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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

JOHN F. CHICK

Town Clerk

SYDNEY D. GILMAN

Treasurer

ERNEST E. KENNETT

Selectmen

ENOCH L. DREW ISAAC W. FROST
WILLIAM A. HARMON

Highway Agents

ERNEST E. KENNETT JOHN L. FROST
COSTELLO ROBINS ALBERT REYNOLDS
BENJAMIN BICKFORD SAMUEL WARD
HERBERT E. CHICK FRED LYMAN
ABNER HARMON

Auditors

JAMES O. GERRY I. A. FORREST

Collector

ROSCOE G. GREENE

Supervisors of Check List

GEORGE E. CHICK HERBERT E. CHICK
ERNEST E. KENNETT

Board of Health

KENNETH D. BRYSON

Constable

CHESTER DREW

Fire Warden

C. RALPH KENNETT

Library Trustees

JENNIE HARRIMAN SADIE I. GILMAN
JAMES O. GERRY

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

Moderator

JOHN F. CHICK

Clerk

HATTIE L. CHICK

Treasurer

JAMES W. TYLER

School Board

MRS. EMMA KENNETT

E. E. KENNETT

ISAAC W. FROST

Truant Officer

ROSCOE G. GREENE

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Madison in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

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

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for highways and bridges.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for breaking roads for the winter of 1920 and 1921.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount required by the State for State Aid construction.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount required by the State for State Aid maintenance.

8. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to complete the town hall annex and other repairs needed on the town hall.

9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day.

10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Home Week.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for tuition in local high school, equal to the amount required by other high schools.

12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Public Library.

13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to build a bridge near the residence of John H. Pearson.

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

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

(Signed) ENOCH L. DREW,
ISAAC W. FROST,
WILLIAM A. HARMON,
Selectmen of Madison.

BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF MADISON.
REVENUE

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1920	Estimated Revenue Ensuig Year 1921	Increase	Decrease
FROM STATE:				
Insurance Tax,	\$ 7.50			
Railroad Tax,	315.72			
Savings Bank Tax,	285.88			
For State Aid Maintenance,	750.00			
For State Aid Construction,	362.43			
Poll Taxes,	662.00			
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Total Revenues,	\$3,126.03			

BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF MADISON.
EXPENDITURES

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1920	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1921	Increase	Decrease
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:				
Town officers' salaries,	\$ 315.00			
Town officers' expenses,	139.66			
Town hall expenses,	323.59			
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:				
Fire Department,	343.71			
HEALTH:				
Health Department,	46.22			
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:				
State Aid Maintenance:				
State's contribution,	713.72			
Town's contribution,	712.91			
Town maintenance,	3,243.24			
Street lighting,	286.00			
General expenses of				
Highway Department,	148.34			
Libraries,	21.00			
Memorial Day,	63.38			
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:				
Town Construction,	227.93			
State Aid Construction:				
State's contribution,	362.43			
Town's contribution,	906.60			
INDEBTEDNESS:				
Payments of other governmental divisions:				
State tax,	2,023.00			
County tax,	1 419.87			
Payments to School Districts,	3,510.00			
Unclassified,	7.00			
Auto permits,	8.75			
 Total Expenditures,	 \$14,829.35			

INVENTORY OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, land and buildings,	\$2,000.00
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Highway Department

Roller shed,	\$100.00
One road machine,	100.00
Two road drags	25.00
Seven snow rollers,	450.00

Inventory, April 1, 1920

Real estate,	\$462,151.00
101 horses,	11,919.00
4 mules,	400.00
26 oxen,	3,315.00
127 cows,	7,821.00
23 neat stock,	1,225.00
12 sheep,	82.00
6 hogs,	72.00
465 fowl,	930.00
5 portable mills,	750.00
2 boats,	200.00
Wood, lumber, etc.,	41,217.00
Stock in National Banks,	300.00
Money on hand and at interest,	2,374.00
Stock in trade,	40,249.00
Mills and machinery,	9,225.00

Total Valuation of town,	\$582,230.00
Exempt under State soldiers' law and not included in above,	\$2,150.00

Taxes Authorized in 1920

Proportion of State tax,	\$1,785.00	
War service men,	238.00	
Proportion of County tax,	1,419.87	
Amount raised for town officers,	350.00	
Highways and bridges,	2,000.00	
State Aid construction,	952.50	
State Aid maintenance,	750.00	
Cutting bushes,	150.00	
Breaking roads,	1,200.00	
Bridge at foot of Silver Lake,	200.00	
Memorial Day,	100.00	
Street lights,	299.00	
Building room in town hall,	50.00	
School money,	3,510.00	
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Total,		\$13,004.37
Deduct 124 polls at \$5.00,	\$620.00	
Deduct 14 polls at \$3.00,	42.00	
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		662.00
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		\$12,342.37
Percentage added, 5%,		617.12
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Limit,		\$12,959.49
582,230 X 2.22		12,925.51
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Margin,		\$33.98

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Assets

Cash,	\$1,434.47	
Due from Adm. estate Peter Carter,	147.64	
Due from State, bounty on bear,	5.00	
Due from State Aid maintenance,	1.08	
Taxes not collected in 1920,	75.00	
Taxes not collected in 1919,	75.00	
Taxes not collected in 1918,	75.00	
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Total Assets,		\$1,813.19

Liabilities

Accounts owed by town, bills out- standing,	\$ 17.25	
Printing town reports,	103.00	
Due School District, dog licenses,	33.30	
State and town joint highway accounts:		
Unexpended bal. in State treasury,	72.10	
Unexpended bal. in Town treasury,	99.63	
Unexpended for cutting bushes,	85.00	
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		410.28
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Balance in favor of town,		\$1,403.91

Receipts

Current Revenue, from Local Taxes		
Amount committed to Coll., 1920,	\$13,576.81	
Taxes added,	48.40	
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Total,		\$13,625.21
Less abatements,	\$273.99	
Uncollected taxes, 1920,	75.00	
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		348.99
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		\$13,276.22
Collected on 1919 tax,		38.96
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Total collections,		\$13,315.18
Uncollected taxes previous years,	\$150.00	
From the State:		
For State Aid maintenance,		219.07
For State Aid construction,		106.41

Insurance tax,	7.50
Railroad tax,	315.72
Savings bank tax,	285.88
Fighting forest fires,	117.20
Received from B. & M. R. R. for fighting fires,	109.31
Dog licenses,	33.30
Rent of town hall from grange,	6.00
Auto licenses,	253.81
Memorial Day money,	11.62
Balance on hand February 1, 1920,	740.55
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Total,	\$14,912.45

Payments

Current maintenance expenses:

General government:

Town officers' salaries,	\$315.00
Town officers' expenses,	139.66
Town hall expenses,	323.59
Forest fires,	343.71
Bounties,	5.00
Health department,	46.22

Highways and bridges:

State Aid maintenance,	935.76
Town maintenance,	3,243.24
Street lighting,	286.00
General expenses of highway dept.,	148.34
Libraries,	21.00
Auto permits,	8.75
Patriotic purposes,	75.00

Highways and bridges:

State Aid construction,	1,013.01
Town construction,	227.93

Unclassified:

Lodging tramp,	2.00
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Payment to other governmental divisions:

State tax,	2,023.00
County tax,	1,419.87
School district,	3,510.00

Total payments,	\$13,477.98
Cash on hand at end of year Jan. 31, 1921,	1,434.47
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Total,	\$14,912.45

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance from last year,	\$ 740.55
Received from R. G. Greene, Collector,	13,315.18
S. D. Gilman, auto licenses,	253.81
Interest on Liberty Bonds,	30.75
State for forest fires,	117.20
B. & M. R. R. for forest fires,	109.31
State for highway department,	325.48
Memorial Day committee,	11.62
Madison Cascade Grange for lights,	6.00
S. D. Gilman for dog licenses,	33.30
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Total receipts,	\$14,943.20
Less amount of orders paid,	\$13,477.88
Less am't paid Trust Fund Trustees,	30.75
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	13,508.73
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Cash on hand,	\$1,434.47
	E. E. KENNETT,
	Treasurer.

Auditor's Certificate

We, I. A. Forrest and James O. Gerry, auditors for the Town of Madison for the fiscal year ending Jan. 31, 1921, hereby certify we have carefully examined the account of the Treasurer and find it properly cast and well vouched.

I. A. FORREST,

J. O. GERRY,

Auditors.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT
DETAIL 1. TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Payments

1920			
May 29	Enoch L. Drew, services as selectman,	\$30.00	
Nov. 27	William A. Harmon, services selectman,	25.00	
1921			
Jan. 29	Frank B. Nason, services as ballot clerk,	6.00	
29	Wm. A. Harmon, services as selectman,	15.00	
	I. C. Kennett, services as ballot clerk,	6.00	
	John L. Frost, services as ballot clerk,	6.00	
	Jas. W. Tyler, services as ballot clerk,	6.00	
	Enoch L. Drew, services as selectman,	30.00	
	Isaac W. Frost, services as selectman,	50.00	
	Herbert E. Chick, services as super- visor of checklist,	6.00	
	Roscoe G. Greene, services as Collector,	60.00	
	Sydney D. Gilman, services Town Clerk,	25.00	
	Geo. E. Chick, services as supervisor of check list,	10.00	
	Ernest E. Kennett, services as super- visor of check list,	15.00	
	Ernest E. Kennett, services Treasurer,	25.00	
	Total,		\$315.00

DETAIL 2. TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Apr. 8	B. C. Snyder, printing town report,	\$100.25	
8	Edson C. Eastman, surveyor's books,	3.07	
June 26	J. H. Burke, stationery and supplies,	2.61	
Sept. 25	Edson C. Eastman, tax book,	1.54	
	Jas. P. Metzger, juror blanks,	1.05	
	Jas. O. Gerry, tel., postage, express 1919,	11.36	
1920			
Jan. 29	Edson C. Eastman, cash book,	1.54	
	Wm. A. Harmon, expense meeting tax commission, and telephone expenses,	6.48	
	Isaac W. Frost, expense meeting the tax commission,	5.88	
	Enoch L. Drew, expense meeting the tax commission,	5.88	
	Total,		\$139.66

DETAIL 3. TOWN HALL EXPENSES

1920			
June	23	Paul Nason, labor on wood,	\$ 1.00
	26	A. L. Stacy, work on annex,	31.50
July	7	Wm. F. Webber, material and work on annex,	90.50
	31	A. L. Stacy, work on annex,	33.75
Sept.	14	J. H. Burke, lumber for town hall annex,	46.88
	25	Wm. F. Webber, work on annex,	18.00
		Conway Elec. Light. Co., lights for hall,	2.00
Oct.	22	J. F. Chick & Son, lumber for voting booths,	7.44
		Wm. F. Webber, material and work on annex,	68.92
Nov.	27	Wm. F. Webber, work on annex,	4.50
	27	Wm. F. Webber, sawing wood,	2.50
1921			
Jan.	29	Conway Elec. Light. Co., lights for hall,	11.80
	29	Gyle Kennett, electric lights bulbs,	1.80
		Wm. A. Harmon, labor on voting booths,	3.00
		Total,	\$323.59

DETAIL 4. FIRE DEPARTMENT

1920			
May	29	C. Ralph Kennett, forest fires,	\$234.40
June	26	C. Ralph Kennett, forest fires,	109.31
		Total,	\$343.71

DETAIL 5. HEALTH DEPARTMENT

1920			
July	7	K. D. Bryson, services as health officer,	\$46.22

DETAIL 6. HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

State Aid Maintenance

Apr.	6	Burton Sawyer, labor,	\$ 8.75
May	22	I. C. Kennett, labor with team,	8.00
	29	Harold Ambrose, labor,	25.50
		Henry Harmon, labor with team,	77.25
		Ernest E. Kennett, labor,	5.60
		Almon L. Stacy, labor,	8.00
		Gyle Kennett, labor,	4.00
		N. M. Nason, gravel,	2.22

	Frank E. Lyman, gravel,	1.56
June 17	I. C. Kennett, labor with team,	40.00
23	Leslie Webster, labor,	40.00
26	Leslie Webster, labor,	12.00
	I. C. Kennett, labor with team,	40.00
	James Hurd, labor,	41.00
	Bert Thurston, labor,	19.00
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	43.00
	I. W. Frost, labor,	41.00
	N. K. Forrest, labor with team,	8.00
	Isaiah L. Forrest, labor,	4.00
	Gyle Kennett, labor,	6.67
	John H. Burke, gravel,	3.36
	Frank Lyman, gravel,	3.48
	E. E. Kennett, labor with team,	67.33
	Henry Harmon, labor with team,	99.34
	Jacob A. Haines, gravel,	2.88
July 31	N. M. Nason, labor,	9.00
	E. E. Kennett, labor with team,	5.78
	Leslie Webster, labor,	4.00
	Henry Harmon, labor with team,	19.00
	Isaac W. Frost, labor,	12.00
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	12.00
Sept. 18	Henry Harmon, labor,	3.78
	Harold Ambrose, labor,	8.50
	Henry Harmon, labor,	9.00
Oct. 30	Irving Ambrose, sharpening tools,	1.45
	N. M. Nason, labor,	43.53
	Henry Harmon, labor with team,	49.00
	Harold Ambrose, labor,	25.00
	E. E. Kennett, labor with team,	36.00
	I. C. Kennett, labor with team,	9.00
	James Hurd, labor,	4.50
	Joel Harmon, labor,	4.50
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	13.50
	Burton Sawyer, labor,	3.50
Nov. 29	James O. Gerry, gravel,	2.52
	William F. Webber, gravel,	.72
	F. E. Lyman, gravel,	.24
	N. M. Nason, gravel,	2.30
	Burton Sawyer, labor,	9.00
	Henry Harmon, labor with team,	18.00
	Total,	\$935.76

DETAIL 7. SUMMER HIGHWAYS

May 22	Bert Thurston, labor,	\$ 8.00
	I. W. Frost, labor,	12.00
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	8.00
	Joel M. Harmon, labor,	28.00
	Abner Harmon, labor,	14.00
29	Thomas Granville, labor,	8.00
	W. E. Granville, labor,	10.00
	H. E. Chick, labor with team,	46.00
	Martin Nickerson, labor,	4.00
	Harold Ambrose, labor,	4.00
	Jesse Hurd, labor,	8.00
	John Hurd, labor,	8.00
June 26	Thomas Granville, labor,	4.00
	A. L. Stacy, labor,	42.00
	B. F. Bickford, labor with team,	26.00
	Fred Bickford, labor with team,	16.00
	Sumner Bickford, labor with team,	16.00
	Leslie Emerson, labor,	8.00
	Chellis Emerson, labor,	6.00
	Bennie Lewis, labor,	6.00
	B. F. Bickford, labor with team,	34.00
	Fred Bickford, labor with team,	36.00
	Sumner Bickford, labor with team,	36.00
	Leslie Emerson, labor,	12.00
	Chellis Emerson, labor,	9.00
	Bennie Lewis, labor,	10.00
	N. K. Forrest, labor,	2.00
	I. W. Frost, labor,	7.50
	Bert Gilman, labor with team,	14.00
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	20.00
	John L. Frost, labor with team,	10.00
	Arthur Gilman, labor,	4.00
	Ripley Gilman, labor,	4.00
	Joel Harmon, labor,	4.00
	Stephen Stacy, labor,	8.00
	Peter Schanschieff, labor,	9.80
	Roland Ward, labor,	12.00

	Albert Reynolds, labor,	20.90
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	9.00
	James Lane, labor,	4.00
	Herman Pearson, labor,	4.00
	Carlton Pearson, labor,	4.00
	T. C. Pearson, labor,	2.00
	H. E. Chick, labor with team,	32.00
	James Lane, labor,	6.00
	Fred Lyman, labor with team,	84.50
	Louville Martin, labor,	16.00
	H. W. Thompson, labor,	3.11
	Mark Brown, labor with team,	80.00
	Charles Lyman, labor,	4.00
	Thomas Granville, labor,	4.00
	John L. Frost, labor with team,	52.00
	Arthur Gilman, labor,	10.00
	Bert Gilman, labor with team,	53.00
	Bert Thurston, labor,	4.00
	John L. Frost, labor with team,	8.00
	Noah Ward, labor,	4.00
	H. C. Harriman, labor,	6.00
	I. W. Frost, labor,	10.00
	Ripley Gilman, labor,	8.00
	Bert Gilman, labor with team,	20.00
	John L. Frost, labor with team,	25.00
	Ripley Gilman, labor,	9.00
	George Hayes, labor,	7.00
	Joel Harmon, labor,	9.00
	Frank Goodwin, labor,	4.00
	H. C. Harriman, labor,	6.00
	Abner Harmon, labor,	10.00
July 7	Samuel Ward, labor,	18.00
	G. G. Birchard, labor,	10.50
	Albert H. Reynolds, pipe,	8.00
	Samuel Ward, labor,	3.00
	Bert Thurston, labor,	11.00
July 31	Samuel Ward, labor with team,	24.25
	G. G. Birchard, labor,	14.25

	A. L. Stacy, labor,	2.25
	John F. Chick, lumber,	12.54
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	4.00
	Roland Ward, labor,	2.00
	Albert Reynolds, labor,	4.00
	Elijah Mason, labor with team,	24.00
	Costello Robbins, labor,	30.00
	James Linscott, labor,	10.00
	Joel Harmon, labor,	2.00
	Arthur Gilman, labor,	2.00
Aug. 28	Joel Harmon, labor,	6.00
	Samuel Ward, labor with team,	18.00
	G. G. Birchard, labor,	12.00
	Stanley Thurston, labor,	4.00
	William Leavitt, labor,	4.00
	Enoch L. Drew, labor,	8.00
	I. W. Frost, labor,	4.00
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	2.00
Sept. 11	Edwin Frost, labor,	32.50
	Fred P. Lyman, labor with team,	51.65
18	Frank Tasker, labor,	8.75
25	Fred Clayton, picks and dynamite,	5.81
	I. W. Frost, labor,	6.00
	H. E. Chick, labor with team,	10.00
	B. F. Bickford, labor with team,	8.00
	Fred Bickford, labor with team,	12.00
	Sumner Bickford, labor with team,	12.00
	Frank Bickford, labor with team,	12.00
	Mooney, Gerry & Son, lumber,	17.75
Oct. 22	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	16.00
30	Wm. H. Pascoe, labor on branch bridge,	6.00
	Bert Gilman, labor with team,	12.00
	Arthur Gilman, labor,	6.00
	John L. Frost, labor,	6.00
	Samuel Ward, labor with team,	9.00
	G. G. Birchard, labor,	2.25
	John F. Chick & Son, lumber,	8.92
Nov. 20	Sumner Bickford, labor with team,	8.00
	Frank Bickford, labor with team,	8.00

	Fred Bickford, labor with team,	8.00
	Benjamin Bickford, labor with team,	10.00
	David Hagar, labor,	2.00
21	James Hurd, labor,	4.00
	Leslie Webster, labor,	8.00
	Harold Ambrose, labor,	6.00
	Gyle Kennett, labor,	16.00
	Ernest E. Kennett, labor with team,	72.00
	Joel Harmon, labor,	1.00
1921		
Jan. 29	Frank E. Lyman, labor,	6.00
	Fred P. Lyman, labor,	7.00
	I. A. Forrest, bill 1919,	15.30
	Mooney, Gerry & Son, lumber,	8.48
	John F. Chick & Son, lumber,	15.66
	Ernest E. Kennett, labor,	3.50
	Herbert E. Chick, labor,	6.00
	I. W. Frost, labor,	4.00
	Enoch L. Drew, labor,	4.00
	Stephen Stacy, labor,	2.50
	H. C. Harriman, labor repairing roller and road machine.	17.00
	Total,	<hr/> \$1,748.67
Feb. 21	I. C. Kennett, breaking roads,	80.00
28	T. C. Pearson, breaking roads, '18 & '19,	3.50
	Burton Sawyer, shoveling snow,	12.00
Mar. 9	Daniel C. Ward, breaking roads,	30.00
13	I. C. Kennett, breaking roads,	32.00
	Abner Harmon, breaking roads,	57.50
	W. E. Granville, breaking roads,	65.00
23	T. C. Pearson, breaking roads,	25.00
Apr. 6	Henry Harmon, breaking roads,	120.00
	Burton Sawyer, shoveling snow,	7.50
7	I. C. Kennett, breaking roads,	8.00
	James Lane, shoveling snow,	4.50
May 6	H. J. Pascoe, breaking roads,	22.00
	Walter Kennett, breaking roads,	20.00

	T. C. Pearson, breaking roads,	22.32
	William Webber, breaking roads,	5.00
	Fred P. Lyman, breaking roads,	97.00
	Ernest E. Kennett, breaking roads,	157.00
	Jesse Shackford, breaking roads,	69.00
	I. W. Frost, breaking roads,	26.50
	H. E. Chick, breaking roads,	101.75
22	Clifford Ward, breaking crust,	1.50
	William Webster, breaking crust,	1.50
	N. M. Nason, breaking crust,	1.50
	Arthur Ward, breaking crust,	3.00
	Noah Ward, breaking crust,	1.50
	Elson Ward, breaking crust,	1.50
	John Pearson, shoveling snow,	3.00
	Abner Harmon, breaking roads,	7.00
June 26	B. F. Bickford breaking roads,	132.00
	Fred Bickford, breaking roads,	132.00
	Sumner Bickford, breaking roads,	88.00
1921		
Jan. 29	John F. Chick, breaking roads,	56.00
	Edward E. Hoyt, breaking roads,	70.50
	Town of Albany, breaking roads, 1920 and 1921,	30.00
	Total,	<u>\$1,494.57</u>

DETAIL 9. STREET LIGHTING

July 7	Conway Electric Light & Power Co., from Jan. 1, 1920, to June 30, 1920,	\$143.00
1921		
Jan. 29	from July 1, 1920, to Dec. 31, 1920,	143.00
	Total,	<u>\$286.00</u>

DETAIL 10. GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGH-WAY DEPARTMENT

Apr. 8	Good Roads Machine Co., repairs,	\$14.24
July 31	Daniel C. Ward, cutting bushes,	10.00
Sept. 18	Frank Tasker, cutting bushes,	18.00
25	H. E. Chick, cutting bushes,	12.00
Oct. 30	George Ward, repairing sign boards,	69.00
Nov. 27	Jesse Hurd, cutting bushes,	25.00
	Total,	<u>\$148.34</u>

DETAIL 11. TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

July 7	James W. Tyler, school money,	\$ 250.00
Aug. 28	James W. Tyler, school money,	1,000.00
Oct. 30	James W. Tyler, school money,	400.00
Nov. 20	James W. Tyler, school money,	500.00
Dec. 16	James W. Tyler, school money,	500.00
24	James W. Tyler, school money,	500.00
1921		
Jan. 22	James W. Tyler, school money,	360.00
	Total,	<hr/> \$3,510.00

DETAIL 12. PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

May 29	Wm. A. Harmon, Memorial Day money,	\$15.00
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DETAIL 13. LIBRARY

1921

Jan. 29	James O. Gerry, Public Library money,	\$21.00
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DETAIL 14. UNCLASSIFIED

Sept. 25	Sydney D. Gilman, auto permits,	\$ 8.75
1921		
Jan. 29	Charles A. Gray, lodging tramp,	2.00
1920		
Sept. 25	Arthur Jackson, bounty on bear,	5.00
	Total,	<hr/> \$111.75

DETAIL 15. TOWN CONSTRUCTION, BRIDGES

May 22	I. W. Frost, labor with team,	68.00
	Enoch L. Drew, labor,	26.00
	Albert Reynolds, labor,	23.00
Nov. 27	E. E. Kennett, stringers,	12.00
	J. F. Chick & Son, bridge plank,	74.02
1921		
Jan. 29	Edward E. Hoyt, labor and material on Miles Bridge, 1919,	24.91
	Total,	<hr/> \$227.93

DETAIL 16. STATE TAX

Dec.	John W. Plummer, State tax,	\$1,413.90
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DETAIL 17. COUNTY TAX

Sept. 25	C. E. Smart, county tax,	\$1,419.87
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DETAIL 18. STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Sept. 11	I. W. Frost, labor,	\$11.50
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	7.00
	E. E. Kennett, labor with team,	23.00
	Henry Harmon, labor with team,	23.00
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	11.50
	James Hurd, labor,	11.50
	Joseph Foster, labor,	11.50
	Harold Ambrose, labor,	9.50
	Gyle Kennett, labor,	11.50
	Albert Reynolds, labor,	2.50
	Fred Clayton, labor,	4.50
18	I. W. Frost, labor,	13.50
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	13.50
	Ernest E. Kennett, labor with team,	27.00
	Henry Harmon, labor with team,	22.50
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	13.50
	James Hurd, labor,	13.50
	Harold Ambrose, labor,	9.00
	Bert Thurston, labor,	13.50
	Gyle Kennett, labor,	7.00
	Abner Harmon, labor,	9.00
	Joseph Foster, labor,	13.50
	Fred Clayton, labor,	9.00
25	I. W. Frost, labor,	27.00
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	27.00
	Ernest E. Kennett, labor with team,	54.00
	Henry Harmon, labor with team,	54.00
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	27.00
	James Hurd, labor,	27.00
	Joseph Foster, labor,	27.00
	Harold Ambrose, labor,	27.00
	Bert Thurston, labor,	27.00

	Abner Harmon, labor,	24.50
	William Granville, labor,	18.00
	N. M. Nason, gravel,	7.68
Oct. 22	Joel Harmon, labor,	22.50
	Abner Harmon, labor,	4.50
	I. W. Frost, labor,	31.50
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	31.50
	Irving C. Kennett, labor with team,	54.00
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	21.00
	Daniel C. Ward, labor,	4.50
	Henry Harmon, labor with team,	9.00
	James Hurd, labor,	31.50
	Harold Ambrose, labor,	27.00
	Ernest E. Kennett, labor with team,	9.00
	N. M. Nason, gravel,	18.96
	Albert Reynolds, dynamite,	1.75
	Isaac W. Frost, labor,	3.00
	Fred Clayton, fuse,	.72
	John F. Chick, material for railing,	31.55
	Jesse Hurd, labor,	4.50
	Bert Thurston, labor,	4.50
30	Irving Ambrose, sharpening tools,	19.35
Nov. 20	Sumner Bickford, hauling culverts,	3.00
	E. E. Kennett, posts,	8.00
	Fred E. Frost, labor,	9.00
	H. E. Chick, labor,	4.50
	I. W. Frost, labor,	13.50
	Total,	<hr/> \$1,013.01

ENOCH L. DREW,
 ISAAC W. FROST,
 WILLIAM A. HARMON,
 Selectmen of Madison.

Auditor's Certificate

We, I. A. Forrest and J. O. Gerry, auditors for the Town of Madison for the fiscal year ending Jan. 31, 1921, hereby certify we have carefully examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find them properly cast and well vouched for

I. A. FORREST,
 J. O. GERRY,
 Auditors.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF MADISON

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1921

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS - PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on hand at End of Year
1919 Feb. 1	John M. Ward, Cemetary Lot Fund	Held by Town	\$ 50.00	5%			\$5.00	
Dec. 31	Nellie M. Hubbard, Cemetary Lot Fund	Liberty Bonds & Conway Savings Bank	200.00	4½%	\$15.12	\$9.50		\$9.50
1920 Jan. 31	J. Franklin Burke, Cemetary General Fund	Liberty Bonds & Conway Savings Bank	1,000.00	4¼%	93.91	42.50		42.50

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JAMES O. GERRY,
JOHN F. CHICK,
SYDNEY D. GILMAN,
Trustees.

Jan. 31, 1921.

REPORT OF MADISON PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR
YEAR ENDING FEB. 1, 1921

Receipts

Balance in Treasury February 1, 1920,	\$19.84
Library tax from town for 1920,	21.00
Cash received from Mrs. Manley's entertainment,	40.40
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	\$81.24

Disbursements

1920		
Sept. 2	To cash paid Helen M. Dalton, Agent, for 1 vol. of Circle of Knowledge,	\$12.80
	To cash paid W. F. Webber for services at entertainment,	2.00
1921		
Jan. 22	To cash paid G. W. Nickerson for work on Library,	6.75
	To lumber, nails and labor by J. O. Gerry, as per bill,	5.00
31	To cash paid Martha Kennett for services as Librarian, Jan. 31, '20, to Jan. 31, '21,	21.00
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		47.55
	Balance in treasury, Feb. 1, 1920,	\$33.69

Number of books in Library, Feb. 1, 1920,	1,607
Purchased during year,	1
Donated by stranger,	10
Donated by J. Franklin Burke,	50

Total number in Library, Feb. 1, 1921, 1,668

JAMES O. GERRY, Treasurer,
SADIE I. GILMAN,
JENNIE A. HARRIMAN,
Trustees.

REPORT OF TOWN HALL BUILDING
COMMITTEE

Frame lumber presented by J. H. Burke.

Paid A. Stacy for work,	\$65.25
W. Webber for work,	67.50
W. Webber for lumber,	45.50
J. H. Burke for lumber,	46.88
J. F. Chick & Son for lumber, roofing, etc.,	68.03
Henry Harmon, for hauling gravel,	1.56
E. E. Kennett for hauling grade,	4.00
F. B. Nason, for molding,	4.50
	\$303.22
Less amount received from dances,	\$ 9.17
Less amount in treasury,	236.25
	245.42
Overrun,	\$57.80

To finish the building, by making, wood shed, two toilets, and selectmen's room, finishing same inside and outside, including painting, will cost \$500.00.

WM. F. WEBBER,

F. B. NASON,

B. P. GERRY,

Building Committee.

January 31, 1921.

MEMORIAL DAY

Balance on hand,	\$ 32.84
Amount raised,	100.00
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Total,	\$132.84

Amount Expended

Rev. Frank S. Hartley, speaker,	\$35.00
Leroy Thompson, music,	12.63
John H. Burke, groceries for lunch,	3.75
Roscoe G. Greene, auto hire,	10.00
I. L. Forrest, auto hire,	2.00
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	\$63.38
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Balance on hand,	\$69.46

WILLARD P. ROBINSON,
WILLIAM A. HARMON.

Examined and found correct.

I. A. FORREST,
J. O. GERRY,

Auditors.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

To the Citizens of Madison:

We hereby submit our report of the finances of the School District from Feb. 14, 1920, to Feb. 5, 1921, showing all receipts and expenditures during that period.

The report of the Superintendent is also included.

School Board

Ernest E. Kennett, term expires	1921
Isaac W. Frost, term expires	1922
Emma H. Kennett, term expires	1923

Organization

Chairman and Financial Secretary,	Emma H. Kennett
Secretary,	S. S. Brooks
Treasurer,	James W. Tyler
Truant Officer,	Roscoe G. Greene

School Budget

Required annual report of school board to district, stating amount of money needed for support of schools and for statutory requirements (see Laws of 1919, 106: 21):

1. Amount of money required by law (\$3.50 on each \$1,000 of the 1920 inventory.)
2. Statement in detail of the additional amount of money required for the support of schools, and payment of statutory obligations for the ensuing fiscal year.

	Elementary Schools.	High School.
1 Budget (School Money)		
(a) For support of schools	\$4,601.50	
(This is school money and may be used for maintaining schools, including the purchase of fuel and other supplies, the transportation of pupils and incidental repairs not exceeding 5 per cent. of school money.)		
(b) For purchase of text books and scholars' supplies,	200.00	
(d) For the payment of tuitions at high schools and academies		\$ 200.00
(e) Total amount required for the above items,	4,801.50	200.00
(f) Estimate of amount of a \$5 tax on the 1920 inventory	2,911.15	

2 Requirements to Meet Budget

(a) For support of elementary schools, (If the amount required for elementary schools is more than the amount of a \$5 tax — the amount of a \$5 tax should be reported — otherwise the am't required.)	2,911.15
(b) For support of high school or payment of high school tuitions, (Ordinarily districts that support a high school do not pay tuitions. Both items might be required.)	200.00
Total for support of all schools (School money),	3,111.15

3 School Board Report of Assessment Required

(1) For the support of schools and the purchase of required books, supplies and flags, and the payment of high school tuitions,	3,311.15
Estimate of \$3.50 tax on 1920 inventory,	2,037.80
Estimate of additional sums needed,	1,273.35
(2) For the payment of the per capita tax (statutory),	210.00
(5) For the payment of other statutory requirements (if any),	200.00

Finances

Balance in treasury Feb. 14, 1920,	\$845.36
March 1, 1920, State Equalization,	714.73
April 24, 1920, E. L. Huckins, tuition,	11.00
Expenditures from Feb. 14, 1920, to Aug. 31, 1920:	
Teachers' salaries,	\$1,163.20
Transportation,	255.00
High school tuition,	136.65
Minor repairs,	10.00
Scholars' supplies,	9.26
Janitor service,	68.10
Fuel,	64.25
Expenses of administration,	25.81
Elementary school tuition,	135.00
Janitor supplies,	8.34
	—————\$1,875.61

Expenditures from Aug. 31, 1920, to Feb. 5, 1921:

Teachers' salaries,	\$1,277.83
Transportation,	363.60
High school tuition,	115.00
Minor repairs,	3.00
Scholar's supplies,	123.00
Janitor service,	27.25
Fuel,	84.25
Expenses of administration,	17.73
Text books,	96.36
Other expenses of instruction,	25.05
Medical inspection,	87.00
Alteration of old buildings,	558.39
Superintendent's salary,	194.00
Salaries of district officers,	52.00
Salary of truant officer,	10.00
	3,034.46
Total amount expended during the year ending February 5, 1921,	\$4,910.07
Amount raised at district meeting for school purposes,	3,460.00
State Equalization Fund,	714.73
Elementary school tuition,	11.00
	\$5,031.08
Balance in treasury Feb. 5, 1921,	\$121.01

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST E. KENNETT,
ISAAC W. FROST,
EMMA H. KENNETT,

School Board.

We, I. A. Forrest and J. O. Gerry, auditors for the Town of Madison for the fiscal year ending Feb. 14, 1921, have examined the foregoing accounts and found them correctly cast and vouched for.

I. A. FORREST,
J. O. GERRY,

Auditors.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE MADISON
SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal year beginning Sept. 1, 1919, and ending
Aug. 31, 1920

Receipts

For qualified teachers (from Selectmen),	\$128.00
Equalization (State Aid),	714.73
From the Selectmen, raised by taxation,	3,179.69
High School and Academy tuition,	250.00
Salaries of district officers,	75.00
Per capita tax,	214.00
Dog licenses (from Selectmen),	48.00
Elementary school tuition,	18.00
All other receipts,	95.81
	\$4,723.23

Payments

Salaries of district officers,	\$ 47.00
Superintendent's excess salary,	34.77
Truant officers and school census,	11.31
Teachers' salaries,*	2,395.20
Scholars' supplies,	151.55
Text books,	242.46
Other expenses of instruction,	46.68
Janitor service,	143.50
Fuel,	85.25
Minor repairs and expenses,	36.87
Medical inspection,	87.00
Transportation,	669.60
High School tuition,	195.01
Elementary School tuition,	135.00
Last year's bills,	255.13
Tax for State-wide supervision,	214.00
Payment of bills from previous year,	34.09
	\$4,784.42
Overdrawn,	\$ 61.19
Outstanding unpaid bills,	443.50
	\$504.69

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Madison:

I hereby submit for your consideration my second annual report as superintendent of the Madison schools.

The Teacher Situation

The general situation in regard to teachers when schools opened in September was even worse than for the preceding year. The cities and larger towns had once more made their drafts on the rural teaching force, and vacancies thus caused have of necessity been filled in most cases with teachers of a lower grade in experience and professional training. The teacher shortage of the last two or three years has largely defeated the purpose of the new school law to enable the smaller rural communities to obtain teachers equal in training and experience to those which the cities and large towns could afford. Although the State Aid feature of the new law makes it possible for Madison to compete with any community in the State on equal terms in the matter of teachers' salaries, the fact that the supply of properly qualified teachers was wholly inadequate to meet the demand has made it impossible to obtain as yet a professionally trained and experienced teacher for each of the Madison schools. Money will not hire teachers when there are no teachers to hire. On the whole, however, the level of teaching efficiency in the Madison schools is higher than last year, and good work is being done in every school. Nearly all pupils who are mentally capable of doing standard school work are making satisfactory progress. In the few cases where normal pupils are not making normal progress it is due either to excessive absence from school or to the pupils' or their parents' antagonistic attitude toward the school or the teacher.

There are indications that the supply of properly qualified teachers will gradually increase from now on. Many excellent teachers who were literally starved out of the profession and forced to seek better paid employment

in the early years of the war are now seeking to return. The acute teacher shortage, disastrous as it has been in many respects, has resulted in at least one great good. It has caused increases in teachers' salaries which will approximate a decent living wage when living expenses return to normal.

Those who look forward to a general reduction in teachers' pay will be disappointed. The general level will probably remain about as it is at present. The wage-lowering tendency of an increasing supply of teachers will be offset by higher standards for qualifications. This does not mean that there will be no readjustment of teachers' salaries relatively. Such readjustment is badly needed. The exigencies of the situation have obliged us to pay about equal salaries to all teachers of experience, regardless of their efficiency, and to pay untrained and inexperienced teachers more than their services were worth in order to keep the schools open. The best teachers are not yet getting enough for their services. They will get more. The value of some teachers to the school and the community can hardly be expressed in terms of dollars and cents. The least efficient are often getting more than they are worth and can look forward to salary reductions and to being dropped eventually unless they awake to the need for professional training plus a real live interest in their work. As normal conditions are approached teachers' salaries will be based more and more closely on their interest and efficiency in their work.

One of the most serious as well as the most needless obstacles to the obtaining of high grade teachers, for the more remote rural schools especially, is the lack of suitable boarding places within reasonable walking distance of school buildings. Here is a chance for civic patriotism in general, and Women's Clubs in particular, to function to practical advantage in the community.

School Supplies and Equipment

It ought to be evident to any thinking individual that the narrower the range of books read and studied by

pupils the narrower will be their mental equipment and hence their outlook on life as adults. Spiritual and material progress of the present generation has been and is being woefully retarded by the narrow views of local leaders induced by the soul-cramping narrowness of the traditional school program of twenty years ago or more with its meager amount of broadening subject matter. Drill, drill, drill, was the rule, cultural knowledge and the higher thought process in learning being utterly ignored.

I have taken special pains to equip the schools of Madison not only with modern texts in accord with modern ideals, aims and methods in education, but also with a good variety of the best informational books to supplement the regular texts in broadening the minds of the pupils. Is it worth while? Don't ask me. I might be prejudiced. Ask the boys and girls whether or not school is more interesting and worth while to them than it used to be.

Although the good workman can do a passable job with a few makeshift tools, nevertheless, he can do a better job in much less time and with much less effort if he has proper tools with which to work. So it is with the teacher. The more time- and energy-saving devices a schoolroom is equipped with, the more efficiently can a teacher utilize her stock of time and energy for the benefit of the school and the community. In accordance with this point of view the Madison schools are being generously but not extravagantly supplied with most of the supplies usually furnished in up-to-date school systems. These supplies have been of great help to teachers and pupils in turning out more and better work. But the schools are still much in need of certain permanent equipment, as maps and globes, adjustable seats, reference books, etc. Wall maps and globes are absolutely essential to efficient teaching of both geography and history. In the Madison schools there are none, or they are in such poor condition as to be almost useless. Encyclopedias and other reference books are practical necessities in modern properly conducted schools. Song books are needed, also. All

these articles come under the head of "new equipment" and are not provided for in the regular school funds. The district should make a special appropriation of about \$200 a year for three years to provide for these serious needs of the schools. Once equipped with these things it would be years before they would have to be replaced, and replacement of school equipment is provided for by State Aid.

Improvements

Last year I called your attention to my extensive use of standardized tests and measurements in the schools and explained briefly their advantages over any other method of testing children for progress in school work. This system of testing has been still further extended and refined, and its advantages become more apparent every day as the achievement records of the pupils become more complete. I have on file in my office the complete progress record of every child in the district since I began work here. These records are in condensed and easily understood graphic form and represent the pupils' actual accomplishments as measured in the most scientifically accurate way yet devised. They enable us to group the children into classes in such a way as to obtain the most uniform amount and quality of work from each class; enable me to advise intelligently with teachers as to the most advisable treatment to be accorded individual pupils who are having trouble with their school work; enables teachers to locate the special weaknesses of individuals and classes so that they can concentrate their teaching effort where it will do the most good; and furnish a strong motivating influence to the pupils themselves. They also provide a safe, sane, and impartial basis for promotion of pupils from grade to grade, leaving no chance for charges of favoritism on the part of the teachers. Furthermore, they measure accurately the efficiency of teachers as well as the progress of pupils at one and the same time. The record of her pupils' progress is the

measure of the teacher's ability. It is perfectly fair to judge a teacher's efficiency by the progress made by mentally normal children under her instruction provided we have some means of knowing which are the mentally normal pupils and just how much progress they ought to make each year. The standardized tests and scales provide just that necessary means. These graphic records of their children's school progress might be made interesting and profitable to the parents as well if they could find time to consult them. I would be happy to have parents consult me at any time concerning their children's school records and be glad to furnish any information and advice within my power.

The intensive campaign begun in the schools last year for improvement in silent reading ability is beginning to bear rich fruit. Ability to gather thoughts rapidly and silently from the printed page is being rapidly developed in all schools where teachers have co-operated systematically and intelligently in carrying out the silent reading program by approved methods. The progress made by the four lower grades is particularly encouraging, since it is in these grades that good reading habits must be acquired if at all.

Special attention has also been given to speed and accuracy in the fundamental operations of arithmetic with excellent results. By means of the Curtis Standard Practice Tests and other methods of intensive drill, a high degree of proficiency has been developed in all grades, but especially in the lower, as the younger children are always more responsive to drill work than the older children and the results are more lasting.

The altering of the school buildings last Fall so as to have all windows in the left and rear of the pupils is the most notable improvement of the year along the lines of proper sanitary measures for the protection of the health of the children. This arrangement of the lighting does away with the dangerous and annoying cross lights and short blackboards between windows. The sight-destroy-

ing front window has also been eliminated. Walls repainted a light color and ceilings whitened, together with light colored curtains where curtains are absolutely necessary, make available all light admitted at the windows for purposes of vision, instead of permitting the greater part of it to be absorbed by dark colored walls and green curtains.

Once more I take pleasure in expressing at this time my appreciation of the continued helpful co-operation and intelligent interest of the school board and citizens of Madison in my work.

Respectfully submitted,
SAMUEL S. BROOKS,
Superintendent of Schools.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

Order

Order No.		
94	Kathie Stacy, teaching,	40.80
95	Lucia Ruggles, teaching,	68.40
96	Lilla Merrow, teaching,	38.00
97	Lilla Merrow, janitor,	6.00
98	Mildred Mathews, teaching,	45.00
99	George W. Hayes, transportation,	63.00
100	Mrs. George W. Abbott, transportation,	24.00
101	F. W. Preston, tuition,	18.33
102	J. E. Chesley,	1.50
103	David Knowles,	6.00
104	E. C. Eastman,	1.24
105	Minnie Frost,	3.00
106	H. E. Drew,	29.25
107	Myrtle Tibbetts,	3.00
108	Walter Kennett,	4.00
109	Roland Lyman,	2.25
110	J. L. Frost,	2.25
111	S. F. Stacey, transportation,	9.60
112	J. E. Chesley,	2.00
113	Sewell Kennett,	4.00
114	W. Jenness,	4.50
115	Mrs. George W. Abbott, transportation,	28.80
116	Lilla E. Merrow, teaching,	76.00
117	Kathie Stacy, teaching,	80.00
118	Ethlyn Pearson, teaching,	60.00
119	Mrs. Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	76.00
120	J. O. Gerry,	4.00
121	E. E. Kennett,	24.00
122	Record Print,	4.70
123	E. C. Eastman,	25.81
124	Houghton Mifflin Co.,	3.32
125	Mrs. Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	36.00
126	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	11.20
127	Mrs. George W. Abbott, transportation,	32.00
128	F. W. Preston,	18.33
129	Mrs. Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	40.00

130	Ethelyn Pearson, teaching,	60.00
131	Kathie Stacy, teaching,	80.00
132	Lilla E. Merrow, teaching,	76.00
133	Chellis Emerson, janitor,	.60
134	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	14.40
135	Mrs. George W. Abbott, transportation,	24.00
136	H. E. Drew,	3.50
137	Roland Lyman, janitor,	.50
138	Sewell Kennett, janitor,	2.00
139	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	8.00
140	Kathie Stacy, teaching,	60.00
141	Treas., Nute High School, tuition,	39.99
142	Mrs. George W. Abbott, transportation,	24.00
143	Lilla E. Merrow, teaching,	114.00
144	Kathie Stacy, teaching,	40.00
145	Lilla E. Merrow, teaching,	14.00
146	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	16.00
147	Mrs. Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	95.00
148	Mrs. Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	10.00
149	Ethelyn Pearson, teaching,	78.00
150	Ethelyn Pearson, teaching,	13.00
151	School District of Conway, tuition,	195.00
152	G. W. Nickerson,	75.20
153	I. W. Frost,	38.54
154	Lee Nickerson,	36.00
155	Fred Frost,	34.00
156	J. I. Gibson,	20.00
157	S. S. Brooks,	9.75
158	J. F. Chick & Son,	5.00
159	F. B. Nason,	193.05
160	J. F. Chick & Son,	85.27
161	H. E. Drew,	9.75
162	Mrs. Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	44.00
163	Mrs. Minnie Frost,	1.50
164	Burton Sawyer, teaching,	66.00
165	Ethelyn Pearson, teaching,	108.00
166	Mrs. George W. Abbott, transportation,	32.00
167	Lilla E. Merrow, teaching,	88.00
168	Myrtle Tibbetts,	3.00

169	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	24.00
170	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	20.80
171	Mrs. Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	110.00
172	Burton Sawyer, teaching,	44.00
173	Mrs. Geo. W. Abbott, transportation,	32.00
174	J. H. Burke,	1.56
175	Lilla E. Merrow, teaching,	88.00
176	Marjorie Pagan, teaching,	87.83
177	March Bros.,	7.20
178	Henry Holt & Co.,	9.20
179	Ethelyn Pearson, teaching,	108.00
180	Ethelyn Pearson, teaching,	12.00
181	E. E. Babb & Co., supplies,	49.70
182	Milton Bradley Co., supplies,	27.94
183	World Book Co., supplies,	8.18
185	Curtis Standard Test, supplies,	10.01
186	Educational Supply Co., supplies,	.78
187	Gilman Bros., supplies,	76.33
188	The A. N. Palmer Co., supplies,	26.00
189	The McMillan Co.,	43.87
190	The American Book Co.,	43.29
191	Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	88.00
192	Burton Sawyer, teaching,	44.00
193	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	24.00
194	Mrs. George W. Abbott, transportation,	32.00
195	Lilla E. Merrow, teaching,	154.00
196	John W. Plummer, supplies,	194.00
197	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	20.80
198	I. W. Frost,	26.50
199	A. H. Reynolds, teaching,	100.00
200	Ethelyn Pearson, teaching,	72.00
201	Ethelyn Pearson, janitor,	4.00
202	Gilman Bros., supplies,	5.26
203	Nute High School, tuition,	15.00
204	E. E. Hoyt, transportation,	30.00
205	Burton Sawyer, teaching,	88.00
206	Lyle Sawyer, teaching,	88.00
207	H. E. Drew, wood,	31.50

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208	Mrs. George W. Abbott, transportation,	32.00
209	S. F. Stacy, transportation,	16.00
210	Shaw, Walker & Co., supplies,	4.06
211	Fred Clayton, supplies,	1.52
212	Milton Bradley Co., supplies,	11.18
213	B. C. Snyder, supplies,	3.00
214	B. F. Bickford, supplies,	21.25
215	I. W. Frost, services,	10.00
216	E. E. Kennett, services,	10.00
217	Emma H. Kennett, services,	15.00
218	Roscoe G. Greene, truant officer,	10.00
219	Hattie L. Chick, clerk,	2.00
220	Emma H. Kennett, administration,	4.98
221	Walter Kennett, administration,	3.00
222	Dr. K. D. Bryson, medical service,	87.00
223	James W. Tyler, school treasurer,	15.00
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		\$4,910.07

Receipts

Balance from last year,	\$ 845.35
Received from town,	3,460.00
State Equalization,	714.73
Edwin Huckins,	11.00
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	\$5,031.08
Balance in treasury,	\$121.01

VITAL STATISTICS.

TO THE SELECTMEN—In compliance with an act of Legislature passed June session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following:

Births in the Town of Madison for the Year Ending December 31, 1920

Date	Name of the child (if any)	Sex and Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother		
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn								No. of child	Color
Jan 5	Roland Dellmont Moore	Male	Living	3	G. Frank Moore	Nellie M. Thurston	Madison	Laborer	Albany, N. H.	Madison		
12	Herbert Lincoln Arnold	"	"	1	Wm. F. Arnold	Alice E. Stacy	"	Section man	Brookfield, Mass	Madison		
23	— Smith	Female	"	2	Ray A. Smith	A. Violet Thurston	"	Laborer	Vermont	Madison		
Nov 6	Elenor Margaret Drew	"	"	3	Chester A. Drew	Annie Fitzgerald	"	Carpenter	Madison	Taunton, Mass.		
18	Thelma Nellie Leavitt	"	"	3	Chester Leavitt	Lora Taylor	"	Chauffeur	Effingham	Madison		
18	Frederick Wilson Clayton	Male	"	1	Fred Clayton	Manora Tuttle	"	Merchant	Yorkshire, Eng.	Wakefield		
Dec 3	Ethel Mae Bickford	Female	"	7	Frank Bickford	Sylvia Harriman	"	Farmer	Madison	Alton		
Mar 16	Warren Carle Nickerson	Male	"	3	W. E. L. Nickerson	Arvilla Warren	"	Fireman	Madison	Madison		
Feb 25	Walter Leland Kennett	Male	"	2	Clarence Kennett	Almira W. Frost	"	Machinist	Madison	Madison		

Marriages in the Town of Madison for the Year Ending December 31, 1920

Date	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride and Residence at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color of Each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Birthplace of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
1920 May 15	Madison	Ralph H. Allard Lucie M. Doe	19 19	White	Millman Housework	Westmoreland Eaton	C. Fred Allard George E. Doe	Madison Durham	Willard P. Robinson Clergyman Madison
Dec. 9	Tamworth	Stephen A. Lane Bernice J. Hartley Dorchester, Mass.	34 24	White	Laborer None	Albany Madison	Henry S. Lane Lewis F. Morrill	Albany Albany	Alonzo Nickerson Minister of the Gospel Tamworth

Deaths in the Town of Madison for the Year Ending December 31, 1920

Date	Name of Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex & Condition		Occupation	Place of Birth:		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Mos. Days		Male or Female	Single, Married or Widowed		Father	Mother		
Feb 6	Samuel J. Gilman	53	11/26	Tamworth N H	Male	Married	Grocer	Eaton, N. H.	Earnstable Eng.	David H. Gilman	Mary J. Hutchins
14	Lucretia Hayes	72	6/12		Female	Wid.	Housewife			J. Durgin	Betsy Durgin
Mar 31	Mary E. Chick	80	10/7	Tamworth "	Female	Wid.	Housewife		Tamworth	George Durrell	Ann Berry
July 3	Annie S. Frost	75	4/26	Eaton	Female	Married	Housewife		Maine	Wm. S. Hayes	Nancy J. Drew
Nov 29	Thomas C. Powell	63	7/17	Cincinnati, O.	Male	Married	Broker		Wales, Eng.	Howell Powell	Sarah Roberts

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true transcript of the record of all the Births, Marriages and Deaths that have been reported to me for the year ending December 31, 1920.

SYDNEY D. GILMAN, Town Clerk.

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