses, Permits | & | | | | | |
| Filing Fees | | | 1 | 00 | | |
| Rent of Town Hall & other | | | | | | |
| buildings | | | 20 | 00 | | |
| Int. Received on Taxes | | | 51 | 57 | | |
| Income from Trust Funds: | | | | | | |
| Hubbard Legacy | | | 150 | 38 | | |
| Income of Departments: | | | | | | |
| (a) Highway, including ren | tal | | 1 000 | 00 | | |
| of equipment | | | 1,302 | | | |
| (b) Town Dump | | | | 00 | | |
| Plowing driveways | 400 | 00 | 607 | 50 | 500 | 00 |
| | | | | | | |
| Income from Municipally | owned | l Uti | ilities: | - 0 | | |
| (a) Water Departments | | | 2,740 | | | |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 2,700 | 00 | 3,339 | 16 | 3,000 | 00 |
| Sale of Town Property: | | | F0 | 00 | | |
| Cemetery Lots Road Machine | | | | 00 | | |
| | 125 | 00 | 190 | | 125 | ΔΩ |
| Refund from gas tax | 120 | 00 | 51 | | 120 | UU |
| Insurance Refund Amount Raised by Issue | • | | 91 | 30 | | |
| of Bonds or Notes: | 5 | | | | | |
| Shovel Loader: | | | | | | |
| 1 Expires 1955, 1 Expires 1956 | 6 | | 2,649 | 00 | | |
| | U | | 4,040 | 00 | 1 /11 | 78 |
| Cash Surplus: | | | | | 1,411 | 10 |

| Source of Revenue | Estimate Revenu Previou Year 195 | e Revenu s Previou | e Revenue Ensuing |
|--|---|-----------------------|----------------------|
| From Local Taxes Othe Than Property Taxes | 7 | | |
| (a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2 | 550 00 | 574 0 | 0 574 00 |
| (b) National Bank Stock Taxes | 28 00 | 28 0 | 0 28 00 |
| Total Revenues From all Sources except | | | |
| PROPERTY TAXES S | 822.852 53 | \$30 121 9 | 0 \$24 651 67 |

| Purposes of Expenditures | Appropria Previo Year 1 | us | Actua Expendit Previo Year 1 | ures us | Estimate Expenditu Ensuin Year 19 | ires |
|---|-------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------|------------|--|------|
| Current Maintenance Ex General Government: | penses: | | | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$1,800 | 00 | \$1,753 | 32 | \$1,800 | 00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 1,100 | 00 | 1,011 | 29 | 1,100 | 00 |
| Election & Regis. Exp. | 225 | 00 | 235 | 11 | 125 | 00 |
| Agent Town Clock | | | | | 50 | 00 |
| Expenses Town Hall | 250 | 00 | 267 | 43 | 250 | 00 |
| Protection of Persons | and Pro | oper | ty: | | | |
| Police Department | 175 | | 208 | 34 | 200 | 00 |
| Fire Dept. Inc. Forest Fires | 1,100 | | 1,158 | | 1,500 | |
| Ins., Workmen's Comp. | 1,100 | 00 | 1,100 | | 1,000 | 00 |
| & Fire Insurance | 528 | 00 | 311 | 25 | 325 | 00 |
| a inclinationed | 9 2 0 | 00 | 011 | | 0110 | 00 |
| Health: | | | | | | |
| | 60 | 00 | 16 | 22 | 60 | 00 |
| Health Dept., inc. hospitals | 00 | UU | 10 | 22 | 00 | UU |
| Town Dump & Garbage Removal | 125 | ٥٥ | 115 | 00 | 125 | ΛΛ |
| Removai | 120 | UU | 119 | UU | 120 | UU |
| Highways & Bridges: | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Town Maintenance— | | | | | | |
| Summer | 7,000 | | 9,257 | | 8,000 | |
| Winter | 4,000 | | 4,511 | | 4,000 | |
| Street Lighting | 875 | | 829 | | 875 | |
| Tarring Roads | 2,000 | | 1,057 | | 3,500 | 00 |
| Town Road Aid | 686 | 42 | 686 | 42 | | |
| Public Welfare: | | | | | | |
| Town Poor | 200 | 00 | 488 | 30 | 200 | 00 |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,500 | | 1,239 | | 1,500 | |
| Old Tigo Tibbiotalice | 1,000 | 00 | 1,200 | | 2,000 | 00 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | | | | |
| Memorial Day | 100 | 00 | 100 | 00 | | |
| Old Home Day | 1,000 | | 1,000 | | | |
| Old Rollie Day | 1,000 | 00 | 1,000 | 00 | | |
| Recreation: | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Parks & Playground, | 1,700 | ΩΩ | 1,334 | 16 | | |
| Bathing Beach | 1,700 | UU | 1,554 | 40 | | |
| Public Service Enterpri | coc. | | | | | |
| _ | SCS. | | 000 | E0. | | |
| Municipally Owned Water | 000 | 00 | 802 | | 200 | 00 |
| Cemeteries | 200 | ήŪ | 212 | | 200 | UU |
| Water Survey | | | 98 | UU | | |

| Purposes of Expenditures | P | opriat reviou ear 19 | s Expended Expended Prev | tual diture vious 1954 | Estimat s Expendit Ensuin Year 19 | ures |
|--|----------|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|--|------|
| Unclassified: | | | | | | |
| Advertising & Reg. As. Employees' Retirement & | 112 | 00 | 112 | 00 | | |
| Social Security | 200 | 00 | 180 | 67 | 250 | 00 |
| Interest: | | | 55 | 70 | | |
| On Temporary Loans On Long Term Notes & | | | 777 | 78 | | |
| Bonds | | | 14 | 90 | 75 | 00 |
| Outlay for New Constr and Perm. Improv. Highways and Bridges Stoddard Rd. Extension New Equip., Shovel Loade | 600 | | 757 5,649 | | | |
| Indebtedness: | | | | | | |
| Payment on Princ. of | Debt: | | | | | |
| (b) Long Term Notes(c) Payment to Capital | | | | | 1,349 | 00 |
| Reserve Funds, Hose | 100 | 00 | 100 | 00 | | |
| Payments to Other Gov. Di | iv.: | | | | | |
| County Taxes | 5,762 | | | | 5,762 | 02 |
| School Taxes | 30,130 | 00 | 30,130 | 00 | | |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | \$64,528 | 44 | \$69,477 | 67 | \$31,246 | 02 |

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures Fiscal Year Ending Dec. 31, 1954

| Title of Appropriations | Appropriation | Receipts | Total Revenue | Expenditures | Unexpended Balance | Overdraft |
|--|---------------|----------|------------------|--------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Town Officers' Salaries Town Officers' Expenses | \$1,800 00 | | \$1,800 00 | \$1,753 32 | \$46 68 88 71 | |
| Election and Registration | | | | | 3 | \$10 11 |
| Town Hall | | \$20 00 | | | 2 57 | |
| Police Department | | | | | | |
| Fire Department | | 26 84 | | | | 31 39 |
| Health Department | | | | | 43 78 | |
| Tarred Roads | 2,000 00 | | 2,000 00 | | | |
| Maintenance | 7,000 00 | | | | | 955 01 |
| Winter Roads | 4,000 00 | 607 50 | 4,607 50 | | 96 01 | |
| Town Dump | 125 00 | | 155 00 | | 40 00 | |
| Street Lighting | 875 00 | | 875 00 | | 45 74 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,500 00 | | 1,500 00 | | 260 94 | |
| Town Poor | 200 00 | | 200 00 | | | 288 30 |
| Memorial Day | 100 00 | 22 40 | 122 40 | | 22 40 | |
| Old Home Day | 1,000 00 | | 1,000 00 | | | |
| Rathing Beach | 1,700 00 | | 1,700 00 | | 365 54 | |
| Water Department | 00 009 | | 00 009 | | | 157 73 |
| Cemeteries | 200 00 | 20 00 | 250 00 | | | |
| Workmen's Compensation Insurance | 483 00 | | 534 50 | | 223 25 | |
| Insurance—Fire | 45 00 | | 45 00 | | | |
| T. R. A. | 686 42 | | 686 42 | | | |
| Monadnock Region | 11.2 00 | | 112 00 | | | |
| County Tax | 5,762 02 | | 5,762 02 | | | |
| Schools | 30,130 00 | | 36,130 00 | | | |
| Town Hall Special | | | 200 00 | | | |
| Town Hall Fire Door | | 381 05 | 381 05 | 60 22 | 320 83 | |
| Cernetery—rvew | | | 01 017 | | | |

| 19 33 73 00 263 00 1,937 98 | $$10,082\ 17$ |
|--|---------------|
| | 6/3 |
| 1,400 00 200 00 5,649 00 180 67 100 00 802 58 | \$72.208 63 |
| 1,400 00 200 00 5,649 00 200 00 100 00 73 00 361 00 2,740 56 | \$80.814 92 |
| 2,649 00 2,649 00 73 00 361 00 2,740 56 | \$14.786 48 |
| 1,300 00 200 00 3,000 00 100 00 | \$66.028 44 |

Elmwood Road
Road to Fire House
New Equipment
Social Security
Fire Hose—Capital Reserve
Civilian Defense
Water Survey
Water Utilities
GRAND TOTAL

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Summary Inventory of Valuations of the Town of Hancock as of April 1, 1954.

Description of Property:

| Land & buildings, Exclusive of Growin | ng | #1 0×2 0 1 0 0 0 0 |
|--|---|--|
| wood and timber | | \$1,056,340 00 |
| Mature wood and timber Electric Plants | | 1,600 00 82,127 00 |
| Horses 22 | | 1,275 00 |
| Oxen | | 1,210 00 |
| Cows 128 | | 12,800 00 |
| Other neat Stock 16 | | 940 00 |
| Sheep and Goats 187 | | 3,250 00 |
| Hogs 2 | | 50 00 |
| Fowls 5,927 | | 5,927 00 |
| Boats and Launches | | 2,010 00 |
| Portable mills 1 | | 500 00 |
| Wood and Timber | | 4,480 00 |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks | | 1,170 00 |
| Stock in Trade | | 5,525 00 |
| Mills and Machinery | | 14,500 00 |
| Total Gross Valuation | | \$1,192,494 00 |
| Less Soldiers' Exemptions | | 39,600 00 |
| Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is 0 | Computed | \$1,152,894 00 |
| Property Taxes | \$40,351 | 00 |
| | TO TO | 29 |
| Poll Taxes | • | |
| Poll Taxes National Bank Stock | 684 | 00 |
| National Bank Stock | 684 | 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection | 684 | 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock | 684 | 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 | 684 | 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies | 684 | 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. | 684 28 \$41,063 | 00 00 29 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Lines and Transformers | 684 | 00 00 29 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Lines and Transformers Amount of Property Exempted to | \$41,063 \$41,063 | 00 00 29 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Lines and Transformers Amount of Property Exempted to Soldiers | \$41,063 \$41,063 \$82,127 39,600 | 00 00 29 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Lines and Transformers Amount of Property Exempted to Soldiers Number of Inventories distributed | \$41,063 \$41,063 \$82,127 39,600 340 | 00 00 29 00 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Lines and Transformers Amount of Property Exempted to Soldiers Number of Inventories distributed Number of Inventories returned | \$41,063 \$41,063 \$82,127 39,600 | 00 00 29 00 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Lines and Transformers Amount of Property Exempted to Soldiers Number of Inventories distributed | \$41,063 \$41,063 \$82,127 39,600 340 | 00 00 29 00 00 00 |
| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Lines and Transformers Amount of Property Exempted to Soldiers Number of Inventories distributed Number of Inventories returned Number of Veterans who received | \$41,063 \$41,063 \$82,127 39,600 340 | 00 00 29 00 00 00 |
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| National Bank Stock Committed to Collection Tax Rate \$3.50 Electric and Gas Utility Companies Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Lines and Transformers Amount of Property Exempted to Soldiers Number of Inventories distributed Number of Inventories returned Number of Veterans who received | \$41,063 \$41,063 \$82,127 39,600 340 | 00 00 29 00 00 00 00 |

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

PERLEY W. DUNBAR THOMAS J. KIERSTEAD ERNEST L. ADAMS

Selectmen of Hancock

APPROPRIATIONS

| Town Officers' Salaries | \$1,800 00 | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Town Officers' Expenses | 1,100 00 | |
| Social Security | 200 00 | |
| Election and Registration | $\frac{205}{225} \frac{00}{00}$ | |
| Town Hall & Building Maintenance | 250 00 | |
| Police Department | 175 00 | |
| Fire Department | 1,100 00 | |
| Health Department | 60 00 | |
| Town Dump | 125 00 | |
| Tarring Roads | 2,000 00 | |
| Town Road Aid | 686 42 | |
| Summer Roads | 7,000 00 | |
| Winter Roads | 4,000 00 | |
| Elmwood Roads | 1,300 00 | |
| Fire House Road | 200 00 | |
| Insurance | 528 00 | |
| Street Lighting | 875 00 | |
| New Equipment | 3,000 00 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,500 00 | |
| Town Poor | 200 00 | |
| Memorial Day | 100 00 | |
| Old Home Day | 1,000 00 | |
| Bathing Beach | 1,700 00 | |
| Water Utilities | 600 00 | |
| Cemeteries | 200 00 | |
| Monadnock Region | 112 00 | |
| County Tax | 5,762 02 | |
| Schools | 30,130 00 | |
| Capital Reserve | 100 00 | |
| | | \$66,028 44 |
| Cash Overlay | | 589 34 |
| · · | | |
| | | \$66,617 78 |
| Total Revenue and Credits | \$25,554 49 | |
| Money Raised By Taxation | 41,063 29 | |
| | | \$66,617 78 |
| | | . , |

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|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| ACCIDITION OF THE P | mount | |
| ASSETS OF THE | | |
| Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1954 | \$8,610 84 | |
| Due from State Bounties | 35 50 | |
| Due from Water Department | 938 84 | |
| Due from Tax Collector, Property | | |
| Tax 1954 | 2,080 99 | |
| Head Tax Uncollected 1954-1953 | 280 00 | |
| Yield Tax, Uncollected | 789 67 10 75 | |
| Due from Blanche Haas, Forest Fire | 10 75 | |
| Due from A. N. Wood, Police Work | 7 50 | |
| · | | \$12,799 09 |
| | | |
| LIABILITIE | · - | |
| Due Town Clerk | \$3 02 | |
| Due to the Dock Fund | 15 00 | |
| Due Cemetery (New) | 158 73 | |
| Due Bathing Beach | 365 54 | |
| Due Water Survey | 263 00 | |
| Due Civilian Defense | 73 00 | |
| Due Town Hall Fire Escape | 320 83 | |
| Due Water Department | 131 00 | |
| Due Tax Collector | 64 61 | |
| Uncollected Head Tax | 280 00 | |
| Due State Head Tax Collected | 505 00 | |
| Due O.A.S.I. Fund | 19 33 | |
| Due School District | 5,000 00 | |
| Due Long Term Notes | 2,649 00 | |
| | | \$9,848 06 |
| Assets over Liabilities | | \$2,951 03 |
| | _ | φ=,002 00 |
| SCHEDULE OF TOWN | PROPERT | Y |
| DESCRIPTION | | |
| 1. Town Hall Land and Building | | \$5,000 00 |
| Furniture | | 1,000 00 |
| 2. Library Land and Buildings | | 15,000 00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | | 1,500 00 |
| 3. Fire Department Land and Buildin | œ | 7,500 00 |
| | g | 10,000 00 |
| Equipment | | 4,000 00 |
| 4. Highway Land and Buildings | | 5,000 00 |
| Equipment Materials and Supplies | | 200 00 |
| F Dowler Common and Plan Crounds | | 200 00 |
| 5. Parks, Common and Play Grounds | | 20,000 00 |
| 6. Water Supply | | 9,000 00 |
| 7. School, Land and Building | | |
| Equipment Thocher Poult | | 1,500 00 |
| Thacher Park | | 3,000 00 200 00 |
| Brooks Land | | 200 00 |
| Total | | \$83 000 00 |
| Total | | \$83,900 00 |

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT TOWN OF HANCOCK DECEMBER 31, 1954

FOR NEW EQUIPMENT, SHOVEL LOADER Notes to the Peterborough Savings Bank

| Maturities | Original Amount |
|------------|-----------------|
| 1955 | \$1,349 00 |
| 1956 | \$1,300 00 |
| | ' ' |

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT FOR 1954

AUTOMOBILE ACCOUNT

| AUTOMOBILE ACCOU | NT | | |
|--|--|----------------------------------|----------|
| Dr. Book 10, 1953 | \$43 | 64 | |
| Books 1 to 10, 1954 | 3,292 | | 1/ |
| Co | | — φο,οου | 1.7 |
| Cr. | | @0.000 | 10 |
| Paid Town Treasurer Over paid Town Treasurer | | \$3,339 \$3 | 02 |
| over para 10wii 11casarci | | φο | - |
| Dog License Accou | JNT | | |
| Dr. | | | |
| 1953 Tax paid in 1954, 2 males, 1 female 77 males and Spayed females at \$2.00 9 Female dogs at \$5.00 1 Female at \$5.50 4 Males at \$2.50 2 Dogs part year at \$1.00 1 Dog part year 1 Dog part year | $egin{array}{c} 45 \\ 5 \\ 10 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ \end{array}$ | 00 00 50 00 00 50 | |
| 1 Dog part year | 2 | 92 — \$233 | 51 |
| Cr. | | | |
| Paid: D. O. Devens, fees, 99 dogs at 20¢ For Dog Tags Town Treasurer | \$19 8 205 | 56 | 51 |

CEMETERY ACCOUNT

| | Dr. | |
|------------------------|-----|---------|
| 5 Lots sold at \$10.00 | ~ | \$50 00 |
| Paid Town Treasurer | Cr. | \$50 00 |

FILING FEES

| Elling Fran Dansimod | Dr. | \$1 00 |
|----------------------|-----|--------|
| Filing Fees Received | Cr. | φ1 00 |
| Paid Town Treasurer | 0 | \$1 00 |

Respectfully submitted, D. O. DEVENS, Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

For Year Ending December 31, 1954

SUMMARY OF WARRANT Property, Poll and Yield Taxes, Levy of 1954

| * | • | |
|---|--|----------------|
| Dr. | | |
| Taxes Committed to Collector: | | |
| Property and Poll Taxes | \$41,063 29 | |
| Yield Taxes | 900 59 | |
| Added Taxes: | 500 55 | |
| Poll Taxes | 2 00 | |
| Interest Collected | 8 92 | |
| | | |
| Total Debits | | \$41,974 80 |
| CI- | | |
| CR. | | |
| Remittances to Treasurer: | ¢90.710.00 | |
| Property and Poll Taxes Yield Taxes | \$38,718 92 64 94 | |
| Interest Collected | 8 92 | |
| Discount Allowed | 247 38 | |
| Abatements Allowed | 63 98 | |
| Uncollected Property & Poll Taxes | 2,080 99 | |
| Uncollected Yield Taxes | 789 67 | |
| The second control of | | |
| Total Credits | | \$41,974 80 |
| | | |
| | _ | |
| Abatements, Levy | of 1954 | |
| Elizabeth Y. Acampora, left town | \$2 00 | |
| Ida M. Brown, over age | $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | |
| Cora M. Hadley, over age | $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | |
| Irving B. Hitchings, over age | $\frac{2}{2} \frac{00}{00}$ | |
| James O'Malley, left town | $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | |
| Hugh H. Palmer, veteran | $\frac{1}{2} 00$ | |
| Constance Rollins, left town | $\bar{2} \ 00$ | |
| Lambert H. Murphy, paid in Nelson | 2 00 | |
| Jessie S. Murphy, paid in Nelson | 2 00 | |
| Loran Hanson, over taxed (yield tax) | 45 98 | |
| | | \$63 98 |
| Uncollected Taxes, Le | vy of 1954 | |
| A vore Howard & Holone P | ¢17 F0 | |
| Ayers, Howard & Helena B. | \$17 50 | |
| Brooks, Roger Brooks, Marie | $egin{array}{c} 2 & 00 \ 2 & 00 \end{array}$ | |
| Cary, Mabel B. | $124 \ 50$ | |
| Cary, maner D. | 124 00 | |

| Case, Harold & Edith | 46 00 | |
|---------------------------------------|--|------------|
| Chalke, Richard S. | 5 50 | |
| Ohalla Mantha A | | |
| Chalke, Martha A. | 2 00 | |
| Fairfield, Ruth | 2 00 | |
| Finan, Roy W. | 77 25 | |
| *Fogg, George H. | 140 00 | |
| Hamington Walton & Matalianna | | |
| Harrington, Walter & Natalienne | 56 50 | |
| Higgins, Clarence H., Jr. | 12 50 | |
| Hill, George E. | 28 25 | |
| Hill, Dorothea | 2 00 | |
| | $\frac{1}{2} 00$ | |
| Hugron, Rita | | |
| Hugron, Louis & Marion | 27 00 | |
| Higgins, Robert F. | 2 00 | |
| Johnson, Lester M., Heirs | 122 50 | |
| Johnson Isabelle | 2 00 | |
| Johnson, Isabelle Kimball, Raymond | $\frac{2}{2} \frac{00}{00}$ | |
| Ziniban, Raymond | 2 00 | |
| Kimball, Florence | 2 00 | |
| *Lawrence, John H. | $2\ 00$ | |
| *Lawrence, Priscilla B. | $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | |
| Marcoullier, Raymond O. & Alberta D. | $28 \ 25$ | |
| | 2 00 | |
| McCormick, Dona | 2 00 | |
| Merryfield, Richard F. | 2 00 | |
| Merryfield, Helen C. | 2 00 | |
| Molton, Eleanor | 2 00 | |
| Parker, Ralph L. & Mildred S. | $22\overline{2}\ 0\overline{5}$ | |
| Diana Halan M | | |
| Pierce, Helen M. | 2 00 | |
| *Pierce, Warren *Pierce, Ruth E. | 52 50 | |
| *Pierce, Ruth E. | 2 00 | |
| Pyle, Édith R. | 2 00 | |
| Rockwell, Fred A. | $\frac{1}{2} 00$ | |
| | $\frac{2}{2} \frac{00}{00}$ | |
| Rollins, Arthur H. | 2 00 | |
| Sessions, Seneth | 2 00 | |
| Shonomon, Hansel | 37 00 | |
| *Smith, Claire E. | 435 12 | |
| Trombly, George | $\frac{100}{200}$ | |
| Trumin Detenfold D | $\frac{2}{2} \frac{00}{00}$ | |
| Turpin, Peterfield P. | 2 00 | |
| Tilton, Lena | 2 00 | |
| Watters, Daisy | 2 00 | |
| Weston, Esther B. | 2 00 | |
| | $\bar{2}$ 00 | |
| Weston, Sarah | $1\widetilde{6} \overset{\circ}{07}$ | |
| Weston, William, Sr. | | |
| Wilder, Frederick & Violet | 109 00 | |
| Williams, William | 2 00 | |
| | | \$1,615 49 |
| Non-Resident: | | , _, |
| Baca, John & Joseph | \$21 00 | |
| *Consider There | | |
| *Coughlan, Thomas | 77 00 | |
| *Diemond, Arnold | 77 00 | |
| *Ingelstrom, Ivar O. | $12\ 25$ | |
| Murray, Daniel & Doris | 115 50 | |
| Trainer, Danier & Doris | | |

| Pierce, Mary B. Wheeler, Norman | $\begin{array}{c} 157 \ 50 \\ 5 \ 25 \end{array}$ | \$465 50 | |
|---|---|------------|--|
| *Paid since Dec. 31, 1954 Respective H | tfully submitt AROLD E. STE Tax C | ted, | |
| Levy of 195 | 3 | | |
| Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 198 | 54: | | |
| Property and Poll Taxes | \$1,451 40 | | |
| Added Poll Taxes 1 Interest collected during fiscal year | 2 00 | | |
| ending Dec. 31, 1954 | 42 65 | | |
| Total Debits | | \$1,496 05 | |
| Cr. | | | |
| Remittances to Treasurer: Property & Poll Taxes | \$1,443 40 | | |
| Interest Collected during year | 42 65 | | |
| Abatements allowed | 10 00 | | |
| Total Credits | 0 | \$1,496 05 | |
| Abatements Levy | of 1953 | | |
| Helen L. Courteau, left town | \$2 00 | | |
| Mary Glennon, left town Catherine Quinn, left town | 2 00 2 00 | | |
| Constance Rollins, left town | 2 00 | | |
| Agnes C. Thawley, left town | 2 00 | @10 00 | |
| | | \$10 00 | |
| Respectfully submitted, HAROLD E. STEARNS Tax Collector | | | |
| | | | |
| YIELD TAX WARRANT Levy of 1953 | | | |
| DR. Uncollected Yield Taxes Dec. 31, 195 | 53 | \$92 32 | |
| Cr. | | _4 | |
| Paid, Treasurer during year 1954 | 3 4 | \$67 78 | |
| Uncollected Yield Taxes Dec. 31, 195 (Fred Gibbs) | 94 | 24 54 | |
| (| | \$92 32 | |

STATE HEAD TAX Levy of 1954

Dr.

| State Head Taxes Committed to Co Original Warrant Penalties Collected | ollector: \$2,105 00 8 00 | |
|---|--|--------------------|
| Total Debits | | \$2,1131 00 |
| Cr. | | |
| Remittances to Treasurer: Head Tax | \$1,810 00 | |
| Penalties | 8 00 | |
| Uncollected Abatements | $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | |
| | | 00.110.00 |
| Total Credits | | \$2,113 00 |
| | - | |
| STATE HEAD T. Levy of 1953 | | |
| Dr. | | |
| Uncollected Taxes Jan. 1, 1954 Penalties collected during 1954 | $\begin{array}{ccc} \$240 & 00 \\ 20 & 00 \end{array}$ | |
| Total Debits | | \$260 00 |
| Cr. | | |
| Remittances to Treasurer during 19 Head Taxes | 54: \$200 00 | |
| Penalties | 20 00 | |
| Abatements allowed Uncollected Dec. 31, 1954 | $\begin{array}{ccc} 20 & 00 \\ 20 & 00 \end{array}$ | |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | 20 00 | |
| Total Credits | | \$260 00 |
| Abatements Levy of | 1954 | |
| Ida M. Brown, over age | \$5 00 | |
| Irving B. Hitchings, over age Lambert H. Murphy, paid in Nelson | 5 00 5 00 | |
| Jessie S. Murphy, paid in Nelson John F. Rollins, left town | 5 00 | |
| John F. Rollins, left town | 5 00 5 00 | |
| Constance Rollins, left town Elizabeth T. Acampora, left town | 5 00 | |
| · í | | \$35 00 |

Abatements Levy of 1953

| Joseph W. Courteau, left town | \$5 | 00 | |
|-------------------------------|-----|----|---------|
| Helen L. Courteau, left town | 5 | 00 | |
| John F. Rollins, left town | 5 | 00 | |
| Constance Rollins, left town | 5 | 00 | |
| ., | | | \$20 00 |

Respectfully submitted,
HAROLD E. STEARNS
Tax Collector

STATEMENT OF WATER RENTS 1954

| Dr. | | |
|--|------------------------|------------|
| Bills committed for Collection: January 1, 1954 July 1, 1954 | \$1,055 18 1,956 79 | |
| Total Debits | | \$3,011 97 |
| Cr. | | |
| Abatements allowed | \$14 63 | |
| Discount allowed | 88 78 | |
| Paid Treasurer | 2,740 56 | |
| Uncollected Dec. 31, 1954 | 168 00 | |
| Total Credits | | \$3,011 97 |
| Uncollected Dec. 31, 1954: | | |
| Charles Fairfield | \$10 00 | |
| *Hancock School District | 18 75 | |
| *Emily Rogers | 8 25 | |
| Town of Hancock | 131 00 | @1.CO .OO |
| *Paid since Dec. 31, 1954 | | \$168 00 |

Respectfully submitted, HAROLD E. STEARNS Collector of Water Rents

TREASURER'S REPORT

| Balance January 1, 1954 | \$10,597 | 60 |
|---|----------|----|
| Received from: | | |
| Everett E. Adams, Road Agent: | | |
| Snow removal from driveways | \$607 | |
| Hire of town equipment | 1,292 | |
| Joe Quinn, used culvert | 10 | 00 |
| Trustees of Trust Funds, Hubbard | 150 | 90 |
| Legacy Interest Memorial Day Committee, refund | | 40 |
| Mason Insurance Agency, refund | | 50 |
| High School Senior Class, rent of Tow | | 50 |
| Hall | | 00 |
| William Fisher, rent of Town Hall | 15 | 00 |
| Anonymous gift | | 00 |
| First National Bank of Peterborough | , | |
| Loan | 10,000 | |
| Charles F. Walcott, forest fire | | 30 |
| Peterborough Savings Bank, loan | 2,649 | |
| G. A. Parker, old grader | | 00 |
| Chase Tree Service, use of town dump | 10 | 00 |
| Monadnock Tree Service, use of town dump | 20 | 00 |
| Treasurer of Library, 2 town histories | | 50 |
| Leo Barlow, Security for yield taxes | \$75 | |
| Selectmen, pistol permits | | 50 |
| Mrs. Vernard Woods, for Elmwood road | _ | |
| State Treasurer: | | |
| Gas tax, refund | \$190 | |
| Bounties | 208 | 00 |
| Training School for Firemen | | 69 |
| Forest fire | 158 | 96 |
| Interest & Dividend Tax | 16,527 | 89 |
| Savings Bank tax | 252 | 92 |
| Railroad tax | 1,194 | 92 |
| Yield taxes Daniel O. Devens, Clerk: | 1,194 | 54 |
| Auto Permits | \$3,339 | 16 |
| Dog tax | 205 | 15 |
| Cemetery lots | 50 | 00 |
| Filing fee | ĩ | 00 |
| | | |
| Harold E. Stearns, Tax Collector: Property Taxes, 1953 | \$1,373 | 40 |
| Poll taxes, 1953 | 70 | |
| Head taxes, 1953 | 200 | |
| Yield taxes, 1953 | 67 | 78 |
| Penalties on Head taxes, 1953 | 20 | |
| Interest on property taxes, 1953 | 42 | 65 |
| | | |

| Property taxes, 1954 | 38,144 92 | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Poll taxes, 1954 | 574 00 | |
| Head taxes, 1954 | 1,810 00 | |
| Yield taxes, 1954 | 64 94 | |
| Penalties on Head taxes, 1954 | 8 00 | |
| Interest on property taxes, 1954 | 8 92 | |
| Water rentals | 2,740 56 | |
| Total Receipts | | \$93,074 80 |
| Less Selectmen's orders paid | | \$84,463 96 |
| Balance January 1, 1955 | | \$8,610 84 |

Respectfully submitted, CHARLES E. ADAMS Treasurer

RECAPITULATION

| Town Officers' Salaries | \$1,753 32 | 2 |
|---|------------|---|
| Town Officers' Expenses | 961 29 |) |
| Election & Registration | 235 11 | L |
| Town Hall Fire Expense (Special) | 60 22 | 2 |
| Town Hall | 267 43 | 3 |
| Police | 208 34 | L |
| Fire Department | 1,158 23 | 3 |
| Refunds to Daniel O. Devens | 39 35 | 5 |
| Bounties | 170 00 |) |
| Social Security | 180 67 | 7 |
| Health Department | 16 22 | 2 |
| Town Hall Special Appropriation | 151 42 | 2 |
| Tarring Roads | 1,057 90 |) |
| Summer Roads | 9,257 91 | Ĺ |
| Winter Roads | 4,511 49 |) |
| Town Dump | 115 00 |) |
| Tool House | 3 50 | |
| Street Lighting | 829 26 | |
| Water Extension | 23 00 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,239 06 | |
| Town Poor | 488 30 | |
| Agent Town Clock | 50 00 | |
| Memorial Day | 100 00 |) |
| Old Home Day | 1,000 00 | |
| Bathing Beach | 1,334 46 | |
| Secretary of Trustees of Trust Funds | 50 00 | |
| Water Utilities | 802 58 | |
| Cemeteries (Old) | 212 00 | |
| Cemeteries (New) | 12 00 | |
| Water Survey | 75 00 | |
| Insurance | 311 25 | |
| Interest | 92 68 | |
| Town Road Aid | 686 42 | |
| Elmwood Road | 1,400 00 | |
| Monadnock Region | 112 00 | |
| Fire House Driveway | 200 00 | |
| Water Extension on Stoddard Road | 757 78 | |
| New Equipment (Shovel Loader) | 5,649 00 | |
| Temporary Loan on Anticipation of Taxes | 10,000 00 |) |

| Fire Hose Reserve Fund | 100 00 |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| County Tax | 5,762 02 |
| School District | 31,130 00 |
| Head Taxes Paid to the State | 1,899 80 |
| Grand Total | \$84,463 96 |

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

S/PERLEY W. DUNBAR S/THOMAS J. KIERSTEAD S/ERNEST L. ADAMS

Selectmen of Hancock

PAYMENTS

| TOWN OFFICERS' SAL Perley W. Dunbar, Selectman Thomas J. Kierstead, Selectman Ernest L. Adams, Selectman Charles E. Adams, Treasurer Daniel O. Devens, Town Clerk Harold E. Stearns, Tax Collector Karl G. Upton, Moderator Herbert A. Young, Health Officer Herbert A. Young, Overseer of Poor | ARIES \$239 99 230 00 243 00 115 00 346 75 500 58 7 00 35 00 36 00 | 01 779 90 |
|---|--|------------------|
| - | | \$1,753 32 |
| TOWN OFFICERS' EX | | |
| Edward Bourassa, Registering Names Maurice S. Tuttle, Bonds Edson C. Eastman, Supplies Assoc. of N. H. Assessors' Dues Cynthia B. Upton, Clerical Work Paul Daly, Auditing Herman D. Schlichting, Auditing and Postage Peterborough Transcript, Printing To Reports and Ballots D. L. Garrison, Auto Guide Donat Corriveau, Transcript of Deed First National Bank of Peterborough Perley W. Dunbar, Postage Ida M. Horner, Tax Collector As., du Brown and Saltmarsh, Supplies Ernest L. Adams, Postage and Car Daniel O. Devens, Supplies & postage Charles E. Adams, Expense | 174 00 29 68 3 00 26 00 31 00 1 32 90 own 542 40 14 00 18 21 11 75 17 84 tes 3 00 13 41 25 70 | e061 90 |
| Total | _ | \$961 29 |
| ELECTION AND REG | ISTRATION | |
| Brown and Saltmarsh Walter C. Hadley Robert English John E. Hill Herman D. Schlichting Everett E. Adams Alice M. Brown Karl G. Upton Charles E. Adams E. Ronald Perry | \$6 00 62 61 39 50 8 00 21 50 21 50 21 50 23 50 11 00 220 00 | የ ብንድ 11 |
| | | \$235 11 |

| TEMPORARY LOAN First National Bank of Peterborough | \$10,000 00 |
|--|-------------|
| TOWN DUMP Nancy West, Use of Land \$5 00 Burt L. Shattuck 90 00 Carey Johnson, Bulldozing 20 00 | \$115 00 |
| SECRETARY TO TRUSTEES Ernest L. Adams | \$50 00 |
| AGENT TOWN CLOCK Daniel O. Devens | \$50 00 |
| TOWN ROAD AID State of New Hampshire | \$686 42 |
| STREET LIGHTING Public Service Co. of N. H. | \$829 26 |
| INSURANCE Muron Insurance Agency | \$311 25 |
| OLD CEMETERIES Leslie H. Wright \$200 00 Ernest L. Adams 12 00 Leslie H. Wright, Legacy Lots 533 00 | \$745 00 |
| Ernest L. Adams Julius Q. Pickering NEW CEMETERY \$2 00 10 00 | \$12 00 |

BATHING BEACH

| BATHING BEA | 011 | |
|--|--|--|
| Perley W. Dunbar, Dock | \$758 70 | |
| Monadnock Lumber Co., material | 10 30 | |
| C. O. Rockwell, plumbing | 69 47 | |
| Patricia Peterkin, Salary Villaga Pharmagy First Aid Vit | 287 40 | |
| Village Pharmacy, First Aid Kit Peterborough Hardware Co., Supplies | $\begin{array}{ccc} 10 & 00 \\ 3 & 29 \end{array}$ | |
| Karen Johnson, Assistant | 3 49 40 00 | |
| O. B. Peirce, Material & Work | $\frac{40}{19} \frac{00}{40}$ | |
| Everett E. Adams, Work | 73 30 | |
| Director of Internal Revenue | 62 60 | |
| - | | \$1,334 46 |
| | | |
| | | |
| INTEREST | | |
| | @14.00 | |
| Peterborough Savings Bank First National Bank | \$14 90 | |
| First National Bank | 77 78 | \$92 68 |
| | | φ32 00 |
| | | |
| | | |
| SPECIAL APPROPRIA | ATIONS | |
| Monadnock Region | | \$112 00 |
| | | |
| | | |
| COUNTY TAX | | |
| Albert H. Beaudet, Treasurer | | \$5,762 02 |
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| | | |
| | | |
| SCHOOL DISTRI | CT | |
| SCHOOL DISTRIC | | |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations | \$6,000 00 | |
| | | \$36,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations | \$6,000 00 | \$36,130 00 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due | \$6,000 00 | 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 | \$6,000 00 | \$36,130 00 31,130 00 \$5,000 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due | \$6,000 00 | 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due | \$6,000 00 | 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due | \$6,000 00 30,130 00 | 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due Balance Due POLICE DEPARTM | \$6,000 00 30,130 00 —————————————————————————————————— | 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due Balance Due POLICE DEPARTM E. Ronald Perry, Chief Everett E. Adams, Special | \$6,000 00 30,130 00 30,130 00 ENT \$80 00 3 00 | 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due Balance Due POLICE DEPARTM E. Ronald Perry, Chief Everett E. Adams, Special Gustave Blanchette, Special (1953-195) | \$6,000 00 30,130 00 30,130 00 ENT \$80 00 3 00 4) 57 50 | 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due Balance Due POLICE DEPARTM E. Ronald Perry, Chief Everett E. Adams, Special Gustave Blanchette, Special (1953-195) Leslie H. Wright, Special | \$6,000 00 30,130 00 SENT \$80 00 3 00 4) 57 50 30 00 | 31,130 00 |
| Balance of 1953-1954 Appropriations Appropriation 1954-55 Paid School District Due Balance Due POLICE DEPARTM E. Ronald Perry, Chief Everett E. Adams, Special Gustave Blanchette, Special (1953-195) | \$6,000 00 30,130 00 30,130 00 ENT \$80 00 3 00 4) 57 50 | 31,130 00 |

TOWN HALL ACCOUNT

| William G. Fisher, Janitor Hancock Cash Market (Oil) Public Service Co. of N. H., lights William B. Sheriff, Labor and Material F. A. Gleason & Son, Wood & Batteries Roy Finan, Cleaning Stove and Labor Ernest L. Adams, driving wood & oil Peterborough Hardware Co. Edward G. Richardson, sawing wood | \$60 00 9 35 108 19 28 14 20 50 9 75 25 25 2 50 3 75 | \$267 | 43 |
|---|--|---------|----|
| | | | |
| FIRE DEPARTMENT | Γ | | |
| Fire Department Appropriation Charles A. Gleason, Forest Fires | ,100 00 58 23 | \$1,158 | 23 |
| | | | |
| FIRE DEPARTMEN | 1T | | |
| Capitol Reserve, Fire Hose | | \$100 | 00 |
| | | | |
| NEW EQUIPMENT Shovel Loader | | \$5,649 | 00 |
| Shover Boader | | ψυ,04υ | 00 |
| | | | |
| HEALTH DEPARTMI | ENT | | |
| Herbert A. Young, Expense | | \$16 | 22 |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| OVERSEER OF POO |)R | # 400 | 20 |
| Herbert A. Young | | \$488 | 30 |
| | | | |
| TOOL HOUSE | | | |
| Public Service of N. H. | | \$3 | 50 |

MEMORIAL DAY

Robert Filbin, Treasurer

\$100 00

OLD HOME DAY COMMITTEE

Harold E. Stearns, Treasurer

\$1,000 00

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF HANCOCK, N. H. IN HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1954

CERTIFICATE

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

S/PERLEY W. DUNBAR

S/THOMAS J. KIERSTEAD

S/ERNEST L. ADAMS

Selectmen of Hancock

S/CHARLES E. ADAMS, Treasurer

WATER COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

| Water Rentals presented to Collecto Water Rentals Collected Amount Uncollected Abatements Discount | \$2,740 168 14 | | \$3,011 97 \$3,011 97 |
|---|----------------------|----------|--------------------------|
| Paid: | | | , , |
| Public Serv. Co. of N. H. (Chlorinator Brown & Saltmarsh (office supplies) C. O. Rockwell (repairs to system) | 20 | | |
| H. R. Prescott & Son (Curb boxes & Connections) | 56 | 00 | |
| Everett E. Adams (Cleaning Reservoir, etc.) Myron Johnson, labor | 326 18 | 97 33 | |
| Ernest A. Adams, labor Robert B. Fish, repairs to system | | 70 | |
| John Danais, chlorine | 22 20 | 20 | |
| Wallace & Tiernan, hose & strainer F. A. Gleason & Son, labor State Dant of Health anthony | | 16 | |
| State Dept. of Health, orthotolidine Southwestern Trans. Co., express Donald W. Stearns, care of chlorinator | | 80 24 | |
| and labor F. I. C. A. | 75 | 00 50 | |
| Harold E. Stearns, collector C. H. Higgins, water extension | 100 157 | 00 | |
| Due town from 1953 | 938 | | |
| Total Expenses Balance for Trustees of Trust Funds | \$832 | 00 | \$1,908 56 |
| C. H. Higgins Water Extension Raised by Town | 600 | | \$757 73 |
| Taken from Water Rentals Paid | 157 | | 9777 79 |
| E. H. Edwards | \$757 | 73 | \$757 73 |

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD S. STEARNS CHARLES A. GLEASON EVERETT E. ADAMS Water Commissioners

REPORT OF HIGHWAY AGENT

MAINTENANCE 07 000 00

| Appropriation Earned | \$7,000 00 1,530 40 | 40 10 |
|---|--|--------------------------|
| Received from Selectmen | | \$8,550 40 \$8,803 18 |
| Everett E. Adams | \$2,202 63 | |
| Myron Johnson Donald Johnson | 1,341 05 182 96 | |
| Ernest A. Adams | 300 56 | |
| Earl Bullard | 147 00 | |
| Roy C. Sumner | 77 17 | |
| Glenn Brown | 30 00 | |
| Foster Avery (truck) | 487 80 | |
| Public Service Co. | 14 00 | |
| Ray Road Equipment (culverts, tools | 497 84 | |
| etc.) Hancock Service Sta. (gas, oil) | 739 25 | |
| F. A. Gleason & Son (gas, oil & re- | 100 20 | |
| pairs) | $360 \ 12$ | |
| Steele's Book Store (supplies) | 3 65 | |
| Keene Sand & Gravel (sand & rock) | 47 19 | |
| Maurice Tuttle, Ins. | 53 94 | |
| William Weston (saw, gravel) | $\begin{array}{ccc} 92 & 00 \\ 342 & 01 \end{array}$ | |
| State of N. H. (chloride) Hafeli Fuel & Ice Co. (kerosene) | 7 02 | |
| Monadnock Lumber Co. (glass, paint | | |
| Noble-Belisle Mach. Corp. (signs, filter | | |
| Scott Machinery (clamp kit) | 11 43 | |
| Ralph Rokes (saw, car) | 22 50 | |
| Mack Motor Truck Co. (parts) | 9 18 | |
| N. H. Explosives (culvert scoop) | 1274 37595 | |
| R. C. Hazelton Co. (culverts) Edward Holt (mowing brush) | 146 25 | |
| E. G. Richardson (sawing wood) | 5 80 | |
| Earl Bullard (mowing brush) | 56 00 | |
| J. Q. Pickering (mowing brush) | 2 00 | |
| Ernest L. Adams (telephone, hand to | ols) 20 00 | |
| Casellini-Venable Co. (pump) | 34 52 | |
| C. F. Johnson (bulldozer) | $\begin{array}{ccc} 166 & 00 \\ 2 & 66 \end{array}$ | |
| Brown & Saltmarsh (rubber stamp) Everett E. Adams (postage) | 8 23 | |
| Sherbourne Bros. (gravel) | 14 00 | |
| Alice Sheldon (gravel) | 36 00 | |
| Thomas Hugron (gravel) | 170 00 | |
| Varnum Bros. (bulldozer) | 195 00 | |
| Town of Lyndeboro (grader) | 548 00 | |
| First Nat'l Bank, Peterborough (bank | k 16 25 | |
| charges) | 10 20 | \$8,801 18 |
| | | ψυ,ουτ 10 |

| Withholding Tax F. I. C. A. | | | | | 350 84 | |
|--|------------------|-----|---------|---------------|----------------|-----|
| | | | | | \$9,235 | 51 |
| Overdrawn Earned with Town Equipmen | t | | \$1,550 | ₹40 | \$685 | 11 |
| Amount received Bills due | | | ΨΙ,ΟΟΟ | _ 4 .0 | \$1,302 247 | |
| | | | | | \$1,550 | 40 |
| Wint | er R | OAD | s | | | |
| | | | | | A 4 000 | 0.0 |
| Appropriation Balance from 1953 | | | | | \$4,000 | |
| Received from Driveways | | | | | 1,409 607 | |
| , and the second | | | | | | |
| Received from Selectmen | | | | | \$6,017 | 19 |
| | | | | | | |
| Paid | | | \$4,382 | 78 | | |
| Everett E. Adams | \$855 | 58 | | | | |
| Myron Johnson | 467 | 19 | | | | |
| Ralph Rokes | 127 | | | | | |
| Ernest A. Adams | | 86 | | | | |
| Ralph Rokes (truck) J. Q. Pickering (tractor) | $\frac{92}{200}$ | 12 | | | | |
| J. H. Adams (bookkeeping) | | 00 | | | | |
| Lawrence G. Paquette (tracto | | | | | | |
| Keene Sand & Gravel (sand) | 1 | 79 | | | | |
| Peterborough Hardware (tools | | 39 | | | | |
| Bennington Garage (welding) Chemical Corp. (salt) | 510 | 50 | | | | |
| Hancock Co. (steel, machine, | 910 | VV | | | | |
| work) | | 18 | | | | |
| Mack Motor Truck Co. | 379 | | | | | |
| Foster Avery (truck) Ray Road Equipment (cutting | | 60 | | | | |
| edges, tools, equipment) | 353 | 22 | | | | |
| F. A. Gleason & Son (gas, oil, | | | | | | |
| repairs) | 745 | | | | | |
| Hancock Serv. Sta. (gas, oil) First Nat. Bank (bank charges | 499 | 30 | | | | |
| 2 2 2 1 400 2 2 4 1 1 Cital geo | ′ | | \$4,392 | 82 | | |
| Withholding Tax | | | 106 | 90 | | |
| FICA | | | 11 | 77 | | |

| Total for Winter Roads | \$4,511 49 |
|---|--|
| Balance In Bank to help defray Bank Charges \$200 00 Respectfully submitted EVERETT E. ADAMS | \$1,505 70 |
| TARRING | toau Agent |
| Appropriation Balance from 1953 | \$2,000 00 697 73 |
| | \$2,697 73 |
| Received from Selectmen \$1,034 00 | φ2,001 10 |
| Paid: \$133 62 Everett E. Adams 74 70 Myron Johnson 37 73 Public Service Co. 3 50 Trimount M C 3 654 05 Town of Peterborough (truck and shovel) 130 40 Withholding tax 18 50 FICA 5 40 Total for tarring Balance Respectfully submit EVERETT E. | \$1,639 83 tted, ADAMS Road Agent |
| | |
| ELMWOOD ROAD Appropriation Donation | \$1,300 00 100 00 |
| | \$1,400 00 |
| Received from Selectmen Paid: \$1,380-52 Everett E. Adams \$39-69 Myron Johnson 59-33 Earl Bullard 14-70 Ernest A. Adams 75-50 James Tuttle 14-70 Town of Greenfield (truck) 26-40 | |

| Foster Avery (truck) Earl Bullard (truck) Town of Lyndeboro (grader) C. F. Johnson (compressor) Trimount M C 3 Karl Larsen (gravel) Joseph Fay (shovel) Withholding Tax FICA | 50 40 31 20 68 00 24 45 799 15 100 00 77 00 | \$1,380 15 4 | | \$1,400 00 |
|---|---|--------------------|----------|------------|
| FIRE STA | TION ROA | AD | | |
| Appropriation Received from Selectmen | | \$199 | 53 | \$200 00 |
| Paid: Everett E. Adams Myron Johnson Alice Sheldon (gravel) Town of Lyndeboro (grader) Trimount (M C 3) FICA | \$13 23 9 70 7 00 20 00 149 00 | \$199 | 53 47 | |
| 1 10/1 | _ | | | \$200 00 |

FINANCIAL REPORT, HANCOCK COMMON COMMITTEE, 1954

| COMMITTEE, I | 954 | |
|--|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Balance in First Nat'l Bank at end of 1953 Cash on hand | \$94 32 33 64 | |
| Received: Trustees of Trust Funds State of N. H. Dept. of Public Works Trustees of Trust Funds Trustees of Trust Funds | \$50 00 30 00 84 89 50 00 | |
| Total Cash Available Total Expenses | | \$342 85 290 84 |
| | fully submi | |
| Expenses: May 20 Robert Kierstead for fertilizing & raking Common; materia | als | |
| July 7 Robert Kierstead for mowing of grass July 7 C. O. Rockwell for repairing | \$30 00 30 25 | |
| water fountain & faucet on Common July 26 Everett Adams, paint for | 9 19 | |
| Aug. 8 Robert Kierstead for mowing Common | 26 55 10 00 | |
| Aug. 8 A. M. Wood, labor & materials for repairing bandstand Aug. 14 Ralph E. Rokes; labor, power | 37 15 | |
| saw in cutting dead trees on Common Sept. 4 Everett Adams, labor & paint for painting carriage sheds | 24 75 | |
| Oct. 4 Robert Kierstead, for mowing Common Nov. 28 F. A. Gleason & Son, for parts | 26 40 | |
| and repair of power mower Dec. 31 Otis Wilder, gasoline for power mower | 14 41 2 33 | |
| Bank Charges for the year Postage & Stationery | 4 10 65 | \$290 84 |

TREASURER'S REPORT OLD HOME DAY COMMITTEE 1954

RECEIPTS

| Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1954: Peterborough First Nat'l Bank Received from: Town Treasurer Ellen Weston Sale of Flags Sale of Dance Tickets Sale of Tonic (Dance) Chances on Cake | 115 198 12 | 00 00 70 | \$1,417 18 |
|---|--|--|------------------------|
| Expenses | | | |
| Never's Band Swansey Drum Corps Chase's, for Flags Police Duty Transcript Printing Co. Bank charges Street Banner Prize Ribbons (Parade) Postal Cards (500-2¢) Base Balls: Junior League \$9.00; Town Team \$6.75 Collector of Internal Revenue Guest Book Identification cards; H. S. Reunion Use of Grange Hall Vada Kemp, organist W. B. Sheriff, electrical work Norman Wheeler, music records, water sports N. H. Old Home Week As., dues Duke Miller, orchestra Tonic for dance Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1955 | 1 68 10 10 15 19 2 4 5 5 7 6 1 67 67 | 70 08 50 80 59 00 75 80 25 55 00 00 50 00 20 | \$1,107 81 \$309 37 |
| Respectfu | lly sub E. Sti | omitte EARNS | ed, s, Treasurer |

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR Year Ending Dec. 31, 1954

| 1 041 | Ending Dec. 01, 1907 | |
|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Old Age Assistance | | \$1,352 69 |
| Soldiers' Aid | | 103 36 |
| Mrs. Helen Haskell | | 25 88 |
| Mrs. Rose Chute | | 232 63 |
| Salary and expense | | \$1,714 56 48 80 |
| | T | \$1,763 36 |

Respectfully submitted, HERBERT A. YOUNG

HEALTH DEPARTMENT Year Ending December 31, 1954

| Salary Transportation & p. p. on water analysis | \$35 00 16 22 |
|---|------------------|
| | \$51 22 |

Respectfully submitted, HERBERT A. YOUNG

HANCOCK FIRE DEPARTMENT, 1954

| Receipts: Balance on hand | \$209 31 | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Town of Hancock | 1,100 00 | |
| | | \$1,309 31 |
| Payments: | | |
| Public Service Co. of N. H. | \$95 79 | |
| N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. | 83 30 | |
| A. W. Peters | 182 04 | |
| F. A. Gleason & Son | 103 83 | |
| James A. Coffin | 235 50 | |
| John Bellows Ins. Agency | 123 00 | |
| Mass. Bonding & Insurance Co. | 156 60 | |
| Town of Hancock, water tax | 8 55 | |
| Subscription, fire engineering | 6 00 | |
| N. H. State Firemen's As. | 28 00 | |
| Charles Gleason, salaries firemen | 166 00 | |
| Bank charges | 5 85 | |
| | | \$1,194 46 |

Balance on hand Jan. 15, 1955 \$114 85 Respectfully submitted, ERROL A. SIMONDS, Treasurer

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

| Adult | 5144 | Juvenile | 2959 |
|---|---------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Fiction Non Fiction Periodicals | 3153 895 1096 | Fiction Non Fiction Periodicals | 2131 377 451 |
| No. of Volumes on h No. of Volumes pure No. of Volumes acqu | hased | | 16,060 151 53 |
| No. of Volumes disca | arded | | 16,264 150 |
| No. of Volumes Dec. | 31, 1954 | | 16,114 |

Gifts of Books and Magazines are acknowledged with thanks from Mrs. Henry D. Tudor, Mr. Robert English, Mr. Joseph Berry, Mrs. Alfred Hjort and Mrs. Lemuel Noble and others.

A gift of money was received from Hancock Woman's Club and Mrs. Robert B. Livingstone of California to be used for

the Children.

WILLIAM J. EVA, JR. MRS. CAROLINE ROWE MISS MARGARET PERRY

TREASURER'S REPORT, HANCOCK TOWN LIBRARY December 31, 1954

INCOME

| Heber J. Davis Fund (10 shares Pub. Ser. Co. Stock) 3 | 3 41 0 91 3 50 8 25 |
|---|--|
| Total of Jan. 1, 1954 bal. plus 1954 income \$3,68 | 6 07 |
| Janitor's Salary Lights Fuel Books Magazines Insurance and Taxes 42 48 48 48 48 49 49 49 49 49 49 49 49 49 49 49 49 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 | 8 80 9 00 7 98 4 49 0 07 4 50 8 31 5 00 |

| Miscellaneous Supplies & Expenses | 87 | 75 |
|---|------------------|----|
| Total expenses Balance in First Nat. Bank, Dec. 31, 1954 | \$2,465 1,220 | |

\$3,686 07 In the hands of the Treasurer, Heber J. Davis Fund, 10 shares Public Service Co. of N. H. stock.

WILLIAM J. EVA, JR., Treasurer

Hancock, N. H., July 8, 1954 STATEMENT OF MEMORIAL DAY EXPENSES

| Flags Flowers Rev. Frederick Weis Postage | $\begin{array}{c} \$21 \ 10 \\ 40 \ 00 \\ 15 \ 00 \\ 1 \ 50 \end{array}$ |
|--|--|
| Total Expenses Cash Received Less Total Expenses | \$77 60 \$100 00 77 60 |
| Cash Returned | \$22 40 George Hampson, Chairman |

GEORGE HAMPSON, Chairman Memorial Day Committee

SOCIAL SECURITY PROGRAM

The Social Security Program became effective as of April 1, 1954.

Wages of town employees under the program amounted to

| \$7,613.40. | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Paid State Treasurer 4% of \$7,613.40 | \$304 54 |
| Cost to Town 2% of \$7,613.40 | 152 27 |
| Administrator | 15 00 |
| Supplies & Postage | 2 72 |
| O.A.S.I. Fund | 10 80 |
| | |

Total \$180 79

Wages of Library Employees under the program amounted to \$883.35.

Paid State Treasurer by Treasurer of Library \$35.35.

Respectfully submitted, CHARLES E. ADAMS, Administrator To the Forest Fire Warden:

In looking over the records I find that over one-third of the fires in District One in 1954 were from incinerators and burning without first securing a permit from the forest fire warden of the town where fire occurred. As all these thirty-three fires were in violation of the law, all of us citizens who own homes or rent property should try to the best of our ability to cooperate with the forest fire warden and fire chief in the town or city in which we live.

After the snow leaves the ground and the spring season arrives we all like to get out of doors and start to clean up the grounds and back sheds so before we start to burn, let's contact the forest fire warden of the town in which we live and get his

view and permit.

GUY O. HOLLIS, District Fire Chief

35. Permits. (b) No person, firm or corporation shall kindle or cause to be kindled any fire or shall burn or cause to be burned any material, and no city or town shall kindle or maintain a fire or a public dump, in or near woodlands, pasture, brush, sprout, waste, or cut-over land, or where fire may be communicated to such land, except when the ground is covered with snow, without first obtaining a written permit from the forest fire warden of the town where the burning is to be done unless the same is in the presence of the warden or his agent.

36. Liability for Fires Without Permit. Any person causing or kindling a fire without permit of the forest fire warden, when such permit is required, and any person by whose negligence or the negligence of his agents any fire shall be caused, shall be liable in a civil action for the payment to the town, or the state or both, of the expenses incurred by the forest fire warden or

deputy warden in attending or extinguishing such fire.

Forest Fire Warden's Report:

Number of fires 4
Acres Burned 1
Number of Permits Issued 39

C. A. GLEASON, Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF WATER SURVEY COMMITTEE

Paid State of N. H., Copy of 1907 Charter \$3 00

With the best of intentions your Water Survey Committee went ahead with the help of the engineer, drawing up the contracts to be mailed out for bids on the water extension to Juggernaut Pond.

Before they were completed we found that the original Charter of 1907, limited the borrowing of funds by the town for water to \$20,000. This fact stopped the Project immediately for

1954 as the legislature was not in session.

We had an amendment drawn up to be presented to the legislature in January of this year changing the limit from \$20,000 to \$75,000. This was introduced by Mr. Dutton the Peterborough Representative; a public hearing was held attended by two members of the Hancock Water Board, Senator English, Mr. Dutton and a representative of the State Board of Health. No opposition was apparent and we hope the bill will be passed through the house and senate before our meeting in March.

Also section two of the 1954 motion should be voted by ballot and a record kept so that the company that buys the bonds will have a clear picture of the town's action in regard to this project.

Section three should be voted again and this is just to reappropriate the money from the Water Capital Reserve Fund.

The Committee has an article in the warrant to take care of this.

KARL G. UPTON JULIUS Q. PICKERING CHARLES A. GLEASON EVERETT E. ADAMS

DONALD S. STEARNS

Water Survey Committee

January 31, 1955

To the Selectmen of Hancock:

The Dump Committee after a meeting held recently suggest the following items for their consideration:

- 1. The Town Dump to be moved further out of town, this is suggested now as the present dump will probably be filled up in another two or three years, and we believe a new place should be found. There have also been several complaints about the smell of smoke by several people in the immediate neighborhood.
- 2. We recommend that there is to be no more commercial dumping allowed such as lumber, trees, branches, etc., also that no dead animals be thrown in the dump.
 - 3. That the appropriation for dump be raised to \$175.00.

4. Mr. Shattuck, we believe, has been doing a very good job of keeping the dump clean and we believe he should be paid a little more for his work.

HERMAN D. SCHLICHTING
THOMAS B. MANNING, JR.
EVERETT E. ADAMS
Dump Committee

TOWN AUDITORS' REPORT FOR 1954

We have examined the Town Officers' Bonds and have found them correct as required by law.

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Collector of Water Rents, Road Agent, Treasurer of the Town Common Fund, Trustees of Trust Funds, Treasurer of the Public Library, Treasurer of the Fire Department, Memorial Day Committee, Old Home Day Committee, Overseer of the Poor, Water Commissioners, and have found them correctly cast and properly vouched. Balances appear as follows:

Town Treasurer:

| First National Bank, Peterborough Treasurer of Library: | | | \$8,610 | 84 |
|---|------------|----------|---------|----|
| First National Bank, Peterborough & 10 Shares Public Service Co., N. H. Treasurer of Fire Department: | | | 1,220 | 17 |
| First National Bank, Peterborough Old Home Day Committee: | | | 114 | 85 |
| First National Bank, Peterborough Less check not cleared ———————————————————————————————————— | \$310 1 | 37 00 | \$309 | 37 |
| Treasurer of Common Fund: First National Bank, Peterborough Cash on hand | \$19 32 | | \$52 | 01 |
| Road Agent: First National Bank, Peterborough | | | 200 | 00 |

Respectfully submitted,
PAUL C. DALY
HERMAN D. SCHLICHTING
Auditors

February 3, 1955

HANCOCK 1954

For 175 years Hancock has been a pleasant town, delightfully situated. This year on Old Home Day, the day when former inhabitants, many of them sons and daughters who left to seek their fortunes, return in carnival spirit, there was something extra—we were marking significantly an anniversary. Between the bell tower and the grammar school hung the same huge handmade flag that drifted in the breeze seventy-five years ago when our 100th Anniversary was the occasion of a gay birthday

party.

As it happened, it proved to be a cool summer and unusually wet. Cordwood easily cut with modern chain saws in the light snow dustings of last winter dried little stacked outside during the rainy summer. This caused little inconvenience. For the Wrights, the Welches, Emil Hugron and a few others are about the only ones in this decade who bother to cleft hardwood; burning oil is much easier. But the wet summer meant inconvenience to housewives with sheets on the line and to picnickers, to make up for the lack of wear and tear on snow shovels earlier in the year.

People say winters get warmer, summers cooler; statistics offer proof. Meteorologists, however, are still not smart enough to know why. Is it temporary or will some of our great grand-children see palm trees growing in New England? We do know sap buckets were hanging on Washington's birthday, earliest in seventy years. And we do know Will Curtis of the Elmwood section, our champion wildcat hunter (500 cats), hasn't said their pelts were getting thinner or the twenty dollar bounty.

Speaking of bounties, naturally leads to legislation, for the General Court decides how much will be paid for predatory animals. This was an off-year election and without a President to elect for the White House, interest in things political declines. Yet 273 citizens (466 on the checklist) showed up at the polls in November; 167 to vote a straight Republican ticket and 24 going down the line with the Democrats. That leaves 82 independent voters, those who checked names from both columns. Lane Dwinell for Governor gained 221 votes, Styles Bridges for United States Senator 218, and Norris Cotton (for the unexpired portion of the Tobey U. S. Senate seat) 232. Perkins Bass of Peterborough for Congressman polled 223, and Robert English for State Senator 261 (the first from Hancock since William Weston in 1941). As usual, Hancock voters picked winners.

But the real contest in Hancock was over closing the High School. At the annual School Meeting it was voted by a narrow margin to send these students mostly to Peterborough. At another meeting the matter was reconsidered, and finally a third gathering in July reaffirmed the original decision. Closing Hancock High School was painful. At graduation this year there

were only four to receive diplomas, but that didn't prevent the school from putting on a successful play, "I'm A Family Crisis," the lead part played by Anne Fisher. For years Hancock felt it was worth extra expense to keep high school students in town, but the number of students drastically declined to fifteen—a number which educators say cannot constitute an effective school. The fine brick building will not be torn down, it awaits developments.

The drop in high school students is related to a change in character of our Town. It ages gracefully. The change has come imperceptibly as farming waned, as opportunities elsewhere increased, and our population slid up to a higher age bracket, living in beautiful surroundings more and more off

pensions or interest on monies accumulated earlier.

Hancock is envied. The interest and dividends tax collected by the State is returned to the Town. This year—the final figures are not available yet—some \$17,000 paid by about 66 citizens will lighten the burden on our real estate. This source constitutes some 28% of our total budget. Few towns are as lucky. Providing a setting attracting retired people is a sort of industry making up other sources lost. It means a lower property tax rate for all.

And we've been lucky about fires which hit hard on the individuals concerned and indirectly on all of us when property goes off the tax list. Our Fire Department is ever alert under Charlie Gleason and his assistants Foster Avery and Roy Finan. This year Wendell Crowell was again reelected President, Perley Dunbar, Vice President and John Hill, second Vice President.

Others are active—ready for emergencies.

A good Fire Department attracts citizens to Hancock and so does our much photographed church. This year the Meeting House built in 1820 (moved and remodelled in 1851) was redecorated and rededicated on April 11th. The Trustees, Bessie Hanson, Hal Fuller and Warren Kinney, have reason to be proud and so have the rest of us. The drapes sewn by Abbie Sawyer and other ladies of the parish harmonize with the coverings on the foam rubber cushions. Incidentally, Mrs. Henry Tudor presented some additional foam rubber cushions for the vestry where in winter the citizens gather to worship. We all know that Dr. and Mrs. Billings have stimulated the increasing interest in our renowned landmark. As Miss Hurley, who this year was awarded The Palms of the Academy by the French Government for her years of teaching French, might say, "bien fait." Lettie Goodhue, our beloved eldest citizen who died in January, would have been ninety-four at rededication and pleased.

And so it was with our gentle people and their gentling climate

in 1954, in part.

For the Town History Committee of the Historical Society. R. E.

Report of Trust Funds of the Town of Hancock, N. H., on December 31, 1954

| Balance End Year | | \$5 53 | | | | | 06 | | | | |
|--|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---|--|--|---|---|
| Expended During Year | \$3 02 | | 250 00 167 50 | 384 00 129 60 55 00 | 170 00 | 00 09 | | 30 00 16 25 | | 38 40 | 12 00 22 52 |
| Income During Year Amount | \$3 02 | 30 23 2 51 | 101 57 250 00 167 50 | 384 00 129 60 55 00 | 170 00 | 00 09 | 1 46 110 00 | 30 00 | 12 09 30 23 | 38 40 | 12 00 22 52 |
| Percent | 3% | 3% | 3.4% 3.35% | | | | | 37% | 7 cc cc 2,6% | | |
| Balance Income Beginning Year | | \$3 02 | | | | | 06 | | | | |
| Balance End Year | \$100 00 | 1,000 00 | 3,125 65 10,000 00 4,345 00 | 4,400 00 2,513 22 1,065 00 | 2,597 50 | | 1,619 00 90 67 1,837 50 | | | 442 50 | |
| New Funds Created | | | | | | G 797 00 | | | | | G166 60 25 62 |
| Balance Beginning Year | \$100 00 | 1,000 00 | 3,125 65 10,000 00 4,345 00 | 4,400 00 2,513 22 1,065 00 | 2,597 50 | 865 00 | 47 67 1,837 50 | 1,000 00 | 400 00 1,000 00 | 442 50 | 165 80 391 70 |
| How Invested | Peterborough Sav. Bank | | Manchester Sav. Bank U. S. Gov. Bonds 50 shs.Pub.Ser.Co.ofN.H | 240 shs. Bank of Am. N. T. & S. A. 54 shs. F. N. Bk., Boston 20 shs. Corn Exch. Bank | 100 shs. Bk. of Manhattan Co. | 100 shs. Kockland Power | 20 sns. Cleveland Elec. Ill. Co. Dartmouth Sav. Bank 50 shs. Chase Nat. Bank | Peterborough Sav. Bank Manchester Sav. Bank | Peterborough Sav. Bank Peterborough Sav. Bank | 24 shs. Bk of Am.N.T. & S. A. | 20 shs. Rockland Lt. & Power 10 shs. Conn. Pow. Co. |
| NAME & PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND | Purchase Books for Library: Rosamond Brooks Fund | Support of Library: Heber J. Davis Fund Richard & Hannah Emerson Fd. | Emma Whittemore Gipson Memorial Fund | | | | | Hadley Legacy Hubbard Legacy | Tenney Fund Louis B. Thacher Fund | Purchase Books for Library: John Tudor Memorial Fund | |
| Date of Creation | 1917 | 1952 1952 | 1938 | | | | | 1879 | 1952 1952 | 1949 | |

| | 29 77 | | | | \$36 20 | | \$21 00 5 48 00 5 | 26 00 | 2 87 20 00 | 34 50 | 8 36 | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---|---|--|--|----------------------------|---|----------|----------------------|---|---|
| | 105 00 | 65 00 120 00 30 00 | 24 00 | 128 00 | \$2.572.37 | | \$21 00 48 00 | 36 40 | 20 00 | 34 50 | 62 50 | 170 00 | 115 20 | 82 50 40 80 66 72 | 102 00 |
| | $\begin{smallmatrix} 3 & 27 \\ 105 & 00 \end{smallmatrix}$ | 65 00 120 00 30 00 | 24 00 | 128 00 | \$2.578 15 | | \$42 00 96 00 | 62 40 | 40 00 40 00 | 00 69 | 2 30 62 50 | 170 00 | 115 20 | 82 50 40 80 66 72 | 102 00 |
| 3% | 3% | 37,4% 3%% 3%% | | | | | | | 3% | | | | | | |
| | 26 50 | | | | \$30.42 | | | | \$1 28 | | 90 9 | | | | |
| 723 95 25 77 | 82 18 1,917 82 | 2,000 00 4,000 00 952 17 | 712 63 | 1,690 00 | 958 00 55.776 42 | | \$835 70 1,080 00 | | 63 97 942 50 | 1,149 07 | 47 83 2,500 00 | 2,500 00 | 1,275 00 | 1,620 00 825 21 1,196 88 | 1,500 00 |
| | | | 312 80 | | \$1 302 02 \$ 55.776 42 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | $\frac{82}{1,917} \frac{18}{82}$ | 2,000 00 4,000 00 1,000 00 | 352 00 | 1,690 00 | 958 00 | | \$835 70 1,080 00 | 913 26 | 63 97 942 50 | 1,149 07 | 47 83 2,500 00 | 2,500 00 | 1,275 00 | 1,620 00 825 21 1,196 88 | 1,500 00 |
| 16 shs. Louisville Gas & Elec. Peterborough Sav. Bank | Peterborough Sav. Bank 35 shs. Mfrs. Trust Co. | Manchester Sav. Bank Amoskeag Sav. Bank Peterborough Sav. Bank | 40 shs. Kockland Lt. & Power 17 shs. Houston Lt.&Pow. | & S. A. 40 shs. Manhattan Co. | N. Y. Total Library Funds | | 21 sh. N. H. Fire Ins. Co. 64 sh. Gt. Am. Ins. Co. | 40 sn. Chase N. BK. N. I. 26 sh. F. N. Bk. Boston 4M II S. Sa.: Penlation. | Peterborough Sav. Bank 10 sh. Indianapolisp.&L. | 23 sh. Mfrs. Trust Co. | Dartmouth Sav. Bank U. S. Savings Bonds | N. Y. | S. A. S. D. H. D. H. | 30 sh. Corn Exch. BK. 11. Co. 17 sh. F. N. Bank Boston 26 sh. Nat. City Bk.N. Y. | 60 sh. Bank of Manhattan N. Y. |
| | Ebenezer & Martha E. (Lakin) Ware Fund | Support of Library: Whitcomb Legacy | | | | G-Gains on Sale of Securities High School Funds: Maintenance of Hancock | Anna M. B. Foster High School Fund | | | Care & Maintenance of High | School Building: Elwin C. Foster High School Fund | | | | Support of High School: Katie M. Hayward High School Fund |
| | 1946 | 1889 | | | | | 1942 | | | | 1934 | | | | 1937 |

Report of Trust Funds of the Town of Hancock, N. H., on December 31, 1954

| Balance End Year | | \$208 73 | | \$294 09 | \$694 98 | |
|--|---|------------------------|--|---|---|---|
| Expended During Year | 55 00 134 40 130 00 76 20 44 70 | \$1,329 92 | \$3 02 6 05 | 150 38 | | \$84 89 100 00 |
| Income During Year Amount | 55 00 134 40 130 00 76 20 44 70 | \$1,531 31 | \$3 02 6 05 | 37 95 | \$90 00 70 00 22 62 46 80 | \$84 89 100 00 |
| Percent | %% | | 3% | 3% | 3% | 31,4% |
| Balance Income Beginning Year | | \$7.34 | | \$406 52 | \$465 56 | |
| Balance End Year | 1,070 00 1,639 75 1,685 00 1,130 14 899 38 144 18 | \$1,273 06 \$28,867 24 | \$100 00 200 00 | 1,000 00 | \$1,573 85 1,626 35 240 95 915 09 | \$2,591 25 2,408 75 |
| New Funds Created | G1,050 71 G 222 35 | 1 | | | | |
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| How Invested | 20 sh. Corn Exch. Bank 84 sh. Bk. of Am.N.T. & 8. A. 100 sh. Irving Trust Co. 127 sh. Rockland Pow. & 60 sh. Pub. Ser. Co. New Mexico. 15 sh. Coms. Power Co. 25 sh. Louislille G. & Elec 20 sh. Com. Belison 20 sh. Com. Belison Peterborough Sav. Bank | Totals | Peterborough Sav. Bank Peterborough Sav. Bank | Peterborough Sav. Bank | 10 sh. Am.Tel. & Tel. Co. 10 sh. Inter'l Harv. Peterborough Sav. Bank 30 sh. Com. Edison Co. | Manchester Sav. Bank 50 shs. UnionPac. R.R. Co |
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CERTIFICATE

ERNEST L. ADAMS This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief. Date Feb. 15, 1955.

IRVING B. HITCHINGS
KARL G. UPTON, Trustees.

SCHOOL REPORT

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HANCOCK, N. H.

For the School Year Ending June 30, 1954

PART I. ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIZATION

A. Officers of the School District

Moderator William J. Eva

CLERK
A. Maude Brown

SCHOOL BOARD

Elizabeth S. Strombeck (Appointed) Christopher H. Adams (Appointed) Otis H. Wilder, Chr. Term Expires 1955 Term Expires 1955 Term Expires 1957

TREASURER Errol A. Simonds

AUDITORS
Pauline C. Crowell
Irving B. Hitchings

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS Lester B. Badger

HELPING TEACHER
Robert Filbin

TRUANT OFFICER

Robert L. Fish

CENSUS TAKER Robert L. Fish

SCHOOL NURSE

Gladys E. Newhall, R. N. School Physician

Dr. Alfred Chandler, M. D.

B. No-School Regulations

The Chairman of the School Board has authority to make decisions regarding whether or not it is suitable to have school in session on stormy days, and to notify the Superintendent and give such local notice as seems advisable. The Superintendent will call Radio Station WBZ and instruct them to carry the announcement.

C. CALENDAR

1955

3 Jan. Schools reopen.

Schools Close—Winter vacation. Feb. 18

Feb. 28 Schools reopen.

April 22 Schools close—Spring vacation.

May 2 Schools reopen.

Schools closed-Memorial Day. May 30

June 17 Schools close 12:15 (one session) unless time lost.

Sept. 7 Schools open.

Schools close 12:15 (one session) for Thanksgiving Nov. 23

Schools close—Christmas vacation (any days lost Dec. 20 prior to 20 Dec. to be made up week of 19 Dec.)

1956

Schools reopen. Jan. 4 Feb. 20 Winter vacation.

Schools reopen.

Feb. 27 April 23 Schools close—Spring vacation.

April 30 Schools reopen.

Schools closed-Memorial Day. May 30

Schools close 12:15 (one session) unless time lost. June 15

5 school days allowed for workshop. Note:

2 school days allowed for teachers' convention.

D. REPORT OF DISTRICT CLERK

A meeting of the inhabitants of the School District of Hancock qualified to vote in District affairs, was holden at the Town Hall on the 5th day of March, 1954 at 8 o'clock in the afternoon.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, William J. Eva. who proceeded to read the warrant.

Article 1: "To choose a Moderator for the coming year."

Ballots were cast, and William J. Eva was elected Moderator for the ensuing year.

Article 2: "To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year."

Ballots were cast, and Alice Brown was elected Clerk for the next year.

Article 3: "To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years."

Ballots were cast using the town checklist. Otis H. Wilder was elected.

Article 4: "To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year."

Ballots were cast, and Errol A. Simonds was elected Treasurer for the coming year.

Article 5: "To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district."

It was moved, seconded, and voted that the salaries of the School Board and other district officers be as follows:

| Chairman, School Board | \$50.00 |
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| Each other Member | 30.00 |
| Treasurer | 20.00 |
| Clerk | 5.00 |
| Moderator | 1.00 per hour |
| Auditors | 1.00 per hour |

Article 6: "To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto." Such reports were accepted as printed.

Article 7: "To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant."

Ballots were cast and F. R. Hutchison and Herman Schlichting were elected Auditors for the ensuing year.

Article 8: "To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town."

Moved, that the district raise and appropriate \$25,789 and authorize and direct the school board to apply against said appropriation such income as is estimated by the school board exclusive of state aid, and upon the determination of the amount of state aid to be received by the school district during the next fiscal year, to authorize and direct the school board to apply against such appropriation the sum to be received from state aid and with the school district clerk certify to the selectmen the balance as an assessment to be raised by the town for school purposes. The town checklist was used and one hundred thirty-three votes were cast as follows: 70, Yes; 63, No. (This sum of \$25,789 did not include any funds for the running of the Hancock High School, which will be discontinued as of June 30, 1954.)

Article 9: "To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,800 to make the necessary alterations to the old school building to provide an additional classroom, or take any other action relating thereto."

Moved, seconded and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,800 to make alterations to the old school building to provide an additional classroom.

Article 10: "To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to make contracts for the transportation of high

school students, and to raise and appropriate money for same." It was moved, seconded, and voted that the School Board be authorized to make contracts for the transportation of the High School students, \$1,800 to be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

It was also voted that the District pay tuition of each student. namely \$300 per year, the students to go wherever they choose.

The meeting was declared adjourned.

S/ALICE M. Brown, Clerk

SPECIAL MEETING

Hancock School District, June 11, 1954, Hancock, N. H.

Meeting called to order at 8:00 P. M. by the Moderator.

Warrant, petition and certification were read by the Moderator.

Motion made by Warren Pierce to suspend rules. Seconded and voted in affirmative.

Moderator then asked Rev. Dr. Billings to give invocation. Moderator explained use of ballots as given out, use of check

list and rules governing general conduct of the meeting.

At request of Moderator nominations for ballot clerks were made from floor. Elijah J. West nominated Miss Cynthia Upton and Charles Adams. Nominations being closed, the names of Miss Upton and Mr. Adams were seconded and the motion voted in the affirmative. The two ballot clerks were then sworn into office by the Moderator.

Regular business of the meeting was resumed.

The Moderator read Article 1 of the warrant as follows: "To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to take appropriate action to continue the operation of Hancock High School. (By Petition.)"
By motion of Dr. Ceres, seconded by Mr. Dillon, voted

affirmatively, Article No. 1 was laid on the table.

Article No. 2 was then read by the Moderator. "To see if the District will vote to rescind the action taken at the 1954 Annual School District Meeting under Article 8 of the 1954 School Warrant. (By Petition.)

The following motion was made by Dr. Frederick Ceres and seconded by Warren Pierce: "I move that the action taken at the 1954 Annual School District Meeting under Article 8 be

rescinded."

After reasonable discussion the motion was balloted upon. Results were: Total votes cast 243 of which 142 were "yes" and 98 "no."

At this time it was pointed out by the Moderator that since the check list contained 444 names, it was necessary to have a minimum of 222 votes cast each time for a legal vote at this meeting.

Article No. 3 was next read by the Moderator as follows. "To see if the District will vote to rescind the action taken at the 1954 Annual School District Meeting under Article 9 of the 1954 School Warrant. (By Petition.)"

Moved, seconded and voted to lay Article No. 3 on the table and proceed to Article No. 4.

Article No. 4 read by Moderator: "To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of School District officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town. (By Petition.)"

Warren Pierce then made the following motion: "I move that the sum of \$36,363.00 be raised and appropriated for the support of schools, for the salaries of School District officials and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District, for the year 1954-55, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund, together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town."

This motion was seconded. Considerable discussion followed on both sides of the question.

This was interrupted by a request from Mrs. Filbin for an expression of opinion as to how many wished to keep the High School. A voice vote requested that a ballot be taken. The Moderator warned those present that this was merely an expression of opinion and not a legal ballot. Mrs. Filbin made the following motion: "I move that the people assembled here use one of the ballots given to us to vote "yes" or "no" whether we would like to have the High School in Hancock continued or not." The results of the ballot were as follows: Of the 219 votes cast, 119 were "yes" and 100 "no."

Discussions on Article No. 4 were resumed following which the issue was put to vote by ballot. The results were as follows: Votes cast, 135, of which 111 were "yes" and 24 "no." This did not constitute a legal vote in this meeting.

A motion to adjourn was made from the floor, seconded, and by voice voted affirmed at 12:45 A. M.

Given under our hands at said Hancock this 22 day of June 1954.

SPECIAL MEETING

Hancock School District

Authorized by the Presiding Justice of the Superior Court July 23, 1954, Hancock, N. H.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, W. J. Eva, at 8 P. M.

Warrant and certification read by Moderator.

Under Article 1: W. J. Eva read his own resignation dated June 14 "effective upon the election of a successor." W. J. Eva was nominated and refused the nomination. Robert English was then nominated followed immediately by a motion to close the nominations which was voted in the affirmative. It was moved, seconded, and affirmed that the Clerk cast one ballot for Robert English. He was sworn in by the outgoing Moderator.

Under Article 2: Moderator, Robert English, read this article. School Board Chairman, Otis Wilder, made the following motion: I move that the district raise and appropriate \$25,789 and to authorize and direct the school board to apply against said appropriation such income as is estimated by the school board exclusive of state aid, and upon the determination of the amount of state aid to be received by the school district during the next fiscal year, to authorize and direct the school board to apply against such appropriation the sum to be received from state aid and with the school district clerk certify to the selectmen the balance as an assessment to be raised by the town for school purposes." This motion was seconded.

Mr. Wilder also stated that the School Board has decided to take the Junior High over to the Elementary school building next year regardless of what plans are made for the High School

pupils.

Mr. Daly questioned the School Board still proposing the same budget when the will of the people as expressed in the vote at the June meeting showed them to be against this budget.

Mr. Charles Adams reported that the Advisory Committee

is 100% for the budget as proposed by the School Board.

Mr. Paul Daly offered the following amendment to the motion: "I move that the figure \$25,789 be amended and the figure \$36,263 be substituted." This was seconded.

After considerable discussion for both the amendment and the motion, the amendment was put to a vote with the following result: Total votes cast 176 with 108 "no" and 68 "yes."

Miss Cynthia Upton and Mr. Charles Adams were appointed

Ballot Clerks.

Voting was on printed ballots previously passed out.

Results of the vote on the original motion were as follows: Total votes cast 157 with 109 "yes" and 48 "no."

A motion to adjourn was voted affirmatively at 10:15 p. m.

S/ADELLA C. Eva, Clerk, pro tem

E. WARRANT

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Hancock qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 5th day of March, 1955, at 8:00 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 member of the School Board for the ensuing year.
 - 5. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- 6. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
- 7. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 8. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
- 9. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
- 10. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate \$650.00 for installing new floor covering in the kitchen and the intermediate grades room.
- 11. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate, in addition to the original appropriation for 1954-55, the sum of \$1,796.00 to be made available to the school district prior to July 1, 1955, in order to meet unanticipated obligations caused by increased transportation requirements, increased enrollments in high schools and repairs to the sub-floor structure in the new classroom.
 - 12. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board

to enter into a contract or contracts for not exceeding three years for the transportation of High School students from the Hancock Common to Peterborough High School, or take any other action relating thereto.

- 13. To see if the district will vote to elect its officers by an official ballot and to adopt the non-partisan ballot system as provided in Sections 112 to 120, Chapter 34 of the Revised Laws for such election.
- 14. To see if the district will vote to use a check list at future district meetings as provided in Section 11, Chapter 139 of the Revised Laws.
- 15. To see if the District will vote to establish a High School and raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,503 for same or take any other action relating thereto. (By petition.)
- 16. To see if the district will vote to request the lease for one year of the building, equipment, land, books, and other possessions owned by the Hancock Educational Association and used for the previous Hancock High School, and raise and appropriate \$1 (one dollar) therefor, in accordance with the vote of the Hancock Educational Association at its 1954 annual meeting, and authorize the School Board to complete the contract, or take any other action relating thereto. (By petition.)
- 17. If the district votes to establish a High School, to see if the district will vote to enlarge the membership of its school board, in accordance with Chapter 139, section 14, of the N. H. Revised Laws, and choose such additional members of the school board, or take any other action relating thereto. (By petition.)

Given under our hands at said Hancock this 14th day of February, 1955.

S/ OTIS H. WILDER

S/ CHRISTOPHER ADAMS

S/ ELIZABETH S. STROMBECK School Board

PART II. INSTRUCTION

A. Teachers as of January 31, 1955

| Teachers | Position | Salary Enrollment |
|---|---|--------------------------------|
| Har | ncock Elementary Scho | ol |
| Mavis W. Rutledge A. Virginia Walsh Elizabeth M. Merrill Donald G. Bostrom Gladys Newhall | Prin. Gr. 6-7-8 Grades 3-4-5 Grades 1-2 Art Supervisor, all gr. School nurse, all grade | |
| | ENROLLMENT Grade 1 Grade 2 Grade 3 Grade 4 Grade 5 Grade 6 Grade 7 Grade 8 | 70° 14 8 11 6 4 9 7 11 |
| | Total | 70 |

Due to the reorganization of the Elementary School and the addition of a new room to the Elementary School Building this year a new teacher has been added to the staff. She is Miss A. Virginia Walsh of West Roxbury, Massachusetts, who teaches Grades 3, 4 and 5. Mrs. Rutledge is principal again this year and teaches Grades 6, 7 and 8, and Miss Merrill due to the increased enrollment in the first and second grades teaches only the first two grades instead of grades 1, 2 and 3 as she did last year.

Mr. Filbin resigned as Art Supervisor in June to accept the position of Helping Teacher for the Supervisory Union. Donald G. Bostrom was employed as Art Supervisor. Due to the death of Mrs. Ola M. Myhaver in October Miss Gladys Newhall, R. N. was employed as school nurse. Due to the resignation of Dr. Fredrika Moore, a physician who has given the schools of Hancock faithful and meritorious service, Dr. Alfred Chandler was appointed physician.

B. Program and Methods

The hot lunch program was started in September and was terminated on October 12th due to the resignation of Mrs. Kierstead. It was reactivated on November 29th by Mrs. John A. Wirz of Greenfield as director.

This year Miss Merrill and Miss Walsh took reading courses in order that they might better help those children having difficulties with their reading.

Special visits were made to the town library by the boys and girls with their teachers in order that the children may become familiar with the use of the library.

Educational films pertaining to the course of studies have been shown weekly to the children.

A special program for Halloween with costumes, a parade and judges and prizes was presented at the school and at Christmas, carol singing by the children was conducted on the Common around the Community Tree.

A testing program was organized this year so that Achievement and Mental maturity tests are being given throughout all the grades.

PART III. SCHOOL PLANT

Due to the reorganization of the Elementary School a new room was added upstairs in this building next to the present lunch room and kitchen to house the 6th, 7th and 8th grades. The room was designed with the assistance of Mr. Paul Farnham of the State Office of Education and the general construction was carried out by Mr. Errol Simonds. The room is very attractive and useful with its storage cabinets, bulletin boards, sink and asphalt tile floor. In addition the hallway outside of the new classroom was painted. Mr. Filbin acted as color consultant in selecting the colors of the walls and the floor covering.

New swing equipment was installed on the playground and materials provided to fix the teeters.

PART IV. FINANCE

A. ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1954

| Cash on Hand July 1, 1953 Received from Selectmen: | | | \$943 | 68 |
|--|----------|----|------------------|----|
| Current Appropriation Received from State Treasurer: | \$34,944 | 00 | | |
| Federal Funds | 361 | 86 | | |
| Received from all other sources | 239 | 17 | | |
| Total Receipts | | | \$35,545 | 03 |
| Total Amount Available for Fiscal Less School Board Orders Paid | Year | | 36,488 36,048 | |
| 2000 20000 2000 4 01 4000 2 400 | | | | |
| Balance on Hand June 30, 1954 | | | \$440 | 32 |
| | - T-1 | ~ | | |

S/ ERROL A. SIMONDS

July 7, 1954

District Treasurer

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hancock of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1954 and find them correct in all respects.

s/ F. R. Hutchison

S/ HERMAN D. SCHLICHTING

July 23, 1954

Auditors

B. SCHOOL BOARD'S FINANCIAL REPORT AND BUDGETS

| A DARTHYOMD A MACON | Expended 1953-54 | Budget 1954-55 | Revised 1954-55 | Budget 1955-56 |
|---|---|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| ADMINISTRATION: 1. Salaries of Dist. Officers *2. Supt.'s Salary (local share) 3. Tax for State-Wide Super. 4. Salaries of other Admin. | | \$152 00 504 00 188 00 | \$152 00 504 00 188 00 | \$152 00 478 00 172 00 |
| Personnel 5. Supplies and Expenses Instruction: | 353 00 186 55 | $\begin{array}{ccc} 362 & 00 \\ 225 & 00 \end{array}$ | 362 00 375 00 | 345 00 238 00 |
| 6. Teachers' Salaries 7. Books & other Instruc. Aids 8. Scholars' Supplies 9. Salaries of Clerical Assistants | \$6,397 20 124 44 409 57 | \$9,550 00 350 00 700 00 | \$9,375 00 350 00 700 00 | \$10,250 00 340 00 680 00 |
| 10. Supplies & other Expenses | 201 09 | 228 00 | 228 00 | 329 00 |
| OPERATION: 11. Salaries of Janitors 12. Fuel or Heat 13. Water, Light, Supplies & Exp. | $\begin{array}{ccc} \$250 & 00 \\ 561 & 82 \\ 217 & 79 \end{array}$ | \$300 00 833 00 450 00 | \$300 00 833 00 450 00 | \$400 00 878 00 479 00 |
| MAINTENANCE: 14. Repairs and Replacements | \$898 18 | \$1,510 00 | \$1,510 00 | \$1,485 00 |
| AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES: 15. Health Supervision 16. Transportation 17. Tuition 18. Smith-Hughes George-Barden | \$249 77 3,029 75 19,320 00 | \$370 00 4,800 00 4,800 00 | \$420 00 5,940 00 5,400 00 | \$375 00 5,940 00 7,560 00 |
| Refund to High School 18a. School Lunch (Fed. & Dist. Fun | 458 54 nds) 605 36 | | | 200 00 |
| FIXED CHARGES: 19. Retirement 20. Ins., Treas. Bonds & Expenses | \$504 77 69 00 | \$796 00 423 00 | \$796 00 515 00 | \$842 255 00 00 |
| CAPITAL OUTLAY: 21. Land & New Buildings 22. Additions & Improvements 23. New Equipment 24. Payments into Capital Res. Fun | 144 00 | 2,800 00 413 00 | 3,450 00 413 00 | *650 00 63 00 |
| DEBT, INTEREST & OTHER CHAR 25. Principal of Debt 26. Interest on Debt 27. Contingency Fund | \$500 00 14 95 | \$380 00 5 00 250 00 | \$380 00 5 00 | 325 00 |
| Total Cash on Hand | \$35,809 22 440 32 | \$30,389 00 | \$32,646 00 | \$32,436 00 |
| Grand Total | \$36,249 54 | \$30,389 00 | \$32,646 00 | \$32,436 00 |
| Balance on Hand July 1 (Net) Federal Aid (School Lunch) Trust Fund | INCOME \$943 68 361 86 | | \$259 00 | 525 00 |
| Local Tax: current assessment Special assessment Deficiency | 34,194 00 750 00 | 25,789 00 4,600 00 | 25,530 00 4,600 00 1,796 00 | 31,261 00 650 00 |
| Total *Special Article in Warrant | \$36,249 54 | \$30,389 00 | \$32,646 00 | \$32,436 00 |

*Superintendent's Total Salary—1953-54

| Peterborough | \$1,707 00 |
|--------------|------------|
| Jaffrey | 1,674 00 |
| Dublin | 469 00 |
| *Hancock | 340 00 |
| Rindge | 373 00 |
| Sharon | 37 00 |
| State | 2,500 00 |
| Total | \$7,100 00 |

C. SCHOOL LUNCH FUND

July 1, 1953 to June 30, 1954

| RECEIPTS | | |
|--|---|------------|
| District General Fund Other Receipts Total Receipts Cash on Hand July 1, 1953 | \$160 43 2,541 44 2,701 87 11 | |
| Grand Total | | \$2,701 76 |
| PAYMENTS | | |
| High School Elementary Total Payments Cash on hand June 30, 1954 | \$1,045 01 1,567 52 2,612 53 89 23 | |
| Grand Total | | \$2,701 76 |

D. *NOTIFICATION OF SCHOOL ASSESSMENT, 1954

EXPENDITURES

| Current Expenditures | \$24,991 | 00 |
|---------------------------------------|----------|----|
| Capital Outlay: | | |
| New Equipment | 413 | |
| Debt and Interest | 385 | 00 |
| Special Appropriations | | |
| Additions and Improvements | 2,800 | 00 |
| Transportation of Students to H. S. | 1,800 | 00 |
| July 23, 1954 | | |
| Original budget of March (shown above | e) | |
| rescinded June 11, and reinstated | | |
| July 23 at Special Meeting authorized | | |
| by Court. | | |
| Total Appropriation | | |

\$30,389 00

RECEIPTS

Balance, June 30, 1954—Less Liabilities

(estimate) \$259 00

Assessment Required to Meet School

District Appropriation 30,130 00

Total Appropriation

\$30,130 00

AUTHORIZATION TO ISSUE BONDS NONE

CERTIFICATES

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized, and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriation made at the annual meeting of the Hancock school district held July 23, 1954.

s/ Adella C. Eva

August 10, 1954

Clerk of the School District

TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION:

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the financial proceedings of the district for the year 1954-55, and that copies of this statement have been filed with the chairman of the board of selectmen and entered in the records of the school board in accordance with N. H. Laws of 1951, Chapter 37, Section 2.

S/ OTIS H. WILDER

August 10, 1954

Chairman of the School Board

*As amended by State Tax Commission August 23, 1954

PART V. CHILD ACCOUNTING

A. PROMOTION TO HIGH SCHOOL

The following four pupils were promoted to High School in June 1954, as compared with seven in 1953 and six in 1952:

Patricia Daly, Paula Daly, Raymond Kendall and Robert Stahl.

B. GRADUATION FROM HIGH SCHOOL

The following four pupils were graduated from High School in June 1954:

Shirley Dow, Loretta Forest, Virginia Johnston and Forest Weston.

C. HIGH SCHOOL TUITIONS

The Hancock School District is responsible for tuition for eighteen secondary school pupils who are currently enrolled in

schools as follows:

Peterborough High School, Peterborough, N. H.: Ernest R. Adams, Nellie A. Smith, Roberta Daly, Gale F. Hennessy, Robert W. Kierstead, Earl E. Cowan, Ann S. Fisher, Edward Mulhall, Amy Wildes, Patricia F. Daly, Paula L. Daly, Raymond H. Kendall, David J. Luster, Robert W. Stahl.

Marlboro High School, Marlboro, N. H.: Patricia Higgins,

Gloria Hugron, Dorothy Weston, Kathryn Weston

D. STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1954

| | High | Elem. |
|--|--------|--------|
| | (9-12) | (1-8) |
| Number of Pupils Registered | 16 | 71 |
| Average number of days school in session | 173 | 173 |
| Average membership | 15.76 | 65.81 |
| Average Attendance | 14.03 | 58.93 |
| Aggregate number of ½ days all pupils | | |
| were in school | 5452 | 22,772 |
| Per cent of attendance | 89.03 | 89.54 |
| Av. No. of days each pupil was in school | 153.3 | 168.4 |
| Non-resident pupils (tuition) | 1 | 0 |
| Pupils transported at District Expense | 8 | 43 |

E. Census—September 1954:

| | Age | Number |
|---------|--|--|
| | 0-1 | 24 |
| | | 8 |
| | 3 | 15 |
| | 4 | 9 |
| | 5 | 6 |
| | 6 | 14 |
| | 7 | $\begin{array}{c} 14 \\ 7 \end{array}$ |
| | 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 | 9 5 |
| | 9 | 5 |
| | 10 | 10 8 7 |
| | 11 | 8 |
| | 12 | 7 |
| | 13 | 7 |
| | 14 15 | 11 |
| | 15 | 10 |
| | 16 | 6 |
| | 17 | 6 8 7 |
| Through | n 18 | 7 |
| | | |

Total 171

The total last year was 168

PART VI. AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL REPORTS

A. HEALTH

On October 8, 1954 I accepted the position of Nurse-Teacher for Hancock. Between this date and the end of the year, physical examinations have been started, a dental clinic has been held, and the audiometer examinations for hearing have been started.

The breakdown of my work to date is as follows:

| down of my work to date is as | 10110111 |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Physical examinations | 68 |
| Height & Weight | 68 |
| Defects | 41 |
| Dental Clinic (Children) | 11 |

My appreciation is expressed to the different individuals and organizations that have offered their assistance in the many

health problems of the school.

I would like, also, to express my appreciation to the teachers for their cooperation and interest in the field of health. Their alertness for health defects of the children is most commendable. With this awareness of the "whole child" our health education of the future will be secure. Maybe, in the future when you see a child going into a doctor's office and you ask her if she is ill, she will reply, "Oh, no, I'm going to the doctor to see how well I am."

Respectfully submitted, S/ GLADYS NEWHALL, R. N. B. S., Ed. M.

B. Helping Teacher's Report

WHO . . .

is your helping teacher and what does he do? This is a natural question which is ably answered in the Laws of New Hampshire Relating to Public Schools. It can be paraphrased as follows:

The helping teacher... is defined as a teacher with specific

training and experience which will enable her or him to:

1. Give helpful advice, counsel and assistance to teachers, pupils and parents of a school system as a constructive means of improving the educational growth and development of children.

2. Help solve pupil problems of retardation and mal-

adjustment.

3. Adopt (adapt?) the program of studies to meet the needs of the children and the community.

4. Bring resources outside of the school to classroom

teachers, pupils and parents and community.

5. Act as a consultant to the entire staff and community in recognition of the educational needs.

WHAT . . .

are some of the things the helping teacher has been doing

since July of this year?

a. Contacting, interviewing and recommending many of the 29 new teachers, principals, supervisors and nurses in the Supervisory Union (42 interviewed.)

b. Developing a Handbook of rules and regulations for all

teachers and principals in the Supervisory Union.

c. Preparing a Bulletin for new teachers and monthly newsletters for all teachers offering suggestions for the improvement of instruction and public relations.

d. Working with press representatives and school principals in the attempt to get better and more school news in the paper.

e. Working directly with teachers in the rooms (240 visits.)
This includes:

1. Supervision

2. Bringing in instructional materials.

3. Helping with problems.

f. Working with principals and groups of teachers to discuss the improvement of courses of study and instruction.

g. Working with teachers who had specific problems in the

classroom.

h. Demonstration teaching.

i. Working with teachers in helping to determine those children who have reading difficulties.

j. Working with the guidance directors to help establish a

uniform and worthwhile testing system in our schools.

k. Working with child welfare—individual conferences with parents, children and teachers.

1. Attended Conferences on Remedial Reading.

m. Worked on planning color schemes and floor tiles in three towns of the supervisory union where new construction or remodeling went on.

n. Attended School Board Meetings.

o. Participated in P. T. A. discussion groups.

p. Participated in Supervisory Union Teachers Association in the capacity of President.

q. Worked with Committee of Specialists in examining chil-

dren under the required age for school entrance. What are some of the things observed . . .

1. In general there seems to be a splendid professional attitude on the part of principals and teachers to do the best possible job with the resources they have to work with. Many principals and teachers are spending long hours evaluating what is being done and trying to improve it. Many teachers are taking courses to gain a better understanding and to broaden their concepts of teaching.

2. There are some problems which seem to have no special

answer at the present time. They are as follows:

a. The retarded child: There are 46 children in the Super-

visory Union who could be classified as retarded. These children should be in special classes with a teacher especially trained to teach them things which will help them to become more useful citizens. There is no real provision made for these children now and I certainly recommend that a study be made

to determine what can be done to help these children.

b. Approximately 10% of the children in our schools have what is termed Specific Reading Disability. These children cannot learn to read by the ordinary methods of reading instruction. It is not because they are unintelligent but because they do not have the necessary ability to learn by normal methods of instruction. These children are very often very intelligent children. They need special individual help in learning to read. If these children are to develop properly, they are going to have to learn to read properly. Some consideration should be given to providing a person specifically trained to work directly with the children in this group. I would recommend, because of the seriousness of this problem, that some action be taken to provide a person qualified to do this work in the different towns of the Supervisory Union.

There are at least 62 known cases in the Supervisory Union of children with average and above average intelligence who are reading at approximately two years below grade level. I believe more will be discovered when we secure the results of reading tests yet to be administered in some of our schools. It is reasonable to assume these children do have Specific Reading Disability and need assistance outside of their regular classes in reading. This seems most imperative when one realizes that without skill in reading children cannot make the proper pro-

gress in their other subjects.

c. In expanding our two high schools we are employing a larger staff which in some measure provides for a more varied curriculum to take care of the needs of all the boys and girls in the schools. There is need, however, for a further study of the curriculum to insure that it is properly co-ordinated in all its departments. This is a natural situation in a period of expansion and while no definite answers have been arrived at yet, the Superintendent, principals and faculties are working on this problem.

The role of the Helping Teacher is a varied and interesting one. The response from school boards, principals, teachers, parents, children and community organizations has been most

gratifying.

As the new year approaches I am looking forward to my work and hope in some measure to accomplish the objectives outlined for the Helping Teacher.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT FILBIN
Helping Teacher

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Hancock, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1953

| | 13 |
|-----------------------------|---|
| | Mass |
| Birthplace of Mother | Hancock Hancock Hancock Dedhan, Mass. Troy Hancock |
| Birthplace of Father | Antrim Hancock Wilmington, Del. Gardner, Mass. Canterbury Peterborough Dublin Concord Concord Concord Concord Peterborough Peterborough Peterborough Peterborough |
| Occupation of Father | Electrician Fireman Engi. Politics Basket maker Handy man Teacher Carpenter Machine oper. Machine oper. Machine oper. Laborer Farmer |
| Residence of Parents | Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock Hancock |
| Maiden Name of Mother | Nellie Harrington Marjorie G. Bumford Edith A. Rose Mary T. Joynt Barbara Chamberlain Eleanor D. Thomas Elean J. Johnson Erma J. Johnson Erma J. Johnson Erma J. Johnson Erma J. Johnson Grandler G. Klickey |
| Name of Father | Edward Mulhall Warren R. Perry Robert N. Pyle Robert H. Pickard Charles H. Pickard Thomas B. Manning Ronald H. McDonald H. Ronald H. McDonald H. Ronald H. McDonald H. Norman E. Hill Norman E. Hill Lawrence G. Paquette |
| No. Child | 844844444 |
| Sex | #22###2##2#2 HHHHHHHHHHHH |
| Name of Child | Grace Blizabeth Mulhall I B. Michael Warren Perry I B. Mark Cammann Pyle I J. Mark Cammann Pyle I J. Mark Cammann Pyle I J. Mark Lloyd Fahrfiel B. Patricia Ann Manning I She Ann McDonald I Sue Ann McDonald I B. Mary Jean Marie Hill I Sandra Marie Hill I Sandra Marie Hill |
| Date of Birth | 1954 Jan. 14 Feb. 6 Feb. 6 Sept. 10 Oct. 25 Oct. 25 Nov. 11 Nov. 11 Nov. 11 Nov. 11 Nov. 11 |

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

DANIEL O. DEVENS, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hancock, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1954

| : | | | | | |
|---|---|--|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| Residence of Each at time of Marriage | Occupation | Place of Birth of Each | Names of Parents | Birthplace of Parents | Name and Residence of Person by Whom Married |
| lge, | I Insurance | Pennsylvania | Henry H. Miller | Pennsylvania | Thomas H. Billings |
| Belmont, Mass. 4 | 10 Assistant Adm. | New Hampshire | Edward O. Hubbard | Massachusetts | Clergyman |
| Hancock 2 | 22 Laborer | Marlboro | Katherine A. Darcy George E. Hill | Ireland Massachusetts | Thomas H. Billings |
| S. Lyndeboro | 18 At home | Prentice, Me. | Lloyd B. McLaughlin | Reene Prentice, Me. | Ulergyman Hancock |
| Hancock 2 | 24 Tack maker | Athol, Mass. | Adelard Dugnay | Maine New Brunswick | Archie M. Swett |
| Grasmere 1 | 19 Student nurse | Norwood, Mass. | Marie in oella | Milford | Justice of the Feace |
| Hancock 2 | 28 Laborer | Wilder, Vt. | David Higgins | Unknown | Thomas H. Billings |
| Suncook 2 | 22 Nurses helper | Concord | ouch | Salisbury | Clergyman Hancock |
| Ronald H. McDonald, Jr Hancock | 25 Laborer | Concord | onald | Shemeld, Eng. Nova Scotia | Algie A. Holt |
| Hancock 3 | 33 Domestic | Hancock | Josephine Longo Fred O. Johnson | Concord Hancock | Justice of the Feace Peterborough |
| Peterborough 2 | 25 Signal Corps | Chester, Penn. | Mary Miller Hubert C. Verhey | Jacket Kiver, N. B. Holland | Thomas H. Billings |
| Hancock 2 | 25 Teacher | Peterborough | | Holland Unity | Clergyman Hancock |
| Bethany, Conn. | 23 Medical Stud. | | Mary E. Weston Edward T. Wakeman | Boston, Mass. New York | Thomas H. Billings |
| Up. Montelair, | 22 Student | Boston, Mass. | | Fortland, Oregon Saugus, Mass. | William W. Hastings Clergymen |
| Hancock | 54 Lumberman | Lamque, N. B. | Alice Hastings Joseph Duguay | Springfield, Mass. Lamque, N. B. | Thomas P. Mason |
| Jaffrey | 54 Jaffrey mills | Wilton | Luce M. Chaisson | Kınsey Falls, F. Q. | Catholic Friest Bennington |
| Hancock 2 | 22 Laborer | Hancock | Lawrence L. Paquette | Hancock | Thomas H. Billings |
| Greenfield 1 | 18 Clerk | Peterborough | | Canada Andover N. Swansea, Mass. | Clergyman Hancock |
| | Cambridge, Mass. Mass. Belmont, Mass. Hancock Grasmere Hancock Hancock Hancock Betrany, Conn. Dp. Montclair, N. J. Hancock Baffrey Hancock Bethany, Conn. Hancock Hancock Bethany, Conn. Hancock Jaffrey Hancock Greenfield | ge, 51 Insurance Mass. 40 Assistant Adm. 22 Laborer 24 Tack maker 28 Laborer 28 Laborer 29 Nurses helper 22 Nurses helper 25 Laborer 25 Laborer 26 Laborer 27 Teacher 27 Teacher 27 Teacher 27 Teacher 27 Teacher 28 Jaffrey mills 27 Lumberman 34 Jaffrey mills 27 Laborer 38 Medical Stud. 39 Clerk | 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 | ge, 51 Insurance Pennsylvania Henry H. Miller Assistant Adm. New Hampshire Edward O. Hubbard Student nurse 19 Student nurse 19 Student nurse 22 Nurses helper 25 Laborer 25 Laborer 25 Signal Corps 31 Domestic Concord By Concord Concord Cospension Mary By Marie Noella Concord By Concord Cospension Mary Miller Concord Cospension Cospension Mary Miller Cospension Edward T. Wright Cospension Mary Miller Cospension Edward T. Wright Cospension Edward T. Wright Cospension Mary E. Weston Edward T. Wright Mary E. Weston Edward T. Weston Edward T. Weston Asson Edward T. Weston Edward T. Weston Mary E. Weston Edward T. Weston Edw | ge, 51 Insurance Pennsylvania Henry H. Miller Garge of Barch Names of Farents of Each Assistant Adm. New Hampshire Edward O. Hubbard Edward O. Hubbard Marbbard Marbbard Marbbard Marboro 18 At home Prentice, Mc. Loyd B. McLaughlin Viola O'Hara Athol, Mass. Adelard Duguay Marie Noella Norwood, Mass. Marie Noella Concord Concord Concord Concord Consol Mary Miller Concord Signal Corps Chester, Penn. Clarina Pikar I. McDonald Josephine Longo Consol Mary Miller Concord Cosphine Longo Consol Mary Miller Concord Cosphine Longo Consol Mary Miller Concord Cosphine Longo Carina Pikar I. Wright Conn. 23 Medical Stud. Peterborough Carina Pikar I. Esile H. Wright Mary E. Wastom Edward T. Wastom Mary E. Wastom Edward T. Wastom Mary E. Wastom Edward T. Wastom Mary E. Wastom Mary E. Wastom Edward T. Wastom Mary E. Wastom Edward T. Wastom Mary E. Wastom |

| Thomas H. Billings | Hancock | Thomas H. Billings | Hancock | E. M. Jones | Milford |
|--------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| Ē | | T | | 田 | |
| Odessa, Russia | Vienna, Austria | Hancock | Loudon | Peterborough | Mason P.E.I., Canada |
| Max Wiener | AlexanderGershenkron | William Weston, Sr. | Frank L. Merrill | Daniel O. Devens | Fred L. Brown Emily A. Vatcher |
| Newark, N. J. | Vienna, Austria | Unity | Pittsfield | Gardner, Mass. | Mason |
| 24 Student | | 26 Farming | 25 Teacher | 48 Fire Fighter | 41 Nurse |
| Maplewood, | Cambridge, | Hancock | Loudon | Hancock | Mason |
| Anton Wiener | Jancock Susan H. Gershenkron | Dec. 18 William Weston, Jr. | fancock Elizabeth M. Merrill | Richard U. Devens | dilford Helena Brown |
| Dec. 18 | Hancock | Dec. 18 | Hancock | Dec. 31 | Milford |

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

DANIEL O. DEVENS, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Hancock, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1954

| Maiden Name of Mother | Mary E. Welsh Phebe Wilson Mary Deyo Bunice Simpson Lois Due Lida Sibley Katherine Sibel Emily Lombard Ema Jean Johnson Mary Cody | Susan G. Copp Unknown Adaline Denton Nancy Merriam Frances Pape |
|---------------------------------|---|--|
| Name of Father | Edward T. Mulhall James W. Goodhue George Patterson Joseph Dorry Charles Hart William H. Murphy Karl Bartholomew William B. Caponald H. McDonald H. McDonald Thomas W. Shea | Warren Stearns ———————————————————————————————————— |
| Occupation | M S Farmer F S Retired Teacher M W Wood Industry M W Paper Maker M W Vocal Solois M M Vocal Solois M M Bockeeper M M Bockeeper M M Designer F Died on day of birth M W Permer | or Burial F W At home F W Al flousework F S Housekeeper M W Physician M M Unknown |
| Condition | A ZZZESEW | Masses Bu |
| | 3 | _ |
| Place of Birth | 73 Hancock 94 Nelson 68. Keene 62. Bear River, N. S. 89 Hancock 69 Springfield, Mass. 70 Toronto, Canada Peterborough 85 Bennington R. C. College Point, N. Y. 86 Hancock 87 Peterborough 88 Peterborough | State |
| | u | <u> </u> |
| Name and Surname of Deceased | Harry William Muhall Lettie Wilson Goodhue Charles Edward Patterso Hward Dorry Frank Hart H. Lambert Murphy Robert Bartholomew Charles Reginald Capon Mary Jean McDonald | Nettie I. E. Davis Hattie Martin Helen M. Holden John Wesley Coolidge Herbert H. Larkin Helen Weston Tuttle Myron R. Akott |
| Place of Death | Hancock Peterborough Peterborough Peterborough Hanchin | 23 Nashua 3 Concord 31 Hanover 17 Charlesrown 31 Hanover Tarpon Springs Fla. No. Reading Mass. |
| Date of Death | 1954 Jan. 4 Jan. 24 Jan. 24 Jan. 24 Jeb. 19 Feb. 19 Feb. 10 July 16 July 24 Oct. 2 Nov. 11 Dec. 19 | June 23 Mar. 3 May 31 May 17 Mar. 31 |

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

DANIEL O. DEVENS, Town Clerk

INVOICE AND TAXES

of the Residents of Hancock, N. H.

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|---|-------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------|------------------------|
| Adams, Charles E | \$5 | Home place, 193a\$3700 2 horses100 | | | |
| Adams, Beth M | \$5 | 7 cows | -\$4650 | \$ 2 | \$162 75 |
| Adams, Christopher & Susan Adams, Ernest L | \$10 \$5 | Residence, 9/10a 5000 Knights place, 3a 3800 1 cow 100 | 5000 3900 | | 179 00 136 50 |
| Adams, Everett E | \$5 | Wilder land, 9a | 100 500 | \$2 | 3 50 17 50 |
| Adams, Hazel B | \$5 \$5 \$5 | | | \$2 \$2 | |
| Avery, Melzer I., Heirs Avers, Howard & Helena B | • • • | Home place, 6a | 1475 | : : | 52 50 88 21 50 |
| Acampora, Elizabeth T | \$5 \$10 | Part of Ware place, 10a2200 Soldiers' exemption \$1000 | | \$2 | |
| Baldwin, Persis M Barrett, Charles | \$5 | Residence, 3a .10000 Williamson land, 20a 200 Foster place, 4a 2500 | 10200 2500 | \$2 \$2 | 359 00 89 50 |
| Barrett, Lillian Barthlein, Clara Heirs Bergethon, Odvard M | \$5 \$5 | Part of Johnson farm, 12a 600 | 600 | | 21 00 |
| Bergethon, Priscilla G Bernard, Willie J. & Mildred. Billings, Thomas H. & | \$5 \$10 | | 500 3800 | \$4 | 21 50 133 00 |
| Hadley, Frances W Bainton, Herbert J. & Edith | \$10 | Woods land, $4/10a$ 500 Cottage, $2\frac{1}{2}a$ 1000 House lot, $18/10a$ 100 | 500 1000 100 | \$4 | 17 50 35 00 3 50 |
| Bemis, Robert LBlanchette, Gustave & Delia. | \$5 \$10 | Cottage | 250 3800 | \$4 | 10 75 137 00 |
| Blood, Kenneth | \$5 \$5 | Warner place, 50a 6500 | 6500 | \$2 | 227 50 |
| Bradley, Bessie F | \$5 | A. G. Brooks land, 10a 150 Part of Spaulding place, 10a 200 Heater field, 1a 100 | 150 200 100 | \$2 | 5 25 7 00 5 50 |
| Bradley, C. Stuart & BessieF. Bradley, Ruth A Belfour, David J. & Beatrice. | \$5 \$10 | Residence, 3a | 5500 | \$2 \$4 | 194 50 |
| Briggs, Lloyd C | | Part of Felch farm, 8a 500 Ox pasture, 30a 900 | 500 900 | | 17 50 31 50 |

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|---|----------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|---|
| , | | Island pasture, 100a 1000 Prospect Hill, 300a 2000 Woods pasture, 91a 400 Matthews pasture, 30a 100 Davis pasture, 90a 300 | $ \begin{array}{c c} 2000 \\ 400 \\ 100 \\ 300 \end{array} $ | | 35 00 70 00 14 00 3 50 10 50 |
| Brooks, Roger Brooks, Marie Brown, Alice M. Brown, E. Foye. Brown, Agnes A. | \$5 \$5 \$5 \$5 | Balcom place, 8a | 2200 3000 200 | \$2 \$2 \$2 \$2 | 79 00 105 00 7 00 |
| Brown, Ida S., Heirs Brown, Ida M Brown, Ray | \$5 \$5 | Cottage at L. Nubanusit, 1a 1800 House & land, Old Dublin Rd., 19/10a 3000 Cottage at L. Nubanusit, 1a 2600 | 3000 | \$2 | 63 00 105 00 56 00 |
| Brown, Harriett | \$5 \$10 | Soldiers' exemption \$1000 1/3 Eaton lot 200 Owens place, 1a 2000 | 200 | | 7 00 74 00 |
| Burtt, Florence H. Brown, Wm. W. & Helen W. Capon, Chas. R. & Gladys S. Cary, Mabel B. Case, Harold & Edith Cashion, Julia M. | \$10 \$5 \$10 \$5 | Fogg farm, 50a. 3000 Fuller place, ½a. 4500 Stone farm, 90a. 3500 Bowers place, 110a. 1200 Nancy Fogg place, ¼a. 3000 | 4500 3500 1200 3000 | \$4 \$4 \$2 \$4 \$2 | 112 00 109 00 161 50 124 50 46 00 107 00 |
| Ceres, Frederick & Marie M. Chalke, Richard S. Chalke, Martha A. Chamberlain, Lewis Chamberlain, Louise Chase, Howard N. | \$15555555 \$\$\$555 | Residence, 34a 4500 Trombly land 100 Bosely land, 10a 500 Residence 12a 2000 | 100 500 | \$2 \$2 \$2 | 159 50 5 50 19 50 |
| Chase, Daisy F | \$5 \$10 \$5 | Wood and lumber 60 Butler land, 78a 300 Residence, 16a 2300 | 2060 300 2300 | \$2 \$4 | 72 10 10 50 |
| Colby, Charles Coburn, Ralph S. Cossette, Eli Coville, Gilbert G. Cragin, Mary | \$5 \$5 \$5 \$5 | Burtt land, 3a | 75 100 | 521 | 2 63 5 50 |
| Crowell, Wendell D. Crowell, Pauline. Currier, F. Helen Currier, Janice E. Curtiss, Will | \$5 \$5 \$5 \$5 | Residence, $\frac{1}{8}$ a3500Residence, 12 a2400Brooks place, 25 a800Elliot land, 2 a75 | 2400 8 800 8 75 | 32 . 32 | 122 50 86 00 30 00 2 62 |
| | | Boseley land, 10a 150 George Hill land 100 Brooks land, 30a 60 | 150 100 60 | | 5 25 3 50 2 10 |

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|--|------------|---|-------------------------|----------|--|
| | | | | | |
| Casey, Charles J., Jr | | | | | |
| Casey, Beatrice | \$5 | | | \$2 | |
| Clark, Virginia | | | | \$2 | |
| Daly, Paul & Theresa | \$10 | Residence, 56a 3300 | 3300 | \$4 | 119 50 |
| Daniels, Arthur N. & | | Residence, 160a 4300 | | | 150 50 |
| Guernette, Leonora Daniels, Delores D | | Knights land, 100a 300 | | \$2 | 10 50 |
| dePierrefeu, Elsa T | | Nelson place, 9a 3000 | 3000 | ψ. | 105 00 |
| Dennison, William K. & | | 7 | | | 4 40 00 |
| Florence H | 0.5 | Residence, $\frac{1}{2}a$ | 4000 | \$2 | 140 00 |
| Davenport, James H Devens, Daniel O | | Residence, ½a | 2800 | φΔ | 98 00 |
| Devens, Richard U | \$5 | | | :: | |
| Dillon, Alfred J. & Augusta | \$10 | Wheeler place, 191a 4000 | 4000 | | 144 00 |
| Dodge, Herman L. & Annie | | Part of Kimball place, 40a 250 Dow place, 35a 3300 | | | 8 75 115 50 |
| Dorry, Howard, Est | | House lot, 2a 200 | | | 7 00 |
| Dufusing Charten & Ethal | \$10 | Dogidon ao Vo | 1500 | | 56 50 |
| Dufusing Harry & Mildred | @1A | Wilds land, 5a. 200 Residence, ½a. 1800 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | 200 800 | | $\begin{array}{ccc} 7 & 00 \\ 30 & 00 \end{array}$ |
| Dullame, Harry & Whateu | φισ | Soldiers' exemption \$1.000 | 200 | ΨΔ | 30 00 |
| | | Hill land, Iba 300 | 300 | | 10 50 |
| Dufusius Bankana | | Bowers land, $15a$ 100 House and land, $\frac{1}{2}a$ 500 | | | 3 50 19 50 |
| Dufraine, Barbara Dufraine, Shirley G | \$5 | House and land, ½a 500 | | \$2 | 19 50 |
| Duguay, Adelard S | \$5 | | | \$2 | |
| Duguay, Neola M | \$5 | G. d | | | 00 00 |
| Duguay, Raymond | \$5 | Claffin place, ¼a 1800 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | 800 | • • | 28 00 |
| Duguay, Wilfred J | \$5 | Hugron land & buildings. 700 | | | |
| | | Soldiers' exemption \$700 | 1 | | F0 F0 |
| Dunbar, Perley W | \$5 | Residence, ½a | 1500 | | 52 50 |
| Dunbar, Luella F | \$5 | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | | \$2 | |
| Dunbar, Harriet C | \$5 | | | \$2 | |
| Duncan, Helen L | \$5 | | | \$2 | |
| Rose M | \$15 | | | φυ | |
| Engstrom, Philip & Mildred. | \$10 | Residence, 2a 5000 | 5000 | \$4 | 179 00 |
| English, Robert | \$5 | Eaton farm, 126a 4800 | | 00 | 170 59 |
| English, Anita | Q 5 | 2 sheep | | | 170 53 $12 50$ |
| Eustis, Richard S. & | மு | Terry land | | 1 | 12 00 |
| Margaret R | \$10 | Buxton place, 3a 3000 | | | 107 00 |
| Eva, Wm. J., Jr. & Adella C | \$10 | 3000 Moore place, 130a 2400 Home place, 100a 3000 | | \$4 | 88 00 |
| Fairfield, Alfred C | \$9 | Home place, 100a 3000 5 cows 500 | | | |
| | | 400 fowls | 3900 | | 138 50 |
| | | Kimball place, 50a 2800 | | | 98 00 |
| | | Ware meadow, 4a 100 Simonds meadow, 6a 150 | | | $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ |
| | | Trombly camp 150 | 150 | ١ | $5\overline{25}$ |
| Fairfield, Louisa R | \$5 | | | \$2 | |
| Fairfield, Alton G | \$5 | i ¹ | l | \$2 | |

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|--|-------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------|--|
| Fairfield, Charles | \$5 | Cottage 400 Soldiers' exemption \$400 | | | |
| Fairfield, RuthFarnham, Milton & Ethel H Filbin, Robert & Eva | \$5 \$10 | Residence, 2a | 3200 2000 | \$2 \$4 \$2 | 116 00 72 00 |
| Finan, Roy W | \$5 | W. A. Sheldon place, 2a. 2000 Eaton land, 28a | 2000 150 | \$2 | $\begin{array}{ccc} 72 & 00 \\ 5 & 25 \end{array}$ |
| Fish, Robert L. & | \$5 | Residence, ½a 3000 Soldiers' exemption \$1000 | 2000 | | 70 00 |
| Fisher, Edna L Fisher, William G | \$5 \$5 | | | \$2 | |
| Fisher, Lena O | \$5 | M. E. Edwards place, 1a. 1700 Otis land, 4a 300 | 1700 300 | \$2 | 61 50 10 50 |
| Fogg, George H | | Residence, 6a | 4000 | | 140 00 |
| Fogg, Simon S., Heirs Foote, Willis A., Sr | | Woodland, $3a$ | 50 | | 1 75 |
| Foote, Willis A., Jr., & Maude A. | \$10 | 50 Fowl | | | 64 75 23 00 |
| Fuller, Edward Abbott, Est Fuller, Harold S. & Audry T | ėi. | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 Brown place, 11a 2500 Brown land, 9a 500 | 2500 500 | | 87 50 21 50 |
| Frazier, Mary | \$5 | | | | |
| Fisherman, Rebecca L Forbush, Bernard C | \$5 \$5 | | . | \$2 | |
| Forbush, Katherine C | \$5 | Residence, 1a 2000 | | • • | |
| , | | 1 horse | | \$2 | 37 88 |
| Gleason, Fred A | | Hayden pl. & garage, ½a 5000 1 Portable mill 500 | | | |
| | | Wood & Lumber 2000 Stock in trade 1000 Barrows land, 9a 500 | 8500 500 | | 297 50 17 50 |
| | | Whitaker land, 1a 150 Goodhue land, 2a 200 | 150 200 | ۱, , ا | 5 25 7 00 |
| Gleason, Charles A | \$5 | Gatto land, $10a \dots 200$ | 200 | | 7 00 |
| Gleason, Velma | \$5 | Residence, 1a | 3000 | \$4 | 107 00 |
| Gilman, Lawrence | | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 Newell place, 1a 2200 | 2200 | | 77 00 |
| Grew, Joseph C | | Mary Gray cottage, 1a 800 Birch Ridge cottage, 6a 3500 | 800 3500 |] | 28 00 122 50 10 50 |
| Gullefer, Dwight B | | Part of Tuttle farm, 38a300 1 neat stock | 300 160 | | 7 60 |
| Gullefer, Mabel L | | Dutton lot, 42a | 400 200 | | 14 00 7 00 |
| Goodridge, Edw. & Alice Goodhue, Lettie W., Est | \$5 | Residence, ¾a | 4500 3500 | \$2 | $159 50 \\ 122 50$ |
| Gunther, Elizabeth C. & John F. G., Heirs Graham, Ann G. | \$5 | Lavoie place, 1a | 2600 100 | \$2 | $93 00 \\ 3 50$ |
| Graham, Ann G | \$5 | | | \$2 | |

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|--|---------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Goodwin, Ernest N | 1 \$5 | Residence, 24a | | \$2 \$2 | |
| Haas, John J | \$5 | 1 hog 25 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 Residence, 10a 1700 3 cows 300 | 325 | | 11 38 35 00 |
| Hanson, Charles E | \$5 \$5 | Soldiers' exemption \$1000 | | \$2 | |
| Haas, Blanche | | Robinson farm, 116a 2500 Residence, 1a 2500 Residence, 1/32 4500 | $2500 \\ 2500$ | \$2 | 87 50 89 50 124 50 |
| Hancock Company Hancock Historical Soc | | Residence, 1/3a 4500 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 Mills & machinery 10000 Priest House, 1/5a 2000 | 10000 2000 | | 350 00 70 00 |
| Hanson, William E | \$5 \$5 \$5 | Blood house, 1/5a | | \$2 | 89 50 70 00 |
| Hanson, Clarence A Hanson, Barbara | \$5 | Part of Seaver pl., 55a 750 Soldiers' exemption \$750 | | | |
| Hamiltón, Earle R. & Sidney A | \$10 | Lindsay place, 125a 7000 Pasture, 3a 150 | 7000 | \$4 | 249 00 |
| Harrington, Walter & Natalienne J Hastings, J. Winthrop | \$10 | 1 horse | 1500 | \$4 | 56 50 |
| Hastings, Elizabeth Haskell, Helen G Hennessey, Richard | \$5 | Hadley place, 85a 2500 | 2500 | \$2 | 87 50 |
| Hennessey, Bessie | \$5 \$5 \$5 | | | \$2 \$2 \$2 | |
| Higgins, Clarence, Sr Higgins, Pearl Higgins, Clarence, Jr | \$5 | Residence | | \$2 | 7 00 |
| Higgins, Willis H Hill, Edith M. & Farnham, Ethel H | \$5 | Dorry place, 26a 2500 Residence, 3a 3000 Thomson land, 1½a 50 | 2500 3000 ·50 | \$2 | 87 50 107 00 1 75 |
| Hill, George E. Hill, Dorothea. Hill, John A., Est. | \$5 \$5 | Rice pasture, 15a 50 Residence, 4a 750 Woodward place, 3a 5000 | 50 | \$2 \$2 | 1 75 28 25 |
| | | Spaulding meadow, 12a 35 Duncan land, 6a 25 Weston meadow, 5a 25 | 35 25 25 | | 1 23 87 88 |
| Hill, Leah M | \$5 \$10 \$10 | Residence, 1a. 3000 Residence, 18a. 2500 | | \$2 \$4 | 109 00 54 50 |

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|--|-------------|---|---|------------|---|
| Hitchings, Irving B. & Margaret Holsaert, Patricia | | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 Seaver land, 5a 100 Sawyer place, 11a 2700 Comstock land, 6a 150 Residence, 15a 550 Tuttle land & garage, 13a 500 Store building, 1/5a 1400 | 100 2700 150 5500 500 1400 | \$4 \$2 | 3 50 98 50 5 25 194 50 17 50 49 00 |
| Hjort, Alfred & Jennie Homan, Robert L Hubbard, Fred S. & Katherine D | | Upton store building, ¾a 1400 Roche land, 3½a 300 Residence, 3a 4000 Residence, 4a 1800 Cavender farm, 25a 2000 2 horses 100 | 1400 300 4000 1800 | \$2 | 49 00 10 50 142 00 63 00 |
| Hubbard, Reginald & | | 7 cows 700 160 fowls 160 Dennis land, 30a 300 Foley land, 3a 100 | 2960 300 100 | | 103 60 10 50 3 50 |
| Lillian M | | Residence 4500 | 4500 | | 157 50 |
| Katherine K | \$5 | Seaver place, 20a 4500 Fogg place, ½a 6000 Knight land, 38a 500 1 horse 75 | 4500 6000 | | 161 50 212 00 |
| | | 1 cow 100 | 675 750 | | $\begin{array}{ccc} 25 & 62 \\ 26 & 25 \end{array}$ |
| Hugron, Bridget | \$5 | Shea land, 20a 750 Residence, 8a 1200 Part of Wheeler farm 200 Residence 750 | 1200 200 | \$2 | 44 00 7 00 |
| Hugron, Rita Hugron, Louis & Marion Hugron, Thomas & Louise | \$5 \$10 | Soldiers' exemption \$750 | 200 | | 32 00 122 50 7 00 |
| Hutchison, Frank R. & Gertrude E | \$5 \$5 | Lavoie lot, 15a | 2000 | | 3 50 70 00 |
| Hinshaw, Leroy F | \$5 \$5 | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | | \$2 | |
| Hinshaw, Mary M Howarth, Wm. & Dorothy A. Higgins, Robert H | \$5 \$5 | Residence, 1a 4500 | | \$2 | 159 50 |
| Jaquith, Mary, Heirs | ļ | Dutton lot, 16a 100 Part of Gilman farm, 28a 100 | 100 | | 3 50 3 50 |
| Jaquith, Walter, Heirs Jarvey, Robert & Jennie M John Hancock Grange John, Fred O | | G. E. Johnson pl., 30a 2800 | 500 1200 | | 42 00 |
| | | Wood and lumber 200 Mills and machinery 1800 Part of Johnson pl., 16a 100 Johnson land, 5a 150 | 4800 100 | | 168 00 3 50 5 25 |
| Johnson, Lester, Heirs | | Residence, 1a | 1500 | | 52 50 |

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|---|--------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Johnson, Marguerite S Johnson, William T Johnson, M. Maude Johnson, Willis G | \$5 \$5 | Home place, 16a | 1200 50 200 150 | \$2 \$2 \$2 | 70 00 44 00 3 75 7 00 5 25 35 00 |
| Johnson, Ruth W. Johnson, Willis & Ruth Johnson, Doris R. Johnson, Donald Johnson, Isabelle Johnston, Kenneth R. | \$5 \$5 \$5 \$5 | Marshall place | 3000 500 | \$2 \$2 \$2 \$2 \$2 | 107 00 17 50 |
| Johnston, Leona Jones, Merle B. Jones, Maude M. Joynt, Harry J. Joynt, Mary. Kallahar, Charles R. & Mary | \$5 \$5 | Jaquith place, 170a 1800 900 fowls 900 | 2700 | \$2 \$2 \$2 \$2 | 96 50 |
| Kendall, Harrison Kendall, Stella Kierstead, Thomas J. & Laura A. | \$5 \$5 \$10 | Levi Brooks place, $108a$. 2500 Simonds lot, $5a$. 50 Lower Pearson pasture, $12a$ 100 Paquette place, $\frac{1}{2}a$ 1200 Burtt land, $6a$ 100 | 1200 100 | \$2 \$2 \$4 | 1 75 3 50 46 00 3 50 |
| Kimball, Raymond Kimball, Florence | \$5 \$5 | | | \$2 \$2 | |
| Margaret E Lawrence, Dwight P Lawrence, Agnes M Laylin, Dorothy L. Loomis, Charles H., Heirs | \$5 \$5 \$5 | Hubbard place, 3a 12000 Residence, 20a 2300 Burtt place, 65a 5000 Gilman land, 20a 200 Sawyer place, 65a 2100 | 2300 5000 200 2100 | \$2 \$2 | 82 50 177 00 7 00 73 50 |
| Lyons, Cecil B. Lyons, Elizabeth S. Lyons, Cecil B. & Elizabeth S. Lawrence, John H. Lawrence, Priscilla B. Manning, Elizabeth J. | \$5 \$5 \$5 | Hadley pasture, 33a 250 J. C. Grew residence, 2a 4200 Ballantine place, 1a 3800 Homestead, ½a 3300 | 4200 3800 | \$2 \$2 \$2 \$2 \$2 | 149 00 133 00 115 50 |
| Manning, Marion | \$5 | Fuller meadow, 4a 40 Farmer place, 5/8a 3800 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 Coolidge lot, 19a 100 | 2800 | \$2 | 1 40 98 00 3 50 |
| Eleanor T | 1 | | | | |

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|--|---------------------------|---|--|-------------------|---|
| Marcouillier, Margaret C Marcouillier, Henry J., Jr. & Alice Marcouillier, Raymond O. & | \$5 \$10 | Cottage, 1a | · | \$2 \$2 | |
| Alberta D | \$10 \$5 | Cottage | 750 1200 | | 28 25 42 00 |
| Merrill, Philip A. & Elizabeth R. Merryfield, Richard F. Morryfield, Helen C. | \$10 \$5 \$5 | | 2500 | \$4 \$2 \$2 | 91 50 |
| Merryfield, Helen C Moffat, J. Pierrepont, Heirs Moffat, Lilla C | \$5 | Newell land, 16a 100 Tuttle place, 1a 7500 Perry land, 5a 200 | $100 \\ 7500 \\ 200$ | \$2 | 3 50 271 50 7 00 |
| Moffat, Jay P., Jr. Moore, Frederica & Mary E. Morton, Arthur J. Morton, L. Josephine Mulhall, Edw. T. & Nellie H. | \$5 | Dodge place, ½a 3300 4 cows 400 Part of Cashion farm, 32a 2500 2500 Clark land & house lot, 50a 500 Welsh schoolhouse, 1 1/16a 50 | 3300 400 2500 500 50 | \$2 \$4 | 115 50 16 00 87 50 19 50 1 75 |
| | | Pasture, 100a 200 Home place, 175a 3500 2 horses 150 2 neat stock 120 4 cows 400 Meadow, 5a 50 | 200 4170 50 | | 7 00 145 95 1 75 |
| Murphy, Lambert H. & Jessie S | \$5 | Residence, 1/3a 5000 | 5000 | \$4 \$2 | 179 00 |
| Nealey, E. Jeannette Neola, Azade Noble, Marjorie Noyes, Richard & Helen | \$5 \$5 \$5 \$10 | Hicks place, 21/8a | 5000 1500 | | 177 00 52 50 |
| O'Reilly, Roy F O'Reilly, Gertrude Otis, Charles E | | Residence, 1a 3200 | 3200 | | 112 00 |
| O'Malley, James H | | Homestead, 4a | 3000 100 1800 | \$2 | 105 00 3 50 65 00 |
| Palmer, Dorothy | \$5 \$10 | Residence, 1a | 4800 | \$2 \$4 | 172 00 |
| Paquette, Lawrence L. & Mary R | | 23 cows 2300 Part of Knights pl., 40a 500 Tudor land, 19a 200 Poor land, 28a 350 | 4800 500 200 350 | | 172 00 17 50 7 00 12 25 |
| Paquette, Francis | \$5 \$10 | Tarbell farm, 136a | E720 | | 204 55 |
| | | 2 cows | 5730 500 | | 204 55 17 50 |

| Upton, Lilla E. Residence, 1/3a 5200 30 1 05 100 | | | | | | |
|---|--|--------------|---|--------------|------------|--|
| Tremblay, Arthur A | Name | Head Tax | of Real and Personal | Valu- | Poll Tax | of |
| Tremblay, Arthur A | Toumanoff, Vlademir I | \$5 | Austin farm, 44a 750 | 750 | \$2 | 26 25 |
| Tremblay, Edith G. | Toumanoff, Eileen | \$5 \$5 | Stock in trade 2500 | 1500 | \$2 | 52 50 |
| Trombly, Leroy J | Tremblay, Edith G | \$5 \$5 | Soldiers exemption \$1,000 | | \$2 | |
| Trombly, Melvina | Thompson, Lloyd A | 85 | | | ψ <u>-</u> | |
| Tilton, John M. \$5 | Trombly, Melvina | | 100 fowle 100 | 400 | \$2 \$2 | $\begin{array}{c} 16 \ 00 \\ 124 \ 50 \end{array}$ |
| Tilton, John M. \$5 | Turpin, Chas. S. & Seneth B. | \$10 | Pearson place, 115a 5800 Hill land 90a 300 | 5800 5800 | \$2 | 227 50 205 00 |
| Tilton, Lena | Tilton, John M | ுற் | | | \$2 | 10 30 |
| Upton, Karl G. & Mildred A. \$10 Residence, ¼a. 6500 5200 182 00 182 00 prony. Lilla E. Residence, 1/3a. 5200 5200 182 00 prony. Part of Gordon pasture, 10a 30 | Tilton, Lena Upton, Cynthia B | \$5 \$5 | | | \$2 \$2 | |
| Part of Gordon pasture, 10a 30 30 1 05 | Upton, Karl G. & Mildred A. | \$10 | Residence, 1/4a 6500 | 6500 | \$4 | 231 50 |
| Wallace, John E. \$5 Brooks lot, 60a. 200 200 7 00 Spaulding place, 75a. 2600 1600 56 00 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 100 3 00 Ware, Edson C. & Geraldine. \$10 Residence, 1a. 1700 700 \$2 26 50 Waterbury, Harry B. \$5 Residence, 1a. 1700 700 \$2 26 50 Waters, Daisy. \$5 Home place, 134a. 3800 2 82 Welch, William, Heirs. Home place, 134a. 3800 300 100 <t< td=""><td></td><td></td><td>Part of Gordon pasture, 10a 30 Edwards place, 80a 160</td><td>30 160</td><td></td><td>$\begin{array}{c c} 1 & 05 \\ 5 & 60 \end{array}$</td></t<> | | | Part of Gordon pasture, 10a 30 Edwards place, 80a 160 | 30 160 | | $\begin{array}{c c} 1 & 05 \\ 5 & 60 \end{array}$ |
| Wallace, Florence G. \$5 Ware, Edson C. & Geraldine. \$10 Waterbury, Harry B. \$5 Waters, Daisy. \$5 Welch, William, Heirs. \$5 Home place, 134a 3800 2 horses 100 1 neat stock 60 13 cows 1300 100 fowls 100 Bosley place, 50a 300 Tyrill land, 147a 300 Razie land, 16a 50 Raice pasture, 16a 100 Welch, William \$5 Werden, Eunice K \$5 Werden, Herbert C., Jr. \$5 West, Nancy W. \$5 West, Nancy W. \$5 Smith Cottage 100 100 \$2 55 50 | Wellage John F | e s | Wilds land, 17a 50 Brooks lot, 60a 200 Spanding place 75a | 50 200 | | 1 75 7 00 |
| Walface, Florence G. \$5 Ware, Edson C. & Geraldine. \$10 Waterbury, Harry B. \$5 Waters, Daisy \$5 Welch, William, Heirs Home place, 134a 3800 2 horses 100 1 neat stock 60 13 cows 1300 100 fowls 100 Bosley place, 50a 300 300 10 50 Tyrill land, 147a 300 300 10 50 Razie land, 16a 50 50 1 75 Rice pasture, 16a 100 3 50 Welch, William \$5 \$2 Werden, Eunice K \$5 \$2 Werden, Herbert C., Jr. \$5 \$5 West, Nancy W. \$5 \$5mith Cottage 100 \$2 5 50 Weston Esther B \$5 \$5 \$5 \$5 | wanate, John E | | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | | | |
| Waters, Daisy \$5 Welch, William, Heirs Home place, 134a 3800 2 horses 100 1 neat stock 60 13 cows 1300 100 fowls 100 Bosley place, 50a 300 300 10 50 Tyrill land, 147a 300 300 10 50 Razie land, 16a 50 50 1 75 Rice pasture, 16a 100 3 50 Welch, John E. \$5 \$2 Welch, William \$5 \$2 Werden, Eunice K \$5 Hurley place, 2a 2600 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 56 00 West, Rancy W \$5 Smith Cottage 100 100 \$2 5 50 Weston Esther B \$5 Smith Cottage 100 100 \$2 5 50 | Wallace, Florence G Ware, Edson C. & Geraldine. | \$5 \$10 | | | \$2 \$2 | |
| Welch, William, Heirs Home place, 134a 3800 2 horses 100 1 neat stock 60 13 cows 1300 100 fowls 100 Bosley place, 50a 300 300 10 50 Tyrill land, 147a 300 300 10 50 Razie land, 16a 50 50 1 75 Rice pasture, 16a 100 100 3 50 Welch, John E \$5 \$2 Welch, William \$5 \$2 Werden, Eunice K \$5 \$2 Werden, Herbert C., Jr. \$5 \$2 West, Nancy W \$5 \$5 West, Nancy W \$5 \$5 Weston Either R \$5 \$5 | Waterbury, Harry B Waters, Daisy | \$5 \$5 | Soldiers exemption \$1,000 | | \$2 \$2 | |
| 100 fowls | Welch, William, Heirs | | Home place, 1342 3800 2 horses 100 | | Ψ- | |
| Bosley place, 50a 300 300 10 50 | | | 1 neat stock 60 13 cows 1300 | 5260 | | 197 60 |
| Razie land, 16a 50 1 75 175 18ce pasture, 16a 100 3 50 3 50 50 | | | Bosley place, 50a 300 Tyrill land, 147a 300 | 300 | | 10 50 |
| Welch, John E. \$5 Welch, William \$5 Werden, Eunice K. \$5 Hurley place, 2a 2600 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 Werden, Herbert C., Jr. \$5 West, Elijah J. \$5 West, Nancy W. \$5 Smith Cottage 100 100 \$2 50 50 | Wolch Flizoboth C | 0.5 | lkerio land 16a 50 | 50 | | 1 75 3 50 |
| Werden, Eunice K. \$5 Hurley place, 2a | Welch, John E. Welch, William | \$5 \$5 | | | \$2 \$2 | |
| West, Elijah J. \$5 West, Nancy W. \$5 Smith Cottage 100 \$2 5 50 Weston Esther B \$5 | Werden, Eunice K | \$5 | Hurley place, 2a 2600 Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | 1600 | | 56 00 |
| Weston, Esther B. \$5 \$2 \$2 Weston, William, Jr. \$5 2 cows 200 47 sheep 705 905 31 67 Weston, Forrest 2 sheep 30 30 1 05 | West, Elijah J | \$5 | | | \$2 | 5 50 |
| Weston, Forrest. 2 sheep. 30 30 30 1 05 | Weston Esther R | \$5 \$5 | 2 cows | | \$2 | 01 07 |
| Weston, Sarah \$5 \$2 | Weston, Forrest | \$5 | 2 sheep | 30 | \$2 | 31 67 1 05 |

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Persons Estate | | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|---|--------------------------|---|---|-------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Quinn, M. Agnes | | Fuller land, 1a. Clark land, 18a Dutton farm, 200a. Griswold farm, 170a. | 3000 7500 | 3000 7500 | l | 1 75 1 75 105 00 262 50 |
| Reaveley, Catherine | \$5 | Kimball place, 80a | 1900 100 37 | 2037 | \$2 | 71 29 |
| Richardson, Harry Richardson, Ethel M. Robbins, Richard A. Robbins, Marguerite A. | \$5 \$5 \$5 | Residence, 2½a | 1600 | 1600 | \$2 \$2 \$2 \$2 | 56 00 |
| Robinson, Henry F., Heirs Roche, Wm. D. & Marion Roche, Esther Rochford, David N | \$10 \$5 \$5 | Homestead, 125a Hotel property, 1½a Davis place, 1a Strombeck place, 80a | 8500 3000 4500 | | \$4 \$2 | 70 00 301 50 105 00 |
| Rochford, Edna M | \$5 \$5 | 2 cows Quinn pasture, 30a Homestead, 8a | 500 | | | 166 50 3 50 17 50 |
| Rogers, Émily W | \$10 | Residence, ½a | $\begin{vmatrix} 2000 \\ 120 \\ 00 \end{vmatrix}$ | 700 1120 | \$2 \$2 | 24 50 41 20 |
| Rollins, Charles E | \$5 \$5 \$5 \$5 | Flint land, 16a Residence, 1½a | 800 | 800 | \$2 \$2 | 30 00 |
| Russ, Alfred M. & Frances W. | \$10] | Eaton ld. at L. Nubanusit, 1 1/10aBosley place, 20a | 200 2500 1300 | 200 2800 | | 7 00 100 00 |
| Russ, Arthur B. & Ida M Rutledge, Mavis W Sawyer, Mildred S Schafer, Henry | \$5 I \$5 | | 2800 2000 2200 | 2800 2000 2200 | 32 . 32 | 100 00 70 00 79 00 |
| Schafer, Lillian Senechal, Robert J Senechal, Leah E | \$5 H | cow | 1000 100 300 | 1100 3 | 32 | 40 50 10 50 |
| Senechal, Marion Sessions, Seneth Seymour, Mary Shattuck, Bert L Shaw, Raymond R. & | \$5 \$5 | Residence, 1/30a Zamp | | 2500 50 | $\begin{vmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ . \end{vmatrix}$ | 87 50 3 75 |
| Marion H | \$10 S | hea place, 9a | 1600 | 1600 | 4 | 60 00 |

| Name | Head Tax | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | | Total Valu- ation | Poll Tax | Amt. of Taxes |
|---|--------------------|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|--|
| Sheldon, Alice M | \$5 | Home place, 111a | 5300 160 150 100 100 | 5460 150 100 100 100 | | 193 10 5 25 3 50 3 50 3 50 |
| Sheldon, Harry M., Est Sheldon, Simon M Sheldon, Gertrude C Sheriff, Wm. B. & Ruth R | \$5 | Dodge lot, 55a | 100 | 100 2500 5525 | \$2 \$2 | 3 50 89 50 197 38 |
| Shonoman, Hansel | \$5 \$10 | Landry place, 3a 1 Fogg land & camp, 38a | 1000 225 5000 500 | 1000 225 5000 500 | \$2 \$2 | 37 00 7 88 177 00 17 50 |
| Smit, Carel J | \$5 \$5 | Ware land, 3 4/10a House lot, 1a A. W. Woods place, 58a 8 1 horse | 50 | 100 500 | \$2 | 3 50 17 50 |
| Smith, Claire E | \$5 | 150 fowls | 37 5 | 3200 12375 | | 114 00 435 12 |
| Smith, Gilbert Smith, Maria J. Smith, John Smith, Lemuel B. & Edna A. Somes, Millard A. & LaudiaA | \$5 \$5 \$10 | Residence, 2a 2 | 2500 | 2500 3000 | \$4 | 91 50 |
| Somes, Jacqueline C Sprague, Elizabeth C | \$5 | Joslin pasture, 60a | 300 100 5400 | 300 100 5400 | \$2 \$2 | 10 50 3 50 191 00 |
| Sprague, Frances H Stahl, Catherine M Stahl, Waldemar Est | \$5 \$5 | Alcott land, 65a | 500 2800 | 500 2800 25 | \$2 \$2 | 17 50 98 00 88 |
| Stearns, Donald S | \$10 | Pearson pasture, 60a Stearns farm, 90a | 120 3200 | 120 3200 | \$2 \$4 | 1 75 |
| Stearns, Sidney W Stearns, Marion L Stearns, William Stover, Arthur I | \$5 | 7 sheep | 175 3500 | 175 | \$2 | |
| Stover, Gladys | 1 \$5 | 1700 fowls | 100 | 100 | \$2 \$2 \$2 | |
| Taylor, Della F | l | Kimball place, la 3 | 33001 | 3300 | | 115 50 |

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|---|-------------|--|--|----------|--|
| Perkins, Edw. W. & Cora D | \$5 | Residence, 6a 4800 | | | |
| Perry, Margaret | | 1 boat | 4950 | | 175 25 |
| | | Land and buildings, $\frac{1}{2}$ a 400 | 2800 400 | 1 | 98 00 14 00 |
| | | Part of Tuttle place, 37a. 400 Stone & Dow land, 42a 250 | 400 250 | 1 | $\begin{array}{c} 14 & 00 \\ 8 & 75 \end{array}$ |
| | | Ballantine land, 2a 50 Hayes wood land, 6a 100 | 50 100 | ١ ا | 1 75 3 50 |
| | | Company pasture, 18a 350 | 350 | | 12 25 |
| | | P. O. Weston land, 75a 750 H. M. Sheldon land, 13a 350 | | | 26 25 12 25 |
| Perry, Ronald E. & Annie M. Perry, Warren | \$10 \$5 | Residence, 1a | $\begin{array}{c} 2000 \\ 200 \end{array}$ | | 74 00 7 00 |
| Perry, Marjorie | \$5 | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | | \$2 | |
| Peterkin, L. Denis & Faith K. | | | 2000 300 | \$4 | 74 00 10 50 |
| | | Fuller meadow, 10a 75 | 75 | | 2 62 10 50 |
| Phelps, Lester W. & Mildred C. | \$10 | Elliot place, 14a 2500 | $ \begin{array}{r} 300 \\ 1500 \end{array} $ | | 54 50 |
| Pickering, Julius Q. & | | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 A. Hill farm, 63a 4400 | | | |
| D. Pearl | | 25 cows | 6930 | \$4 | 246 55 |
| | | Williamson meadow, 12a S0 Wilkins land & bldgs, 6a. 2000 | 50 2000 | | $\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 75 \\ 70 & 00 \end{array}$ |
| | | Brown land, 8a 300 Cheney land, 12a 300 | 300 | ١ ا | 10 50 10 50 |
| | | Johnson land, 15a 300 | 300 | | 10 50 3 50 |
| TT 1 7/ | 0- | Brown land, 15a 100 | 100 | 1 | |
| Pierce, Helen M Pierce, Warren | \$5 | Land & buildings, 2a 400 | | \$2 | |
| | | Wood and lumber 100 Mills and machinery 2000 | 1500 | | 52 50 |
| Pierce, Ruth E | \$5 | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | | \$2 | |
| Pierce, Alvah Porter, Carol | \$5 | | | | |
| Powers, Deborah Putnam, Fred M | \$5 | | | | |
| | 0.5 | Gasoline pumps and tanks 30 | 4030 | \$2 | 143 05 |
| Pyle, Robert N | \$5 | | | \$2 | |
| Quast, Frances E | \$5 | Residence, 3a | 4800 | \$2 | 170 00 |
| | | Todd & Mason ld., 132a. 500 Tyrell land, 3a 100 | | | 17 50 3 50 |
| Quinn, Joseph A | \$5 | Duncan farm, 170a 4250 1 horse 50 | | | 152 50 |
| | | Land & cottage, 2a 750 Village farm, 4a 6500 | | | 26 25 227 50 |
| | | Bass pasture, 20a 100 | 100 | | 3 50 88 |
| | | Paquette land, ¼a 25 | Δ0 | ۰ ۱ | 00 |

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|--|--------------------|---|--|-------------------------|------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Weston, Agnes E | \$5 | 1/3 Homestead | 333 25 200 | 333 25 200 | | | 66 87 00 |
| Weston, Emma A., Heirs | | Part of Home pl., south, 603 J. T. Weston place, 2a Brunelle place, 2a Eaves land, 10a | 120 50 350 50 | 120 50 350 | | $\frac{1}{12}$ | 20 75 25 75 |
| Weston, William, Sr | · | 1/3 Homestead | $\frac{334}{25}$ | $\frac{334}{25}$ | | 11 | 69 88 50 |
| Wheeler, Norman | \$5 \$5 \$10 | Residence, 1/10a | | | | 56 109 | 00 |
| Wilder, Otis H. & Mary E | \$10 | Lot 1 garage & gas sta Stock in trade New garage Lot No. 2, 1/5a | $2500 \\ 700 \\ 1000 \\ 100$ | 3200 1000 100 | | | 00 00 50 |
| Wildes, Amy, Heirs | | Lot No. 3, 1/5a Locklin place, 30a Mills and machinery Coolidge mill. | $ \begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 2500 \\ 300 \\ 200 \end{array} $ | 100 2800 200 | | 3 98 | 50 00 00 |
| Wildes, James R | | Part of Loverin pl., 61a Frank A. Wood place, 1a. | $\frac{200}{4200}$ | 200 | | 9 | |
| Wood, Mabelle D Woods, Vernard R. & Florence L | i . | 50 fowls. Stock in trade. Moses place, 14a. Atkinson land, 2a. Soldiers' exemption \$2,75 | $50 \\ 500 \\ 2500 \\ 250$ | 4250 500 | \$2 \$2 | 148 19 | 75 50 |
| Woods, Vernard E | \$5 | Cottage and land, 1a | | | \$2 | 10 | |
| Wright, Norma C Williams, William | \$5 \$5 | 1/3 Weston homestead 1/3 Hunt land | 333 25 | 333 25 | \$2 \$2 | 13 | 65 88 |
| Wright, Wm. D. & Corinne H. Young, Herbert A. & Rose A. | \$10 | Dow place, 3a | 2500 6000 | 2500 6200 | \$2 | 89 219 | 50 00 |
| | | Stock in trade Store property, 1/3a | $\begin{array}{c} 200 \\ 2500 \end{array}$ | 2500 | Ψ2 | 87 | |

Invoice and Taxes of the Non-Residents of Hancock, N. H.

| Non-Resident Name | Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate | Total Valu- ation | Amt. of Taxes |
|--|--|---|---|
| Annett Box Co. Atkinson, James R. Babbitt, Thelma W. Baca. John & Joseph | Comstock land, 35a 100 Wilder place, 55a 2400 Weston lot, 200a 600 Fogg land, 18a 500 | \$2600 750 100 2400 600 500 | \$91 00 26 25 3 50 84 00 21 00 17 50 |
| Bell, James R Baldwin, Cynthia B | Cottages & Lot No. 6, 1¾a3500 1 boat300 Lot No. 8 & Boathouse, 3a2500 Duncan land, 1a100 | 3800 2500 100 | 133 00 87 50 3 50 |
| Bodman, Carrie A | | $900 \\ 4500 \\ 3000 \\ 150 \\ 2400 \\ 750$ | 31 50 157 50 105 00 5 25 84 00 26 25 |
| Bonnell, John R. & Rosalie M Boston & Maine Railroad | Part of Gilman farm, 1a | 100 400 100 100 100 300 | 3 50 14 00 3 50 3 50 3 50 10 50 |
| Briggs, Mary C., Estate | Sargent Camps, 100a | 23250 3600 | 813 75 126 00 |
| | 24 purebred sheep 600 90 grades sheep 1350 3 cows 300 1 boat 300 Gasoline pumps and tanks 30 Cottage, Felch farm 1800 Otis Wood land, 39a 100 Sheldon place, 115a 8000 Eaton place, 11/2a 1800 Alcock place, 8a 6400 Flat and building, 35a 600 Nelson land 5a 200 | 28180 1809 109 8000 1800 6400 600 200 | 986 00 63 00 3 50 280 00 63 00 224 00 21 00 7 00 |
| Briggs, Mary C., Trust | Nelson land, 5a 200 Harrington land, 6a 100 Thumb pasture, 100a 600 Gilmore & boathouse, 11a 3000 David Hunt pasture, 56a 1000 Whittemore pasture, 100a 600 Butterfield pasture, 70a 225 Fox pasture, 83a 200 Tolman pasture, 30a 100 Tuttle homestead, 47a 150 Anderson lot, 23a 100 Derby pasture, 224a 700 Derby pasture, 46a 150 W. Pierce pasture, 119a 500 | 100 600 3000 1000 1000 225 200 100 150 700 159 500 | 3 50 21 00 105 00 35 00 21 00 7 88 7 00 3 50 5 25 3 50 24 50 5 25 17 50 |

| Non-Resident | Description and Value | Total | Amt. |
|---------------------------------|---|--------------------|--|
| NON-ILESIDENI | of Real and Personal | Valu- | of |
| NAME | Estate | ation | Taxes |
| NAME | Estate | ation | Lanes |
| | | | |
| | Duncan pasture, 120a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| | Mt. pasture & cabins, 100a 450 | 450 | 15 75 |
| | Sheldon lot, 100a1000 | 1000 | 35 00 |
| | Tolman lot, 86a 300 | 300 | 10 50 |
| | Stone lot, 10a 100 | 100 | 3 50 |
| | Stone pasture, 89a 400 | 400 | 14 00 |
| | A S Wood lot, No. 3, 15a 300 | 300 | 10 50 |
| | Nat Pierce pasture, 145a1100 | 1100 | 38 50 |
| | G. F. Weston lot, 33a 200 | 200 | 7 00 |
| | Sarah Hunt lot, 125a 400 | 400 | 14 00 |
| | Lakin farm, 42a 900 | 900 | 31 50 |
| | Matthews pasture, 50a 100 | 100 | 3 50 |
| | Lot No. 7, 3½a | 500 | 17 50 |
| | Eaton land, No. 5, 43a 400 | 400 | 14 00 |
| | Eaton land No. 4, 44a 400 | 400 | 14 00 |
| | Sawyer lot, 30a 300 | 300 | 10 50 |
| | Upton & Whitcomb lot, 235a . 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| | Davis lot, 63a 200 | 200 | 7 00 |
| | Grew lot, 19a 50 | 50 | 1 75 |
| | Boutwell land, 67a | 1600 | 56 00 |
| | Davis pasture, 175a 350 | 350 | 12 25 |
| | Knights lot, 19a 50 | 50 | $\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 75 \\ 7 & 00 \end{array}$ |
| B M G & M. 4:14. | Sheldon meadow, 10a 200 | 200 | 122 50 |
| Brooks, Maro S. & Matilda | Wildbrook, 20a | 3500 150 | 5 25 |
| Dunes Flowenth & Herel | Marshall land, 5a 150 Hunt land, 16a | 1500 | 52 50 |
| Bunce, Elsworth & Hazel | Pierce place, 100a | 3300 | 115 50 |
| Carpenter, Victor | Hayward place, 60a2500 | 2500 | 87 50 |
| Cashion, Edward E | Ox pasture, 14a | 100 | 3 50 |
| Cashion, Edward E | Part of Cashion place | 200 | 7 00 |
| | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | | |
| Champion International Co | | 500 | 17 50 |
| Cheshire Oil Co | Gasoline pumps and tanks 300 | 300 | 10 50 |
| Clement, Everett | Land and buildings, 9½23000 | 2000 | 70 00 |
| , | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | | |
| Clingham, Wm. J. & Jane M | J. R. Shea land, 165a 700 | 700 | 24 50 |
| Colburn, C. Harold & Myrtle S | O'Donnel cottage, 6a1500 | 1500 | 52 50 |
| Coughlan, Edward M | Coughlan pasture, 20a 200 | 200 | 7 00 |
| Coughlan, Thomas | Coughlan place, 1a 2200 | 2200 | 77 00 |
| Davenport, Hildegarde S | Clark farm, 35a | 2700 | 94 50 |
| - | Clark land, 52a | 150 | 5 25 |
| Deschenes, Amedee | Part of Johnson place, 30a 100 | $\frac{100}{2200}$ | $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ |
| Diemond, Arnold | Davis place, 80a2200 | | 70 00 |
| Down, Eugene A. & Anna W | Hastings place, 3a2000 Dayis land, 4a50 | 50 | 1 75 |
| Dutton, Charles H., Heirs | | 50 | 1 10 |
| Eaton, Frances & George O | Cottage & lot No. 2, 2a 3500 2 boats | 3650 | 127 75 |
| Elliot, Louise | Dorry cottage, 5a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| Fogg, Charles H. & Elda S | Fogg homestead, 4a | 4500 | 157 50 |
| Fowle, William C. | | 5000 | 175 00 |
| Gage, Helen L. & Laura J | | | |
| ango, more in the mark of | Gasoline pumps and tanks 30 | 6530 | 228 55 |
| | Hayward place, 182a | 1500 | 52 50 |
| Gardner, Harry A. & Frances | Gardner land, 7 6/10a | 300 | 10 50 |
| Gardner, Herbert S. & Sophie H. | Gardner land & bldg, 2 1/10a1000 | 1000 | 35 00 |
| | - | | |

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| TON-TEBIDENT | of Real and Personal | Valu- | of |
| Name | Estate | ation | Taxes |
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| | | | |
| Gentsch, Walter H. & Doris E | Cottage & lot No. 3, 2½a5500 | 5500 | 192 50 |
| Gray, Roland | Residence & pasture, 85a5000 | 5000 | 175 00 |
| Groves, Samuel A. & Pauline S. | Newell land & cottage, 21a2000 | 2000 | 70 00 |
| Gurney, Chester R | | 2000 | 70 00 |
| Hamblet, John B. & Hope G | | 200 | 7 00 |
| Harris and Bertrand | Woods orchard, 2a | 100 | 3 50 |
| Hensley, Richard G. & | E. S. Ware place, 79a3000 | 3000 | 105 00 |
| Henrietta B Herrick, Fred A. & Jeanette | C. H. Ware land, 11a 200 | $\frac{200}{4000}$ | $\begin{array}{cccc} 7 & 00 \\ 140 & 00 \end{array}$ |
| nerrick, Fred A. & Jeanette | Clark farm, 50a 4000 Clark land, 81a 300 | 300 | 10 50 |
| Higgins, Dr. Charles H | May place, 40a | 1200 | 42 00 |
| Hill, Albert D. | George Hill land, 1a | 100 | 3 50 |
| Hitchcock, James & Helen | Hadley place, 65a2800 | 2800 | 98 00 |
| House, William P. | Wood and lumber | 1000 | 35 00 |
| Hulett Guy | B. F. Martin lot, 10a 50 | 50 | 1 75 |
| Haskell, George H., Sr. | Residence, 1/6a | 2500 | 87 50 |
| | Building100 | 100 | 3 50 |
| Haskell, George H., Jr | Alcott place, 2a | | |
| , | Schoolhouse lot, ½a 50 | 1850 | 64 75 |
| Ingelstrom, Ivar O | Cottage, woods & meadow, 14a 350 | 350 | $12 \ 25$ |
| Jameson, Robert W., Est | Highlands, 472a13000 | | |
| | 2 horses | | |
| | 2 neat stock | | |
| | 5 cows | | |
| | 1 hog | 12027 | 400.00 |
| | 30 fowls | 13825 | 483 88 |
| | Part of Dutton farm, 60a 400 Golf links, 30a 500 | 400 500 | $14 00 \\ 17 50$ |
| Johnson, Arthur E | Golf links, 30a 500 Part of Stearns farm, 5a 50 | 50 | 1 75 |
| Johnson, Earle | Land and building, ½a 450 | 450 | 15 75 |
| | Elliot land, 1a 50 | 50 | 1 75 |
| Johnson, Martin E. & Elsie | Faulkner land & cottage, 4a2000 | 2000 | 70 00 |
| Keefe & Haselton | Recreation hall, 1a1100 | | |
| | 10 boats | 1300 | 45 50 |
| Keefe, Webster W | Norway Camp, 15a5500 | 5500 | 192 50 |
| | Montgomery cottage, 1/12a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| Keesler, Wm. L. & Dorothy K | Scott place, 60a | | |
| | 1 horse | 3350 | 117 25 |
| II II I Barrelle C | Martin lot, 22a | 259 | 8 75 |
| Kelleher, Francis G | Residence, 1¾a | 3500 | $122 50 \\ 5 25$ |
| Lampula, Eugene O. & Alice M Larson, Carl J | Gray & Austin lot, 33a 150 Quinn place, 76a | $\begin{array}{c} 150 \\ 1200 \end{array}$ | 42 00 |
| Larson, Cari J | Staples lot, 12a | 100 | 3 50 |
| Lawson, Henry G. & Margueritte | House lot, 1 3/10a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| | Summer residence, 1a1600 | 1600 | 56 00 |
| isciand, Builet 11 | Brown land, 10a 100 | 100 | 3 50 |
| | Cheney land & bldg., 2a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| Lindsley, Thayer | Barber farm, 110a | 6500 | 227 50 |
| | Johnson land, 7a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| | Foster land, 29a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| | Copeland lot, 5a | 25 | 88 |
| I aminta Tananh 37 0 mm | Hadley lot, 14a 75 | 75 | 2 62 |
| Losciuto, Joseph V. & Thomas & | Otis land & building, 57a 600 | 600 | 21 00 |
| Mason, Max | Shea land, 85a | 600 800 | 28 00 |
| wason, was | onea ianu, oba 800 | 300 | 20 00 |

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| Name | Estate | ation | Taxes |
| | | | |
| McGreal Wm & Elizabeth Y | Hunt land & cottage, 3a1300 | 1300 | 45 50 |
| McLaughlin, Sidney | ½ Weston lot, 10a 50 | 50 | 1 75 |
| | Otis Orchard, 25a4000 | 4000 | 140 00 |
| McNutt, Wm. E. & Florence A | Ayers land, 1a 100 | 100 | 3 50 |
| Miner, L. M. S | Ayers land, 1a | 2200 | 77 00 |
| Monadnock Paper Mills Inc | Flowage rights8000 | 8000 | 280 00 |
| | Shea place, 118a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| 35 0 1 1 7 | Butler land, 60a | 125 | 4 38 |
| Moore, Catherine L | 1/3 A. S. Moore place, 130a 1200 | 1200 | 42 00 |
| Morrison, Albert S., Heirs | | 2600 | 91 00 |
| Mosher, Ralph H. & Maude Murray, Daniel J. & Doris E | Tuttle place, 176a4000 Harrington place, 33a3000 | 4000 3000 | $140 00 \\ 105 00$ |
| Muliay, Daniel J. & Dolls E | Otis orchard, 2½a | 300 | 105 00 |
| Mulhall, Robert | Mulhall pasture, 35a 100 | 100 | 3 50 |
| New England Box Co | A. C. Ware lot, 62a | 300 | 10 50 |
| | Knight lot, 138a 275 | 275 | 9 62 |
| Norris, Winnifred, Heirs | | 3900 | 136 50 |
| Norton, Marion | House lot, 7/10a 400 | 400 | 14 00 |
| Nylander, Donald O. & Barbara. | Leach place, 40a | 2000 | 70 00 |
| Oswald, John C. & Virginia B | Blanchette place, 74a 700 | 700 | 24 50 |
| Parker, Florence D | A. Rockwell place, 1a 700 | 700 | 24 50 |
| Du G DAD I | A. Rockwell place, 3a 300 | 300 | 10 50 |
| Patton, Geo. E. & Evelyn A | Newell place, 3/4a | 1800 | 63 00 |
| Pierce, Howard | Cottage & lot at L. Nubanusit . 2000 | 2000 | 70 00 |
| Pierce, Mary B Perkins, Hazel M | Hanson house, 1/3a | 4500 800 | $157 50 \\ 28 00$ |
| Peterborough National Bank | National Bank Stock Taxes | 000 | 28 00 |
| Pinto, Corinne C | Osgood place, 1a | 4000 | 140 00 |
| Timbo, Colline C | Cottage | 500 | 17 50 |
| Platt Box Co | Washburn lot, 12a | 60 | 2 10 |
| Poor, Arthur L. | Part of Homestead, 30a1100 | 1100 | 38 50 |
| Public Service Co. of N. H | Hancock Electric line 82127 | 82127 | 2,874 45 |
| | Meters & transformers | | |
| | Jameson line | | |
| 70 11 77 L X 0 77 L 77 | Transmission line | 4 400 | 40.00 |
| Reid, Edw. L. & Eleanor F | Gilman place, 60a 1400 | 1400 | 49 00 |
| Piplow Coorge W | Coolidge lot, 30a 100 Cottage & garage, Lot No. 4 | 100 | 3 50 |
| Ripley, George K | Cottage & garage, Lot No. 4 $2\frac{1}{2}a$ 3000 | 3000 | 105 00 |
| Robinson, Frederick L | Huntington Cottage, 5a2600 | 2600 | 91 00 |
| Toblison, Treatment II | Sawyer land, 2a | 100 | 3 50 |
| Roethlisberger, Fritz J. & | Dan J C. 14114, 24 | 130 | ,,, |
| Margaret | House lot on Norway hill, 2a 500 | 500 | 17 50 |
| Rogers, Howard S. & Doris S | Symonds place, 7 4/10a2500 | 1500 | 52 50 |
| | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 | | 400 50 |
| Schadegg, Milton F. & Hilda L | A. C. Ware farm, 140a3500 | 3500 | 122 50 |
| Sherburne Bros | Shea place, 188a1000 | 1500 | -0.50 |
| Sikless Oil Ce | Wood and lumber 500 | 1500 | 52 50 |
| Sibley Oil Co | 2 Gasoline pumps and tanks 300 | $\frac{300}{225}$ | 10 50 7 88 |
| Skinner, JosephSladen, Marion B. & Charles F | Stevens land, 25a | 2500 | |
| Socony-Vacuum Oil Co | Stover place, 1a | 300 | 10 50 |
| Spaulding, Donald H. & Dorothy | dasonne pumps and tanks 500 | 000 | 10 30 |
| M | Farr cottage at L. Nubanusit, 1a 1500 | 1500 | 52 50 |
| Spurrier & Wilbraham | Loveren place, 37a3300 | 3300 | |
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| Non-Resident | Description and Value | Total | Amt. |
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| Stevens, Lilla | Mountain pasture, 100a 200 | 200 | 7 00 |
| Swendsen, Waldemar | S. Rockwell place, 60a5000 | 5000 | 175 00 |
| C | G. Rockwell land, 10a 150 | 150 | 5 25 |
| Swendsen, Waldemar J. & | Tohonson acttors 1/a 400 | 400 | 14.00 |
| Sullivan, Frank | Johanson cottage, $\frac{1}{2}$ a | 400 | 14 00 |
| Danivan, Frank | Soldiers' exemption \$250 | | |
| Tenney, Clarence H | | 1500 | 52 50 |
| | Dunklee farm, $105a \dots 4500$ | | |
| T. Acampora | Mature wood and timber1000 | 5500 | 192 50 |
| | Woods farm, 125a5200 | 5200 | 182 00 |
| | Eaton land, 31a | 100 2000 | 3 50 70 00 |
| | Juggernaut lot, 25a | 50 | 1 75 |
| Thayer, Richard H. & Ann I | Woods orchard, 2a | 100 | 3 50 |
| Tidewater Assoc. Oil Co | Gasoline pumps and tanks 150 | 150 | 5 25 |
| Thompson, Charles | 2 Cottages, lot No. 5, 2a3300 | 3300 | 115 50 |
| Todd, David | Alcott land, 1a50 | 50 | 1 75 |
| Todd, Alden & David | Cottage, 3a3000 | 2000 | 70 00 |
| Troesch, Max G. & Phoebe F | Soldiers' exemption \$1,000 Sheldon land & bldgs., 1a1200 | 1200 | 42 00 |
| Troesen, wax G. & Thoese F | Johnson house lot | 250 | 8 75 |
| | Old Dublin road land, 1a 50 | 50 | 1 75 |
| Tuttle Land Co | Pasture, 3a | 200 | 7 00 |
| Veterans' Administration, | | | |
| H. V. Highley, Admr | Hayden place, $\frac{1}{2}$ a | 3000 | 105 00 |
| Wade, Florence M | Hastings land, 2a | 500 4500 | 17 50 157 50 |
| Walcott, Chas. F. & Busan C | Harris place, 120a | 4500 | 2 10 |
| | Cook place, 173a1500 | 1500 | $52 \ \overline{50}$ |
| Warner, Kenneth B | Hensley land, 58a1200 | 1200 | 42 00 |
| Waterbury, Lester E | Whitney place, 80a5300 | 5300 | 185 50 |
| Webster, Morris K. | Land at Nubanusit, 3a 1500 | 1500 | 52 50 |
| Weston, George F. & Mildred | Cottage, L. Nubanusit, 75a 3800 | 3800 | $133 00 \\ 5 25$ |
| Wheeler, Norman | 2 horses | 150 100 | 3 50 |
| White. James H. Jr., & Dorothy F. | Welsh place, 75a2500 | 2500 | 87 50 |
| Whiting, David & Sons | Davis land, 11a 300 | 300 | 10 50 |
| | Dow land, 105a | 200 | 7 00 |
| ******** | Brown land, 48a 300 | 300 | 10 50 |
| Williams, Sydney | | 250 | 8 75 7 88 |
| | Sawyer pasture, 45a | 225 50 | 1 75 |
| | Cobb Hill, 18a | 250 | 8 75 |
| | Bailey pasture, 15a 30 | 30 | 1 05 |
| | Walter Jaquith place, 114a1000 | 1000 | 35 00 |
| | Lawrence pasture, 100a 250 | 250 | 8 75 |
| | Part of T. Welch farm, 75a 200 | 200 | 7 00 |
| Wood, Charles W. & Ella M | Barney lot, 170a | 600 400 | 21 00 14 00 |
| | Fish land, 18a 100 | 100 | 3 50 |
| | Hill land, 3a | 150 | 5 25 |
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